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## **Laura B. Yockey Joins 1<sup>st</sup> State Bank**

**SAGINAW, MI** 1<sup>st</sup> State Bank welcomes Laura B. Yockey as Senior Vice President, Business Lending Manager. Yockey has had a notable career as a business lender in the Saginaw area for many years. Most recently she was a Group Manager with Chemical Bank and then served as Market Manager and Great Lakes Bay Region Community President for Huntington Bank. Yockey began her banking career at Michigan National Bank.

Yockey graduated from Michigan State University with a Bachelor's degree in Finance. She also earned a Master's of Business Administration degree from Saginaw Valley State University.

Yockey is currently serving as Board Chair for the Saginaw Community Foundation. She also serves on the Board of Saginaw Promise and is a member of the Saginaw Valley State University Board of Fellows. She is a Past Board Chair of the Saginaw County Chamber of Commerce and of Junior Achievement of North Central Michigan.

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1<sup>st</sup> State Bank, a locally owned and operated community bank was chartered in 2004 serving individual customer and specializing in business banking. 1<sup>st</sup> State Bank has five locations, two in Saginaw Township, two in Bay City, and one in Downtown Midland. At each, the focus is the same: to be the bank of choice for businesses in the Great Lakes Bay Region. As of December 31, 2021, 1<sup>st</sup> State Bank reports assets of over \$456 million.