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## Jim Hatch joins First Bank of the Lake

Annemarie Murphy, Executive Vice President, President of SBA Lending at First Bank of the Lake announced today that **Jim Hatch** has joined its Small Business Administration (SBA) Lending team as a Vice President, SBA Business Development Officer. In this role, Hatch will be responsible for growing the bank's assets by originating SBA loans nationwide in the Commercial Real Estate arena.

Hatch joined First Bank of the Lake's SBA team in April 2023. He has over 20 years lending experience, specializing in SBA lending. His primary focus is on commercial real estate purchases, but he is well versed in other aspects of SBA lending including lines of credit and working capital debt. "Jim brings wide-ranging experience which is a tremendous value to the Bank and our clients," stated Murphy. "We are excited Jim has joined our team. His years of experience and professional expertise is just what we need to continue to grow the bank's SBA lending portfolio."

"With the backing of First Bank of the Lake and my commitment to responding to my client's objectives, I am able to help entrepreneurs grow their business and succeed," stated Hatch. "I put my years of experience to work for my clients, provide them with a variety of financing options and have the privilege of helping them succeed." Hatch is located in southern California but can help with SBA financing nationwide. He can be reached at 858.449.9484 or by email at jhatch@fblake.bank.

## About First Bank of the Lake

First Bank of the Lake, headquartered in Osage Beach, Missouri, has been meeting the financial needs of individuals and businesses for over 36 years. First Bank of the Lake provides a full range of deposit products and services, along with consumer, residential mortgage, and commercial lending. The Bank is also an SBA lender throughout the United States. For more information about First Bank of the Lake, please visit our website at FBLake.Bank.

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