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- [X] Quarterly Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 For the quarterly period ended March 31, 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 001-15373

ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate website, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (\$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 [X] No []

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See definitions of "large accelerated filer", "accelerated filer", "smaller reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one): Large accelerated filer [X] Accelerated filer [] Non-accelerated filer [] (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Smaller reporting company [] Emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected 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 [X]

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months, and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes [X] No []

As of April 25, 2018, the Registrant had 23,111,255 shares of outstanding common stock, \$0.01 par value.

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PART 1 - ITEM 1 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP AND SUBSIDIARIES Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (Unaudited)

(in thousands, except share and per share data)	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
Assets	2018	2017
Cash and due from banks	\$81,604	\$91,084
Federal funds sold	1,099	1,223
Interest-bearing deposits (including \$1,295 and \$1,365 pledged as collateral, respectively)		61,016
Total cash and cash equivalents	143,101	153,323
Interest-bearing deposits greater than 90 days	2,400	2,645
Securities available for sale	652,272	641,382
Securities held to maturity	70,579	73,749
Loans held for sale	1,748	3,155
Loans	4,190,845	4,097,050
Less: Allowance for loan losses	44,650	42,577
Total loans, net	4,146,195	4,054,473
Other real estate	455	498
Other investments, at cost	29,263	26,661
Fixed assets, net	32,127	32,618
Accrued interest receivable	17,277	14,069
State tax credits held for sale (including \$350 and \$400 carried at fair value, respectively)		43,468
Goodwill	117,345	117,345
Intangible assets, net	10,399	11,056
Other assets	117,577	114,783
Total assets	\$5,383,102	
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity		
Demand deposits	\$1,101,705	\$1,123,907
Interest-bearing transaction accounts	875,880	915,653
Money market accounts	1,445,459	1,342,931
Savings	210,029	195,150
Certificates of deposit:		,
Brokered	201,082	115,306
Other	447,222	463,467
Total deposits	4,281,377	4,156,414
Subordinated debentures and notes (net of debt issuance cost of \$1,103 and \$1,136,	110 110	110 105
respectively)	118,118	118,105
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	224,624	172,743
Other borrowings	166,589	253,674
Accrued interest payable	2,046	1,730
Other liabilities	35,333	37,986
Total liabilities	4,828,087	4,740,652
Shareholders' equity:		
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value;		
5,000,000 shares authorized; 0 shares issued and outstanding		_
Common stock, \$0.01 par value; 30,000,000 shares authorized; 23,867,710 and 23,781,11 shares issued, respectively	² 239	238

Treasury stock, at cost; 756,588 and 691,673 shares, respectively	(26,326) (23,268)
Additional paid in capital	348,092	350,061	
Retained earnings	244,573	225,360	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(11,563) (3,818)
Total shareholders' equity	555,015	548,573	
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$5,383,10	2 \$5,289,22	5
See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.			

ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP AND SUBSIDIARIES

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations (Unaudited)

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations (Unaudite	ed)	
	Three me	onths
	ended M	arch 31,
(in thousands, except per share data)	2018	2017
Interest income:		
Interest and fees on loans	\$50,450	\$39,926
Interest on debt securities:		
Taxable	3,987	3,230
Nontaxable	282	386
Interest on interest-bearing deposits	240	130
Dividends on equity securities	205	68
Total interest income	55,164	43,740
Interest expense:	55,101	15,710
Interest-bearing transaction accounts	806	675
Money market accounts	3,353	1,493
Savings accounts	125	82
Certificates of deposit		
Subordinated debentures and notes	1,899	1,215
	1,368	1,164
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	1,258	330
Notes payable and other borrowings	184	139
Total interest expense	8,993	5,098
Net interest income	46,171	38,642
Provision for portfolio loan losses	1,871	1,533
Provision reversal for purchased credit impaired loan losses		(148)
Net interest income after provision for loan losses	44,300	37,257
Noninterest income:		
Service charges on deposit accounts	2,851	2,510
Wealth management revenue	2,114	1,833
Card services revenue	1,516	1,037
Gain on state tax credits, net	252	246
Gain on sale of investment securities	9	
Miscellaneous income	2,800	1,350
Total noninterest income	9,542	6,976
Noninterest expense:		
Employee compensation and benefits	16,491	15,208
Occupancy	2,406	1,929
Data processing	1,467	1,633
Professional fees	849	837
FDIC and other insurance	917	824
Loan legal and other real estate expense	299	345
Merger related expenses	_	1,667
Other	6,714	4,293
Total noninterest expense	29,143	26,736
	<i>₩</i> ,1-TJ	20,750
Income before income tax expense	24,699	17,497
Income tax expense	3,778	5,106
Net income	\$20,921	\$12,391

Earnings per common share		
Basic	\$0.91	\$0.57
Diluted	0.90	0.56
See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statement	ts.	

ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP AND SUBSIDIARIES Condensed Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income (Unaudited)

	Three mo	
	ended M	arch 31,
(in thousands)	2018	2017
Net income	\$20,921	\$12,391
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax:		
Unrealized gains (losses) on investment securities arising during the period, net of income tax expense (benefit) for three months of \$(2,265) and \$348, respectively	(6,904) 567
Less: Reclassification adjustment for realized gains on sale of securities available for sale included in net income, net of income tax expense for three months of \$2 and \$0, respectively	(7) —
Total other comprehensive income (loss)	(6,911) 567
Total comprehensive income	\$14,010	\$12,958

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP AND SUBSIDIARIES

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Shareholders' Equity (Unaudited)

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Sharen		quity (Ona)	uuncu)					
(in thousands, except per share data)	Commo Stock	nTreasury Stock	Additional paid in capital	Retained earnings	Accumulate other comprehens income (los	sive ^s	Fotal hareholde equity	rs'
Balance December 31, 2017	\$ 238	\$(23,268)	\$350,061	\$225,360	\$ (3,818) \$	548,573	
Net income		_	_	20,921	_	2	20,921	
Other comprehensive income					(6,911) (6,911)
Total comprehensive income				20,921	(6,911) 1	4,010	
Cash dividends paid on common shares, \$0.11 per share		_	_	(2,542)		(.	2,542)
Repurchase of common shares		(3,058)	_	_	_	(.	3,058)
Issuance under equity compensation plans, 86,598 shares, net	1	_	(2,687)	_	_	(ž	2,686)
Share-based compensation			718	_	_	7	718	
Reclassification adjustments for change in accounting policies				834	(834) –	_	
Balance March 31, 2018	\$ 239	\$(26,326)	\$348,092	\$244,573	\$ (11,563) \$	555,015	

(in thousands, except per share data)	Commo Stock	nTreasury Stock	Additional paid in capital	Retained earnings	Accumulated other comprehensi income (loss	shareholders'
Balance December 31, 2016	\$ 203	\$(6,632)	\$213,078	\$182,190	\$ (1,741) \$387,098
Net income				12,391		12,391
Other comprehensive income			_	_	567	567
Total comprehensive income			_	12,391	567	12,958
Cash dividends paid on common shares, \$0.11 per share			—	(2,579)		(2,579)
Issuance under equity compensation plans, 93,236 shares, net	1		(2,152)			(2,151)
Share-based compensation		_	866	_		866
Shares issued in connection with acquisition o	f					
Jefferson County Bancshares, Inc., 3,299,865	33		141,696	_		141,729
shares, net						
Reclassification for the adoption of share-based payment guidance	_	_	(5,229)	5,229		
Balance March 31, 2017	\$ 237	\$(6,632)	\$348,259	\$197,231	\$ (1,174) \$537,921

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP AND SUBSIDIARIES

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Condensed Consolidated Sta		of Cash Flows (U onths ended Mar				
(in thousands, except share	2018			2017		
data)	2018			2017		
Cash flows from operating						
activities:						
Net income	\$	20,921		\$	12,391	
Adjustments to reconcile net						
income to net cash provided						
by operating activities						
Depreciation	849			387		
Provision for loan losses	1,870			1,385		
Deferred income taxes	2,290			962		
Net amortization of debt				1 210		
securities	533			1,310		
Amortization of intangible	(- (116		
assets	656			446		
Gain on sale of investment	10					
securities	(9)			
Mortgage loans originated						
for sale	(12,389)	(38,602)
Proceeds from mortgage						
loans sold	13,917			42,710		
Gain on state tax credits, net	(252)	(246)
Share-based compensation	718)	866)
Net accretion of loan	/10			000		
discount	(467)	(1,014)
Changes in:						
Accrued interest receivable	(3,209)	1,682		
Accrued interest payable	315)	1,082		
Other assets	(888)	(1,728)
Other liabilities	(2,640)	(1,728) (51,693))
	(2,040)	(31,093)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	22,215			(30,988)
in) operating activities						
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Proceeds from JCB						
				6 171		
acquisition, net of cash	_			6,171		
purchase price Net increase in loans	(02 125		\ \	(57 05 1		`
	(93,125)	(57,054)
Proceeds from the sale of	1,451			143,554		
securities, available for sale						
Proceeds from the paydown	10 (02			40.000		
or maturity of securities,	19,683			42,223		
available for sale						
Proceeds from the paydown	1 (22)			1 100		
or maturity of securities,	1,639			1,180		
held to maturity						

