

## CALIFORNIA BANK & TRUST CELEBRATES A DECADE OF EXCELLENCE

Voted Orange County's "Best Bank" for 10 consecutive years by readers of The Orange County
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**SAN DIEGO – (October 27, 2022) –** <u>California Bank & Trust</u> (CB&T), one of California's leading banks, has been named Orange County's "Best Bank" by readers of The Orange County Register for the 10<sup>th</sup> year in a row. This remarkable achievement underscores CB&T's unwavering commitment to delivering top-notch financial services to the Orange County community, and throughout California.

"To be honored for 10 consecutive years as the 'Best Bank' in Orange County is a testament to the collective efforts of our dedicated bankers who serve the community. I am so thankful for our bankers' unwavering commitment to providing outstanding service, advice, and banking solutions to our clients" said Eric Ellingsen, President and CEO at CB&T. "We are also thankful to our clients for their votes and the trust they place in us. This recognition reaffirms our commitment to continue helping businesses and families succeed financially and prosper."

For 70 years, CB&T has consistently demonstrated its commitment to providing a wide range of innovative banking solutions tailored to meet the diverse needs of its customers. The bank's customer-centric approach focuses on building strong relationships and delivering exceptional service. Its vision and mission focus on regional growth and customized solutions for all clients, delivered by a team of seasoned experts. CB&T combines the personal attention of a local bank with the services and resources of a large financial institution, all in service to Orange County and the broader California community.

The Orange County Register's "Best of Orange County" Readers Poll is an annual survey in which readers vote for their favorite businesses and services in over 75 categories, ranging from entertainment to finance.

This victory succeeded another honor from The San Diego Union-Tribune in August, where CB&T was awarded "Best Bank" for 13 consecutive years and named San Diego's "Best Commercial Bank" for its 10<sup>th</sup> year in a row.

To learn more about CB&T's award-winning services, please visit <a href="www.calbanktrust.com">www.calbanktrust.com</a>. Connect with CB&T on <a href="Facebook">Facebook</a>, <a href="Twitter">Twitter</a>, <a href="Instagram">Instagram</a>, and <a href="LinkedIn">LinkedIn</a>.

**About California Bank & Trust (CB&T):** CB&T has been helping Californians and their businesses grow and prosper for 70 years. A division of Zions Bancorporation, N.A. (NASDAQ: ZION), CB&T has been voted "Best Bank" by the *San Diego Union Tribune* for 13 consecutive years, and "Best Commercial Bank" for 10 years in a row. Readers of *The Orange County Register* have also voted CB&T as the county's "Best Bank" for 10 consecutive years; and the group has consistently won



the Greenwich Excellence Awards for achievement in Middle-Market and Small Business. Its experienced and professional bankers are backed by major resources yet maintain local decision-making authority and regional market and industry expertise. Each is committed to providing clients with valuable economic insights and connecting them with the beneficial business relationships they need in order to succeed. To learn more, visit <a href="https://www.calbanktrust.com">www.calbanktrust.com</a>.

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