

# AMERIS BANCORP ANNOUNCES FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR SECOND QUARTER 2023

Highlights of Ameris's results for the second quarter of 2023 include the following:

- Net income of \$62.6 million, or \$0.91 per diluted share
- Pre-tax, pre-provision net revenue (PPNR) ROA<sup>(1)</sup> of 2.01%
- Growth in tangible book value<sup>(1)</sup> of \$0.63 per share, or 8.2% annualized, to \$31.42 at June 30, 2023
- Increase in the allowance for credit losses to 1.33% of loans, from 1.21% at March 31, 2023, due to forecasted economic conditions, particularly related to commercial real estate price levels
- Adjusted efficiency ratio<sup>(1)</sup> of 53.41%, compared with 53.66% in the second quarter of last year
- Nonperforming assets, excluding government-guaranteed loans, as a percentage of total assets improved three basis point to 0.30% at June 30, 2023, compared with 0.33% at March 31, 2023
- Net interest margin of 3.60% for the second quarter of 2023
- Organic growth in loans of \$473.9 million, or 9.5% annualized
- Growth in total deposits of \$545.7 million or 11.0% annualized
- TCE ratio<sup>(1)</sup> of 8.80%, compared with 8.55% at March 31, 2023 and 8.58% one year ago

ATLANTA, July 27, 2023 [/PRNewswire/](#) -- Ameris Bancorp (Nasdaq: ABCB) (the "Company") today reported net income of \$62.6 million, or \$0.91 per diluted share, for the quarter ended June 30, 2023, compared with \$90.1 million, or \$1.30 per diluted share, for the quarter ended June 30, 2022. Included in the Company's second quarter results was a \$45.5 million provision for credit losses related to the updated economic forecast, compared with \$14.9 million in the second quarter of last year.

For the year-to-date period ending June 30, 2023, the Company reported net income of \$123.1 million, or \$1.78 per diluted share, compared with \$171.8 million, or \$2.47 per diluted share, for the same period in 2022. The year-to-date period ending June 30, 2023 included a provision for credit losses of \$95.2 million, compared with \$21.2 million for the same period in 2022. The year-to-date period ending June 30, 2022 included a recovery of servicing right impairment \$20.5 million, with no such recovery in the same period in 2023.

Commenting on the Company's results, Palmer Proctor, the Company's Chief Executive Officer, said, "We are pleased with our second quarter financial results. We continue to operate at a PPNR ROA above 2% with an efficiency ratio of 53.4%, while growing tangible book value by over 8% annualized. We increased our allowance for credit losses to 1.33% of loans, all due to the economic modeling forecast. Our credit metrics improved this quarter such that nonperforming assets now represent only 0.30% of total assets. We also grew core deposits in one of the most competitive margin scenarios imaginable. The diversification in our loan portfolio, combined with the core funding of our liabilities and our multiple revenue streams, gives us momentum as we move into the second half of 2023."

## ***Net Interest Income and Net Interest Margin***

Net interest income on a tax-equivalent basis (TE) was \$210.5 million in the second quarter of 2023, a decrease of \$2.1 million, or 1.0%, from last quarter and an increase of \$18.2 million, or 9.4%, compared with the second quarter of 2022. The Company's net interest margin was 3.60% for the second quarter of 2023, down from 3.76% reported for the first quarter of 2023 and 3.66% reported for the second quarter of 2022. The decrease in net interest margin this quarter is primarily attributable to rising deposit costs in the current interest rate environment.

Yields on earning assets increased 27 basis points during the quarter to 5.52%, compared with 5.25% in the first quarter of 2023, and increased 164 basis points from 3.88% in the second quarter of 2022. Yields on loans increased to 5.66% during the second quarter of 2023, compared with 5.44% for the first quarter of 2023 and 4.32% for the second quarter of 2022.

Loan production in the banking division during the second quarter of 2023 was \$544.3 million, with weighted average yields of 9.35%, compared with \$563.0 million and 8.72%, respectively, in the first quarter of 2023 and \$1.07 billion and 5.24%, respectively, in the second quarter of 2022. Loan production in the lines of business (including retail mortgage, warehouse lending, SBA and premium finance) amounted to an additional \$4.7 billion during the second quarter of 2023, with weighted average yields of 6.83%, compared with \$3.4 billion and 6.57%, respectively, during the first quarter of 2023 and \$5.3 billion and 4.29%, respectively, during the second quarter of 2022.

The Company's total cost of funds was 2.05% in the second quarter of 2023, an increase of 46 basis points compared with the first quarter of 2023. Deposit costs increased 63 basis points during the second quarter of 2023 to 1.76%, compared with 1.13% in the first quarter of 2023. Costs of interest-bearing deposits increased during the quarter from 1.82% in the first quarter of 2023 to 2.64% in the second quarter of 2023, reflecting a shift in mix to CDs in the rising rate environment.

## ***Noninterest Income***

Noninterest income increased \$11.3 million, or 20.2%, in the second quarter of 2023 to \$67.3 million, compared with \$56.1 million for the first quarter of 2023, primarily as a result of increased mortgage banking activity, which increased by \$9.4 million, or 29.8%, to \$40.7 million in the second quarter of 2023, compared with \$31.4 million for the first quarter of 2023. Gain on sale spreads increased to 2.18% in the second quarter of 2023 from 1.96% for the first quarter of 2023. Total production in the retail mortgage division increased \$386.4 million, or 40.8%, to \$1.33 billion in the second quarter of 2023, compared with \$946.4 million for the first quarter of 2023. The retail mortgage open pipeline was \$652.1 million at the end of the second quarter of 2023, compared with \$725.9 million for the first quarter of 2023. Other noninterest income increased \$1.6 million, or 12.5%, in the second quarter of 2023, compared with \$12.7 million for the first quarter of 2023, primarily resulting from an increase in gain on sale of SBA loans of \$880,000 and a gain on debt redemption of \$1.0 million.

## ***Noninterest Expense***

Noninterest expense increased \$9.0 million, or 6.4%, to \$148.4 million during the second quarter of 2023, compared with \$139.4 million for the first quarter of 2023. The increase in noninterest expenses was driven by a decrease in deferred loan origination costs of \$2.5 million, a \$2.2 million increase in variable compensation related to mortgage production and a \$3.1 million increase in fraud/forgery and litigation resolution expenses. Management continues to focus on operating efficiency, and the adjusted efficiency ratio<sup>(1)</sup> increased to 53.41% in the second quarter of 2023, compared with 51.99% in the first quarter of 2023.

## ***Income Tax Expense***

The Company's effective tax rate for the second quarter of 2023 was 24.5%, compared with 23.1% for the first quarter of 2023. The increased rate for the second quarter of 2023 was primarily a result of increased permanent differences related to nondeductible compensation and FDIC insurance premiums and a reduction in tax benefits related to stock compensation vesting, compared with the first quarter of 2023.

## ***Balance Sheet Trends***

Total assets at June 30, 2023 were \$25.80 billion, compared with \$25.05 billion at December 31, 2022. Cash and cash equivalents increased 18.0% to \$1.32 billion at June 30, 2023, compared with \$1.12 billion at December 31, 2022. Debt securities available-for-sale decreased to \$1.46 billion, compared with \$1.50 billion at December 31, 2022. Loans, net of unearned income, increased \$616.5 million, or 6.3% annualized, to \$20.47 billion at June 30, 2023, compared with \$19.86 billion at December 31, 2022. Loans held for sale decreased slightly to \$391.5 million at June 30, 2023 from \$392.1 million at December 31, 2022.

