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U.S. Century Bank Names Marlene Ormaza Branch Manager of Hialeah Gardens Branch

MIAMI, **February 14, 2008** – U.S. Century Bank appointed Marlene Ormaza as vice president and manager of its Hialeah Gardens branch located at 3198 West 76 Street.

A seasoned banking professional, Ormaza has more than 20 years of experience in banking and most recently was assistant vice president and branch manager at SunTrust Bank. As branch manager for U.S. Century Bank, she will be responsible for increasing and developing the deposit and lending portfolio of the branch. Furthermore, she will focus on generating, maintaining and servicing profitable business and retail relationships for the institution.

"Marlene has a great record of branch administration and will be instrumental in helping our Hialeah Gardens branch achieve it goals for growth and customer satisfaction," said Octavio Hernandez, U.S. Century Bank president and CEO. "We are looking forward to continuing to grow our customer base in Hialeah Gardens and to provide our customers with exceptional service," he added.

Established in 2002, U.S. Century Bank is one of the 10 largest community banks headquartered in Miami, with assets of $1.3 billion. Through its network of 18 branch locations and its online banking platform, it offers South Florida's business community a wide range of financial products and services. For more information or to find a U.S. Century branch near you, call (305) 715-5200 or visit www.uscentury.com.

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Editor's Note: Marlene Ormaza resides in the City of Miami.