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**Matthew Peyret Promoted to Senior Vice President/
Agribusiness Commercial Loan Team Manager**



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Senior Vice President,
Agribusiness Commercial
Loan Team Manager

Dixon, CA— Jeff Adamski, Executive Vice President/Senior Loan Officer of First Northern Bank, is pleased to announce that Matthew (Matt) Peyret has been promoted to Senior Vice President/Agribusiness Commercial Loan Team Manager. Matt replaces Peter Faye, who retired on March 31, 2021, after 12 years with the Bank.

Matt joined First Northern Bank's Agribusiness Loan Team in 2014 and in those seven years, he has been successful in growing the Bank's Agribusiness relationships. In his new position, he will be responsible for managing the Bank's Agribusiness Commercial Loan Team, deepening current client relationships, and continued expansion of the Agribusiness loan portfolio.

Matt has more than 16 years' experience in banking and portfolio management, business development, underwriting, and risk analysis in the areas of commercial real estate, agricultural, and commercial lending.

Matt is a native Californian who grew up in Yuba City and continues to live there with his wife and two children. He is very active in the community, serving as a Marysville Rotarian since 2007, a Board Member for The Center for Land Based Learning, a Class 50 Fellow at the California Agricultural Leadership Foundation, a site council member for Tierra Buena Elementary School and as a soccer and basketball coach. Matt is also a 2018 graduate of Leadership Sacramento—a program designed by the Sacramento Metro Chamber Foundation for civic leaders.

Matt holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, with an emphasis in Financial Services, from California State University, Chico and is a graduate of Pacific Coast Banking School at the University of Washington in Seattle. While an undergraduate, Matt was a Golden Key National Society member and a member of Beta Gamma Sigma Honor Society.

Matt's offices are located at 195 N. First Street, Dixon, CA 95620, and 11 W. Court St., Suite A, Woodland, CA 95695. He can be reached at (530) 406-2053, or mpeyret@thatsmybank.com.

About First Northern Bank

As the Sacramento Region's local leader in small-business lending and customer satisfaction, First Northern Bank specializes in relationship banking. Experts are available in small-business, commercial, real estate and agribusiness lending, as well as mortgage loans. The Bank is an SBA Preferred Lender. Non-FDIC insured Investment and Brokerage Services are available at every branch location, through First Northern Advisors, including: Auburn, Davis, Dixon, Fairfield, Rancho Cordova, Roseville, Sacramento, Vacaville, West Sacramento, Winters, and Woodland. The Bank has a commercial lending office in Walnut Creek and a mortgage loan office in Sonoma. Real estate mortgage and small-business loan officers are available by appointment in any of the Bank's branches. First Northern is rated as a Veribanc "Blue Ribbon" Bank and a "5-Star Superior" Bank by Bauer Financial, for the earnings period of December 31, 2020 (www.veribanc.com and www.bauerfinancial.com). The Bank can be found on the Web at www.thatsmybank.com, on [Facebook](#) and on [LinkedIn](#).

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