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Mangum banker honored for work at OBA Compliance School

OKLAHOMA CITY — Brianna Tyra, with Great Plains Bank, in Mangum, has been named an "Honors Graduate" of the 2024 Oklahoma Bankers Association Compliance School.

Tyra will receive her plaque at noon, today, at the 101 S. Oklahoma Ave., location in Mangum. Kathryn Ivey, OBA Compliance School Board chair, and Janis Reeser, OBA director of education, will present the award.

Tyra was selected for the Compliance School honor based on her outstanding work on the school's exam and her contributions and participation in class. She was chosen by the school's regents, staff, faculty and students. Tyra was among the 55 students who attended the school in August at the OBA Harris Event Center in Oklahoma City.

The OBA Compliance School, conducted annually, trains bank employees to deal with the many laws and regulations that affect bank lending and deposit functions. The school is designed to provide an extensive body of knowledge and information on consumer compliance, which can contribute to the development of compliance officers. Students return to their banks equipped to deal with compliance regulations that impact lending practices and deposit functions as well as other related federal and state law regulations.

The OBA conducts more than 70 educational programs and seminars each year, which reach more than 5,000 bankers across the state. The Association represents approximately 200 banks across the state and serves as the primary advocate for the banking industry. It's also heavily involved in fraud training and prevention as well as legal and compliance services and communications for its member banks.