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Westfield Bank Welcomes Back Allison Sitler as Branch Manager at Main Office

Westfield, MA— James C. Hagan, President and CEO of Westfield Bank, is pleased to announce the appointment of Allison Sitler as Retail Banking Officer and Branch Manager at its Main Office location in Westfield, MA.

A familiar face to both customers and colleagues, Sitler returns to Westfield Bank with more than a decade of banking experience and a strong commitment to community-focused service. In her new role, she will be responsible for overseeing customer service, retail and business product sales, as well as business development and community outreach. Other responsibilities include managing general operations and employee development within the branch.

"Allison brings a valuable blend of leadership, expertise, and local insight," said Kelly A. Pignatare, First Vice President and Director of Retail Banking and Business & Government Deposit Services at Westfield Bank. "We're excited to welcome her back to the Westfield Bank family."

Sitler originally joined the Bank in 2012, holding various positions including Retail Banking Officer, Assistant Branch Manager and Business Specialist. Most recently, she served in management roles at other community banks, gaining valuable experience across retail banking and customer relationship development.

She holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with a concentration in Management from the New England College of Business and Finance, graduating





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summa cum laude. She also earned a paralegal certificate from the Center for Legal Studies.

A local resident, Sitler is an active member of the Greater Westfield Chamber of Commerce and a former member of the Westfield Kiwanis Club.

About Westfield Bank

Westfield Bank, headquartered in Westfield, Massachusetts, is a federally chartered savings bank organized in 1853 and is the largest publicly traded bank headquartered in Western Massachusetts. The Bank is a full-service community-oriented financial institution offering a complete range of commercial and retail products and services. Currently, the Bank has twenty-five branch offices, fifty ATMs, and an additional thirty-three seasonal ATMs and serves Hampden and Hampshire counties in Western Massachusetts and Hartford County in Northern Connecticut. The Bank's middle market and commercial real estate lending team is based in Springfield, Massachusetts and West Hartford, Connecticut and has a general regulatory limit on loans to one borrower of \$40.7 million. As of June 30, 2025, the Bank employed 339 full and part-time employees, had \$2.7 billion in total assets, \$2.1 billion in its loan portfolio, and \$2.3 billion in total deposits. The Bank is regulated by the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency. As a member of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), the Bank's deposits are insured up to the maximum FDIC insurance coverage limits. To learn more, visit the bank's website at www.westfieldbank.com

PHOTO: A headshot of Allison Sitler is attached.

