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## **Availa Bank Announces New Hire in Nevada** *Randy Clary to lead Nevada branch as Nevada Market President*

Nevada, Iowa (April 26, 2021) – Availa Bank is pleased to announce the hiring of Randy Clary as the new Market President for the Nevada Branch.

Randy brings 25 total years of community banking experience to Availa Bank. Throughout the years he has held several different positions, including Community Bank President, Agricultural Lender, Commercial Lender, and Mortgage Lender.

As the new Nevada Market President, Randy will be responsible for leading the Nevada team to ensure that customers of Availa Bank are the top priority, as well as focusing on growing the market share of the bank by offering competitive and sound solutions to all clients, personal & commercial.

Outside of his old job in Geneseo, Illinois, Randy was very involved in the community as the Chamber of Commerce president in 2018, a member of the Little League Football Board, and as a member of the Retail Development board. He says family is his focus. He enjoys helping others achieve their objectives and coaching where a difference can be achieved.

Sharon Johnson, current Nevada Market President, is excited to have Randy join the team. “Randy brings a strong background of banking in a rural community setting. We look forward to his experience in economic development, chamber, and other affiliations to build relationships in the Nevada and eastern Story County region.”

Randy is replacing Sharon as Nevada Market President after Sharon announced her retirement earlier this year.

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About Availa Bank: Availa Bank’s roots date back to 1870 when it was originally chartered. Availa is the first three syllables of the word available, a word that defines the bank’s mission – to always be available to customers, communities, and employees with competitive products and responsive service. Availa Bank locations are in the following communities: Ames, Ankeny, Arcadia, Carroll, Coon Rapids, Council Bluffs, Denison, Fort Dodge, Holstein, Jewell, Nevada, Roland, Sioux City, Pocahontas and Webster City. For more information about Availa Bank, visit [www.Availa.Bank](http://www.Availa.Bank). Member FDIC.