

# News Release

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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **DONNA DOE AVERY APPOINTED VICE PRESIDENT, RETAIL SALES AT BALLSTON SPA NATIONAL BANK**

BALLSTON SPA, April 5, 2005 — Donna Doe Avery has been appointed vice president, retail sales manager at Ballston Spa National Bank according to Christopher R. Dowd, president. Mrs. Avery will be responsible for growth and improved profitability of branches and supporting departments through new product development, retail sales and staff training.

Mrs. Avery has over 25 years of banking experience. She was employed by KeyBank in Clifton Park, New York for the past six years. She served as their KeyCenter team leader/relationship manager. Previous to this, Mrs. Avery was employed as retail sales director at Mohawk Community Bank in Amsterdam, New York and with National Savings Bank of Albany.

Mrs. Avery attended the State University of New York – Plattsburgh, New York as well as Fairfield University – Fairfield, Connecticut.

Donna and her husband John live in Ballston Spa, New York. She is an active member of both the Southern Saratoga Chamber of Commerce and the Ballston Spa Business and Professional Association.

Ballston Spa National Bank is the oldest financial institution headquartered in Saratoga County. With banking offices in Ballston Spa, Milton, Galway, Stillwater, Burnt Hills, Clifton Park, Malta, Greenfield Center and Wilton, the company provides a full range of financial services – trust, investments, and banking services – to individuals, families and businesses. Ballston Spa National Bank's web site can be found at <http://www.bsnb.com>.

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