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FIVE STAR BANK NAMED SBA LENDER OF THE YEAR

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA – Five Star Bank has been named “Lender of the Year” by the Small Business Administration Sacramento District Office.

The [Sacramento District Office](#) serves 21 counties in Northern California including: Amador, Butte, Calaveras, Colusa, Glenn, El Dorado, Lassen, Modoc, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Sutter, Tehama, Trinity, Yolo and Yuba.

“We are honored to be recognized this way”, said Five Star Bank’s Mike Rizzo, SVP/Commercial and Emerging Business Banking. “We work hard to ensure that our small business clients are successful. This award reinforces the fact that we are doing right by them and they are creating businesses that produce jobs.”

The U.S. Small Business Administration holds the Small Business Awards Recognition Reception annually. Winners are nominated in various categories and nominations are reviewed by an independent panel of judges. Five Star Bank received the Lender of the Year Award during the ceremony at the SBA office in Citrus Heights on Thursday, June 23, 2011.

About Five Star Bank:

[Five Star Bank](#) was started in 1999 by a group of Sacramento area business professionals to provide local banking services with an emphasis on commercial real estate and small business. With offices in Rocklin, Sacramento, Rancho Cordova, and Redding, Five Star Bank offers the opportunity to work with banking professionals who provide fast lending decisions and are intimately familiar with the project at hand, local economy, and their client’s needs. For more information about Five Star Bank please visit fivestarbanc.com.

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