



COCONUT GROVE BANK®

Coconut Grove Bank Welcomes Donald B. Putnam as Executive Vice President and Chief Lending Officer



MIAMI, FL. March 17, 2014 – Donald “Don” B. Putnam, an experienced banking professional joins Coconut Grove Bank as Executive Vice President and Chief Lending Officer.

In this role, Don will be responsible for commercial and consumer loan production and managing a team of experienced lenders.

“Don has tremendous business acumen, having served in key leadership roles throughout his career. We are very excited to have Don lead our loan production team and manage our bank-wide loan growth initiative.” said Rick A. Kuci, President & Chief Executive Officer.

Don has over 35 years of experience in commercial and consumer lending and branch administration. He was most recently employed at First Southern Bank as Executive Vice President, Market President & Chief Lending Officer where he was responsible for commercial lending, commercial real estate lending, loan production, and administration. He received his Masters of Business Administration with a concentration in Economics from the University of South Florida and Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with a concentration in Finance from the University of Vermont.

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About Coconut Grove Bank

Coconut Grove Bank was founded on July 12, 1926 and is the oldest continuously operating bank in Miami-Dade County. Coconut Grove Bank provides personal banking, business banking, lending, trust and investment services to individuals, families, businesses, endowments and foundations. Coconut Grove Bank has five offices in Miami-Dade County including: Aventura, Coconut Grove, Coral Gables, Palmetto Bay, and South Miami. For more information, contact Coconut Grove Bank’s corporate headquarters at 2701 South Bayshore Drive, Miami, Florida 33133 by telephone at 305.858.6666 or visit our website at www.coconutgrovebank.com.

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