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CENTRAL VALLEY COMMUNITY BANK ANNOUNCES RICK SHAEFFER, SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT AGRIBUSINESS TEAM LEADER

FRESNO, CALIFORNIA...October 23, 2017...James M. Ford, President and Chief Executive Officer of Central Valley Community Bank (Bank), announced the addition of Rick Shaeffer, Senior Vice President, Agribusiness Team Leader. Rick can be reached directly at (559) 323-3493.

Shaeffer brings over 25 years of agribusiness leadership, lending, portfolio management and client service expertise to the Bank. He is responsible for leading and developing the Agribusiness Lending team in the San Joaquin Valley and Greater Sacramento region, new relationship development, in addition to originating and managing an agribusiness loan portfolio.

“Rick has already made an immediate impact and has proven to be a valued asset to our Agribusiness team and valued clients. He is both well-known and well-respected, coming to CVCB with a wealth of lending experience and industry knowledge,” said James M. Ford, President and CEO of Central Valley Community Bancorp and Central Valley Community Bank.

Central Valley Community Bancorp trades on the NASDAQ stock exchange under the symbol CVCY. Central Valley Community Bank, headquartered in Fresno, California, was founded in 1979 and is the sole subsidiary of Central Valley Community Bancorp. Central Valley Community Bank operates 24 full-service offices throughout California’s San Joaquin Valley and Greater Sacramento Region. Additionally, the Bank maintains Commercial Real Estate, Agribusiness and SBA Lending Departments.

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Members of Central Valley Community Bancorp's and the Bank's Board of Directors are: Daniel J. Doyle (Chairman), Daniel N. Cunningham (Lead Independent Director), Edwin S. Darden, Jr., F. T. "Tommy" Elliott, IV, James M. Ford, Gary D. Gall, Steven D. McDonald, Louis McMurray, and William S. Smittcamp. Sidney B. Cox is Director Emeritus.

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