Investment securities remained consistent at \$1.60 billion, or 6.8% of earning assets at the end of the second quarter of 2023, compared with \$1.63 billion, or 7.2% of earning assets at December 31, 2022. This compares with \$1.16 billion, or 5.5% of earning assets at the end of the second quarter of 2022. The Company did not deploy excess liquidity into the securities portfolio until after rates began rising during 2022; as a result, the unrealized loss position in the Company's available-for-sale securities portfolio remains modest at just 4.2% of the portfolio.

At June 30, 2023, total deposits amounted to \$20.44 billion, compared with \$19.46 billion at December 31, 2022. During the second quarter of 2023, deposits grew \$545.7 million, with interest bearing demand accounts increasing \$358.0 million, retail CDs increasing \$268.6 million and brokered CDs increasing \$357.8 million, with such increases offset in part by a \$591.0 million decrease in noninterest bearing accounts. Due to the increased interest rate environment, the Company continued to see the shift of customer deposits from noninterest bearing accounts into interest bearing accounts, such that at June 30, 2023, noninterest bearing deposit accounts represented \$6.71 billion, or 32.8% of total deposits, compared with \$7.93 billion, or 40.7% of total deposits, at December 31, 2022.

During the second quarter of 2023, utilizing existing liquidity, the Company reduced borrowings with the FHLB by \$875.0 million and redeemed \$9.5 million in principal amount, at a discount, of its 4.25% Fixed-to-Floating Rate Subordinated Notes Due 2029.

Shareholders' equity at June 30, 2023 totaled \$3.28 billion, an increase of \$87.2 million, or 2.7%, from December 31, 2022. The increase in shareholders' equity was primarily the result of earnings of \$123.1 million during the first six months of 2023, partially offset by dividends declared, share repurchases and an increase in other comprehensive loss of \$4.1 million resulting from changes in interest rates on the Company's investment portfolio. Tangible book value per share<sup>(1)</sup> increased \$1.50 per share, or 10.1% annualized, during the first six months of 2023 to \$31.42 at June 30, 2023. The Company recorded dilution of \$0.06 per share, or 0.2%, to tangible book value<sup>(1)</sup> from other comprehensive loss related to the increase in net unrealized losses on the securities portfolio during this same period. Tangible common equity as a percentage of tangible assets was 8.80% at June 30, 2023,



compared with 8.67% at the end of 2022.

### Credit Quality

Credit quality remains strong in the Company. During the second quarter of 2023, the Company recorded a provision for credit losses of \$45.5 million, compared with a provision of \$49.7 million in the first quarter of 2023. The second quarter provision was primarily attributable to the updated economic forecast and loan growth of \$473.9 million during the quarter. Nonperforming assets as a percentage of total assets were down four basis points to 0.57% during the quarter. Approximately \$69.7 million, or 47.6%, of the nonperforming assets at June 30, 2023 were GNMA-guaranteed mortgage loans, which have minimal loss exposure. Excluding these government-guaranteed loans, nonperforming assets as a percentage of total assets improved three basis points to 0.30% at June 30, 2023, compared with 0.33% at the first quarter of 2023. The net charge-off ratio was 28 basis points for the second quarter of 2023, compared with 22 basis points in the first quarter of 2023.

### Conference Call

The Company will host a teleconference at 9:00 a.m. Eastern time on Friday, July 28, 2023, to discuss the Company's results and answer appropriate questions. The conference call can be accessed by dialing 1-888-550-5279. The conference call access code is 9375737. A replay of the call will be available one hour after the end of the conference call until August 11, 2023. To listen to the replay, dial 1-800-770-2030. The conference replay access code is 9375737. The financial information discussed will also be available on the Investor Relations page of the Ameris Bank website at [ir.amerisbank.com](http://ir.amerisbank.com).

### About Ameris Bancorp

Ameris Bancorp is a bank holding company headquartered in Atlanta, Georgia. The Company's banking subsidiary, Ameris Bank, had 164 locations in Georgia, Alabama, Florida, North Carolina and South Carolina at the end of the most recent quarter.

<sup>(1)</sup> Considered non-GAAP financial measure - See reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP financial measures in tables 9A - 9E.

*This news release contains certain performance measures determined by methods other than in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). The Company's management uses these non-GAAP financial measures in its analysis of the Company's performance. These measures are useful when evaluating the underlying performance and efficiency of the Company's operations and balance sheet. The Company's management believes that these non-GAAP financial measures provide a greater understanding of ongoing operations, enhance comparability of results with prior periods and demonstrate the effects of significant gains and charges in the current period. The Company's management believes that investors may use these non-GAAP financial measures to evaluate the Company's financial performance without the impact of unusual items that may obscure trends in the Company's underlying performance. These disclosures should not be viewed as a substitute for financial measures determined in accordance with GAAP, nor are they necessarily comparable to non-GAAP financial measures that may be presented by other companies.*

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## AMERIS BANCORP AND SUBSIDIARIES FINANCIAL TABLES

### Financial Highlights

	Three Months Ended					Table 1 Six Months Ended	
	Jun 2023	Mar 2023	Dec 2022	Sep 2022	Jun 2022	Jun 2023	Jun 2022
<b>(dollars in thousands except per share data)</b>							
<b>EARNINGS</b>							
Net income	\$ 62,635	\$ 60,421	\$ 82,221	\$ 92,555	\$ 90,066	\$ 123,056	\$ 171,764
Adjusted net income <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 62,635	\$ 59,935	\$ 81,086	\$ 91,817	\$ 81,473	\$ 122,570	\$ 156,512
<b>COMMON SHARE DATA</b>							
Earnings per share available to common shareholders							
Basic	\$ 0.91	\$ 0.87	\$ 1.19	\$ 1.34	\$ 1.30	\$ 1.78	\$ 2.48
Diluted	\$ 0.91	\$ 0.87	\$ 1.18	\$ 1.34	\$ 1.30	\$ 1.78	\$ 2.47
Adjusted diluted EPS <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 0.91	\$ 0.86	\$ 1.17	\$ 1.32	\$ 1.18	\$ 1.77	\$ 2.25
Cash dividends per share	\$ 0.15	\$ 0.15	\$ 0.15	\$ 0.15	\$ 0.15	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.30
Book value per share (period end)	\$ 47.51	\$ 46.89	\$ 46.09	\$ 44.97	\$ 44.31	\$ 47.51	\$ 44.31
Tangible book value per share (period end) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 31.42	\$ 30.79	\$ 29.92	\$ 28.62	\$ 27.89	\$ 31.42	\$ 27.89
Weighted average number of shares							
Basic	68,989,549	69,171,562	69,138,431	69,124,855	69,136,046	69,084,746	69,246,084
Diluted	69,034,763	69,322,664	69,395,224	69,327,414	69,316,258	69,191,512	69,484,508
Period end number of shares	69,139,783	69,373,863	69,369,050	69,352,709	69,360,461	69,139,783	69,360,461
Market data							
High intraday price	\$ 37.18	\$ 50.54	\$ 54.24	\$ 50.94	\$ 46.28	\$ 50.54	\$ 55.62
Low intraday price	\$ 28.33	\$ 34.28	\$ 44.61	\$ 38.22	\$ 39.37	\$ 28.33	\$ 39.37
Period end closing price	\$ 34.21	\$ 36.58	\$ 47.14	\$ 44.71	\$ 40.18	\$ 34.21	\$ 40.18
Average daily volume	\$ 475,198	\$ 452,242	\$ 340,890	\$ 346,522	\$ 446,121	\$ 463,720	458,990
<b>PERFORMANCE RATIOS</b>							
Return on average assets	0.98 %	0.98 %	1.34 %	1.56 %	1.54 %	0.98 %	1.48 %
Adjusted return on average assets <sup>(1)</sup>	0.98 %	0.97 %	1.32 %	1.54 %	1.40 %	0.97 %	1.35 %
Return on average common equity	7.63 %	7.54 %	10.30 %	11.76 %	11.87 %	7.58 %	11.47 %
Adjusted return on average tangible common equity <sup>(1)</sup>	11.53 %	11.41 %	15.78 %	18.33 %	17.18 %	11.47 %	16.79 %
Earning asset yield (TE)	5.52 %	5.25 %	4.91 %	4.37 %	3.88 %	5.38 %	3.72 %
Total cost of funds	2.05 %	1.59 %	0.94 %	0.42 %	0.22 %	1.82 %	0.22 %
Net interest margin (TE)	3.60 %	3.76 %	4.03 %	3.97 %	3.66 %	3.68 %	3.51 %
Efficiency ratio	53.60 %	52.08 %	49.57 %	50.15 %	51.67 %	52.85 %	53.49 %
Adjusted efficiency ratio (TE) <sup>(1)</sup>	53.41 %	51.99 %	49.61 %	50.12 %	53.66 %	52.72 %	55.26 %
<b>CAPITAL ADEQUACY (period end)</b>							
Shareholders' equity to assets	12.73 %	12.47 %	12.76 %	13.10 %	12.97 %	12.73 %	12.97 %
Tangible common equity to tangible assets <sup>(1)</sup>	8.80 %	8.55 %	8.67 %	8.75 %	8.58 %	8.80 %	8.58 %

