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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

ý Quarterly Report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2018
"Transition Report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. For the transition period from to Commission file number 001-34657

TEXAS CAPITAL BANCSHARES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware 75-2679109
(State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer incorporation or organization) Identification Number)
2000 McKinney Avenue, Suite 700, Dallas, Texas, U.S.A. 75201
(Address of principal executive officers) (Zip Code)
214/932-6600
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)
N/A
(Former Name, Former Address and Former Fiscal Year, if Changed Since Last Report)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes ý No "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (Section 232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes ý "No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, smaller reporting company or an emerging growth company. See definition of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large Accelerated Filer

Accelerated Filer

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Accelerated Filer

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Non-Accelerated Filer " (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Smaller Reporting Company "

Emerging Growth Company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes "No \acute{y}

APPLICABLE ONLY TO CORPORATE ISSUERS:

On July 18, 2018, the number of shares set forth below was outstanding with respect to each of the issuer's classes of common stock:

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 50,158,736

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PART I – FINANCIAL INFORMATION ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TEXAS CAPITAL BANCSHARES, INC. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(In thousands except share data)

Accets	June 30, 2018 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2017
Assets Cash and due from banks	\$174,687	\$178,010
Interest-bearing deposits in other banks	3,249,107	2,697,581
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under resale agreements	39,000	30,000
Investment securities	24,408	23,511
Loans held for sale (\$1,275.5 million and \$1,007.7 million at June 30, 2018 and		
December 31, 2017, respectively, at fair value)	1,276,768	1,011,004
Loans held for investment, mortgage finance	5,923,058	5,308,160
Loans held for investment (net of unearned income)	16,536,721	15,366,252
Less: Allowance for loan losses	179,096	184,655
Loans held for investment, net	22,280,683	20,489,757
Mortgage servicing rights, net	82,776	85,327
Premises and equipment, net	26,175	25,176
Accrued interest receivable and other assets	609,501	516,239
Goodwill and intangible assets, net	18,805	19,040
Total assets	\$27,781,910	\$25,075,645
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity		
Liabilities:		
Deposits:		
Non-interest-bearing	\$7,648,125	\$7,812,660
Interest-bearing	12,686,746	11,310,520
Total deposits	20,334,871	19,123,180
Accrued interest payable	11,268	7,680
Other liabilities	176,400	182,212
Federal funds purchased and repurchase agreements	520,849	365,040
Other borrowings	4,000,000	2,800,000
Subordinated notes, net	281,586	281,406
Trust preferred subordinated debentures	113,406	113,406
Total liabilities	25,438,380	22,872,924
Stockholders' equity:		
Preferred stock, \$.01 par value, \$1,000 liquidation value:		
Authorized shares – 10,000,000		
Issued shares – 6,000,000 shares issued at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017	150,000	150,000
Common stock, \$.01 par value:		
Authorized shares – 100,000,000		
Issued shares – 50,151,481 and 49,643,761 at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017,	502	496
respectively		
Additional paid-in capital	963,732	961,305
Retained earnings	1,228,924	1,090,500
Treasury stock – shares at cost: 417 at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017) (8
Accumulated other comprehensive income, net of taxes	380	428

Total stockholders' equity 2,343,530 2,202,721
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity \$27,781,910 \$25,075,645
See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

TEXAS CAPITAL BANCSHARES, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME – UNAUDITED (In thousands except per share data)

Three months ended		Six months ended	
			Cliucu
•	2017	•	2017
2010	2017	2010	2017
\$279.447	\$201.646	\$523 311	\$378,270
			512
			964
		•	12,391
•			
280,832	208,191	340,721	392,137
20.607	16 522	71 200	20.926
•			29,826
-		•	978
			4,922
		•	8,382
			1,711
			45,819
-			346,318
		•	22,000
204,712	169,959	403,012	324,318
3,005	3,067	6,142	6,112
2,007	1,402	3,931	2,759
657	481	1,316	947
5,815	5,809	10,983	11,487
		10,459	5,901
	954		2,757
-	3,356	-	5,916
		•	35,879
,	,	,	,
72,404	63,154	144.941	126,157
			12,626
•			11,107
•		-	14,580
			18,412
			10,597
-		-	4,432
-			210
			19,787
	-		•
-	•	•	217,908
			142,289
•			48,652
		•	93,637
-		-	4,875
\$68,999	\$48,658	\$138,506	\$88,762
\$(104)	\$(33)	\$(167)	\$(30)
	June 30, 2018 \$279,447 193 745 6,467 286,852 39,607 1,665 8,484 4,191 1,193 55,140 231,712 27,000 204,712 3,005 2,007 657 5,815 4,967 1,352 (524 17,279 72,404 7,356 10,236 11,654 7,143 6,257 4,367 176 12,538 132,131 89,860 18,424 71,436 2,437 \$68,999	2018 2017 \$279,447 \$201,646 193 287 745 434 6,467 5,824 286,852 208,191 39,607 16,533 1,665 726 8,484 2,901 4,191 4,191 1,193 881 55,140 25,232 231,712 182,959 27,000 13,000 204,712 169,959 3,005 3,067 2,007 1,402 657 481 5,815 5,809 4,967 3,700 1,352 954 (524) 3,356 17,279 18,769 72,404 63,154 7,356 6,515 10,236 6,157 11,654 7,127 7,143 11,906 6,257 4,603 4,367 2,682 176 71 12,538 9,599 132,131 111,814	June 30, 2018 2017 2018 \$279,447 \$201,646 \$523,311 193 287 399 745 434 1,790 6,467 5,824 15,221 286,852 208,191 540,721 39,607 16,533 71,309 1,665 726 2,634 8,484 2,901 14,164 4,191 4,191 8,382 1,193 881 2,220 231,712 182,959 442,012 27,000 13,000 39,000 204,712 169,959 403,012 3,005 3,067 6,142 2,007 1,402 3,931 657 481 1,316 5,815 5,809 10,983 4,967 3,700 10,459 1,352 954 2,914 (524) 3,356 1,481 17,279 18,769 37,226 72,404 63,154 144,941 7,356 6,515 14,590 10,236 6,157 18,913 11,654 7,127 19,184 7,143 11,906 13,776 6,257 4,603 12,360 4,367 2,682 8,172 176 71 2,331 12,538 9,599 24,824 132,131 111,814 259,091 89,860 76,914 181,147 18,424 25,819 37,766 71,436 51,095 143,381 2,437 2,437 4,875 \$68,999 \$48,658 \$138,506

Change in net unrealized gain on available-for-sale debt securities arising during period, before-tax					
Income tax expense (benefit) related to net unrealized gain on available-for-sale debt securities	(22) (11) (35) (10)
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax	(82) (22) (132	(20)
Comprehensive income	\$71,354	\$51,073	\$143,249	\$93,617	
Basic earnings per common share	\$1.39	\$0.98	\$2.79	\$1.79	
Diluted earnings per common share	\$1.38	\$0.97	\$2.76	\$1.77	
See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.					
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TEXAS CAPITAL BANCSHARES, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY - UNAUDITED (In thousands except share data)

	(III tilousullus enec	ope share de	,					Т				
		Preferred S	Stock	Common Stock					ury			
		Shares	Amount	Shares	Amou	Additional Raid-in Capital	Retained Earnings	Share	sAmo	Other Compressible Compressible	ehensive	
	Balance at December 31, 2016 (audited) Comprehensive income:	6,000,000	\$150,000	49,504,079	\$495	\$955,468	\$903,187	(417)	\$(8)	\$415	\$2,009,557	,
	Net income Change in	_	_	_	_	_	93,637	_	_	_	93,637	
unrea availa secur	unrealized gain or available-for-sale securities, net of taxes of \$10		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	(20)	(20)
	Total comprehensive income										93,617	
	Stock-based compensation expense recognized in earnings	_	_	_	_	3,461	_	_	_	_	3,461	
	Preferred stock dividend Issuance of stock	_	_	_	_	_	(4,875) —	_	_	(4,875)
relate stock-	related to stock-based awards	_	_	57,995	1	(1,208)	_	_	_	_	(1,207)
	Issuance of common stock related to warrants	S	_	33,595	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Balance	Balance at June 30, 2017		\$150,000	49,595,669	\$496	\$957,721	\$991,949	(417)	\$(8)	\$ 395	\$2,100,553	;
	Balance at December 31, 2017 (audited)	6,000,000	\$150,000	49,643,761	\$496	\$961,305	\$1,090,500	(417)	\$(8)		\$2,202,721	ļ
	Impact of adoption of new accounting	_	_	_	_	_	(82) —	_	84	2	

standards ⁽¹⁾ Comprehensive											
income:											
Net income		_	_	_	_	143,381	_	_	_	143,381	
Change in											
unrealized gain or											
available-for-sale	_	_		_	_		_	_	(132)	(132)
debt securities,	_										
net of taxes of \$3.	5										
Total										1.42.240	
comprehensive										143,249	
income Stock-based											
compensation expense					4,091					4,091	
recognized in	_	_	_	_	4,091	<u> </u>		_		4,091	
earnings											
Preferred stock											
dividend		_	_	_	_	(4,875) —	_	_	(4,875)
Issuance of stock											
related to			51 0 52		(1.650					(1.650	
stock-based	_	_	71,072	1	(1,659) —	_		_	(1,658)
awards											
Issuance of											
common stock		_	436,648	5	(5) —	_	_	_	_	
related to warrant	S										
Balance at	6 000 000	\$150,000	50 151 481	\$ 502	\$963 732	\$1,228,924	L (417)	\$(8)	\$ 380	\$2,343,530)
June 30, 2018	0,000,000	Ψ150,000	50,151,401	Ψ 302	Ψ 705,132	Ψ1,220,72	(71/)	Ψ(υ)	Ψ 500	Ψ2,575,550	,

⁽¹⁾ Represents the impact of adopting Accounting Standard Update ("ASU") 2018-02 and ASU 2016-01. See Note 1 to the consolidated financial statements for more information.

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

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TEXAS CAPITAL BANCSHARES, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS—UNAUDITED (In thousands)

	Six months of 30,	ended June
	2018	2017
Operating activities		
Net income	\$143,381	\$93,637
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Provision for credit losses	39,000	22,000
Depreciation and amortization	16,214	12,346
Decrease in valuation allowance on mortgage servicing rights	(757)	· —
Bank owned life insurance (BOLI) income	(1,316)	(947)
Stock-based compensation expense	11,197	8,954
Purchases and originations of loans held for sale	(3,205,483)	(2,843,690)
Proceeds from sales and repayments of loans held for sale	2,908,777	2,939,002
Proceeds from sale of MSRs	22,439	
Net loss on sale of loans held for sale and other assets	7,648	93
Technology write-off	_	5,285
Increase in OREO valuation allowance	2,000	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Accrued interest receivable and other assets	(97,710	(46,025)
Accrued interest payable and other liabilities	(14,289	(488)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(168,899)	190,167
Investing activities		
Purchases of investment securities	(3,323)	(96,871)
Maturities and calls of available-for-sale securities	349	275
Principal payments received on available-for-sale securities	1,644	2,397
Originations of mortgage finance loans	(45,661,608)	(37,251,933)
Proceeds from pay-offs of mortgage finance loans	45,046,710	36,565,671
Net increase in loans held for investment, excluding mortgage finance loans	(1,213,641)	(1,297,460)
Purchase of premises and equipment, net	(5,212)	(4,194)
Proceeds from sale of foreclosed assets	216	272
Net cash provided by investing activities	(1,834,865)	(2,081,843)
Financing activities		
Net increase in deposits	1,211,691	275,392
Costs from issuance of stock related to stock-based awards and warrants	(1,658)	(1,207)
Preferred dividends paid	(4,875)	(4,875)
Net increase in other borrowings	1,200,000	700,000
Net increase in Federal funds purchased and repurchase agreements	155,809	352,649
Net cash provided by financing activities	2,560,967	1,321,959
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	557,203	(569,717)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	2,905,591	2,839,352
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$3,462,794	\$2,269,635
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:		
Cash paid during the period for interest	\$95,121	\$45,071
Cash paid during the period for income taxes	49,770	52,042
Transfers from loans/leases to OREO and other repossessed assets		_
See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.		

