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# FDIC LISTS BROKERED DEPOSITS IN FAILED WEST VALLEY BANK, WOODLAND HILLS, CALIFORNIA

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation today identified financial institutions that placed funds in the West Valley Bank, Woodland Hills, California, through deposit brokers. The bank was declared insolvent and closed on February 8, 1985, by California Superintendent of Banks Louis Carter.

At the time West Valley Bank failed, \$17.6 million of its \$33.1 million in deposits consisted of funds placed by eleven brokers on behalf of depositors in 34 states. Brokered funds were placed with the bank by the following financial institutions:

#### CREDIT UNIONS

Agriculture Federal Credit Union Alexandria, Virginia

Alliance Federal Credit Union San Jose, California

Amarillo Pantex Federal Credit Union Amarillo, Texas

American First Federal Credit Union Brea. California

Anaheim Area Credit Union Anaheim, California

Cabrini Credit Union Allen Park, Michigan

Carolinas Telephone Company Federal Credit Union Charlotte, North Carolina Cea West Federal Credit Union Oakland, California

Centinela South Bay Credit Union Redondo Beach, California

Chessie Employee Federal Credit Union Cumberland, Maryland

Continental Credit Union Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Copoco Credit Union Bay City, Michigan

Detroit Edison Credit Union Detroit, Michigan

East Central Upper Pennisula Employees Credit Union Newberry, Michigan

Education Employees of Ft. Worth Credit Union Fort Worth, Texas

## CREDIT UNIONS Cont.

First Community Credit Union St. Louis, Missouri

Forest Products Federal Credit Union Klamath Falls, Oregon

Fort Knox Federal Credit Union Fort Knox, Kentucky

Grand Rapids Teachers Credit Union Grand Rapids, Michigan

Gulf Chemical Employees Credit Union Groves, Texas

Gulf Chemical Employees Credit Union Pittsburg, Kansas

Hawaii State Employees Federal Credit Union Honolulu, Hawaii

Highland Community Federal Credit Union Klamath Falls, Oregon

Honolulu Federal Credit Union Honolulu, Hawaii

Indiana Telephone Company Federal Credit Union Indianapolis, Indiana

Kaiser Permanent Federal Credit Union - Los Angeles, California

Kalsee Credit Union Kalamazoo, Michigan

Marine Corps West Federal Credit Union Camp Pendleton, California

Orco State ESCU Santa Ana, California

Oregon Central Credit Union Portland, Oregon

ORNL Employees Federal Credit Union Oak Ridge, Tennessee

Pontiac Telephone Credit Union Pontiac, Michigan

Public Service Employees Credit Union Denver, Colorado

Royal Credit Union Eau Claire, Wisconsin

Salt River Project Federal Credit Union Phoenix, Arizona

State Employee Credit Union Lansing, Michigan

Streamliner Federal Credit Union Omaha, Nebraska

Steel Workers Federal Credit Union Kansas City, Missouri

Telephone Employees of San Diego Credit Union San Diego, California

TRI-CO Federal Credit Union Convent Station, New Jersey

Tropical Telco Federal Credit Union Miami, Florida

Ukrainian Self Reliance Federal Credit Union Warren, Michigan

United Bay City Credit Union Bay City, Michigan

University Student Federal Credit Union Chicago, Illinois

Valley Credit Union Billings, Montana

Warren School Credit Union Center Line, Michigan

Wausau Insurance Employee Credit Union Wausau, Wisconsin

White Sand Federal Credit Union Las Cruces, New Mexico

#### SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATIONS

Abraham Lincoln Federal Savings and Loan Dresher, Pennsylvania

Advanced Savings & Loan Encino, California

Anchor Savings & Loan St. Petersburg, Florida

Apollo Savings and Loan Association Cincinnati, Ohio

Big Horn Savings & Loan Greybull, Wyoming

Brownfield Savings and Loan Association Brownfield, Texas

Burlson County Savings Association Caldwell, Texas

Central Savings and Loan Cicero, Illinois

Cheltenham Federal Savings and Loan Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Chester Savings and Loan Chester, Illinois