### OTHER DATA (period end)

Full time equivalent employees



Ranking Division	2,869	2,898	2,839	2,871	2,959	2,869	2,959
Warehouse Lending Division	8	8	8	9	9	8	9
SBA Division	35	39	39	40	36	35	36
Premium Finance Division	76	78	76	77	78	76	78
Total Ameris Bancorp FTE headcount	2,801	2,848	2,835	2,868	2,885	2,801	2,885
Branch locations	164	164	164	164	164	164	164
Deposits per branch location	\$ 124,653	\$ 121,326	\$ 118,675	\$ 118,701	\$ 120,030	\$ 124,653	\$ 120,030

(1) Considered non-GAAP financial measure - See reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP financial measures in tables 9A - 9E

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**Income Statement**

	Three Months Ended					Six Months Ended	
	Jun 2023	Mar 2023	Dec 2022	Sep 2022	Jun 2022	Jun 2023	Jun 2022
<b>(dollars in thousands except per share data)</b>							
<b>Interest income</b>							
Interest and fees on loans	\$ 292,012	\$ 271,964	\$ 250,263	\$ 216,400	\$ 190,740	\$ 563,976	\$ 368,306
Interest on taxable securities	15,915	14,300	13,029	10,324	7,064	30,215	11,303
Interest on nontaxable securities	339	339	358	363	269	678	455
Interest on deposits in other banks	13,686	9,113	9,984	7,188	4,463	22,799	5,836
Interest on federal funds sold	—	—	8	27	32	—	42
<b>Total interest income</b>	<u>321,952</u>	<u>295,716</u>	<u>273,642</u>	<u>234,302</u>	<u>202,568</u>	<u>617,668</u>	<u>385,942</u>
<b>Interest expense</b>							
Interest on deposits	88,087	53,182	33,071	14,034	4,908	141,269	9,000
Interest on other borrowings	24,325	30,882	16,434	7,287	6,296	55,207	13,034
<b>Total interest expense</b>	<u>112,412</u>	<u>84,064</u>	<u>49,505</u>	<u>21,321</u>	<u>11,204</u>	<u>196,476</u>	<u>22,034</u>
<b>Net interest income</b>	<u>209,540</u>	<u>211,652</u>	<u>224,137</u>	<u>212,981</u>	<u>191,364</u>	<u>421,192</u>	<u>363,908</u>
Provision for loan losses	43,643	49,376	24,648	17,469	13,227	93,019	10,493
Provision for unfunded commitments	1,873	346	8,246	192	1,779	2,219	10,788
Provision for other credit losses	—	7	(4)	(9)	(82)	7	(126)
<b>Provision for credit losses</b>	<u>45,516</u>	<u>49,729</u>	<u>32,890</u>	<u>17,652</u>	<u>14,924</u>	<u>95,245</u>	<u>21,155</u>
<b>Net interest income after provision for credit losses</b>	<u>164,024</u>	<u>161,923</u>	<u>191,247</u>	<u>195,329</u>	<u>176,440</u>	<u>325,947</u>	<u>342,753</u>
<b>Noninterest income</b>							
Service charges on deposit accounts	11,295	10,936	11,125	11,168	11,148	22,231	22,206
Mortgage banking activity	40,742	31,392	22,855	40,350	58,761	72,134	121,699
Other service charges, commissions and fees	975	971	968	970	998	1,946	1,937
Gain (loss) on securities	(6)	6	3	(21)	248	—	221
Other noninterest income	14,343	12,745	13,397	12,857	12,686	27,088	24,689
<b>Total noninterest income</b>	<u>67,349</u>	<u>56,050</u>	<u>48,348</u>	<u>65,324</u>	<u>83,841</u>	<u>123,399</u>	<u>170,752</u>
<b>Noninterest expense</b>							
Salaries and employee benefits	81,336	80,910	75,196	78,697	81,545	162,246	165,826
Occupancy and equipment	12,522	12,986	12,905	12,983	12,746	25,508	25,473
Data processing and communications expenses	13,451	13,034	12,486	12,015	12,155	26,485	24,727
Credit resolution-related expenses <sup>(1)</sup>	848	435	372	126	496	1,283	(469)
Advertising and marketing	2,627	3,532	3,818	3,553	3,122	6,159	5,110
Amortization of intangible assets	4,688	4,706	4,709	4,710	5,144	9,394	10,325
Merger and conversion charges	—	—	235	—	—	—	977
Other noninterest expenses	32,931	23,818	25,340	27,494	26,988	56,749	54,047
<b>Total noninterest expense</b>	<u>148,403</u>	<u>139,421</u>	<u>135,061</u>	<u>139,578</u>	<u>142,196</u>	<u>287,824</u>	<u>286,016</u>
<b>Income before income tax expense</b>	<u>82,970</u>	<u>78,552</u>	<u>104,534</u>	<u>121,075</u>	<u>118,085</u>	<u>161,522</u>	<u>227,489</u>
<b>Income tax expense</b>	<u>20,335</u>	<u>18,131</u>	<u>22,313</u>	<u>28,520</u>	<u>28,019</u>	<u>38,466</u>	<u>55,725</u>
<b>Net income</b>	<u>\$ 62,635</u>	<u>\$ 60,421</u>	<u>\$ 82,221</u>	<u>\$ 92,555</u>	<u>\$ 90,066</u>	<u>\$ 123,056</u>	<u>\$ 171,764</u>
<b>Diluted earnings per common share</b>	<u>\$ 0.91</u>	<u>\$ 0.87</u>	<u>\$ 1.18</u>	<u>\$ 1.34</u>	<u>\$ 1.30</u>	<u>\$ 1.78</u>	<u>\$ 2.47</u>

(1) Includes expenses associated with problem loans and OREO, as well as OREO losses and writedowns.