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TEXAS CAPITAL BANCSHARES, INC.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—UNAUDITED

(1) OPERATIONS AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization and Nature of Business

Texas Capital Bancshares, Inc. (the "Company"), a Delaware corporation, was incorporated in November 1996 and commenced banking operations in December 1998. The consolidated financial statements of the Company include the accounts of Texas Capital Bancshares, Inc. and its wholly owned subsidiary, Texas Capital Bank, National Association (the "Bank"). We serve the needs of commercial businesses and successful professionals and entrepreneurs located in Texas as well as operate several lines of business serving a regional and national clientèle of commercial borrowers. We are primarily a secured lender with a majority of our loans being made to businesses headquartered or with operations in Texas. At the same time, our national lines of business continue to provide specialized lending products to businesses throughout the United States.

Basis of Presentation

Our accounting and reporting policies conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States ("GAAP") and to generally accepted practices within the banking industry. Certain prior period balances have been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation.

The consolidated interim financial statements are unaudited and certain information and footnote disclosures presented in accordance with GAAP have been condensed or omitted. In the opinion of management, the interim financial statements include all normal and recurring adjustments and the disclosures made are adequate to make the interim financial information not misleading. The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with GAAP for interim financial information and the instructions to Form 10-Q adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). Accordingly, the financial statements do not include all of the information and footnotes required by GAAP for complete financial statements and should be read in conjunction with our consolidated financial statements, and notes thereto, for the year ended December 31, 2017, included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the SEC on February 14, 2018 (the "2017 Form 10-K"). Operating results for the interim periods disclosed herein are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for a full year or any future period.

Accounting Changes

ASU 2018-02 "Income Statement - Reporting Comprehensive Income (Topic 220): Reclassification of Certain Tax Effects from Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income" ("ASU 2018-02") allows a reclassification from accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) ("AOCI") to retained earnings for the stranded tax effects caused by the revaluation of deferred taxes resulting from the newly enacted corporate tax rate in the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act. The ASU is effective in years beginning after December 15, 2018, but permits early adoption in a period for which financial statements have not yet been issued. We have elected to early adopt the ASU as of January 1, 2018. The adoption of the guidance resulted in an insignificant cumulative-effect adjustment that decreased retained earnings and increased AOCI in the first quarter of 2018.

ASU 2016-15 "Statement of Cash Flows (Topic 230)" ("ASU 2016-15") is intended to reduce the diversity in practice around how certain transactions are classified within the statement of cash flows. ASU 2016-15 became effective for us on January 1, 2018 and did not have a significant impact on our financial statements.

ASU 2016-01 "Financial Instruments - Overall (Subtopic 825-10): Recognition of Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities, ("ASU 2016-01") makes targeted amendments to the guidance for recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of financial instruments. ASU 2016-01 requires equity investments, other than equity method investments, to be measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognized in net income. The ASU requires a cumulative-effect adjustment to retained earnings as of the beginning of the reporting period of adoption to reclassify the cumulative change in fair value of equity securities previously recognized in AOCI. ASU 2016-01 became effective for us on January 1, 2018. The adoption of the guidance resulted in an insignificant cumulative-effect adjustment that increased retained earnings, with offsetting related adjustments to deferred taxes and AOCI. ASU 2016-01 also emphasizes the existing requirement to use exit prices to measure fair value for disclosure purposes and clarifies that entities should not make use of a practicability exception in determining the fair value of loans.

Accordingly, we refined the calculation used to determine the disclosed fair value of our loans held for investment portfolio as part of adopting this standard. The refined calculation did not have a significant impact on our fair value disclosures. See Note 11 - Fair Value Disclosures.

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ASU 2014-09 "Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606)" ("ASU 2014-09") implements a common revenue standard that clarifies the principles for recognizing revenue. The core principle of ASU 2014-09 is that an entity should recognize revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. ASU 2014-09 establishes a five-step model which entities must follow to recognize revenue and removes inconsistencies and weaknesses in existing guidance. The guidance does not apply to revenue associated with financial instruments, including loans and investment securities that are accounted for under other GAAP, which comprises a significant portion of our revenue stream. ASU 2014-09 became effective for us on January 1, 2018 and had no material effect on how we recognize revenue or to our consolidated financial statements and disclosures. See below for additional information related to revenue generated from contracts with customers.

Revenue Recognition

Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 606, Revenue from Contracts with Customers ("ASC 606"), establishes principles for reporting information about the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenue and cash flows arising from the entity's contracts to provide goods or services to customers. The core principle requires an entity to recognize revenue to depict the transfer of goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration that it expects to be entitled to receive in exchange for those goods or services recognized as performance obligations are satisfied.

The majority of our revenue-generating transactions are not subject to ASC 606, including revenue generated from financial instruments, such as our loans, letters of credit, derivatives and investment securities, as well as revenue related to our mortgage servicing activities, as these activities are subject to other GAAP discussed elsewhere within our disclosures. Descriptions of our revenue-generating activities that are within the scope of ASC 606, which are presented in our income statements as components of non-interest income are as follows:

Service charges on deposit accounts - these represent general service fees for monthly account maintenance and activity- or transaction-based fees and consist of transaction-based revenue, time-based revenue (service period), item-based revenue or some other individual attribute-based revenue. Revenue is recognized when our performance obligation is completed which is generally monthly for account maintenance services or when a transaction has been completed (such as a wire transfer). Payments for such performance obligations are generally received at the time the performance obligations are satisfied.

Wealth management and trust fee income - this represents monthly fees due from wealth management customers as consideration for managing the customers' assets. Wealth management and trust services include custody of assets, investment management, escrow services, fees for trust services and similar fiduciary activities. Revenue is recognized when our performance obligation is completed each month, which is generally the time that payment is received. Also included are fees received from a third party broker-dealers as part of a revenue-sharing agreement for fees earned from customers that we refer to the third party. These fees are paid to us by the third party on a quarterly basis and recognized ratably throughout the quarter as our performance obligation is satisfied.

Brokered loan fees - these represent fees for the administration and funding of purchased mortgage loan interests as well as facility renewal and application fees received from mortgage originator customers in our warehouse lending business. Also included are fees received from independent correspondent mortgage lenders as consideration for our purchase of individual residential mortgage loans through our Mortgage Correspondent Aggregation ("MCA") business. Revenue related to the warehouse lending business is recognized when the related loan interest is disposed (i.e., through sale or payoff) or upon receipt of the facility renewal or application. Revenue related to our MCA business is recognized at the time a loan is purchased.

Other non-interest income primarily includes items such as letter of credit fees, gains on sale of loans held for sale and servicing fees related to the MCA program, none of which are subject to the requirements of ASC 606. Investment Securities

Investment securities includes available-for-sale debt securities and equity securities at fair value.

Debt Securities

Debt securities are classified as trading, available-for-sale or held-to-maturity. Management classifies debt securities at the time of purchase and re-assesses such designation at each balance sheet date; however, transfers between

categories from this re-assessment are rare.

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Trading Account

Debt securities acquired for resale in anticipation of short-term market movements are classified as trading, with realized and unrealized gains and losses recognized in income. To date, we have not had any activity in our trading account.

Held-to-Maturity

Debt securities are classified as held to maturity when we have the positive intent and ability to hold the securities to maturity. Held-to-maturity securities are stated at amortized cost. Debt securities not classified as held-to-maturity or trading are classified as available-for-sale.

Available-for-Sale

Available-for-sale debt securities are stated at fair value, with the unrealized gains and losses reported as a separate component of AOCI, net of tax. The amortized cost of debt securities is adjusted for amortization of premiums and accretion of discounts to maturity, or in the case of mortgage-backed securities, over the estimated life of the security. Such amortization and accretion is included in interest income from securities. Realized gains and losses and declines in value judged to be other-than-temporary are included in gain (loss) on sale of securities. The cost of securities sold is based on the specific identification method.

All debt securities are available-for-sale as of June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017.

Equity Securities

Beginning January 1, 2018, upon adoption of ASU 2016-01, equity securities with readily determinable fair values are stated at fair value with realized and unrealized gains and losses reported in other non-interest income in the consolidated statements of income and other comprehensive income. For periods prior to January 1, 2018, equity securities were classified as available-for-sale and stated at fair value with unrealized gains and losses reported as a separate component of AOCI, net of tax. Equity securities without readily determinable fair values are recorded at cost less any impairment, if any.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The allowance for loan losses, the fair value of stock-based compensation awards, the fair value of mortgage servicing rights ("MSRs") and the status of contingencies are particularly susceptible to significant change.

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(2) EARNINGS PER COMMON SHARE

The following table presents the computation of basic and diluted earnings per share (in thousands except share data):

	Three months ended June 30,		Six month June 30,	as ended
	2018	2017	2018	2017
Numerator:				
Net income	\$71,436	\$ 51,095	\$143,381	\$ 93,637
Preferred stock dividends	2,437	2,437	4,875	4,875
Net income available to common stockholders	68,999	48,658	\$138,506	88,762
Denominator:				
Denominator for basic earnings per share—weighted average shares	49,736,3	849,576,837	49,695,78	349,556,393
Effect of employee stock-based awards(1)	348,762	224,306	336,285	244,058
Effect of warrants to purchase common stock	10,869	428,527	112,884	432,660
Denominator for dilutive earnings per share—adjusted weighted average shares and assumed conversions	50,096,0	150,229,670	50,144,95	250,233,111
Basic earnings per common share	\$1.39	\$ 0.98	\$2.79	\$ 1.79
Diluted earnings per common share	\$1.38	\$ 0.97	\$2.76	\$ 1.77

⁽¹⁾ SARs and RSUs outstanding of 4,000 at June 30, 2018 and 6,200 at June 30, 2017 have not been included in diluted earnings per share because to do so would have been anti-dilutive for the periods presented.

(3) INVESTMENT SECURITIES

Available-for-Sale Debt Securities

The following is a summary of available-for-sale debt securities (in thousands):

June 30, 2018

Amortized Gross Gross Estimated Unrealized Unrealized Fair Gains Losses Value

Residential mortgage-backed securities \$8,304 \$ 481 \$ —\$8,785

December 31, 2017

The amortized cost and estimated fair value of available-for-sale debt securities are presented below by contractual maturity (in thousands, except percentage data):

	June 30	0, 2018			
	Less T	h A rfter One	After Five	A ftor Ton	
	One	hArfter One Through	Through	Vacano	Total
	Year	Five Years	Ten Years	rears	
Residential mortgage-backed securities:(1)					
Amortized cost	50	1,895	_	6,359	8,304
Estimated fair value	52	2,038	_	6,695	8,785
Weighted average yield(2)	5.24%	5.55 %	<u>%</u>	3.75 %	4.17 %

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Weighted average yield(2)

		After One After One Ihrough ar Five Years	After Five Through	After Ten Years	Total
Residential mortgage-backed securities:(1)		Tive Tears	Ton Tours		
Amortized cost	\$409	\$ 819	\$1,502	\$7,567	\$10,297
Estimated fair value	418	916	1,636	7,975	10,945

4.59 % 6.02

Actual maturities may differ from contractual maturities because borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without prepayment penalties.

% 5.32

% 3.45 % 3.97

(2) Yields are calculated based on amortized cost.

As of June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, we did not have any available-for-sale debt securities in an unrealized loss position.

At June 30, 2018, available-for-sale debt securities with carrying values of \$2.0 million and \$5.8 million were pledged to secure certain deposits and repurchase agreements, respectively.

