

West Valley National Bank

By Joan Westlake

Who are we?

Established in 2006, West Valley National Bank is the first and only locally owned and operated community bank headquartered in the West Valley. Nine business leaders – including real estate developers, a farmer, two medical doctors, an attorney and additional small business professionals from the West Valley – formed WVNB. They strongly believe that an independent bank helps the community reach its full economic potential and enhances the area's overall quality of life.

"For too long, the West Valley was served only by large institutions led by out-of-state owners and managers," said President Candace Wiest. "We are here



Some employees at West Valley National Bank include, from left, Linda Cavanaugh, vice president, business development officer, Kelli Montoya, customer service representative and Laurie Kyro, vice president of marketing.

Benefits and perks

- Competitive salary
- Employee development and training programs
- Vacation, sick and holiday pay
- 401(k) plan
- Medical
- Dental
- Vision
- Life insurance
- Health insurance premiums
- Section 125 – flexible spending account
- Equal opportunity employer
- Stock options

West Valley National Bank is located at 12725 W. Indian School Road, Suite C-108, Avondale, AZ 85392. Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday to Friday. For more information on employment opportunities call (623) 536-WVNB (9862), or visit www.wvnb.net. Forward resumes to careers@wvnb.net.

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to help local residents and businesses control their own destinies by providing exceptional financial services delivered from the heart of the West Valley."

Hometown feel

WVNB offers a hometown Main Street banking alternative to the impersonal Wall Street banking approach.

"When local businesses apply for loans, chances are we already know them and the reputation they have built here in the community," said Karen Hart, chief financial officer. "Helping them be successful is an investment not only in their businesses but also in our own personal and professional neighborhoods."

Great job opportunities

As a premier employer that offers career opportunities from entry-level to experienced officers, WVNB also enriches the West Valley. Positions available include loan processor, customer service representative, commercial lender, branch manager,

credit analyst and lending officer.

WVNB is filling positions in both the West Valley and Scottsdale. All inquiries are confidential.

Great environment

"Our employees enjoy a positive work environment and career advancement opportunities, as well as competitive benefits and compensation programs," said Robin Takeno, human resources. "We know there are excellent employees and experienced banking professionals who live in the West Valley and would love to skip the commute and work in their own neighborhoods."

WVNB offers a full range of financial services for individuals and businesses with notable expertise in serving small business owners, commercial real estate, nonprofit organizations, physicians, dentists, attorneys, Realtors and certified public accountants. ♦