

## Nathan T. Hirschi Joins WestStar's Executive Team as Chief Financial Officer

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**MARCH 14, 2025 (El Paso, TX)** – WestStar, the leading financial institution in the Borderplex, is pleased to announce the appointment of Nathan T. Hirschi to Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer. In this role, Hirschi will be a key member of the Executive Team, overseeing WestStar's financial and accounting functions to ensure accurate reporting that supports the organization's growth and long-term sustainability.

Hirschi brings more than 30 years of experience in finance and accounting to WestStar. He previously held the position of Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer at El Paso Electric Company and served as a Partner with KPMG LLP, an international financial services firm. Throughout his career, he has been an audit partner with a Big Four accounting firm, serving several public companies across various industries. Additionally, he held several executive roles, including Chief Financial Officer, at a New York Stock Exchange-listed company based in El Paso, Texas.

"I have long held WestStar in high esteem for its strong community focus and exceptional integrity," Hirschi said. "I am excited to join the team and work toward servicing our clients and the Borderplex region."

Hirschi earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with double majors in accounting and finance from the University of Arizona. He is a certified public accountant in Texas.

## About WestStar

WestStar is a locally owned community bank and the largest bank by deposits in El Paso, with more than \$3 billion in assets. It serves the Borderplex region, which includes El Paso, Las Cruces, and northern Mexico. WestStar offers a broad array of financial services for businesses and retail consumers, including banking, treasury management, wealth management and title services. WestStar team members also serve on over 77 boards and committees of non-profit and civic organizations, participating in various community betterment and philanthropic initiatives. For more information, visit weststarbank.com.

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