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**Period End Balance Sheet**

	Table 3				
	Jun 2023	Mar 2023	Dec 2022	Sep 2022	Jun 2022
<b>(dollars in thousands)</b>					
<b>Assets</b>					
Cash and due from banks	\$ 284,552	\$ 266,400	\$ 284,567	\$ 269,193	\$ 345,627
Federal funds sold and interest-bearing deposits in banks	1,034,578	1,754,453	833,565	1,061,975	1,961,209
Debt securities available-for-sale, at fair value	1,460,356	1,496,836	1,500,060	1,255,149	1,052,268
Debt securities held-to-maturity, at amortized cost	142,513	134,175	134,864	130,214	111,654
Other investments	109,656	146,715	110,992	60,560	49,500
Loans held for sale	391,472	395,096	392,078	297,987	555,665
Loans, net of unearned income	20,471,759	19,997,871	19,855,253	18,806,856	17,561,022
Allowance for credit losses	(272,071)	(242,658)	(205,677)	(184,891)	(172,642)
Loans, net	<u>20,199,688</u>	<u>19,755,213</u>	<u>19,649,576</u>	<u>18,621,965</u>	<u>17,388,380</u>
Other real estate owned	6,170	1,502	843	843	835
Premises and equipment, net	218,662	218,878	220,283	222,694	224,249
Goodwill	1,015,646	1,015,646	1,015,646	1,023,071	1,023,056
Other intangible assets, net	96,800	101,488	106,194	110,903	115,613



General account of bank owned life insurance	<u>440,042</u>	<u>422,701</u>	<u>408,205</u>	<u>398,530</u>	<u>494,952</u>
<b>Total assets</b>	<u>\$ 25,800,618</u>	<u>\$ 26,088,384</u>	<u>\$ 25,053,286</u>	<u>\$ 23,813,657</u>	<u>\$ 23,687,470</u>
<b>Liabilities</b>					
Deposits					
Noninterest-bearing	\$ 6,706,897	\$ 7,297,893	\$ 7,929,579	\$ 8,343,200	\$ 8,262,929
Interest-bearing	13,736,228	12,599,562	11,533,159	11,123,719	11,422,053
Total deposits	20,443,125	19,897,455	19,462,738	19,466,919	19,684,982
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	—	—	—	—	953
Other borrowings	1,536,989	2,401,327	1,875,736	725,664	425,592
Subordinated deferrable interest debentures	129,319	128,820	128,322	127,823	127,325
Other liabilities	406,555	407,587	389,090	374,181	375,242
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<u>22,515,988</u>	<u>22,835,189</u>	<u>21,855,886</u>	<u>20,694,587</u>	<u>20,614,094</u>
<b>Shareholders' Equity</b>					
Preferred stock	—	—	—	—	—
Common stock	72,515	72,484	72,264	72,247	72,251
Capital stock	1,939,865	1,937,664	1,935,211	1,932,906	1,931,088
Retained earnings	1,414,742	1,362,512	1,311,258	1,239,477	1,157,359
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax	(50,618)	(35,581)	(46,507)	(50,734)	(12,635)
Treasury stock	(91,874)	(83,884)	(74,826)	(74,826)	(74,687)
<b>Total shareholders' equity</b>	<u>3,284,630</u>	<u>3,253,195</u>	<u>3,197,400</u>	<u>3,119,070</u>	<u>3,073,376</u>
<b>Total liabilities and shareholders' equity</b>	<u>\$ 25,800,618</u>	<u>\$ 26,088,384</u>	<u>\$ 25,053,286</u>	<u>\$ 23,813,657</u>	<u>\$ 23,687,470</u>
<b>Other Data</b>					
Earning assets	\$ 23,610,334	\$ 23,925,146	\$ 22,826,812	\$ 21,612,741	\$ 21,291,318
Intangible assets	1,112,446	1,117,134	1,121,840	1,133,974	1,138,669
Interest-bearing liabilities	15,402,536	15,129,709	13,537,217	11,977,206	11,975,923
Average assets	25,631,846	25,115,927	24,354,979	23,598,465	23,405,201
Average common shareholders' equity	3,293,049	3,250,289	3,168,320	3,123,718	3,043,280

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<b>Asset Quality Information</b>	<b>Three Months Ended</b>					<b>Six Months Ended</b>		<b>Table 4</b>
	<b>Jun 2023</b>	<b>Mar 2023</b>	<b>Dec 2022</b>	<b>Sep 2022</b>	<b>Jun 2022</b>	<b>Jun 2023</b>	<b>Jun 2022</b>	
<b>(dollars in thousands)</b>								
<b>Allowance for Credit Losses</b>								
Balance at beginning of period	\$ 295,497	\$ 258,163	\$ 229,135	\$ 216,703	\$ 203,615	\$ 258,163	\$ 200,981	
Adoption of ASU 2022-02	—	(1,711)	—	—	—	(1,711)	—	
Provision for loan losses	43,643	49,376	24,648	17,469	13,227	93,019	10,493	
Provision for unfunded commitments	1,873	346	8,246	192	1,779	2,219	10,788	
Provision for other credit losses	—	7	(4)	(9)	(82)	7	(126)	
Provision for credit losses	45,516	49,729	32,890	17,652	14,924	95,245	21,155	
Charge-offs	20,670	14,956	8,371	9,272	6,853	35,626	15,432	
Recoveries	6,440	4,272	4,509	4,052	5,017	10,712	9,999	
Net charge-offs (recoveries)	14,230	10,684	3,862	5,220	1,836	24,914	5,433	
Ending balance	<u>\$ 326,783</u>	<u>\$ 295,497</u>	<u>\$ 258,163</u>	<u>\$ 229,135</u>	<u>\$ 216,703</u>	<u>\$ 326,783</u>	<u>\$ 216,703</u>	
Allowance for loan losses	\$ 272,071	\$ 242,658	\$ 205,677	\$ 184,891	\$ 172,642	\$ 272,071	\$ 172,642	
Allowance for unfunded commitments	54,630	52,757	52,411	44,165	43,973	54,630	43,973	
Allowance for other credit losses	82	82	75	79	88	82	88	
Total allowance for credit losses	<u>\$ 326,783</u>	<u>\$ 295,497</u>	<u>\$ 258,163</u>	<u>\$ 229,135</u>	<u>\$ 216,703</u>	<u>\$ 326,783</u>	<u>\$ 216,703</u>	
<b>Net Charge-off Information</b>								
<b>Charge-offs</b>								
Commercial, financial and agricultural	\$ 13,316	\$ 12,233	\$ 5,108	\$ 4,722	\$ 4,391	\$ 25,549	\$ 8,805	
Consumer	2,052	1,140	1,136	1,228	1,137	3,192	2,562	
Indirect automobile	65	34	86	50	41	99	129	
Premium Finance	1,848	1,421	1,812	1,205	1,066	3,269	2,435	
Real estate - construction and development	—	—	27	—	—	—	—	
Real estate - commercial and farmland	3,320	—	196	2,014	81	3,320	1,364	
Real estate - residential	69	128	6	53	137	197	137	
Total charge-offs	20,670	14,956	8,371	9,272	6,853	35,626	15,432	
<b>Recoveries</b>								
Commercial, financial and agricultural	3,545	2,043	2,072	2,201	2,785	5,588	5,681	
Consumer	194	297	217	277	230	491	388	
Indirect automobile	225	216	229	276	265	441	540	
Premium Finance	1,680	1,382	1,682	1,023	1,113	3,062	2,360	
Real estate - construction and development	472	100	223	96	355	572	573	
Real estate - commercial and farmland	61	44	48	96	44	105	81	
Real estate - residential	263	190	38	83	225	453	376	
Total recoveries	6,440	4,272	4,509	4,052	5,017	10,712	9,999	
<b>Net charge-offs (recoveries)</b>	<u>\$ 14,230</u>	<u>\$ 10,684</u>	<u>\$ 3,862</u>	<u>\$ 5,220</u>	<u>\$ 1,836</u>	<u>\$ 24,914</u>	<u>\$ 5,433</u>	
<b>Non-Performing Assets</b>								
Nonaccrual portfolio loans	\$ 57,025	\$ 68,028	\$ 65,221	\$ 64,055	\$ 72,352	\$ 57,025	\$ 72,352	
Other real estate owned	6,170	1,502	843	843	835	6,170	835	
Reposessed assets	9	25	28	60	122	9	122	
Accruing loans delinquent 90 days or more	13,424	15,792	17,865	12,378	8,542	13,424	8,542	
Non-performing portfolio assets	<u>\$ 76,628</u>	<u>\$ 85,347</u>	<u>\$ 83,957</u>	<u>\$ 77,336</u>	<u>\$ 81,851</u>	<u>\$ 76,628</u>	<u>\$ 81,851</u>	
Serviced GNMA-guaranteed mortgage nonaccrual loans	69,655	74,999	69,587	54,621	50,560	69,655	50,560	
Total non-performing assets	<u>\$ 146,283</u>	<u>\$ 160,346</u>	<u>\$ 153,544</u>	<u>\$ 131,957</u>	<u>\$ 132,411</u>	<u>\$ 146,283</u>	<u>\$ 132,411</u>	

