



BankTexas Announces the Retirement of Mary T. McLemore

Tuesday, December 5, 2006—Mary T. McLemore, Senior Vice President & Cashier, will retire this month after a 40-year career in financial services and 18 years at BankTexas.

Ms. McLemore was responsible for managing much of the Bank's daily operations and had direct oversight of the Data Processing, Information Technology, Note, Bookkeeping, and Teller departments.

Ms. McLemore's tenure at BankTexas was marked by the most rapid expansion in its history. When she joined the Bank in 1988, it had \$40 million in assets and one office; today, it has more than \$145 million in assets and four locations in Quitman, Mineola, and Holly Lake Ranch. "Without Mary Tom's leadership and operational expertise, that kind of growth wouldn't have been possible," said Troy M. Robinson, President & CEO.

Colleagues say that Ms. McLemore's wide professional experience and natural ability to connect with customers made her an invaluable part of the Bank's leadership team. They also fondly note her softer side. "Mary Tom will be remembered as a team player who knew how to both work hard and have fun. The food she brought to employee luncheons—especially her fried pies—were famous among employees and will be sorely missed," said Mr. Robinson.

In retirement, Ms. McLemore will remain actively involved in the community. She currently serves as a director of the Quitman Pilot Club, of which she is a former Treasurer and President. In addition, she is one of several Bank employees who routinely delivers Meals-on-Wheels.

Ms. McLemore holds an Associate's Degree from Northeast Texas Community College and is a graduate of Winnsboro High School. She also attended both the American Institute of Banking and the Bank Operations Institute at East Texas State University.

Please join us in celebrating Ms. McLemore's career
during our annual holiday open house:

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19 • 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

412 EAST GOODE STREET, QUITMAN

About BankTexas: BankTexas is a community bank focused on "helping you live well" through quality customer service, innovative products, and community involvement. With assets in excess of \$145 million, it is the largest financial institution headquartered in Wood County. BankTexas operates offices in Quitman, Mineola, Holly Lake Ranch, and online at www.banktexas.org