



What better banking's all about.™

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

January 31, 2023

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

Cathy Jocelyn
Vice President of Marketing
(413) 572-4224 / cjocelyn@westfieldbank.com

**SHADIA COLEY JOINS WESTFIELD BANK AS ASSISTANT
BRANCH MANAGER AND BUSINESS SPECIALIST**

Westfield, MA— James C. Hagan, President and CEO of Westfield Bank, is pleased to announce that Shadia Coley has been appointed Assistant Branch Manager and Business Specialist at the Bank's 1650 Northampton Street location in Holyoke.

In her position, Coley will be primarily responsible for small business development, including driving business deposit and loan growth and assisting small business and commercial customers with deposit, credit, and digital banking products. She will also work with internal partners to meet business customers', commercial lending, and cash management needs.

Coley holds a Bachelor's degree in Finance from Southern New Hampshire University and an Associate's degree in Human Services from Capital Community College. She is currently pursuing her Master's degree in Finance from Southern New Hampshire University.

www.westfieldbank.com





What better banking's all about.™

Coley strives to spread the importance of financial awareness in underserved communities and cultivate relationships by being an active participant within the community.

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-four ATMs, and an additional thirty seasonal ATMs and serves Hampden and Hampshire counties in Western Massachusetts and Hartford and Tolland counties in Northern Connecticut. The Bank's middle market and commercial real estate lending team is based in Springfield, Massachusetts, and has a general regulatory limit on loans to one borrower of \$39.7 million. As of December 31, 2022, the Bank employed 357 full and part-time employees, had \$2.6 billion in total assets, \$2.0 billion in its loan portfolio, and \$2.2 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 Shadia Coley is attached