

Press Release

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Headline: Valley Bank announces promotion of Norma Callahan to Assistant Vice President & Branch Manager

PUYALLUP, Washington – February 3, 2006— David H. Brown, President and Chief Executive Officer of Valley Bank announced that Norma Callahan, the Branch Supervisor at their South Hill Branch was recently promoted to Assistant Vice President and Branch Manager.

Ms. Callahan has been with Valley Bank 13 years and has 36 years of banking experience. She is a graduate of Puyallup High School and grew up on the South Hill area of Puyallup. She currently resides in Tacoma with her husband Rick.



Valley Bank, a subsidiary of Valley Community Bancshares, Inc., serves the South King and Eastern Pierce County region of Washington State with eight full-service banking facilities, a mortgage loan production office, and one drive-up facility with assets of \$195Million.

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