Equity Securities

Equity securities consist of Community Reinvestment Act funds and investments related to our non-qualified deferred compensation plan. At June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, we had \$15.6 million and \$12.6 million, respectively, in equity securities recorded at fair value. Prior to January 1, 2018, equity securities were stated at fair value with unrealized gains and losses reported as a separate component of AOCI, net of tax. At December 31, 2017, net unrealized gains of \$10,000 had been recognized in AOCI. On January 1, 2018, these unrealized gains and losses were reclassified out of AOCI and into retained earnings with subsequent changes in fair value being recognized in other non-interest income. The following is a summary of unrealized and realized gains and losses recognized in net income on equity securities during the three and six months ended June 30, 2018 (in thousands):

	Three	S ₁ x
	months	months
	ended	ended
	June 30,	June 30,
	2018	2018
Net gains and (losses) recognized during the period on equity securities	\$ 108	\$(104)
Less: Net gains and (losses) recognized during the period on equity securities sold during the per-	iod 162	162
Unrealized gains and (losses) recognized during the reporting period on equity securities still held	d at \$ (54)	\$ (266)
the reporting date	Ψ (υ .)	Ψ (= 00)

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(4) LOANS HELD FOR INVESTMENT AND ALLOWANCE FOR LOAN LOSSES At June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, loans held for investment were as follows (in thousands):

	June 30,	December 31,
	2018	2017
Commercial	\$10,189,832	\$9,189,811
Mortgage finance	5,923,058	5,308,160
Construction	2,226,590	2,166,208
Real estate	3,868,411	3,794,577
Consumer	46,652	48,684
Leases	314,575	264,903
Gross loans held for investment	22,569,118	20,772,343
Deferred income (net of direct origination costs)	(109,339)	(97,931)
Allowance for loan losses	(179,096)	(184,655)
Total loans held for investment, net	\$22,280,683	\$20,489,757

Commercial Loans and Leases. Our commercial loan portfolio is comprised of lines of credit for working capital and term loans and leases to finance equipment and other business assets. Our energy production loans are generally collateralized with proven reserves based on appropriate valuation standards and take into account the risk of oil and gas price volatility. Our commercial loans and leases are underwritten after carefully evaluating and understanding the borrower's ability to operate profitably. Our underwriting standards are designed to promote relationship banking rather than to make loans on a transaction basis. Our lines of credit typically are limited to a percentage of the value of the assets securing the line. Lines of credit and term loans typically are reviewed annually, or more frequently, as needed, and are supported by accounts receivable, inventory, equipment and other assets of our clients' businesses. Mortgage Finance Loans. Our mortgage finance loans consist of ownership interests purchased in single-family residential mortgages funded through our mortgage finance group. We have agreements with mortgage lenders and purchase interests in individual loans they originate. The ownership interests collateralizing our mortgage finance loans are typically held on our balance sheet for 10 to 20 days, and substantially all loans are conforming loans. Substantially all mortgage loans are underwritten consistently with established programs for permanent financing with financially sound investors. Balances as of June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 are stated net of \$242.7 million and \$171.2 million of participations sold, respectively.

Construction Loans. Our construction loan portfolio consists primarily of single- and multi-family residential properties and commercial projects used in manufacturing, warehousing, service or retail businesses. Our construction loans generally have terms of one to three years. We typically make construction loans to developers, builders and contractors that have an established record of successful project completion and loan repayment and have a substantial equity investment in the borrowers. Loan amounts are derived primarily from the Bank's evaluation of expected cash flows available to service debt from stabilized projects under hypothetically stressed conditions. Construction loans are also based in part upon estimates of costs and value associated with the completed project. Sources of repayment for these types of loans may be permanent loans from other lenders, sales of developed property, or an interim loan commitment from us until permanent financing is obtained. The nature of these loans makes ultimate repayment sensitive to overall economic conditions. Borrowers may not be able to correct conditions of loan defaults, increasing risk of exposure to classification, non-performing status, reserve allocation and actual credit loss and foreclosure. These loans typically have floating rates and require commitment fees.

Real Estate Loans. A portion of our real estate loan portfolio is comprised of loans secured by properties other than market risk or investment-type real estate. Market risk loans are real estate loans where the primary source of repayment is expected to come from the sale, permanent financing or lease of the real property collateral. We generally provide temporary financing for commercial and residential property. These loans are viewed primarily as cash flow loans and secondarily as loans secured by real estate. Our real estate loans generally have maximum terms of five to seven years, and we provide loans with both floating and fixed rates. Real estate loans may be more adversely affected by conditions in the real estate markets or in the general economy. Appraised values may be highly

variable due to market conditions and the impact of the inability of potential purchasers and lessees to obtain financing and a lack of transactions at comparable values.

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At June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, we had a blanket floating lien on certain real estate-secured loans, mortgage finance loans and certain investment securities used as collateral for Federal Home Loan Bank borrowings. Summary of Loan Loss Experience

The allowance for loan losses is comprised of general reserves, specific reserves for impaired loans and an additional qualitative reserve based on our estimate of losses inherent in the portfolio at the balance sheet date, but not yet identified with specified loans. We consider the allowance at June 30, 2018 to be appropriate, given management's assessment of losses inherent in the portfolio as of the evaluation date, the significant growth in the loan and lease portfolio, current economic conditions in our market areas and other factors.

The following tables summarize the credit risk profile of our loan portfolio by internally assigned grades and non-accrual status as of June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 (in thousands):

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	Commercial	Mortgage Finance	Construction	Real Estate	Consumer	Leases	Total
Grade:							
Pass	\$9,945,020	\$5,923,058	\$2,211,981	\$3,778,808	\$ 46,493	\$299,825	\$22,205,185
Special mention	87,297	_	14,609	56,003	_	_	157,909
Substandard-accruing	77,929	_	_	31,057	93	13,650	122,729
Non-accrual	79,586	_	_	2,543	66	1,100	83,295
Total loans held for investmen	t\$10,189,832	\$5,923,058	\$ 2,226,590	\$3,868,411	\$ 46,652	\$314,575	\$22,569,118
December 31, 2017	Commercial	Mortgage Finance	Construction	Real Estate	Consumer	Leases	Total
Grade:							
Pass	\$8,967,471	\$5,308,160	\$ 2,152,654	\$3,706,541	\$48,591	\$249,865	\$20,433,282
Special mention	19,958		13,554	53,652		495	87,659
Substandard-accruing	102,651			32,671	93	14,543	149,958
Non-accrual	99,731			1,713			101,444
Total loans held for investmen	t\$9,189,811	\$5,308,160	\$2,166,208	\$3,794,577	\$ 48,684	\$264,903	\$20,772,343

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The following table details activity in the allowance for loan losses by portfolio segment for the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017. Allocation of a portion of the allowance to one category of loans does not preclude its availability to absorb losses in other categories.

June 30, 2018

The table below presents the activity in the allowance for off-balance sheet credit losses related to unfunded commitments for the three and six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 (in thousands). This allowance is recorded in other liabilities in the consolidated balance sheet.

Three me	onths	Six months ended		
ended Ju	ne 30,	June 30,		
2018	2017	2018	2017	
\$9,623	\$10,847	\$9,071	\$11,422	
835	(1,642)	1,387	(2,217)	
\$10,458	\$9,205	\$10,458	\$9,205	
	ended Ju 2018 \$9,623 835	2018 2017 \$9,623 \$10,847 835 (1,642)	ended June 30, June 30, 2018 2017 2018 \$9,623 \$10,847 \$9,071	

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We have traditionally maintained an additional qualitative reserve component to compensate for the uncertainty and complexity in estimating loan and lease losses including factors and conditions that may not be fully reflected in the determination and application of the allowance allocation percentages. The decrease in the additional qualitative reserve at June 30, 2018 as compared to December 31, 2017 was primarily related to the resolution of remaining uncertainty regarding the impact to our loan portfolio from Hurricanes Harvey and Irma. We believe the level of additional qualitative reserves at June 30, 2018 is warranted due to uncertainties and unpredictable factors that have produced losses, including those resulting from borrowers' misstatement of financial information or inaccurate certification of collateral values. Such losses are not necessarily correlated with historical loss trends or general economic conditions. Our methodology used to calculate the allowance considers historical losses; however, the historical loss rates for specific product types or credit risk grades may not fully incorporate the effects of uncertainties or unpredictable events.

Our recorded investment in loans as of June 30, 2018, December 31, 2017 and June 30, 2017 related to each balance in the allowance for loan losses by portfolio segment and disaggregated on the basis of our impairment methodology was as follows (in thousands):

June 30, 2018

	Commercial	Mortgage Finance	Construction	Real Estate	Consumer	Leases	Total
Loans individually evaluated for impairment	\$80,171	\$—	\$—	\$2,543	\$ 66	\$1,100	\$83,880
Loans collectively evaluated for impairment	10,109,661	5,923,058	2,226,590	3,865,868	46,586	313,475	22,485,238
Total	\$10,189,832	\$5,923,058	\$2,226,590	\$3,868,411	\$ 46,652	\$314,575	\$22,569,118
December 31, 2017							
	Commercial	Mortgage Finance	Construction	Real Estate	Consumer	Leases	Total
Loans individually evaluated for impairment	\$100,676	\$—	\$—	\$2,008	\$ <i>—</i>	\$—	\$102,684
Loans collectively evaluated for impairment	9,089,135	5,308,160	2,166,208	3,792,569	48,684	264,903	20,669,659
Total	\$9,189,811	\$5,308,160	\$2,166,208	\$3,794,577	\$48,684	\$264,903	\$20,772,343
June 30, 2017							
	Commercial	Mortgage Finance	Construction	Real Estate	Consumer	Leases	Total
Loans individually evaluated for impairment	\$120,770	\$—	\$—	\$4,514	\$—	\$—	\$125,284
Loans collectively evaluated for impairment	8,130,182	5,183,600	2,242,562	3,565,273	39,122	274,863	19,435,602
Total	\$8,250,952	\$5,183,600	\$2,242,562	\$3,569,787	\$ 39,122	\$274,863	\$19,560,886

We place loans on non-accrual when there is a clear indication that the borrower's cash flow may not be sufficient to meet payments as they become due, generally when a loan is 90 days past due. When a loan is placed on non-accrual status, all previously accrued and unpaid interest is reversed. Interest income is subsequently recognized on a cash basis as long as the remaining unpaid principal amount of the loan is deemed to be fully collectible. If collectability is questionable, then cash payments are applied to principal. As of both June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, none of our non-accrual loans were earning on a cash basis. A loan is placed back on accrual status when both principal and interest are current and it is probable that we will be able to collect all amounts due (both principal and interest) according to the terms of the loan agreement.