**Asset Quality Ratios**



Non-performing portfolio assets as a percent of total assets	0.30 %	0.33 %	0.34 %	0.32 %	0.35 %	0.30 %	0.35 %
Total non-performing assets as a percent of total assets	0.57 %	0.61 %	0.61 %	0.55 %	0.56 %	0.57 %	0.56 %
Net charge-offs as a percent of average loans (annualized)	0.28 %	0.22 %	0.08 %	0.11 %	0.04 %	0.25 %	0.07 %

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**Loan Information**

	<b>Table 5</b>				
	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Mar</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Jun</b>
<b>(dollars in thousands)</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2022</b>
<b>Loans by Type</b>					
Commercial, financial and agricultural	\$ 2,718,831	\$ 2,722,180	\$ 2,679,403	\$ 2,245,287	\$ 2,022,845
Consumer	307,486	349,775	384,037	162,345	167,237
Indirect automobile	63,231	83,466	108,648	137,183	172,245
Mortgage warehouse	1,147,413	958,418	1,038,924	980,342	949,191
Municipal	510,410	505,515	509,151	516,797	529,268
Premium Finance	988,731	947,257	1,023,479	1,062,724	942,357
Real estate - construction and development	2,217,744	2,144,605	2,086,438	2,009,726	1,747,284
Real estate - commercial and farmland	7,815,779	7,721,732	7,604,868	7,516,309	7,156,017
Real estate - residential	4,702,134	4,564,923	4,420,305	4,176,143	3,874,578
<b>Total loans</b>	<b>\$ 20,471,759</b>	<b>\$ 19,997,871</b>	<b>\$ 19,855,253</b>	<b>\$ 18,806,856</b>	<b>\$ 17,561,022</b>
<b>Loans by Risk Grade</b>					
Grades 1 through 5 - Pass	\$ 20,114,816	\$ 19,654,232	\$ 19,513,726	\$ 18,483,046	\$ 17,296,520
Grade 6 - Other assets especially mentioned	171,035	116,345	104,614	110,408	68,444
Grade 7 - Substandard	185,908	227,294	236,913	213,402	196,058
Grade 8 - Doubtful	—	—	—	—	—
Grade 9 - Loss	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Total loans</b>	<b>\$ 20,471,759</b>	<b>\$ 19,997,871</b>	<b>\$ 19,855,253</b>	<b>\$ 18,806,856</b>	<b>\$ 17,561,022</b>

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**Average Balances**

	<b>Table 6</b>					
	<b>Three Months Ended</b>				<b>Six Months Ended</b>	
	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Mar</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Jun</b>
<b>(dollars in thousands)</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2022</b>
<b>Earning Assets</b>						
Federal funds sold	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 924	\$ 5,000	\$ 17,692	\$ —
Interest-bearing deposits in banks	998,609	859,614	1,009,935	1,394,529	2,209,761	929,496
Debt securities - taxable	1,582,076	1,586,404	1,451,861	1,242,811	932,824	1,584,228
Debt securities - nontaxable	42,580	43,052	44,320	45,730	39,236	42,814
Other investments	117,020	131,044	83,730	51,209	49,550	123,994
Loans held for sale	577,606	490,295	371,952	471,070	944,964	534,192
Loans	20,164,938	19,820,749	19,212,560	18,146,083	16,861,674	19,993,794
<b>Total Earning Assets</b>	<b>\$ 23,482,829</b>	<b>\$ 22,931,158</b>	<b>\$ 22,175,282</b>	<b>\$ 21,356,432</b>	<b>\$ 21,055,701</b>	<b>\$ 23,208,518</b>
<b>Deposits</b>						
Noninterest-bearing deposits	\$ 6,729,789	\$ 7,136,373	\$ 8,138,887	\$ 8,259,625	\$ 7,955,765	\$ 6,931,852
NOW accounts	3,949,850	4,145,991	3,621,454	3,701,045	3,695,490	4,047,484
MMDA	5,002,590	4,994,195	5,161,047	5,026,815	5,087,199	4,998,417
Savings accounts	1,009,749	1,005,614	1,010,966	1,030,298	1,007,340	1,007,693
Retail CDs	2,024,014	1,612,325	1,450,037	1,506,761	1,693,740	1,819,307
Brokered CDs	1,393,206	125,133	—	—	—	762,672
<b>Total Deposits</b>	<b>20,109,198</b>	<b>19,019,631</b>	<b>19,382,391</b>	<b>19,524,544</b>	<b>19,439,534</b>	<b>19,567,425</b>
<b>Non-Deposit Funding</b>						
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	—	—	1	92	1,854	—
FHLB advances	1,408,855	1,968,811	918,228	94,357	48,746	1,687,286
Other borrowings	316,626	361,445	377,056	376,942	376,829	338,912
Subordinated deferrable interest debentures	129,056	128,557	128,060	127,560	127,063	128,808
<b>Total Non-Deposit Funding</b>	<b>1,854,537</b>	<b>2,458,813</b>	<b>1,423,345</b>	<b>598,951</b>	<b>554,492</b>	<b>2,155,006</b>
<b>Total Funding</b>	<b>\$ 21,963,735</b>	<b>\$ 21,478,444</b>	<b>\$ 20,805,736</b>	<b>\$ 20,123,495</b>	<b>\$ 19,994,026</b>	<b>\$ 21,722,431</b>

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**Interest Income and Interest Expense (TE)**

