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Ameris Bank Promotes Ross McWilliams to Lead Homebuilder Division

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ATLANTA, Oct. 30, 2023 /PRNewswire/ -- Ameris Bank has promoted Ross McWilliams to executive vice president and managing director of the banks' Homebuilder Division. This group serves the homebuilder industry by providing loans and additional banking services for new home construction, as well as lot purchases and development.

"Ross McWilliams has more than 15 years of experience with Ameris Bank and 30 years in the homebuilding industry," said Palmer Proctor, CEO of Ameris Bank. "His expertise and emphasis on building strong relationships make him the right person to lead this team and to help customers react quickly when opportunities arise."

The Ameris Bank Homebuilder Division provides a range of services, including construction financing, builder lines of credit, and residential builder financing.

"Like all sectors, the homebuilder industry is facing unique challenges," said McWilliams. "As I take on this role, I am laser focused on working with our team to tailor solutions to each customer's particular needs."

About Ameris Bancorp

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