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WESTERN HERITAGE BANK ANNOUNCES VICE PRESIDENT, COMMERCIAL LENDER

El Paso, Texas – March 13, 2019 – Western Heritage Bank has announced that Ray Aguilar has been hired as Vice President, Commercial Lender. He will serve the El Paso market.

“We are very pleased that Ray has joined our community banking team,” said Greg Cory, President and CEO of Western Heritage Bank. “Our clients will greatly benefit from the extensive experience Ray has in commercial lending.”

A native El Pasoan, Aguilar attended the University of Texas at El Paso and began his banking career with The Bank of El Paso in 1991. His background in commercial lending includes commercial real estate, C&I, and SBA lending. Aguilar serves on the Advisory Board of the Salvation Army, is a member of Knights of Columbus, and is active in Peace and Justice Ministry at St. Raphael’s Church.

About Western Heritage Bank

Since 2001, Western Heritage Bank, a community based institution, has been an active participant in the vibrant and diverse economy of Southern New Mexico. It has helped build businesses ranging from the agriculture industry to manufacturing operations. The bank provides modern banking conveniences with traditional, personalized service in the areas of online banking, personal banking, business banking and loans. Western Heritage Bank is a New Mexico state bank and is a wholly owned subsidiary of New Mexico First Financial, Inc. Western Heritage Bank operates locations in El Paso, Texas; Las Cruces, New Mexico; and Deming, New Mexico. For more information please visit www.westernheritagebank.com.

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