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Newtown Savings Bank's Rebecca Brown and Kelly Williams Named New Leaders in Banking

NEWTOWN, CT – Rebecca Brown, AVP, Manager, Learning Development, and Kelly Williams, AVP, Residential Lending Systems and Operational Efficiency Manager, were recently selected as two of fourteen New Leaders in Banking by the Connecticut Bankers Association (CBA). Each year, the CBA invites member banks to nominate outstanding employees who have made a notable impact on their bank and the community. The CBA receives numerous nominations, which are evaluated by an independent panel of judges that select the recipients. Newtown Savings Bank employees have been selected for this honor each of the past eight years.

Brown joined the Bank in 2013 as a Branch Manager and in 2017 became the Manager of Retail Training and Development. In 2019 her responsibilities expanded to include all bank-wide training and development as part of the Human Resources team. A resident of Newtown, Brown is widely respected throughout the Bank and community. She has served on the Board of Directors for Newtown Youth & Family Services since 2019, becoming Vice Chairperson in 2021. She is also one of the lead organizers for the organization's Holiday Festival.

Williams joined the Bank in 2019 and has used her extensive background in finance, accounting, and analytics to steadily take on responsibilities including budget management, times studies, and performance metrics. Her deep understanding of the loan manufacturing process has led her department to identify needs, update processes, and gain overall efficiencies. She is highly valued for her knowledge and collaborative nature. Williams, a resident of Wallingford, is actively involved in the community. She has served as treasurer of the Wallingford Cardinals for many years and volunteers with Jericho Partnership and the C.H. Booth Library.

About Newtown Savings Bank

Newtown Savings Bank is a community bank headquartered in Newtown, Connecticut, with over \$1.8 billion in assets. Named "Best Small Bank in Connecticut" by Newsweek in 2023, the Bank is deeply invested in the customers and communities it has served since 1855. The Bank has 15 branches in Newtown, Bethel, Bridgeport, Brookfield, Danbury, Monroe, Oxford, Shelton, Southbury, Trumbull, and Woodbury, along with the New Haven Regional Lending Center in Hamden, CT. For more information and location details visit NSBonline.com or call 800.461.0672. Member FDIC. Equal Housing Lender."