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Sierra Vista Bank Announces Vanessa Ryan as Vice President and Business Relationship Manager

FOLSOM, Calif., June 22, 2010 - Sierra Vista Bank (OTCB:SVBA) welcomes Vanessa Ryan as the Vice President and Business Relationship Manager for Sierra Vista Bank. Vanessa will be based out of the company's Folsom office, located at 1710 Prairie City Road, Suite 100.

Vanessa has over 20+ years of banking experience in the Greater Sacramento area, having held various positions in sales, business development, lending, operations and executive leadership. She has specialized in homeowners associations, non-profit organizations, and other small to mid-size business needs. Greg Patton, President and CEO of Sierra Vista Bank stated, "We recognize that Vanessa's knowledge and vast experience will allow her to effectively work with local business owners and entrepreneurs to effectively create solutions for their individual business needs. We are excited to have her as a part of our team."

Vanessa is a resident of Roseville and is actively involved in the Rancho Cordova and Folsom communities, including several community organizations, such as the Walter Charitable Fund - the Association for Frontotemporal Dementias, as well as the Folsom Cordova Community Partnership. To reach Vanessa, call her at (916) 850-1590 or email her at vryan@sierravistabank.com.

About Sierra Vista Bank

Sierra Vista Bank is a locally owned community bank headquartered at 1710 Prairie City Road in Folsom, California since March 2007 and has a branch located in the Sam's Town Center in Cameron Park. The Bank prides itself on serving the financial needs of small businesses and professionals in Folsom and throughout the Highway 50 Corridor while remaining committed to community philanthropy. Additional information about Sierra Vista Bank can be found at www.sierravistabank.com or by calling (916) 850-1500.

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