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A loan held for investment is considered impaired when, based on current information and events, it is probable that we will be unable to collect all amounts due (both principal and interest) according to the terms of the original loan agreement. In accordance with ASC 310, Receivables, we have also included all restructured and formerly restructured loans in our impaired loan totals. The following tables detail our impaired loans, by portfolio class, as of June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 (in thousands):

June 30, 2018

	Recorded Investment	Unpaid Principal Balance	Related Allowance	Average Recorded Investment	Interest Income Recognized
With no related allowance recorded:					-
Commercial					
Business loans	\$ 27,521	\$52,966	\$ —	\$ 12,449	\$ 133
Energy	16,373	17,549		20,393	_
Construction					
Market risk		_	_	_	
Real estate					
Market risk	_	_			_
Commercial	1,042	1,042		1,074	_
Secured by 1-4 family	1,263	1,263		211	_
Consumer	_	_			_
Leases		_	_	_	
Total impaired loans with no allowance recorded	\$ 46,199	\$72,820	\$ —	\$ 34,127	\$ 133
With an allowance recorded:					
Commercial					
Business loans	\$ 19,038	\$19,038	\$ 5,597	\$43,537	\$ —
Energy	17,239	18,500	6,175	32,145	_
Construction					
Market risk					
Real estate					
Market risk	_	_		98	_
Commercial				166	
Secured by 1-4 family	238	238	73	138	
Consumer	66	71	11	47	
Leases	1,100	1,100	495	183	
Total impaired loans with an allowance recorded	\$ 37,681	\$38,947	\$ 12,351	\$76,314	\$ —
Combined:					
Commercial					
Business loans	\$ 46,559	\$72,004	\$ 5,597	\$55,986	\$ 133
Energy	33,612	36,049	6,175	52,538	
Construction					
Market risk	_	_			_
Real estate					
Market risk	_	_		98	_
Commercial	1,042	1,042	_	1,240	
Secured by 1-4 family	1,501	1,501	73	349	_
Consumer	66	71	11	47	_
Leases	1,100	1,100	495	183	_
Total impaired loans	\$ 83,880	\$111,767	\$ 12,351	\$ 110,441	\$ 133

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December 31, 2017

	Recorded Investment	Unpaid Principal Balance	Related Allowance	Average Recorded Investment	Interes Incor Reco	ne
With no related allowance recorded:						
Commercial						
Business loans	\$ 16,835	\$18,257	\$ <i>—</i>	\$ 22,964	\$	
Energy	21,426	22,602		36,579	—	
Construction						
Market risk					—	
Real estate						
Market risk		_	_		_	
Commercial	1,096	1,096		2,166	—	
Secured by 1-4 family			_			
Consumer			_			
Leases			_			
Total impaired loans with no allowance recorded	\$ 39,357	\$41,955	\$ —	\$61,709	\$	
With an allowance recorded:						
Commercial						
Business loans	\$ 18,645	\$19,020	\$ 2,544	\$ 16,960	\$	
Energy	43,770	55,875	21,772	50,867	6	
Construction						
Market risk				27		
Real estate						
Market risk	295	295	6	485		
Commercial	499	499	75	166		
Secured by 1-4 family	118	118	20	516	_	
Consumer			_	33	_	
Leases				14	_	
Total impaired loans with an allowance recorded	\$ 63,327	\$75,807	\$ 24,417	\$69,068	\$	6
Combined:						
Commercial						
Business loans	\$ 35,480	\$37,277	\$ 2,544	\$ 39,924	\$	
Energy	65,196	78,477	21,772	87,446	6	
Construction						
Market risk				27	_	
Real estate						
Market risk	295	295	6	485		
Commercial	1,595	1,595	75	2,332		
Secured by 1-4 family	118	118	20	516		
Consumer	_	_	_	33		
Leases	_	_	_	14		
Total impaired loans	\$ 102,684	\$117,762	\$ 24,417	\$ 130,777	\$	6
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Average impaired loans outstanding during the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 totaled \$110.4 million and \$149.5 million, respectively.

The table below provides an age analysis of our loans held for investment as of June 30, 2018 (in thousands):

			Greater				
	30-59 Days	s 60-89 Days	Than 90	Total Past	Non-accrua	l Current	Total
	Past Due	Past Due	Days and	Due	Non-acciua	Current	Total
			Accruing(1))			
Commercial							
Business loans	\$ 14,114	\$ 17,188	\$ 6,203	\$ 37,505	\$ 45,974	\$8,750,741	\$8,834,220
Energy	24,900			24,900	33,612	1,297,100	1,355,612
Mortgage finance loans		_				5,923,058	5,923,058
Construction							
Market risk	489			489		2,151,838	2,152,327
Commercial		_		_		41,991	41,991
Secured by 1-4 family		1,610		1,610		30,662	32,272
Real estate							
Market risk	1,337		661	1,998		2,728,753	2,730,751
Commercial	639	_		639	1,042	814,188	815,869
Secured by 1-4 family	2,745	152	493	3,390	1,501	316,900	321,791
Consumer	2	_		2	66	46,584	46,652
Leases		_		_	1,100	313,475	314,575
Total loans held for	\$ 44,226	\$ 18,950	\$ 7,357	\$ 70,533	\$ 83,295	\$22.415.200	\$22,569,118
investment	φ 44 ,220	φ 10,930	φ 1,551	\$ 10,333	Ф 05,295	φ 44,413,490	\$22,309,110

Loans past due 90 days and still accruing includes premium finance loans of \$6.0 million. These loans are (1) generally secured by obligations of insurance carriers to refund premiums on canceled insurance policies. The refund of premiums from the insurance carriers can take 180 days or longer from the cancellation date. Restructured loans are loans on which, due to the borrower's financial difficulties, we have granted a concession that we would not otherwise consider for borrowers of similar credit quality. This may include a transfer of real estate or other assets from the borrower, a modification of loan terms, or a combination of the two. Modifications of terms that could potentially qualify as a restructuring include reduction of the contractual interest rate, extension of the maturity date at a contractual interest rate lower than the current rate for new debt with similar risk, a reduction of the face amount of debt or forgiveness of either principal or accrued interest. At June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, we did not have any loans considered restructured that were not on non-accrual. Of the non-accrual loans at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, \$9.0 million and \$18.8 million, respectively, met the criteria for restructured. These loans had no unfunded commitments at their respective balance sheet dates. A loan continues to qualify as restructured until a consistent payment history or change in borrower's financial condition has been evidenced, generally over no less than twelve months. Assuming that the restructuring agreement specifies an interest rate at the time of the restructuring that is greater than or equal to the rate that we are willing to accept for a new extension of credit with comparable risk, then the loan no longer has to be considered a restructuring if it is in compliance with the modified terms in calendar years after the year of the restructure.

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The following table summarizes the loans that were restructured during the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 (in thousands):

As of and for the six months ended June 30, 2018

	Number of	Balance at	Balance at
	Restructured Loans	Restructure	Period-End
Energy loans	1	\$ 1,370	\$ 1,370
Total new restructured loans	1	\$ 1,370	\$ 1,370

As of and for the six months ended June 30, 2017

	Number of	Balance at	Balance at
	Restructured Loans	Restructure	Period-End
Energy loans	1	\$ 1,070	\$ 700
Commercial business loans	1	599	672
Total new restructured loans	2	\$ 1,669	\$ 1,372

The restructured loans generally include terms to temporarily place loans on interest only, extend the payment terms or reduce the interest rate. We did not forgive any principal on the above loans. The restructuring of the loans did not have a significant impact on our allowance for loan losses at June 30, 2018 or 2017.

The following table provides information on how loans were modified as restructured during the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 (in thousands):

Six months ended June 30, 2018 2017

Extended maturity \$— \$1,372

Adjusted payment schedule 1,370 —

Total \$1,370 \$1,372

As of June 30, 2018 and 2017, we did not have any loans that were restructured within the last 12 months that subsequently defaulted.

(5) OREO AND VALUATION ALLOWANCE FOR LOSSES ON OREO

The table below presents a summary of the activity related to OREO (in thousands):

	Three me	onths	Six months ended		
	ended Ju	ne 30,	June 30,		
	2018	2017	2018	2017	
Beginning balance	\$9,558	\$18,833	\$11,742	\$18,961	
Additions	_		_	_	
Sales	(32)	(144)	(216)	(272)	
Valuation allowance for OREO	_		(2,000)	_	
Ending balance	\$9,526	\$18,689	\$9,526	\$18,689	

When foreclosure occurs, the acquired asset is recorded at fair value less selling costs, generally based on appraised value, which may result in partial charge-off of the loan. Subsequent write-downs required for declines in value are recorded through a valuation allowance or taken directly against the asset and charged to other non-interest expense.

(6) CERTAIN TRANSFERS OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

Through our MCA business, we commit to purchase residential mortgage loans from independent correspondent lenders and deliver those loans into the secondary market via whole loan sales to independent third parties or in securitization transactions to Ginnie Mae and government sponsored entities ("GSEs") such as Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac. We have elected to carry these loans at fair value based on sales commitments, market quotes or pricing models. Gains and losses on the sale of mortgage loans held for sale and changes in the fair value of the loans held for sale and related derivatives are included in other non-interest income on the consolidated statements of income and other comprehensive income. For the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, losses totaled \$7.4 million and \$93,000, respectively.

Residential mortgage loans held for sale are subject to both credit and interest rate risk. Credit risk is managed through underwriting policies and procedures, including collateral requirements, which are generally accepted by the secondary loan markets. Exposure to interest rate fluctuations is partially mitigated through forward sales contracts, which set the price for loans that will be delivered in the next 60 to 90 days.

The table below presents the unpaid principal balance of loans held for sale and related fair values at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 (in thousands):

June 30, December 31, 2018 2017

Outstanding balance(1) \$1,273,889 \$1,009,271

Fair value(1) 1,275,466 1,007,695

Fair value over/(under) outstanding balance \$1,577 \$(1,576)

Does not include \$1.3 million and \$3.3 million of Small Business Administration ("SBA") loans held for sale carried at lower of cost or market as of June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017.

No loans held for sale were on non-accrual as of June 30, 2018 or December 31, 2017. At June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, we had \$27.9 million and \$19.7 million, respectively, in outstanding balances of loans held for sale that were 90 days or more past due. The \$27.9 million loans held for sale that were 90 days or more past due at June 30, 2018 included \$24.1 million in loans guaranteed by U.S. government agencies that were repurchased out of Ginnie Mae securities and recorded as loans held for sale, at fair value, on the balance sheet. Interest on these past due loans accrues at the debenture rate guaranteed by the U.S. government. Also included in the \$27.9 million were \$3.1 million in loans that, pursuant to Ginnie Mae servicing guidelines, we have the unilateral right, but not the obligation, to repurchase if defined delinquent loan criteria are met, and therefore must record as loans held for sale on our balance sheet regardless of whether the repurchase option has been exercised. The comparable balances at December 31, 2017 were no loans repurchased and \$19.0 million in loans for which we have the unilateral right but not the obligation to repurchase.

The table below presents a reconciliation of the changes in loans held for sale for the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 (in thousands):

Six months ended June 30. 2018 2017 Beginning balance(1) \$1,011,004 \$968,929 Loans purchased 3,205,483 2,843,690 Payments and loans sold(1) (2,942,872) (2,976,523) Change in fair value 9,921 3,153 Ending balance \$1,276,768 \$846,017

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$1.3 million and \$3.3 million of SBA loans held for sale carried at lower of cost or market at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017.

We generally retain the right to service the loans sold, creating MSRs which are recorded as assets on our balance sheet. A summary of MSR activity for the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 is as follows (in thousands):

	Six months ended		
	June 30,		
	2018	2017	
MSRs:			
Balance, beginning of year	\$88,150	\$28,536	
Capitalized servicing rights	26,656	37,343	
Amortization	(5,288)	(2,856)	
Sales	(26,742)		
Balance, end of period	\$82,776	\$63,023	
Valuation allowance:			
Balance, beginning of year	\$2,823	\$ —	
Increase (decrease) in valuation allowance	(2,823)	_	
Balance, end of period	\$ —	\$ —	
MSRs, net(1)	\$82,776	\$63,023	
MSRs, fair value	\$90,179	\$64,889	

MSRs are reported on the consolidated balance sheets at amortized cost, less a valuation allowance if the fair value (1) of identified strata, determined by interest rates, within the MSR portfolio are determined to have a fair value that is less than amortized cost.

We completed a sale of Ginnie Mae MSRs in the first quarter of 2018. In anticipation of this sale, the fair value of the MSRs at December 31, 2017 was adjusted, resulting in a \$2.8 million impairment charge taken in the fourth quarter of 2017.

At June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, our servicing portfolio of residential mortgage loans had an outstanding principal balance of \$7.1 billion and \$7.0 billion, respectively. In connection with the servicing of these loans, we hold deposits in the names of the investors who own the loans representing escrow funds for taxes and insurance, as well as collections in transit to the investors. These escrow funds are segregated and held in separate non-interest-bearing accounts at the Bank. These deposits, included in total non-interest-bearing deposits on the consolidated balance sheets, were \$84.5 million at June 30, 2018 and \$73.4 million at December 31, 2017.

