



First Sound Bank

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Jeff Dale Promoted at First Sound Bank

SEATTLE, January 24, 2006 – Jeff Dale, a vice president at First Sound Bank, has been promoted to relationship manager.

Dale joined First Sound Bank in 2004 as a senior credit analyst after nine years at Sterling Savings Bank and at Bank of America. He is a graduate of Central Washington University with a bachelor's degree in finance.

About First Sound Bank

First Sound Bank is a Seattle-based bank offering customized banking for small to medium-sized businesses, organizations, not-for-profits and professionals in the Puget Sound region. Founded by a team of veteran local banking executives, First Sound Bank is committed to delivering personalized service, convenient access and competitive rates to support the needs of the business community. First Sound Bank offers online banking at www.firstsoundbank.com plus an expansive banking network in the western U.S. as well as ATM banking throughout the country and abroad.

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