Citizens Federal Savings and Loan Jacksonville, Florida

Clay County Savings and Loan Liberty, Missouri

Collective Federal Savings and Loan Egg Harbor, New Jersey

Columbia Savings Association Emporia, Kansas

Crusaders Savings and Loan Rosemont, Pennsylvania

Eastern Savings & Loan Association Timonium, Maryland

Empire Federal Savings and Loan Livingston, Montana

Equitable Federal Savings & Loan Fremont, Nebraska

Fidelity Savings and Loan Great Falls, Montana

First Federal Savings and Loan Sheridan, Wyoming

First Federal Savings and Loan Waterbury, Connecticut

First Federal Savings and Loan of Brainerd Brainerd, Minnesota

First Federal Savings and Loan of Clark County Clarksville, Indiana

First Federal Savings and Loan of Lewiston Lewiston, Idaho

First Mutual Savings Association of Florida Pensacola, Florida

First Southern Savings and Loan Asheboro, North Carolina

Franklin Savings and Loan Ottawa, Kansas

Greater New Orleans Homestead Savings and Loan Metairie, Louisiana

Hamilton Savings & Loan Association San Francisco, California

Home Federal Savings and Loan Fort Collins, Colorado

Home Federal Savings and Loan of Iowa Spencer, Iowa

Home Unity Savings and Loan Lafayette Hill, Pennsylvania

# SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATIONS Cont. - 4 -

Inland Savings and Loan Hemet, California

Malibu Savings and Loan Fountain Valley, California

Marquette Savings Association Erie, Pennsylvania

Merit Savings Association Cincinnati, Ohio

Mid-America Federal Savings and Loan Tulsa, Oklahoma

New London Federal Savings and Loan New London, Connecticut

Newport Balboa Savings Newport Beach, California

New Orleans Federal Savings and Loan New Orleans, Louisiana

North America Savings Association Grandview, Missouri

Northeastern Federal Association South Hampton, Pennsylvania

North Plains Savings and Loan Dumas, Texas

Nutmeg Federal Savings and Loan Danbury, Connecticut

Old Borough Savings and Loan Trenton, New Jersey

Railroad Savings and Loan Newton, Kansas

San Clemente Savings and Loan San Clemente, California

Santa Paula Savings and Loan Ventura, California

Security Federal Savings and Loan Panama City, Florida

Sentinel Savings and Loan Sonora, California

Trumbell Savings and Loan Warren, Ohio

Topa Thrift & Loan Association Beverly Hills, California

United Federal Savings & Loan Aberdeen, South Dakota

Yorkwood Savings and Loan Association
Maplewood, New Jersey

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### COMMERICAL & SAVINGS BANKS

Alvarado Bank Richmond, California

American Asian Bank San Francisco, California

American State Bank Killdeer, North Dakota

American State Bank of Dickinson Dickinson, North Dakota

Bank of Cairo and Moberly Moberly, Missouri

Bank of Coronado Coronado, California

Bank of Hamilton Hamilton, North Dakota

Bank of Pacific Long Beach, Washington

Bank of Poulsbo Poulsbo, Washington

Bank of Ravenswood Chicago, Illinois

Bristol Federal Savings Bank Bristol, Connecticut

Burbank State Bank Burbank, Illinois

Capital Bank of Commerce Sacramento, California

Century Bank San Francisco, California

Citizens & Builders Federal Savings Bank Pensacola, Florida

Citizens National Bank Cameron, Texas Colonial National Bank Wilmington, Delaware

Commercial State Bank Two Harbor, Minnesota

Crocker National Bank-Trust Deed Flow General Retirement Plan San Francisco, California

Douglas National Bank Roseberg, Oregon

First Bank of Greater Pittston Pittston, Pennsylvania

First Bank of San Luis Obispo San Luis Obispo, California

First National Bank of Hoffman Hoffman Estates, Illinois

First National Bank of Oaks Oaks, North Dakota

First Savings Bank of Florida Tarpon Springs, Florida

Greensfork Township State Bank Lynn, Indiana

Lincoln Mutual Savings Bank Carnegie, Pennsylvania

McGehee Bank McGehee, Arkansas

Mineral King National Bank Visalia, California

Mountain Ridge State Bank West Orange, New Jersey

Saratoga National Bank Saratoga, California

Security State Bank New Salem, North Dakota Banco Del Pacifico International Miami, Florida

State Bank of India Los Angeles, California

Southwest National Bank of Lafayette Lafayette, Louisiana

Society for Savings Hartford, Connecticut

Summit Bank Oakland, California

The Columbia County Farmers National Bank Orangeville, Pennsylvania

Transohio Savings Bank Cleveland, Ohio

Union Bank Nanuet, New York

United Mercantile Bank Pasadena, California

United National Bank Callicoon, New York

Washita State Bank Burns Flat, Oklahoma

#### OTHERS

Frontier Finance Belleville, Illinois

Moletor Building & Loan Cincinnati, Ohio

North West Financial Corporation Walla Walla, Washington

Pacific Union Association of the 7th Day Adventist Revolving Fund Westlake Village, California

Tappan Zee Capital Corporation Little Falls, New Jersey

Transohio Financial Corporation Cleveland, Ohio

The FDIC continues to be concerned about deposit brokers that place funds in banks solely on the basis of the rate of interest paid, without regard to the condition of the institutions involved. A major source of these funds is other financial institutions such as credit unions, banks and savings and loan associations.

Banks paying above market rates of interest often are experiencing serious problems. When such banks receive large amounts of brokered funds and subsequently fail, the cost to the deposit insurance fund is substantially and unjustifiably increased.

Latest data available indicate that banks rated 3, 4 and 5 on the uniform bank rating system hold more than \$9.3 billion of the \$24.2 billion in brokered deposits in the banking system. (Banks rated 3 are considered "marginal" institutions, while those rated 4 and 5 are on the FDIC's formal "problem bank" list.)