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***Hampshire First Bank Announces Lisa Wrisley
as Assistant Vice President of Deposit Operations & Special Support***

Manchester, NH - Hampshire First Bank announced today the promotion of Lisa Wrisley to Assistant Vice President of Deposit Operations and Special Support. In addition to her ongoing support in the deposit operations and electronic banking areas, she will also be responsible for the development and implementation of certain risk management functions.

Specific risk management functions may include disaster recovery, vendor management, risk assessments, information security and more. Wrisley also has the duty of ensuring retail compliance with bank policies as well as procedures for the bank.

For more information about Hampshire First Bank visit www.hampshirefirst.com

About Hampshire First Bank:

Hampshire First Bank is a New Hampshire-chartered commercial bank that serves customers throughout Southern New Hampshire. The Bank operates its main banking office at 80 Canal Street, Manchester and a banking office at 221 Main Street in Downtown Nashua. The bank also provides state of the art electronic banking services, such as Online Account Origination and Remote Deposit Automation. The Bank's common stock is traded on NASDAQ, under the symbol "HFBN," and commenced trading on November 22, 2006.

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