	<b>Table 7</b>					
	<b>Three Months Ended</b>				<b>Six Months Ended</b>	
	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Mar</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Jun</b>
<b>(dollars in thousands)</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2022</b>
<b>Interest Income</b>						
Federal funds sold	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 8	\$ 27	\$ 32	\$ —
Interest-bearing deposits in banks	13,686	9,113	9,984	7,188	4,463	22,799
Debt securities - taxable	15,915	14,300	13,029	10,324	7,064	30,215
Debt securities - nontaxable (TE)	430	429	454	459	341	859
Loans held for sale	8,398	7,007	5,519	6,012	10,036	15,405
Loans (TE)	284,471	265,802	245,603	211,223	181,602	550,273
<b>Total Earning Assets</b>	<b>\$ 322,900</b>	<b>\$ 296,651</b>	<b>\$ 274,597</b>	<b>\$ 235,233</b>	<b>\$ 203,538</b>	<b>\$ 619,551</b>
<b>Interest Expense</b>						
<b>Interest-Bearing Deposits</b>						
NOW accounts	\$ 18,003	\$ 15,033	\$ 8,564	\$ 3,733	\$ 1,246	\$ 33,036
MMDA	35,224	27,809	20,683	8,613	2,204	63,033
Savings accounts	2,296	1,288	654	360	140	3,584
Retail CDs	14,751	7,629	3,170	1,328	1,318	22,380
Brokered CDs	17,813	1,423	—	—	—	19,236
<b>Total Interest-Bearing Deposits</b>	<b>88,087</b>	<b>53,182</b>	<b>33,071</b>	<b>14,034</b>	<b>4,908</b>	<b>141,269</b>



<b>Non-Deposit Funding</b>					1		4
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
FHLB advances	17,222	22,448	8,801	527	192	39,670	382
Other borrowings	3,902	5,349	4,953	4,655	4,437	9,251	9,601
Subordinated deferrable interest debentures	3,201	3,085	2,680	2,105	1,666	6,286	3,047
<b>Total Non-Deposit Funding</b>	<b>24,325</b>	<b>30,882</b>	<b>16,434</b>	<b>7,287</b>	<b>6,296</b>	<b>55,207</b>	<b>13,034</b>
<b>Total Interest-Bearing Funding</b>	<b>\$ 112,412</b>	<b>\$ 84,064</b>	<b>\$ 49,505</b>	<b>\$ 21,321</b>	<b>\$ 11,204</b>	<b>\$ 196,476</b>	<b>\$ 22,034</b>
<b>Net Interest Income (TE)</b>	<b>\$ 210,488</b>	<b>\$ 212,587</b>	<b>\$ 225,092</b>	<b>\$ 213,912</b>	<b>\$ 192,334</b>	<b>\$ 423,075</b>	<b>\$ 365,891</b>

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**Yields<sup>(1)</sup>**

	Three Months Ended					Six Months Ended	
	Jun 2023	Mar 2023	Dec 2022	Sep 2022	Jun 2022	Jun 2023	Jun 2022
<b>Earning Assets</b>							
Federal funds sold	— %	— %	3.43 %	2.14 %	0.73 %	— %	0.45 %
Interest-bearing deposits in banks	5.50 %	4.30 %	3.92 %	2.04 %	0.81 %	4.95 %	0.42 %
Debt securities - taxable	4.03 %	3.66 %	3.56 %	3.30 %	3.04 %	3.85 %	2.93 %
Debt securities - nontaxable (TE)	4.05 %	4.04 %	4.06 %	3.98 %	3.49 %	4.05 %	3.37 %
Loans held for sale	5.83 %	5.80 %	5.89 %	5.06 %	4.26 %	5.82 %	3.59 %
Loans (TE)	5.66 %	5.44 %	5.07 %	4.62 %	4.32 %	5.55 %	4.34 %
<b>Total Earning Assets</b>	<b>5.52 %</b>	<b>5.25 %</b>	<b>4.91 %</b>	<b>4.37 %</b>	<b>3.88 %</b>	<b>5.38 %</b>	<b>3.72 %</b>
<b>Interest-Bearing Deposits</b>							
NOW accounts	1.83 %	1.47 %	0.94 %	0.40 %	0.14 %	1.65 %	0.11 %
MMDA	2.82 %	2.26 %	1.59 %	0.68 %	0.17 %	2.54 %	0.15 %
Savings accounts	0.91 %	0.52 %	0.26 %	0.14 %	0.06 %	0.72 %	0.06 %
Retail CDs	2.92 %	1.92 %	0.87 %	0.35 %	0.31 %	2.48 %	0.33 %
Brokered CDs	5.13 %	4.61 %	— %	— %	— %	5.09 %	— %
<b>Total Interest-Bearing Deposits</b>	<b>2.64 %</b>	<b>1.82 %</b>	<b>1.17 %</b>	<b>0.49 %</b>	<b>0.17 %</b>	<b>2.25 %</b>	<b>0.16 %</b>
<b>Non-Deposit Funding</b>							
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	— %	— %	— %	— %	0.22 %	— %	0.28 %
FHLB advances	4.90 %	4.62 %	3.80 %	2.22 %	1.58 %	4.74 %	1.58 %
Other borrowings	4.94 %	6.00 %	5.21 %	4.90 %	4.72 %	5.50 %	4.72 %
Subordinated deferrable interest debentures	9.95 %	9.73 %	8.30 %	6.55 %	5.26 %	9.84 %	4.85 %
<b>Total Non-Deposit Funding</b>	<b>5.26 %</b>	<b>5.09 %</b>	<b>4.58 %</b>	<b>4.83 %</b>	<b>4.55 %</b>	<b>5.17 %</b>	<b>4.47 %</b>
<b>Total Interest-Bearing Liabilities</b>	<b>2.96 %</b>	<b>2.38 %</b>	<b>1.55 %</b>	<b>0.71 %</b>	<b>0.37 %</b>	<b>2.68 %</b>	<b>0.37 %</b>
<b>Net Interest Spread</b>	<b>2.56 %</b>	<b>2.87 %</b>	<b>3.36 %</b>	<b>3.66 %</b>	<b>3.51 %</b>	<b>2.70 %</b>	<b>3.35 %</b>
<b>Net Interest Margin<sup>(2)</sup></b>	<b>3.60 %</b>	<b>3.76 %</b>	<b>4.03 %</b>	<b>3.97 %</b>	<b>3.66 %</b>	<b>3.68 %</b>	<b>3.51 %</b>
<b>Total Cost of Funds<sup>(3)</sup></b>	<b>2.05 %</b>	<b>1.59 %</b>	<b>0.94 %</b>	<b>0.42 %</b>	<b>0.22 %</b>	<b>1.82 %</b>	<b>0.22 %</b>

(1) Interest and average rates are calculated on a tax-equivalent basis using an effective tax rate of 21%.

(2) Rate calculated based on average earning assets.

(3) Rate calculated based on total average funding including noninterest-bearing deposits.

