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**Cathay General Bancorp to Announce  
Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2019 Financial Results**

Los Angeles, January 10, 2020: Cathay General Bancorp (Nasdaq: CATY), the holding company for Cathay Bank, is scheduled to announce its fourth quarter and full year 2019 financial results after the markets close on Wednesday, January 22, 2020.

Cathay General Bancorp has scheduled a conference call as set forth below. Analysts and investors may participate in the question-and-answer session.

Conference Call and Webcast Information:

Date: Wednesday, January 22, 2020  
Time: 3:00 p.m. Pacific Time (6:00 p.m. Eastern Time)  
Duration: 1 hour  
Dial-In Number: (855) 761-3186  
Conference ID: 8985581

Participants should join the live conference call 5 to 10 minutes before its scheduled start.

Webcast Access: A listen-only live webcast of the call will be available at [www.cathaygeneralbancorp.com](http://www.cathaygeneralbancorp.com). A recorded version for replay will be available within 24 hours after the end of the call until January 22, 2021.

**ABOUT CATHAY GENERAL BANCORP**

Cathay General Bancorp is the holding company for Cathay Bank, a California state-chartered bank. Founded in 1962, Cathay Bank offers a wide range of financial services. Cathay Bank currently operates 38 branches in California, 10 branches in New York State, four in Washington State, three in Illinois, two in Texas, one in Maryland, one in Massachusetts, one in Nevada, one in New Jersey, one in Hong Kong, and a representative office in Taipei, Beijing, and Shanghai. Cathay Bank's website is found at [www.cathaybank.com](http://www.cathaybank.com). Cathay General Bancorp's website is found at [www.cathaygeneralbancorp.com](http://www.cathaygeneralbancorp.com). Information set forth on such websites is not incorporated into this press release.