

SAN JOSE RESIDENT SURPRISED WITH \$10,000 CHECK

South San Jose small-business owner wins CB&T Holiday Sweepstakes

SAN JOSE – (February 22, 2024) – A San Jose woman and longtime client of California Bank & Trust (CB&T), one of California's leading banks, got an unexpected return on her holiday spending. Kyoko T. Dougherty, a small-business owner based in South San Jose, was surprised with \$10,000 as one of the winners of CB&T's 2023 Holiday Giving, Holiday Winning Sweepstakes. During the promotion period, cardholders received an entry into the drawing for each purchase using their consumer Visa[®] debit or credit card.

When Kyoko walked into CB&T's San Jose branch on Jan. 20, she knew she had won something as part of a contest. She had no idea she'd be receiving such a large sum of money.

"I never expected to win any drawing prize, so I was very surprised and very happy, and I feel that I am very lucky." said Dougherty.

Kyoko, owner and creative director of Tabara Design, was randomly selected to win the sweepstakes. Clients received an automatic entry into the contest every time they used a CB&T debit or credit card over the holiday season. Anyone was welcome to participate in the sweepstakes by mailing in an entry.

"We are pleased to give this award to Kyoko," stated Danh Le, the San Jose CB&T business center manager. "We are committed to helping our communities prosper by providing exceptional service to our customers, assisting in their financial goals to find, fund and save for life's exciting moments. It was a thrill to surprise Kyoko with \$10,000—and assist her and her husband with their financial goals."

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