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**Non-GAAP Reconciliations**

**Adjusted Net Income**

	Three Months Ended					Six Months Ended	
	Jun 2023	Mar 2023	Dec 2022	Sep 2022	Jun 2022	Jun 2023	2
<b>(dollars in thousands except per share data)</b>							
Net income available to common shareholders	\$ 62,635	\$ 60,421	\$ 82,221	\$ 92,555	\$ 90,066	\$ 123,056	
Adjustment items:							
Merger and conversion charges	—	—	235	—	—	—	
(Gain) loss on sale of MSR	—	—	(1,672)	316	—	—	
Servicing right impairment (recovery)	—	—	—	(1,332)	(10,838)	—	
Gain on BOLI proceeds	—	(486)	—	(55)	—	(486)	
Natural disaster and pandemic charges	—	—	—	151	—	—	
(Gain) loss on bank premises	—	—	—	—	(39)	—	
Tax effect of adjustment items (Note 1)	—	—	302	182	2,284	—	
After tax adjustment items	—	(486)	(1,135)	(738)	(8,593)	(486)	
Adjusted net income	\$ 62,635	\$ 59,935	\$ 81,086	\$ 91,817	\$ 81,473	\$ 122,570	
Weighted average number of shares - diluted	69,034,763	69,322,664	69,395,224	69,327,414	69,316,258	69,191,512	
Net income per diluted share	\$ 0.91	\$ 0.87	\$ 1.18	\$ 1.34	\$ 1.30	\$ 1.78	
Adjusted net income per diluted share	\$ 0.91	\$ 0.86	\$ 1.17	\$ 1.32	\$ 1.18	\$ 1.77	
Average assets	\$ 25,631,846	\$ 25,115,927	\$ 24,354,979	\$ 23,598,465	\$ 23,405,201	\$ 25,375,312	\$
Return on average assets	0.98 %	0.98 %	1.34 %	1.56 %	1.54 %	0.98 %	
Adjusted return on average assets	0.98 %	0.97 %	1.32 %	1.54 %	1.40 %	0.97 %	
Average common equity	\$ 3,293,049	\$ 3,250,289	\$ 3,168,320	\$ 3,123,718	\$ 3,043,280	\$ 3,271,787	\$
Average tangible common equity	\$ 2,178,323	\$ 2,130,856	\$ 2,039,094	\$ 1,987,385	\$ 1,902,265	\$ 2,154,720	\$
Return on average common equity	7.63 %	7.54 %	10.30 %	11.76 %	11.87 %	7.58 %	
Adjusted return on average tangible common equity	11.53 %	11.41 %	15.78 %	18.33 %	17.18 %	11.47 %	

Note 1: Tax effect is calculated utilizing a 21% rate for taxable adjustments. Gain on BOLI proceeds is non-taxable and no tax effect is included. A portion of the merger and conversion charges for the six months ended June 2022 are nondeductible for tax purposes.



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**Non-GAAP Reconciliations (continued)**

**Adjusted Efficiency Ratio (TE)**

	Three Months Ended				
	Jun 2023	Mar 2023	Dec 2022	Sep 2022	Jun 2022
<b>(dollars in thousands)</b>					
<b>Adjusted Noninterest Expense</b>					
Total noninterest expense	\$ 148,403	\$ 139,421	\$ 135,061	\$ 139,578	\$ 142,196
Adjustment items:					
Merger and conversion charges	—	—	(235)	—	—
Natural disaster and pandemic charges	—	—	—	(151)	—
Gain (loss) on bank premises	—	—	—	—	39
Adjusted noninterest expense	\$ 148,403	\$ 139,421	\$ 134,826	\$ 139,427	\$ 142,235
<b>Total Revenue</b>					
Net interest income	\$ 209,540	\$ 211,652	\$ 224,137	\$ 212,981	\$ 191,364
Noninterest income	67,349	56,050	48,348	65,324	83,841
Total revenue	\$ 276,889	\$ 267,702	\$ 272,485	\$ 278,305	\$ 275,205
<b>Adjusted Total Revenue</b>					
Net interest income (TE)	\$ 210,488	\$ 212,587	\$ 225,092	\$ 213,912	\$ 192,334
Noninterest income	67,349	56,050	48,348	65,324	83,841
Total revenue (TE)	277,837	268,637	273,440	279,236	276,175
Adjustment items:					
(Gain) loss on securities	6	(6)	(3)	21	(248)
(Gain) loss on sale of MSR	—	—	(1,672)	316	—
Gain on BOLI proceeds	—	(486)	—	(55)	—
Servicing right impairment (recovery)	—	—	—	(1,332)	(10,838)
Adjusted total revenue (TE)	\$ 277,843	\$ 268,145	\$ 271,765	\$ 278,186	\$ 265,085
<b>Efficiency ratio</b>	53.60 %	52.08 %	49.57 %	50.15 %	51.67 %
<b>Adjusted efficiency ratio (TE)</b>	53.41 %	51.99 %	49.61 %	50.12 %	53.66 %

**Tangible Book Value Per Share**

	Three Months Ended				
	Jun 2023	Mar 2023	Dec 2022	Sep 2022	Jun 2022
<b>(dollars in thousands except per share data)</b>					
Total shareholders' equity	\$ 3,284,630	\$ 3,253,195	\$ 3,197,400	\$ 3,119,070	\$ 3,073,376
Less:					
Goodwill	1,015,646	1,015,646	1,015,646	1,023,071	1,023,056
Other intangibles, net	96,800	101,488	106,194	110,903	115,613
Total tangible shareholders' equity	\$ 2,172,184	\$ 2,136,061	\$ 2,075,560	\$ 1,985,096	\$ 1,934,707
Period end number of shares	69,139,783	69,373,863	69,369,050	69,352,709	69,360,461
Book value per share (period end)	\$ 47.51	\$ 46.89	\$ 46.09	\$ 44.97	\$ 44.31
Tangible book value per share (period end)	\$ 31.42	\$ 30.79	\$ 29.92	\$ 28.62	\$ 27.89

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**Non-GAAP Reconciliations (continued)**

**Tangible Common Equity to Tangible Assets**

	Three Months Ended				
	Jun 2023	Mar 2023	Dec 2022	Sep 2022	Jun 2022
<b>(dollars in thousands except per share data)</b>					
Total shareholders' equity	\$ 3,284,630	\$ 3,253,195	\$ 3,197,400	\$ 3,119,070	\$ 3,073,376
Less:					
Goodwill	1,015,646	1,015,646	1,015,646	1,023,071	1,023,056
Other intangibles, net	96,800	101,488	106,194	110,903	115,613
Total tangible shareholders' equity	\$ 2,172,184	\$ 2,136,061	\$ 2,075,560	\$ 1,985,096	\$ 1,934,707
Total assets	\$ 25,800,618	\$ 26,088,384	\$ 25,053,286	\$ 23,813,657	\$ 23,687,470
Less:					
Goodwill	1,015,646	1,015,646	1,015,646	1,023,071	1,023,056
Other intangibles, net	96,800	101,488	106,194	110,903	115,613
Total tangible assets	\$ 24,688,172	\$ 24,971,250	\$ 23,931,446	\$ 22,679,683	\$ 22,548,801
Equity to Assets	12.73 %	12.47 %	12.76 %	13.10 %	12.97 %
Tangible Common Equity to Tangible Assets	8.80 %	8.55 %	8.67 %	8.75 %	8.58 %

**PPNR ROA**

	Three Months Ended				
	Jun 2023	Mar 2023	Dec 2022	Sep 2022	Jun 2022
<b>(dollars in thousands except per share data)</b>					
Net income	\$ 62,635	\$ 60,421	\$ 82,221	\$ 92,555	\$ 90,066
Plus:					
Income taxes	20,335	18,131	22,313	28,520	28,019
Provision for credit losses	45,516	49,729	32,890	17,652	14,924
PPNR	\$ 128,486	\$ 128,281	\$ 137,424	\$ 138,727	\$ 133,009
Average Assets	\$ 25,631,846	\$ 25,115,927	\$ 24,354,979	\$ 23,598,465	\$ 23,405,201
Return on Average Assets (ROA)	0.98 %	0.98 %	1.34 %	1.56 %	1.54 %
PPNR ROA	2.01 %	2.07 %	2.24 %	2.33 %	2.28 %