The estimated fair value of the MSR assets is obtained from an independent third party and reviewed by management on a quarterly basis. MSRs typically do not trade in an active, open market with readily observable prices; as such, the fair value of MSRs is determined using a discounted cash flow model to calculate the present value of the estimated future net servicing income. The assumptions utilized in the discounted cash flow model are based on market data for comparable assets, where available. Each quarter, management and the independent third party discuss the key assumptions used in the discounted cash flow model and make adjustments as necessary to estimate the fair value of the MSRs. As of June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, management used the following assumptions to determine the fair value of MSRs:

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{June} \\ 30, \\ 2018 \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{December} \\ 31, 2017 \end{array}$ Average discount rates $\begin{array}{c} 9.61 \% \, 9.90 \ \% \\ \text{Expected prepayment speeds} \end{array}$ Expected prepayment speeds $\begin{array}{c} 9.04 \% \, 9.99 \ \% \\ \text{Weighted average life, in years} \end{array}$

A sensitivity analysis of changes in the fair value of our MSR portfolio resulting from certain key assumptions is presented in the following table (in thousands):

June 30, December 2018 31, 2017
50 bp adverse change in prepayment speed \$(12,184) \$(11,896) 100 bp adverse change in prepayment speed (24,683) (28,226)

These sensitivities are hypothetical and actual results may differ materially due to a number of factors. The effect on fair value of a 10% variation in assumptions generally cannot be determined with confidence because the relationship of the change in assumptions to the fair value may not be linear. Additionally, the impact of a variation in a particular assumption on the fair

value is calculated while holding other assumptions constant. In reality, changes in one factor may be correlated with changes in other factors, which could impact the sensitivity analysis as presented.

In conjunction with the sale and securitization of loans held for sale, we may be exposed to liability resulting from recourse agreements and repurchase agreements. If it is determined subsequent to our sale of a loan that the loan sold is in breach of the representations or warranties made in the applicable sale agreement, we may have an obligation to either (a) repurchase the loan for the unpaid principal balance, accrued interest and related advances, (b) indemnify the purchaser against any loss it suffers or (c) make the purchaser whole for the economic benefits of the loan.

Our repurchase, indemnification and make whole obligations vary based upon the terms of the applicable agreements, the nature of the asserted breach and the status of the mortgage loan at the time a claim is made. We establish reserves for estimated losses of this nature inherent in the origination of mortgage loans by estimating the losses inherent in the population of all loans sold based on trends in claims and actual loss severities experienced. The reserve includes accruals for probable contingent losses in addition to those identified in the pipeline of claims received. The estimation process is designed to include amounts based on any actual losses experienced from actual repurchase activity.

Our estimated exposure related to loans previously sold and currently held for sale was \$1.5 million at June 30, 2018 and \$1.3 million at December 31, 2017 and is recorded in other liabilities in the consolidated balance sheets. We had \$148,000 in losses due to repurchase, indemnification and make-whole obligations during the six months ended June 30, 2018 and \$7,000 in losses during the six months ended June 30, 2017.

(7) FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS WITH OFF-BALANCE SHEET RISK

The Bank is a party to financial instruments with off-balance sheet risk in the normal course of business to meet the financing needs of its customers. These financial instruments include commitments to extend credit and standby letters of credit that involve varying degrees of credit risk in excess of the amount recognized in the consolidated balance sheets. The Bank's exposure to credit loss in the event of non-performance by the other party to the financial instrument for commitments to extend credit and standby letters of credit is represented by the contractual amount of these instruments. The Bank uses the same credit policies in making commitments and conditional obligations as it does for on-balance sheet instruments. The amount of collateral obtained, if deemed necessary, is based on management's credit evaluation of the borrower.

Commitments to extend credit are agreements to lend to a customer as long as there is no violation of any condition established in the contract. Commitments generally have fixed expiration dates or other termination clauses and may require payment of a fee. Since many of the commitments may expire without being drawn upon, the total commitment amounts do not necessarily represent future cash requirements. The Bank evaluates each customer's credit-worthiness on a case-by-case basis.

Standby letters of credit are conditional commitments issued by the Bank to guarantee the performance of a customer to a third party. Those guarantees are primarily issued to support public and private borrowing arrangements. The credit risk involved in issuing letters of credit is essentially the same as that involved in extending loan facilities to customers.

The table below summarizes our off-balance sheet financial instruments whose contract amounts represented credit risk (in thousands):

June 30, December 2018 31, 2017

Commitments to extend credit \$7,254,475 \$6,957,847 Standby letters of credit 244,962 230,958

At June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, we had \$10.5 million and \$9.1 million, respectively, in allowance for off-balance sheet credit losses related to these off-balance sheet commitments recorded in other liabilities in the consolidated balance sheets.

(8) REGULATORY MATTERS

The Company and the Bank are subject to various regulatory capital requirements administered by the federal banking agencies. Failure to meet minimum capital requirements can initiate certain mandatory (and possibly additional discretionary) actions by regulators that, if undertaken, could have a direct material adverse effect on the Company's

and the Bank's financial statements. Under capital adequacy guidelines and the regulatory framework for prompt corrective action, the Company and the Bank must meet specific capital guidelines that involve quantitative measures of the Company's and the Bank's assets, liabilities, and certain off-balance sheet items as calculated under regulatory accounting practices. The Company's and the Bank's capital amounts and classification are also subject to qualitative judgments by the regulators about components, risk weightings and other factors.

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The Basel III regulatory capital framework (the "Basel III Capital Rules") adopted by U.S. federal regulatory authorities, among other things, (i) establishes the capital measure called "Common Equity Tier 1" ("CET1"), (ii) specifies that Tier 1 capital consist of CET1 and "Additional Tier 1 Capital" instruments meeting stated requirements, (iii) requires that most deductions/adjustments to regulatory capital measures be made to CET1 and not to other components of capital and (iv) defines the scope of the deductions/adjustments to the capital measures. The Basel III Capital Rules became effective for us on January 1, 2015 with certain transition provisions fully phasing in over a period ending on January 1, 2019.

Additionally, the Basel III Capital Rules require that we maintain a capital conservation buffer with respect to each of CET1, Tier 1 and total capital to risk-weighted assets, which provides for capital levels that exceed the minimum risk-based capital adequacy requirements. The capital conservation buffer is subject to a three year phase-in period that began on January 1, 2016 and will be fully phased in on January 1, 2019 at 2.5%. The required phase-in capital conservation buffer during 2018 is 1.875% and was 1.25% during 2017. A financial institution with a conservation buffer of less than the required amount is subject to limitations on capital distributions, including dividend payments and stock repurchases, and certain discretionary bonus payments to executive officers.

Quantitative measures established by these regulations to ensure capital adequacy require the Company and the Bank to maintain minimum amounts and ratios of CET1, Tier 1 and total capital to risk-weighted assets, and of Tier 1 capital to average assets, each as defined in the regulations. Management believes, as of June 30, 2018, that the Company and the Bank met all capital adequacy requirements to which they are subject.

Financial institutions are categorized as well capitalized or adequately capitalized, based on minimum total risk-based, Tier 1 risk-based, CET1 and Tier 1 leverage ratios. As shown in the table below, the Company's capital ratios exceeded the regulatory definition of adequately capitalized as of June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017. Based upon the information in its most recently filed call report, the Bank met the capital ratios necessary to be well capitalized. The regulatory authorities can apply changes in classification of assets and such changes may retroactively subject the Company to changes in capital ratios. Any such changes could result in reducing one or more capital ratios below well-capitalized status. In addition, a change may result in imposition of additional assessments by the FDIC or could result in regulatory actions that could have a material adverse effect on our financial condition and results of operations.

Because our Bank had less than \$15.0 billion in total consolidated assets as of December 31, 2009, we are allowed to continue to classify our trust preferred securities, all of which were issued prior to May 19, 2010, as Tier 1 capital.

Minimum Capital

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The table below summarizes our actual and required capital ratios under the Basel III Capital Rules:

	Actual		Required - III Phase-I	Basel	Minimum Required -	Basel	Required Considere Capitalize	ed Well
	Capital Amount	Ratio	Capital Amount	Ratio	Capital Amount	Ratio	Capital Amount	Ratio
As of June 30, 2018:								
CET1								
Company	\$2,173,815	8.32 %	\$1,665,009	96.38%	\$1,828,245	57.00 %	N/A	N/A
Bank	2,178,607	8.35 %	1,662,918	6.38%	1,825,950	7.00 %	1,695,525	56.50 %
Total capital (to risk-weighted assets)								
Company	2,902,789	11.11%	2,579,132	9.88%	2,742,368	10.50%	N/A	N/A
Bank	2,749,018	10.54%	2,575,893	9.88%	2,738,925	10.50%	2,608,500	010.00%
Tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)								
Company	2,431,650	9.31 %	2,056,776	7.88%	2,220,012	8.50 %	N/A	N/A
Bank	2,336,442	8.96 %	2,054,193	7.88%	2,217,225	8.50 %	2,086,800	08.00 %
Tier 1 capital (to average assets)(1)								
Company	2,431,650	9.89 %	983,476	4.00%	983,476	4.00 %	N/A	N/A
Bank	2,336,442	9.51 %	982,989	4.00%	982,989	4.00 %	1,228,736	55.00 %
As of December 31, 2017:								
CET1								
Company	\$2,033,830	08.45 %	\$1,384,448	35.75%	\$1,685,464	17.00 %	N/A	N/A
Bank	1,992,152	8.28 %	1,383,475	5.75%	1,684,231	7.00 %	1,563,929	96.50 %
Total capital (to risk-weighted assets)								
Company	2,768,153	11.50%	2,227,221	9.25%	2,528,196	10.50%	N/A	N/A
Bank	2,567,961	10.67%	2,225,591	9.25%	2,526,347	10.50%	2,406,044	410.00%
Tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)								
Company	2,293,016	9.52 %	1,745,659	7.25%	2,046,635	8.50 %	N/A	N/A
Bank	2,151,338	8.94 %	1,744,382	7.25%	2,045,138	8.50 %	1,924,835	58.00 %
Tier 1 capital (to average assets)(1)								
Company	2,293,016	9.15 %	1,002,494	4.00%	1,002,494	4.00 %	N/A	N/A
Bank	2,151,338	8.59 %	1,002,144	4.00%	1,002,144	4.00 %	1,252,680	05.00 %
The Tier 1 capital ratio (to av	verage asset	s) is not i	mpacted by	the Bas	el III Capita	al Rules;	however, i	it should

The Tier 1 capital ratio (to average assets) is not impacted by the Basel III Capital Rules; however, it should be noted that the Federal Reserve Board and the FDIC may require the Company and the Bank, respectively, to maintain a Tier 1 capital ratio (to average assets) above the required minimum.

Our mortgage finance loan volumes can increase significantly at month end, causing a meaningful difference between ending balance and average balance for any period. At June 30, 2018, our total mortgage finance loans were \$5.9 billion compared to the average for the three months ended June 30, 2018 of \$4.9 billion. As CET1, Tier 1 and total capital ratios are calculated using quarter-end risk-weighted assets and our mortgage finance loans are 100% risk-weighted (excluding MCA mortgage loans held for sale, which receive lower risk weights), the quarter-end fluctuation in these balances can significantly impact our reported ratios. Due to the actual risk profile and liquidity of this asset class, we manage capital allocated to mortgage finance loans based on changing trends in average balances and do not believe that the quarter-end balance is representative of risk characteristics that would justify higher allocations. However, we continue to monitor our capital allocation to confirm that all capital levels remain above well-capitalized levels.

Dividends that may be paid by subsidiary banks are routinely restricted by various regulatory authorities. The amount that can be paid in any calendar year without prior approval of the Bank's regulatory agencies cannot exceed the lesser of the net profits (as defined) for that year plus the net profits for the preceding two calendar years, or retained

earnings. The Basel III Capital

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Rules further limit the amount of dividends that may be paid by our Bank. No dividends were declared or paid on our common stock during the six months ended June 30, 2018 or 2017.

(9) STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION

We have long-term incentive plans under which stock-based compensation awards are granted to employees and directors by the board of directors, or its designated committee. Grants are subject to vesting requirements and may include, among other things, nonqualified stock options, stock appreciation rights ("SARs"), restricted stock units ("RSUs"), restricted stock and performance units, or any combination thereof. There are 2,550,000 total shares authorized for grant under the plans.

