

ELIZABETH DONNELLY JOINS F&M BANK AS SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT, TREASURY MANAGEMENT SALES

DATELINE: Lodi, Calif., March 20, 2015. . . Kent A. Steinwert, Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Farmers & Merchants Bank of Central California, announced the appointment of Elizabeth "Liz" Donnelly as Senior Vice President, Treasury Management Sales.

Liz brings with her over 24 years of experience in the banking industry, most recently with First Republic Bank where she served as Senior Managing Director of Preferred Banking. Her Treasury Management expertise includes businesses in the retail, wholesale, manufacturing, venture capital, tech, non-profit, property management and commercial real estate sectors.

"We are pleased to announce that Liz has joined the F&M Bank team and particularly excited for her to assist us in growing our clientele in the Bay Area. Her experience leading a team of Preferred Bankers and delivering exceptional customer service is a perfect fit for our organization. Her strong leadership skills will heighten enthusiasm and inspire the F&M Treasury Management Team", stated Kent Steinwert.

"F&M has a solid reputation for financial safety and soundness, customer service, and supporting the local communities. I am committed to providing the best possible customer service by offering treasury management solutions that will satisfy our clients' needs and assist them in improving their operating efficiencies," said Liz Donnelly. "I invite anyone interested in learning more, to call me at 925.627.5510, so I can help you and your business."

Farmers & Merchants Bank of Central California, also known as F&M Bank. Founded in 1916, F&M Bank is a locally owned and operated community bank which proudly serves California through 25 convenient locations. The Bank has expanded into the Bay Area and Orange County with new full service branches in Walnut Creek and Irvine. F&M Bank offers a full complement of loan, deposit, equipment leasing, and treasury management services to both businesses and consumers, and has received BauerFinancial's coveted "Five-Star, Superior Bank" award, for safety and security for over 23 consecutive years. For more information about Farmers & Merchants Bancorp and F&M Bank visit www.fmbonline.com.

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