

## RUTH NAMED EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, CHIEF HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICER

WATKINSVILLE, October 14, 2022 - Oconee State Bank (OTCQX: OSBK) announces that Selena Ruth has been named Executive Vice President, Chief Human Resources Officer.

Ms. Ruth received her Master's Degree in Human Resource Management from Troy University and her Bachelor's Degree in Advanced Technical Studies with a Human Resources focus from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale. She holds certifications as a Professional in Human Resources (PHR) and as a Society for Human Resource Management – Certified Professional (SHRM-CP). Prior to joining Oconee State Bank, Ms. Ruth held human resources positions at organizations including Atlantic Capital Bank and Cox Media Group.

"Selena is a tremendous addition to our team," said President and CEO Neil Stevens. "Her many years of HR, recruiting, and culture building experience will serve us well as we continue on our exciting growth trajectory."



Selena recently relocated to the Athens/Oconee area with her husband Stan. Along with spending time with family and friends, she enjoys running, biking, and golfing.

As a new team member of the OSB family, Ms. Ruth states she is most looking forward to creating remarkable work experiences that impact the team members she supports at the bank.

## **About Oconee State Bank**

Oconee State Bank is a leading financial institution with a vision to be essential to the lives, businesses and communities we serve. With more than 60 years of service in the banking industry, we continuously strive to create remarkable experiences that significantly mark the lives of others. We are proud to provide an unparalleled commitment to personalized service,

innovative products and solutions, and to bringing exceptional value to our customers through local ownership, involvement and decision-making.