The table below summarizes our stock-based compensation expense for the three and six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 (in thousands):

	Three n	nonths	Six months		
	ended J	une 30,	ended June 30,		
	2018	2017	2018	2017	
Stock-settled awards:					
SARs	\$43	\$74	\$93	\$146	
RSUs	2,078	1,714	3,974	3,307	
Restricted stock	13	4	24	8	
Cash-settled performance units	3,092	2,603	7,106	5,493	
Total	\$5,226	\$4,395	\$11,197	\$8,954	

(in thousands)	June 30,
(in thousands)	2018
Unrecognized compensation expense related to unvested stock-settled awards	\$15,335
Weighted average period over which expense is expected to be recognized, in years	2.9
(10) INCOME TAXES	

The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act (the "Tax Act") enacted in December 2017 reduced the federal corporate income tax rate from 35% to 21% effective January 1, 2018. As a result of the Tax Act, we re-measured certain deferred tax assets and liabilities based on the rates at which they are expected to reverse in the future, which is generally 21%. However, we are still analyzing certain aspects of the Tax Act and refining our calculations, which could potentially affect the measurement of these balances or potentially give rise to new deferred tax amounts. The provisional amount recorded in 2017 related to the re-measurement of our deferred tax asset was \$17.6 million, and no further adjustments were made during the six months ended June 30, 2018.

The reconciliation of our total effective income tax rate to the U.S. federal statutory tax rate for the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 is as follows:

	Six n	nonths
	ende	d June
	30,	
	2018	2017
U.S. statutory rate	21 %	35 %
State taxes	1 %	1 %
Non-deductible expenses	1 %	— %
Non-taxable income	(1)%	(1)%
Other	(1)%	(1)%
Effective tax rate	21 %	34 %
(11) FAIR VALUE DISC	CLOS	URES

We determine the fair market values of our assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring and nonrecurring basis using the fair value hierarchy as prescribed in ASC 820, Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures. The standard describes three levels of inputs that may be used to measure fair value as provided below.

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Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. This category includes the assets and Level 1 liabilities related to our non-qualified deferred compensation plan where values are based on quoted market prices for identical equity securities in an active market.

Observable inputs other than Level 1 prices, such as quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities; quoted prices in markets that are not active; or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable

Level 2 market data for substantially the full term of the assets or liabilities. Level 2 assets include agency mortgage-backed debt securities and Community Reinvestment Act funds. This category also includes loans held for sale and derivative assets and liabilities where values are obtained from independent pricing services using observable market data.

Unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and that are significant to the fair value of the assets or liabilities. Level 3 assets and liabilities include financial instruments whose value is determined using pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies or similar techniques, as well as Level 3 instruments for which the determination of fair values requires significant management judgment or

Fair Value

estimation. This category includes certain loans held for sale for which fair values are determined using third party pricing models. This category also includes impaired loans and OREO where collateral values have been based on third party appraisals; however, comparative sales data typically used in appraisals may be unavailable or more subjective in certain markets due to lack of market activity.

Assets and liabilities measured at fair value at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 are as follows (in thousands):

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	Measurement	S
	Using	
June 30, 2018	Levelvel 2	Level
Julie 30, 2018	Levante 2	3
Available-for-sale debt securities:(1)		
Residential mortgage-backed securities	\$ - \$ 8,785	\$ —
Equity securities(1)(2)	8,7 6 ,912	
Loans held for sale (3)	1,247,537	27,929
Loans held for investment(4)(6)		22,165
OREO(5)(6)		9,526
Derivative assets(7)	21,740	
Derivative liabilities(7)	-25,516	
Non-qualified deferred compensation plan liabilities (8)	9,1 92	
December 31, 2017		
Available-for-sale debt securities:(1)		
Residential mortgage-backed securities	\$-\$10,945	\$ —
Equity securities(1)(2)	5,4%,006	
Loans held for sale(3)	-1,007,695	
Loans held for investment(4)(6)		21,216
OREO(5)(6)	——	11,742
Derivative assets(7)	—16,719	
Derivative liabilities(7)	—17,377	
Non-qualified deferred compensation plan liabilities (8)	5,587	

⁽¹⁾ Securities are measured at fair value on a recurring basis, generally monthly.

(3)

⁽²⁾ Equity securities consist of Community Reinvestment Act funds and investments related to our non-qualified deferred compensation plan.

Loans held for sale, excluding SBA loans which are carried at lower of cost or market, are measured at fair value on a recurring basis, generally monthly.

- (4) Includes impaired loans that have been measured for impairment at the fair value of the loan's collateral.
- (5) OREO is transferred from loans to OREO at fair value less selling costs.

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- (6) Loans held for investment and OREO are measured on a nonrecurring basis, generally annually or more often as warranted by market and economic conditions.
- (7) Derivative assets and liabilities are measured at fair value on a recurring basis, generally quarterly.

 Non-qualified deferred compensation plan liabilities represent the fair value of the obligation to the employee,
- (8) which corresponds to the fair value of the invested assets, and are measured at fair value on a recurring basis, generally monthly.

Level 3 Valuations

Financial instruments are considered Level 3 when their values are determined using pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies or similar techniques and at least one significant model assumption or input is unobservable. Level 3 financial instruments include those for which the determination of fair value requires significant management judgment or estimation. Currently, we measure the fair value of certain loans held for sale using third party pricing models on a recurring basis, and measure certain collateral dependent impaired loans and OREO on a nonrecurring basis as described below.

Loans held for sale

The following table presents a reconciliation for the three and six months ended June 30, 2018 of loans held for sale measured at fair value on a recurring basis using Level 3 inputs (in thousands):

Net Realized/Unrealized Gains (Losses) Recorded in Earnings(1)

	Balance at Beginning of Period		Sales / Reductions	Realized	Uı	nrealized	Balance at End of Period
Three months ended June 30, 2018 Loans held for sale	\$ 34,251	\$ 1,437	\$ (7,988)	\$ 161	\$	68	\$27,929
Six months ended June 30, 2018 Loans held for sale	\$ —	\$ 37,529	\$ (7,988)	\$ (1,680)	\$	68	\$27,929

⁽¹⁾ Recorded in other non-interest income.

The fair value of loans held for sale using Level 3, or unobservable inputs, include loans that cannot be sold through normal sale channels and thus require significant management judgment or estimation when determining the fair value. The fair value of such loans is generally based upon quoted prices of comparable loans with a liquidity discount applied. At June 30, 2018, the fair value of these loans was calculated using a weighted-average discounted price of 94.3%.

Loans held for investment

At June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, certain impaired loans held for investment were reported at fair value through a specific allocation of the allowance for loan losses based upon the fair value of the underlying collateral. The \$22.2 million fair value of loans held for investment at June 30, 2018 reported above includes impaired loans held for investment with a carrying value of \$30.1 million that were reduced by specific allowance allocations totaling \$7.9 million based on collateral valuations utilizing Level 3 valuation inputs. The \$21.2 million fair value of loans held for investment at December 31, 2017 reported above includes impaired loans with a carrying value of \$32.2 million that were reduced by specific valuation allowance allocations totaling \$11.0 million based on collateral valuations utilizing Level 3 valuation inputs. Fair values were based on third party appraisals, which are Level 3 valuation inputs. OREO

Certain foreclosed assets, upon initial recognition, are recorded at fair value less estimated selling costs. At June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, OREO had a carrying value of \$11.5 million and \$11.7 million, respectively, net of a \$2.0 million specific valuation allowance at June 30, 2018 and no valuation allowance at December 31, 2017. The fair value of OREO was computed based on third party appraisals, which are Level 3 valuation inputs.

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Fair Value of Financial Instruments

GAAP requires disclosure of fair value information about financial instruments, whether or not recognized on the balance sheet, for which it is practical to estimate that value. In cases where quoted market prices are not available, fair values are based on estimates using present value or other valuation techniques. Those techniques are significantly affected by the assumptions used, including the discount rate and estimates of future cash flows. This disclosure does not and is not intended to represent the fair value of the Company.

A summary of the carrying amounts and estimated fair values of financial instruments is as follows (in thousands):

	June 30, 20	18	December 31, 2017		
	Carrying Estimated		Carrying	Estimated	
	Amount	Fair Value	Amount	Fair Value	
Financial assets:					
Level 1 inputs:					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$3,462,794	\$3,462,794	\$2,905,591	\$2,905,591	
Investment securities	8,711	8,711	5,460	5,460	
Level 2 inputs:					
Investment securities	15,697	15,697	18,051	18,051	
Loans held for sale	1,248,839	1,248,839	1,011,004	1,011,004	
Derivative assets	21,740	21,740	16,719	16,719	
Level 3 inputs:					
Loans held for sale	27,929	27,929			
Loans held for investment, net	22,280,683	22,258,008	20,489,757	20,480,802	
Financial liabilities:					
Level 2 inputs:					
Federal funds purchased	510,221	510,221	359,338	359,338	
Customer repurchase agreements	10,628	10,628	5,702	5,702	
Other borrowings	4,000,000	4,000,000	2,800,000	2,800,000	
Subordinated notes	281,586	283,268	281,406	285,485	
Derivative liabilities	25,516	25,516	17,377	17,377	
Level 3 inputs:					
Deposits	20,334,871	21,258,150	19,123,180	19,124,121	
Trust preferred subordinated debentures	113,406	113,406	113,406	113,406	

The following methods and assumptions were used by the Company in estimating its fair value disclosures for financial instruments:

Investment Securities

Within the investment securities portfolio, we hold equity securities related to our non-qualified deferred compensation plan which are valued using quoted market prices for identical equity securities in an active market. These financial instruments are classified as Level 1 assets in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value of the remaining investment portfolio is based on prices obtained from independent pricing services which are based on quoted market prices for the same or similar securities, and these financial instruments are characterized as Level 2 assets in the fair value hierarchy. We have obtained documentation from our primary pricing service regarding their processes and controls applicable to pricing investment securities. In addition, on a quarterly basis we independently verify the prices that we receive from the service provider using two additional independent pricing sources. Any significant differences are investigated and resolved.

Loans Held for Sale

Fair value for loans held for sale is derived from quoted market prices for similar loans, in which case they are characterized as Level 2 assets in the fair value hierarchy, or is derived from third party pricing models, in which case they are characterized as Level 3 assets in the fair value hierarchy.

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Derivatives

The estimated fair value of interest rate swaps and caps is obtained from independent pricing services based on quoted market prices for similar derivative contracts and these financial instruments are characterized as Level 2 assets and liabilities in the fair value hierarchy. On a quarterly basis, we independently verify the fair value using an additional independent pricing source. Any significant differences are investigated and resolved. Foreign currency forward contracts are valued based upon quoted market prices obtained from independent pricing services for similar derivative contracts. As such, these financial instruments are characterized as Level 2 assets and liabilities in the fair value hierarchy. The derivative instruments related to the loans held for sale portfolio include loan purchase commitments and forward sales commitments. Loan purchase commitments are valued based upon the fair value of the underlying mortgage loans to be purchased, which is based on observable market data for similar loans. Forward sales commitments are valued based upon quoted market prices from brokers. As such, these loan purchase commitments and forward sales commitments are characterized as Level 2 assets or liabilities in the fair value hierarchy.

(12) DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The fair value of derivative positions outstanding is included in accrued interest receivable and other assets and other liabilities in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets on a net basis when a right of offset exists, based on transactions with a single counterparty that are subject to a legally enforceable master netting agreement. We enter into interest rate derivative positions that are not designated as hedging instruments. These derivative positions relate to transactions in which we enter into an interest rate swap, cap and/or floor with a customer while at the same time entering into an offsetting interest rate swap, cap and/or floor with another financial institution. In connection with each swap transaction, we agree to pay interest to the customer on a notional amount at a variable interest rate and receive interest from the customer on a similar notional amount at a fixed interest rate. At the same time, we agree to pay another financial institution the same fixed interest rate on the same notional amount and receive the same variable interest rate on the same notional amount. The transaction allows our customer to effectively convert a variable rate loan to a fixed rate. Because we act as an intermediary for our customer, changes in the fair value of the underlying derivative contracts substantially offset each other and do not have a material impact on our results of operations.

