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### **El Paseo Bank Names Randy Miller Chief Operating Officer**

(Palm Desert—November 1, 2009) Western Community Bancshares, parent company of El Paseo Bank and Frontier Bank is pleased to announce that long time Coachella Valley banker; Randy Miller has joined El Paseo Bank and Park City, Utah-based Frontier Bank as Chief Operating Officer. Miller joins the bank after twelve years as President of Palm Desert National Bank. Miller is well respected for his banking expertise and community involvement throughout the Coachella Valley.

“I’m very excited about the opportunity to join a bank that is growing in a challenging environment. This is a relatively unique situation to see a bank with the growth opportunities in California and Utah and the success that El Paseo is experiencing. I am personally very flattered to be part of that,” Miller says. Before beginning his banking career, Miller spent twenty-four years as a CPA working with financial institutions. “At the end of the day despite what is happening within the industry there are significant opportunities in the banking industry and El Paseo is poised to pursue them.”

Miller has a strong community involvement commitment including five years as president of the Board of Trustees of the Children’s Discovery Museum of the Desert. He is also on the Boards of the Desert Community Foundation, Desert Town Hall Series Indian Wells and Advancement Advisory Board Cal State University San Bernardino Palm Desert Campus.

In his capacity, as Chief Operating Officer, Miller will work on a number of special projects including; compliance, IT, mortgage, accounting and business related issues. Previous to his years in banking, Randy was a partner with the accounting firm McGladrey and Pullen, which is the El Paseo Bank’s independent auditor. “I am thrilled with the level of experience in a variety of areas, Randy brings to the bank,” says Andy Montgomery, Chairman/CEO of El Paseo Bank.

With two branches in Palm Desert, one in Rancho Mirage, one in Park City and one in Salt Lake City, Utah. El Paseo Bank continues to be a “Well Capitalized” bank. Utah branches operate under the name Frontier Bank, FSB.

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