

## HomeStreet Bank Appoints Erik Hand as Executive Vice President and Mortgage Lending Director

*New leader to oversee single-family mortgage lending for top West Coast bank*

SEATTLE, Wash. (August 29, 2019) — HomeStreet Bank today announced the appointment of Erik Hand as Executive Vice President and Mortgage Lending Director. In this role, Erik will be responsible for the entire single-family mortgage business across HomeStreet Bank's presence in Washington, Oregon, California and Hawaii.

"Erik is a strong leader, and we're proud to have him head up the single-family mortgage business across our branch footprint," said Mark Mason, CEO of HomeStreet Bank. "The HomeStreet Bank Board of Directors have been continuously impressed with Erik's performance during his time as President and CEO of WMS Series LLC dba Penrith Home Loans over the past years. Erik is a new addition to the HomeStreet Bank family, and we look forward to a bright future ahead for our mortgage business under Erik's guidance."

Prior to serving as president and CEO of WMS Series LLC dba Penrith Home Loans, Erik held leadership roles at Seattle Mortgage Bankers Association and John L. Scott Real Estate, where he was president of the mortgage lending division. Erik attended University of Colorado, Boulder, and has more than 30 years of residential mortgage experience.

"HomeStreet Bank offers top single-family mortgage services across the entire West Coast, and we offer unparalleled personalized customer care," said Erik Hand. "I look forward to applying my experience and serving HomeStreet Bank and its top-notch customers as they pursue their home dreams."

HomeStreet Bank has been providing mortgages for nearly a century, with home loan services that include a wide range of loan programs and streamlined underwriting that quickens the lending process while boosting efficiency. Learn more about how HomeStreet Bank helps customers land their perfect home at [homestreet.com/personal/mortgage](http://homestreet.com/personal/mortgage).

### **About HomeStreet, Inc.**

Now in its 98th year, HomeStreet, Inc. (Nasdaq:HMST) is a diversified financial services company headquartered in Seattle, Washington and is the holding company for HomeStreet Bank, a state-chartered, FDIC-insured and Equal Housing Lender commercial bank. HomeStreet offers consumer, commercial and private banking services, investment and insurance products and originates residential and commercial mortgages and construction loans for borrowers located in the Western United States and Hawaii. Additional information on HomeStreet Bank can be found at [www.homestreet.com](http://www.homestreet.com).



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