We also enter into foreign currency forward contracts that are not designated as hedging instruments. These derivative instruments relate to transactions in which we enter into a contract with a customer to buy or sell a foreign currency at a future date for a specified price while at the same time entering into an offsetting contract with a financial institution to buy or sell the same currency at the same future date for a specified price. These transactions allow our customers to manage their exposure to foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations. Because we act as an intermediary for our customer, changes in the fair value of the underlying derivative instruments substantially offset each other and do not have a material impact on our results of operations.

We also enter into loan purchase commitment contracts with mortgage originators to purchase residential mortgage loans at a future date, as well as forward sales commitment contracts to sell residential mortgage loans at a future date as part of our MCA program. The objective of these transactions is to mitigate our exposure to interest rate risk associated with the purchase of mortgage loans held for sale. Any changes in fair value are recorded in other non-interest expense in the consolidated statements of income and other comprehensive income.

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The notional amounts and estimated fair values of interest rate derivative positions outstanding at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 are presented in the following tables (in thousands):

	June 30, 20	18		December 31, 2017			
	Estimated Fair Value			Estimated Fair Value			
	Notional	Asset	Liability	Notional	Asset	Liability	
	Amount	Derivative	Derivative	Amount	Derivative	Derivative	
Non-hedging interest rate derivatives:							
Financial institution counterparties:							
Commercial loan/lease interest rate swaps	\$1,514,867	\$ 17,079	\$6,239	\$1,393,764	\$4,736	\$ 15,482	
Commercial loan/lease interest rate caps	245,667	992	18	242,700	421	7	
Foreign currency forward contracts	53,871	1,794	58	2,466	4	69	
Customer counterparties:							
Commercial loan/lease interest rate swaps	1,514,867	6,239	17,079	1,393,764	15,482	4,736	
Commercial loan/lease interest rate caps	245,667	18	992	242,700	7	421	
Foreign currency forward contracts	53,871	58	1,794	2,466	69	4	
Economic hedging interest rate derivatives:							
Loan purchase commitments	204,057	1,089	21	253,815	635	190	
Forward sales commitments	1,361,500	_	4,844	1,086,224	_	1,103	
Gross derivatives		27,269	31,045		21,354	22,012	
Offsetting derivative assets/liabilities		(5,529)	(5,529)		(4,635)	(4,635)	
Net derivatives included in the consolidated		\$21,740	\$ 25,516		\$ 16,719	\$ 17,377	
balance sheets		ψ 41,740	ψ 43,310		ψ 10,/19	Ψ11,311	

The weighted average received and paid interest rates for interest rate swaps outstanding at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 were as follows:

June 30, 2018
Weighted
Average
Interest Rate
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December 31,
2017
Weighted
Average
Interest Rate
ReceiveHaid

Non-hedging interest rate swaps 3.85%~4.17%~3.59%~4.34%

The weighted average strike rate for outstanding interest rate caps was 2.38% at June 30, 2018 and 2.40% at December 31, 2017.

Our credit exposure on derivative instruments is limited to the net favorable value and interest payments by each counterparty. In some cases collateral may be required from the counterparties involved if the net value of the derivative instruments exceeds a nominal amount. Our credit exposure associated with these instruments, net of any collateral pledged, was approximately \$12.9 million at June 30, 2018 and approximately \$16.7 million at December 31, 2017. Collateral levels are monitored and adjusted on a regular basis for changes in interest rate swap and cap values, as well as for changes in the value of forward sales commitments. At June 30, 2018, we had pledged to counterparties \$6.7 million in cash collateral for these derivatives, of which \$2.8 million was included in interest-bearing deposits in other banks and \$3.9 million was included in accrued interest receivable and other assets, and counterparties had pledged to us \$11.1 million in cash collateral included in interest-bearing deposit liabilities. At December 31, 2017, we had pledged to counterparties \$15.2 million in cash collateral for these derivatives, of which \$14.0 million was included in interest-bearing deposits in other banks and \$1.2 million was included in accrued interest receivable and other assets.

We also enter into credit risk participation agreements with financial institution counterparties for interest rate swaps related to loans in which we are either a participant or a lead bank. The risk participation agreements entered into by

us as a participant bank provide credit protection to the financial institution counterparty should the borrower fail to perform on its interest rate derivative contract with that financial institution. We are party to 14 risk participation agreements where we are a participant

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bank having a notional amount of \$130.2 million at June 30, 2018, compared to 15 risk participation agreements having a notional amount of \$157.1 million at December 31, 2017. The maximum estimated exposure to these agreements, assuming 100% default by all obligors, was approximately \$157,000 at June 30, 2018 and \$221,000 at December 31, 2017. The fair value of these exposures was insignificant to the consolidated financial statements at both June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017. Risk participation agreements entered into by us as the lead bank provide credit protection to us should the borrower fail to perform on its interest rate derivative contract with us. We are party to 11 risk participation agreements where we are the lead bank having a notional amount of \$126.5 million at June 30, 2018, compared to 10 agreements having a notional amount of \$86.3 million at December 31, 2017.

ASU 2016-13 "Financial Instruments - Credit Losses (Topic 326)" ("ASU 2016-13") requires an entity to utilize a new impairment model known as the current expected credit loss ("CECL") model to estimate its lifetime "expected credit loss" and record an allowance that, when deducted from the amortized cost basis of the financial asset, presents the net amount expected to be collected on the financial asset. The CECL model is expected to result in more timely recognition of credit losses. ASU 2016-13 also requires new disclosures for financial assets measured at amortized cost, loans and available-for-sale debt securities. Entities will apply the standard's provisions as a cumulative-effect adjustment to retained earnings as of the beginning of the first reporting period in which the guidance is adopted. ASU 2016-13 will be effective for us on January 1, 2020. We are evaluating the impact adoption of ASU 2016-13 will have on our consolidated financial statements and disclosures. While we are currently unable to reasonably estimate the impact of adopting ASU 2016-13, we expect that the impact of adoption could be significantly influenced by the composition, characteristics and quality of our loan portfolio as well as the prevailing economic conditions and forecasts as of the adoption date. As part of our evaluation process, we have established a steering committee and working group that includes individuals from various functional areas to assess processes, portfolio segmentation, systems requirements and needed resources to implement this new accounting standard.

ASU 2016-02 "Leases (Topic 842)" ("ASU 2016-02") requires that lessees and lessors recognize lease assets and lease liabilities on the balance sheet and disclose key information about leasing arrangements. ASU 2016-02 will be effective for us on January 1, 2019. ASU 2016-02 provides for a modified retrospective transition approach requiring lessees to recognize and measure leases on the balance sheet at the beginning of the earliest period presented with the option to elect certain practical expedients. We are currently implementing a third party software solution to assist with the accounting under the new standard. Our operating leases relate primarily to office space and bank branches. We expect recorded assets and liabilities to increase upon adoption of the standard as it relates to operating leases in which we are the lessee.

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QUARTERLY FINANCIAL SUMMARIES – UNAUDITED Consolidated Daily Average Balances, Average Yields and Rates (In thousands)

	For the three months ended June 30, 2018			For the three months ended June 30, 2017		
	Average	Revenue/		•	Revenue/	
	Balance	Expense	Rate	Balance	Expense	Rate
Assets	Φ04514	4.102	2.15.00	Φ.6 7 .040	Φ207	1 77 0
Investment securities – taxable	\$24,514	\$193	3.15%	\$65,049	\$287	1.77%
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under	166,613	745	1.79%	174,264	434	1.00%
resale agreements	,					
Interest-bearing deposits in other banks	1,498,474	6,467		2,250,330	5,824	1.04%
Loans held for sale	1,516,047	17,026		845,623	8,235	3.91%
Loans held for investment, mortgage finance	4,898,411	47,056		3,805,831	33,399	3.52%
Loans held for investment(1)(2)	15,883,317	216,755		13,718,739	161,369	4.72%
Less reserve for loan losses	189,238	—		170,957		—
Loans held for investment, net	20,592,490	263,811		17,353,613	194,768	4.50%
Total earning assets	23,798,138	288,242	4.86%	20,688,879	209,548	4.06%
Cash and other assets	808,099			632,097		
Total assets	\$24,606,237			\$21,320,976		
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity						
Transaction deposits	\$2,889,834	\$10,295		\$2,008,872	\$2,893	0.58%
Savings deposits	7,784,937	25,454	1.31%	6,952,317	12,940	0.75%
Time deposits	979,735	3,858	1.58%	455,542	700	0.62%
Total interest-bearing deposits	11,654,506	39,607	1.36%	9,416,731	16,533	0.70%
Other borrowings	2,113,391	10,149	1.93%	1,456,737	3,627	1.00%
Subordinated notes	281,527	4,191	5.97%	281,167	4,191	5.98%
Trust preferred subordinated debentures	113,406	1,193	4.22%	113,406	881	3.12%
Total interest-bearing liabilities	14,162,830	55,140	1.56%	11,268,041	25,232	0.90%
Demand deposits	8,017,578			7,863,402		
Other liabilities	100,074			102,653		
Stockholders' equity	2,325,755			2,086,880		
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$24,606,237			\$21,320,976		
Net interest income(2)		\$233,102			\$184,316	
Net interest margin			3.93%			3.57%
Net interest spread			3.30%			3.16%
Loan spread(3)			4.18%			4.04%

⁽¹⁾ The loan averages include non-accrual loans and are stated net of unearned income.

⁽²⁾ Taxable equivalent rates used where applicable.

⁽³⁾ Yield on loans, net of reserves, less funding cost including all deposits and borrowed funds.

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	For the six months ended June 30, 2018			For the six months ended June 30, 2017		
	Average	Revenue/	Yield/	Average	Revenue/	Yield/
	Balance	Expense	Rate	Balance	Expense	Rate
Assets						
Investment securities – taxable	\$24,186	\$399	3.32%	\$48,569	\$511	2.12%
Investment securities – non-taxable(2)		_	_ %	111	3	4.85%
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under	213,865	1,790	1 600%	225,303	964	0.86%
resale agreements	213,803	1,790	1.09 %	223,303	904	0.80%
Interest-bearing deposits in other banks	1,898,484	15,221	1.62%	2,778,360	12,391	0.90%
Loans held for sale	1,352,728	29,561	4.41%	954,368	17,770	3.75%
Loans held for investment, mortgage finance	4,500,414	84,418	3.78%	3,284,594	56,504	3.47%
Loans held for investment(1)(2)	15,655,585	412,088	5.31%	13,351,681	306,387	4.63%
Less reserve for loan losses	186,752		_	170,143	_	_
Loans held for investment, net	19,969,247	496,506	5.01%	16,466,132	362,891	4.44%
Total earning assets	23,458,510	543,477	4.67%	20,472,843	394,530	3.89%
Cash and other assets	802,831			619,500		
Total assets	\$24,261,341			\$21,092,343		
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity						
Transaction deposits	\$2,841,662	\$18,946	1.34%	\$2,008,638	\$5,086	0.51%
Savings deposits	7,883,051	47,412	1.21%	6,970,929	23,423	0.68%
Time deposits	744,363	4,951	1.34%	441,733	1,317	0.60%
Total interest-bearing deposits	11,469,076	71,309	1.25%	9,421,300	29,826	0.64%
Other borrowings	1,918,734	16,798	1.77%	1,395,551	5,900	0.85%
Subordinated notes	281,482	8,382	6.00%	281,122	8,382	6.01%
Trust preferred subordinated debentures	113,406	2,220	3.95%	113,406	1,711	3.04%
Total interest-bearing liabilities	13,782,698	98,709	1.44%	11,211,379	45,819	0.82%
Demand deposits	8,082,290			7,706,243		
Other liabilities	105,356			110,222		
Stockholders' equity	2,290,997			2,064,499		
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$24,261,341			\$21,092,343		
Net interest income(2)		\$444,768			\$348,711	
Net interest margin			3.82%			3.43%
Net interest spread			3.23%			3.07%
Loan spread(3)			4.15%			4.02%

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ITEM MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF 2. OPERATIONS

Forward-Looking Statements

Certain statements and financial analysis contained in this report that are not historical facts are forward-looking statements made pursuant to the safe harbor provisions of federal securities laws. Forward-looking statements may also be contained in our future filings with SEC, in press releases and in oral and written statements made by us or with our approval that are not statements of historical fact. These forward-looking statements are based on our beliefs, assumptions and expectations of our future performance taking into account all information currently available to us. Words such as "believes," "expects," "estimates," "anticipates," "plans," "goals," "objectives," "expects," "intends," "seeks," "targeted," "continue," "remain," "will," "should," "may" and other similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements but are not the exclusive means of identifying such statements.

