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### **Summit State Bank Promotes Jackie Patrick and Matt Denny**

**Santa Rosa, CA** – (March 17, 2021) – Summit State Bank (NASDAQ: SSBI) has promoted Jackie Patrick to Assistant Vice President and Senior Lending Associate and Matt Denny has been named the Branch Manager of the Bank’s Healdsburg Office.

“We are pleased to be able to promote Jackie to an Assistant Vice President as she transitions to her new role of supporting our Relationship Managers as Senior Lending Associate. Our philosophy is to provide on-going support and training so our leaders can excel in their careers. Matt recently joined the Bank and has previous banking experience, making him a perfect fit for his role as Branch Manager. Each of them plays a key role in the overall success of the Bank and we are fortunate to have their expertise and talent. In addition, they are active in the community which is an important part of the Bank’s role as a community bank,” said Brian Reed, President and CEO of Summit State Bank.

Jackie joined the Bank in 2017 as a Senior Commercial Loan Processor and has more than 25 years’ experience in loan processing. She is active in the community and is a member of the Sonoma County Bicycle Coalition as well as a member of the United Way “Earn It, Keep It, Save it” program. Jackie has lived her adult life in Sonoma County with her husband and enjoys spending time with her family and many outdoor activities to include camping, boating, and hiking.

Matt joined the Bank in 2020 and brings over 10 years of banking experience. Matt is a Sonoma County native and holds an Associate of Arts from Santa Rosa Junior College. He has also worked in the local wine industry and has experience with sales as well as tasting room and wine club management. Matt is a supporter and volunteer with SNAP Cats, a rescue center and sanctuary for special needs cats. He also volunteers at the Calistoga Unified School District.

### **About Summit State Bank**

Summit State Bank, a local community bank, has total assets of \$866 million and total equity of \$76 million on December 31, 2020. Headquartered in Sonoma County, the Bank specializes in providing exceptional customer service and customized financial solutions to aid in the success of local small businesses and nonprofits throughout Sonoma County. Summit State Bank is committed to embracing the diverse backgrounds, cultures and talents of its employees to create high performance and support the evolving needs of its customers and community it serves. At the center of diversity is inclusion, collaboration, and a shared vision for delivering superior service and results for shareholders. Presently, 76% of management are women and minorities with 60% represented on the Executive Management Team. Through the engagement of its team, Summit State Bank has received many esteemed awards including: Best Business Bank, Corporate Philanthropy Award and Best Places to Work in the North Bay. Summit State Bank’s stock is traded on the Nasdaq Global Market under the symbol SSBI. Further information can be found at [www.summitstatebank.com](http://www.summitstatebank.com).

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