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**Table 10**

	Three Months Ended					Six Months Ended	
	Jun 2023	Mar 2023	Dec 2022	Sep 2022	Jun 2022	Jun 2023	Jun 2022
<b>(dollars in thousands)</b>							
<b>Banking Division</b>							
Net interest income	\$ 171,441	\$ 175,328	\$ 185,909	\$ 174,507	\$ 152,122	\$ 346,769	\$ 285,867
Provision for credit losses	40,831	47,140	35,946	10,551	10,175	87,971	15,401
Noninterest income	24,652	23,898	23,448	23,269	23,469	48,550	44,833
Noninterest expense							
Salaries and employee benefits	55,196	56,442	52,296	48,599	46,733	111,638	95,928
Occupancy and equipment expenses	11,175	11,606	11,482	11,357	11,168	22,781	22,242
Data processing and telecommunications expenses	11,898	11,797	11,085	10,779	10,863	23,695	22,093
Other noninterest expenses	27,643	19,023	21,811	22,974	21,123	46,666	41,168
Total noninterest expense	105,912	98,868	96,674	93,709	89,887	204,780	181,431
Income before income tax expense	49,350	53,218	76,737	93,516	75,529	102,568	133,868
Income tax expense	13,312	12,848	16,545	22,706	19,120	26,160	36,116
Net income	\$ 36,038	\$ 40,370	\$ 60,192	\$ 70,810	\$ 56,409	\$ 76,408	\$ 97,752
<b>Retail Mortgage Division</b>							
Net interest income	\$ 21,417	\$ 20,027	\$ 19,837	\$ 19,283	\$ 20,779	\$ 41,444	\$ 40,074
Provision for credit losses	3,278	2,853	(2,778)	9,043	4,499	6,131	6,086
Noninterest income	39,808	31,058	24,011	38,584	57,795	70,866	119,444
Noninterest expense							
Salaries and employee benefits	21,930	20,160	19,164	25,813	31,219	42,090	62,833
Occupancy and equipment expenses	1,224	1,283	1,242	1,460	1,406	2,507	2,877
Data processing and telecommunications expenses	1,397	1,069	1,203	1,082	1,123	2,466	2,295
Other noninterest expenses	11,859	11,747	11,126	11,641	12,812	23,606	25,457
Total noninterest expense	36,410	34,259	32,735	39,996	46,560	70,669	93,462
Income before income tax expense	21,537	13,973	13,891	8,828	27,515	35,510	59,970
Income tax expense	4,523	2,934	2,916	1,854	5,779	7,457	12,594
Net income	\$ 17,014	\$ 11,039	\$ 10,975	\$ 6,974	\$ 21,736	\$ 28,053	\$ 47,376
<b>Warehouse Lending Division</b>							
Net interest income	\$ 6,166	\$ 5,700	\$ 6,601	\$ 6,979	\$ 6,700	\$ 11,866	\$ 13,147
Provision for credit losses	411	(194)	117	(1,836)	867	217	645
Noninterest income	1,404	480	579	1,516	1,041	1,884	2,442
Noninterest expense							
Salaries and employee benefits	772	802	427	1,055	208	1,574	491
Occupancy and equipment expenses	—	1	1	1	1	1	2
Data processing and telecommunications expenses	44	46	49	43	48	90	95
Other noninterest expenses	223	202	191	209	212	425	430
Total noninterest expense	1,039	1,051	668	1,308	469	2,090	1,018
Income before income tax expense	6,120	5,323	6,395	9,023	6,405	11,443	13,926
Income tax expense	1,285	1,118	1,342	1,895	1,346	2,403	2,925
Net income	\$ 4,835	\$ 4,205	\$ 5,053	\$ 7,128	\$ 5,059	\$ 9,040	\$ 11,001

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	Three Months Ended					Six Months Ended	
	Jun 2023	Mar 2023	Dec 2022	Sep 2022	Jun 2022	Jun 2023	Jun 2022
<b>(dollars in thousands)</b>							
<b>SBA Division</b>							
Net interest income	\$ 2,331	\$ 1,957	\$ 2,491	\$ 2,424	\$ 3,798	\$ 4,288	\$ 9,809
Provision for credit losses	424	(104)	265	52	(523)	320	(666)
Noninterest income	1,476	605	302	1,946	1,526	2,081	4,017
Noninterest expense							
Salaries and employee benefits	1,316	1,309	1,306	1,412	1,316	2,625	2,587
Occupancy and equipment expenses	40	37	98	82	81	77	180
Data processing and telecommunications expenses	46	37	30	29	29	83	57
Other noninterest expenses	333	422	368	100	539	755	919
Total noninterest expense	1,735	1,805	1,802	1,623	1,965	3,540	3,743
Income before income tax expense	1,648	861	726	2,695	3,882	2,509	10,749
Income tax expense	346	181	153	566	815	527	2,257
Net income	\$ 1,302	\$ 680	\$ 573	\$ 2,129	\$ 3,067	\$ 1,982	\$ 8,492
<b>Premium Finance Division</b>							
Net interest income	\$ 8,185	\$ 8,640	\$ 9,299	\$ 9,788	\$ 7,965	\$ 16,825	\$ 15,011
Provision for credit losses	572	34	(660)	(158)	(94)	606	(311)
Noninterest income	9	9	8	9	10	18	16
Noninterest expense							
Salaries and employee benefits	2,122	2,197	2,003	1,818	2,069	4,319	3,987
Occupancy and equipment expenses	83	59	82	83	90	142	172
Data processing and telecommunications expenses	66	85	119	82	92	151	187
Other noninterest expenses	1,036	1,097	978	959	1,064	2,133	2,016
Total noninterest expense	3,307	3,438	3,182	2,942	3,315	6,745	6,362
Income before income tax expense	4,315	5,177	6,785	7,013	4,754	9,492	8,976
Income tax expense	869	1,050	1,357	1,499	959	1,919	1,833
Net income	\$ 3,446	\$ 4,127	\$ 5,428	\$ 5,514	\$ 3,795	\$ 7,573	\$ 7,143
<b>Total Consolidated</b>							
Net interest income	\$ 209,540	\$ 211,652	\$ 224,137	\$ 212,981	\$ 191,364	\$ 421,192	\$ 363,908
Provision for credit losses	45,516	49,729	32,890	17,652	14,924	95,245	21,155
Noninterest income	67,349	56,050	48,348	65,324	83,841	123,399	170,752



Noninterest expense							
Salaries and employee benefits	81,336	80,910	75,196	78,697	81,545	162,246	165,826
Occupancy and equipment expenses	12,522	12,986	12,905	12,983	12,746	25,508	25,473
Data processing and telecommunications expenses	13,451	13,034	12,486	12,015	12,155	26,485	24,727
Other noninterest expenses	41,094	32,491	34,474	35,883	35,750	73,585	69,990
Total noninterest expense	<u>148,403</u>	<u>139,421</u>	<u>135,061</u>	<u>139,578</u>	<u>142,196</u>	<u>287,824</u>	<u>286,016</u>
Income before income tax expense	82,970	78,552	104,534	121,075	118,085	161,522	227,489
Income tax expense	20,335	18,131	22,313	28,520	28,019	38,466	55,725
Net income	<u>\$ 62,635</u>	<u>\$ 60,421</u>	<u>\$ 82,221</u>	<u>\$ 92,555</u>	<u>\$ 90,066</u>	<u>\$ 123,056</u>	<u>\$ 171,764</u>

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