Forward-looking statements may include, among other things, statements about the credit quality of our loan portfolio, economic conditions, including the continued impact on our customers from declines and volatility in oil and gas prices, expectations regarding rates of default or loan losses, volatility in the mortgage industry, our business strategies and our expectations about future financial performance, future growth and earnings, the appropriateness of our allowance for loan losses and provision for credit losses, the impact of increased regulatory requirements on our business, increased competition, interest rate risk, new lines of business, new product or service offerings and new technologies.

Forward-looking statements are subject to various risks and uncertainties, which change over time, are based on management's expectations and assumptions at the time the statements are made and are not guarantees of future results. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, the following:

Deterioration of the credit quality of our loan portfolio or declines in the value of collateral related to external factors such as commodity prices, real estate values or interest rates, increased default rates and loan losses or adverse changes in the industry concentrations of our loan portfolio.

Changing economic conditions or other developments adversely affecting our commercial, entrepreneurial and professional customers.

Changes in the value of commercial and residential real estate securing our loans or in the demand for credit to support the purchase and ownership of such assets.

Adverse economic conditions and other factors affecting our middle market customers and their ability to continue to meet their loan obligations.

Unanticipated effects from the Tax Act may limit its benefits or adversely impact our business, which could include decreased demand for borrowing by our middle market customers or increased price competition that offsets the benefits of decreased federal income tax expense.

The failure to correctly assess and model the assumptions supporting our allowance for loan losses, causing it to become inadequate in the event of deteriorations in loan quality and increases in charge-offs.

Changes in the U.S. economy in general or the Texas economy specifically resulting in deterioration of credit quality, increases in non-performing assets or charge-offs or reduced demand for credit or other financial services we offer, including the effects from declines in the level of drilling and production related to the continued volatility in oil and gas prices.

Adverse changes in economic or market conditions, in Texas, the United States or internationally, that could affect the credit quality of our loan portfolio or our operating performance.

Unexpected market conditions or regulatory changes that could cause access to capital market transactions and other sources of funding to become more difficult to obtain on terms and conditions that are acceptable to us.

The inadequacy of our available funds to meet our deposit, debt and other obligations as they become due, or our failure to maintain our capital ratios as a result of adverse changes in our operating performance or financial condition, or changes in applicable regulations or regulator interpretation of regulations impacting our business or the characterization or risk weight of our assets.

The failure to effectively balance our funding sources with cash demands by depositors and borrowers.

The failure to manage information systems risk or to prevent cyber-attacks against us, our customers or our third party vendors, or to manage risks from disruptions or security breaches affecting us, our customers or our third party vendors.

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The failure to effectively manage our interest rate risk resulting from unexpectedly large or sudden changes in interest rates or rate or maturity imbalances in our assets and liabilities, and potential adverse effects to our borrowers including their inability to repay loans with increased interest rates.

Legislative and regulatory changes imposing further restrictions and costs on our business, a failure to remain well capitalized or well managed status or regulatory enforcement actions against us, and uncertainty related to future implementation and enforcement of regulatory requirements resulting from the current political environment. The failure to successfully execute our business strategy, which may include expanding into new markets, developing and launching new lines of business or new products and services within the expected timeframes and budgets or to successfully manage the risks related to the development and implementation of these new businesses, products or services.

The failure to attract and retain key personnel or the loss of key individuals or groups of employees.

Increased or more effective competition from banks and other financial service providers in our markets.

Structural changes in the markets for origination, sale and servicing of residential mortgages.

Uncertainty in the pricing of mortgage loans that we purchase, and later sell or securitize, as well as competition for the MSRs related to these loans and related interest rate risk or price risk resulting from retaining MSRs, and the potential effects of higher interest rates on our MCA loan volumes.

• Material failures of our accounting estimates and risk management processes based on management judgment, or the supporting analytical and forecasting models.

Failure of our risk management strategies and procedures, including failure or circumvention of our controls.

Credit risk resulting from our exposure to counterparties.

An increase in the incidence or severity of fraud, illegal payments, security breaches and other illegal acts impacting our Bank and our customers.

The failure to maintain adequate regulatory capital to support our business.

Unavailability of funds obtained from borrowing or capital transactions or from our Bank to fund our obligations. Incurrence of material costs and liabilities associated with legal and regulatory proceedings and related matters with respect to the financial services industry, including those directly involving us or our Bank.

Environmental liability associated with properties related to our lending activities.

Severe weather, natural disasters, acts of war or terrorism and other external events.

Actual outcomes and results may differ materially from what is expressed in our forward-looking statements and from our historical financial results due to the factors discussed elsewhere in this report or disclosed in our other SEC filings. Forward-looking statements included herein speak only as of the date hereof and should not be relied upon as representing our expectations or beliefs as of any date subsequent to the date of this report. Except as required by law, we undertake no obligation to revise any forward-looking statements contained in this report, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. The factors discussed herein are not intended to be a complete summary of all risks and uncertainties that may affect our businesses. For a more detailed discussion of these and other factors that may affect our business, see "Risk Factors" in the 2017 Form 10-K and other filings we have made with the SEC. Though we strive to monitor and mitigate risk, we cannot anticipate all potential economic, operational and financial developments that may adversely impact our operations and our financial results. Forward-looking statements should not be viewed as predictions and should not be the primary basis upon which investors evaluate an investment in our securities.

Overview of Our Business Operations

We commenced our banking operations in December 1998. An important aspect of our growth strategy has been our ability to service and manage effectively a large number of loans and deposit accounts in multiple markets in Texas, as well as several lines of business serving a regional or national clientele of commercial borrowers. Accordingly, we have created an operations infrastructure sufficient to support our lending and banking operations that we continue to build out as needed to serve a larger customer base and specialized industries.

The following discussion and analysis presents the significant factors affecting our financial condition as of June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 and results of operations for the three and six month periods ended June 30, 2018 and 2017. This

discussion should be read in conjunction with our consolidated financial statements and notes to the financial statements appearing in Part I, Item 1 of this report.

Results of Operations

Summary of Performance

We reported net income of \$71.4 million and net income available to common stockholders of \$69.0 million, or \$1.38 per diluted common share, for the second guarter of 2018 compared to net income of \$51.1 million and net income available to common stockholders of \$48.7 million, or \$0.97 per diluted common share, for the second quarter of 2017. Return on average common equity ("ROE") was 12.72% and return on average assets ("ROA") was 1.16% for the second guarter of 2018, compared to 10.08% and 0.96%, respectively, for the second guarter of 2017. The increase in ROE and ROA for the quarter resulted primarily from an increase in net interest income and decrease in income tax expense caused by a decrease in income tax rates as a result of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act (the "Tax Act") which became effective on January 1, 2018, offset by increases in the provision for credit losses and non-interest expense. Net income and net income available to common stockholders for the six months ended June 30, 2018 totaled \$143.4 million and \$138.5 million, respectively, or \$2.76 per diluted common share, compared to net income and net income available to common stockholders of \$93.6 million and \$88.8 million, respectively, or \$1.77 per diluted common share, for the same period in 2017. ROE was 13.05% and ROA was 1.19% for the six months ended June 30, 2018 compared to 9.35% and 0.90%, respectively, for the same period in 2017. The increase in ROE and ROA for the first half of 2018 resulted primarily from an increase in net interest income and a decrease in income tax expense caused by a decline in income tax rates as a result of the Tax Act, offset by increases in the provision for credit losses and non-interest expense.

Net income increased \$20.3 million, or 40%, for the three months ended June 30, 2018, as compared to the same period in 2017. The increase was primarily the result of a \$48.8 million increase in net interest income and a \$7.4 million decrease in income tax expense, offset by a \$14.0 million increase in the provision for credit losses, and a \$20.3 million increase in non-interest expense. Net income increased \$49.7 million, or 53% for the six months ended June 30, 2018, as compared to the same period in 2017. The increase was primarily the result of a \$95.7 million increase in net interest income and a \$10.9 million decrease in income tax expense, offset by a \$17.0 million increase in the provision for credit losses and a \$41.2 million increase in non-interest expense.

Details of the changes in the various components of net income are discussed below.

Net Interest Income

Net interest income was \$231.7 million for the second quarter of 2018, compared to \$183.0 million for the second quarter of 2017. The increase was due to an increase in average earning assets of \$3.1 billion as compared to the second quarter of 2017, as well as the effect of increases in interest rates on loan yields. The increase in average earning assets included a \$670.4 million increase in average loans held for sale and a \$3.2 billion increase in average net loans held for investment, offset by a \$40.5 million decrease in average investment securities and a \$759.5 million decrease in average liquidity assets. For the quarter ended June 30, 2018, average net loans held for investment, liquidity assets and loans held for sale represented approximately 87%, 7% and 6%, respectively, of average earning assets compared to approximately 85%, 11% and 4% for the same quarter of 2017.

Average interest-bearing liabilities for the quarter ended June 30, 2018 increased \$2.9 billion from the second quarter of 2017, which included a \$2.2 billion increase in average interest-bearing deposits and a \$656.7 million increase in other borrowings. Average demand deposits were \$8.0 billion for the quarter ended June 30, 2018, compared to \$7.9 billion for the same period of 2017. The average cost of total deposits and borrowed funds increased to 0.92% for the second quarter of 2018 compared to 0.43% for the same period of 2017. The cost of interest-bearing liabilities increased from 0.90% for the quarter ended June 30, 2017 to 1.56% for the same period of 2018.

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Net interest income was \$442.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2018, compared to \$346.3 million for the same period of 2017. The increase was due to an increase in average earning assets of \$3.0 billion as compared to the six months ended June 30, 2017, as well as the effect of increases in interest rates on loan yields. The increase in average earning assets included a \$398.4 million increase in average loans held for sale and a \$3.5 billion increase in average net loans held for investment, offset by a \$24.5 million decrease in average securities and a \$891.3 million decrease in average liquidity assets. For the six months ended June 30, 2018, average net loans held for investment, liquidity assets and loans held for sale represented approximately 85%, 9% and 6%, respectively, of average earning assets compared to approximately 80%, 15% and 5% for the same period of 2017.

Average interest-bearing liabilities for the six months ended June 30, 2018 increased \$2.6 billion from the same period of 2017, which included a \$2.0 billion increase in average interest-bearing deposits and a \$523.2 million increase in other borrowings. Average demand deposits increased from \$7.7 billion for the six months ended June 30, 2017 to \$8.1 billion for the six months ended June 30, 2018. The average cost of total deposits and borrowed funds increased to 0.83% for the six months ended June 30, 2018 compared to 0.39% for the same period of 2017. The cost of interest-bearing liabilities increased from 0.82% for the six months ended June 30, 2017 to 1.44% for the same period of 2018.

The following table (in thousands) presents changes in taxable-equivalent net interest income between the three and six month periods ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 and identifies the changes due to differences in the average volume of earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities and changes due to differences in the average interest rate on those assets and liabilities.

	Three months ended June 30, 2018/2017	Six months ended June 30, 2018/2017
	Net Change Due To(1)	Net Change Due To(1)
	ChangeVolume Yield/Rate(2)	Change Volume Yield/Rate(2)
Interest income:		
Investment securities	\$(94) \$(179) \$ 85	\$(115) \$(237) \$ 122
Loans held for sale	8,791 6,535 2,256	11,791 7,638 4,153
Loans held for investment, mortgage finance loans	13,6579,588 4,069	27,914 20,826 7,088
Loans held for investment	55,38625,472 29,914	105,701