Proceeds from the redemption of other investments	13,514			12,033	3	
Proceeds from the sale of state tax credits held for sale Payments for the	,356			4,093		
purchase/origination of: Available for sale debt securities	(40,313)	(169,8	42)
Other investments State tax credits held for sal	(17,864)	(20,31 (1,298)
Fixed assets	(370)	(247)
Net cash used in investing activities Cash flows from financing	(114,02	9)	(39,50	5)
activities:						
Net increase (decrease) in noninterest-bearing deposit accounts	(22,202)	9,646		
Net increase in interest-bearing deposit	147,165	5		23,316	Ĵ	
accounts Proceeds from Federal Home Loan Bank advances	484,500)		681,18	31	
Repayments of Federal Home Loan Bank advances	(432,50	0)	(530,6	81)
Net decrease in other borrowings	(87,085)	(98,04	0)
Cash dividends paid on common stock	(2,542)	(2,579)
Payments for the repurchase of common stock	e (3,058)			
Payments for the issuance o equity instruments, net	^f (2,686)	(2,151)
Net cash provided by financing activities	81,592			80,692	2	
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(10,222)	10,199)	
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	153,323	3		198,80)2	
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$	143,101		\$	209,001	
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information: Cash paid during the period for:						
Interest	\$ 685	8,677		\$ 28	4,289	
Income taxes Noncash transactions:	685			28		
Common shares issued in connection with JCB	—			141,72	29	

acquisition

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP AND SUBSIDIARIES Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited)

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The significant accounting policies used by Enterprise Financial Services Corp (the "Company" or "Enterprise") in the preparation of the condensed consolidated financial statements are summarized below:

Business and Consolidation

Enterprise is a financial holding company that provides a full range of banking and wealth management services to individuals and corporate customers located in the St. Louis, Kansas City, and Phoenix metropolitan markets through its banking subsidiary, Enterprise Bank & Trust (the "Bank").

Operating results for the three months ended March 31, 2018 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for any other interim period or for the year ending December 31, 2018. For further information, refer to the consolidated financial statements and footnotes thereto included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017.

Basis of Financial Statement Presentation

The condensed consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries have been prepared in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP") for interim financial information and with the instructions to Form 10-Q and Rule 10-01 of Regulation S-X. The condensed consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its subsidiaries, all of which are wholly owned. All intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated.

During the first quarter of 2018, the Company adopted Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2016-01, "Financial Instruments-Overall (Subtopic 825-10): Recognition and Measurement of Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities." ASU 2016-01 requires equity investments to be measured at fair value through earnings, and eliminates the available-for-sale classification for equity securities with readily determinable fair values. The guidance also provides an alternative to measure equity securities without readily determinable fair values at cost less impairment (if any), plus or minus observable price changes from an identical or similar investment of the same issuer (the "measurement alternative"). The Company elected the measurement alternative for its qualifying equity securities. The adoption of this update resulted in an insignificant increase to retained earnings which was reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income.

In addition, the Company early adopted ASU 2017-12, "Derivatives and Hedging (Topic 815): Targeted Improvements to Accounting for Hedging Activities." The objective of ASU 2017-12 is to improve the financial reporting of hedging relationships by better aligning an entity's risk management activity with the economic objectives in undertaking those activities. The adoption of this update had an insignificant impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

The Company also early adopted ASU 2018-02, "Income Statement - Reporting Comprehensive Income (Topic 220): Reclassification of Certain Tax Effects from Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income" during the first quarter of 2018. The ASU allows a reclassification from accumulated other comprehensive income to retained earnings for stranded tax effects resulting from the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act. The adoption of this update resulted in an increase to retained earnings of \$0.8 million being reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income.

In the opinion of management, all adjustments (consisting of normal recurring accruals) considered necessary for a fair presentation have been included.

Revenue

The Company adopted ASU 2014-09 in the first quarter of 2018 using the modified retrospective approach. The Company's revenues are primarily composed of interest income on financial instruments, including investment securities, which are excluded from the scope of the new guidance. Certain other noninterest income from loans, investment securities and derivative financial instruments is also excluded from this guidance. Service charges on deposit accounts, wealth management revenue, card services revenue, and gain on sale of other real estate are within the scope of the guidance; however, there were no accounting policy changes as the Company's policies were consistent with the new guidance. Other noninterest income sources of revenue are considered immaterial. Implementation of this guidance did not change current business practices or have any changes to the Company's consolidated financial statements.

Descriptions of our revenue-generating activities that are within the scope of this guidance, which are presented in our income statement as components of noninterest income are as follows:

Service charges on deposit accounts - represents fees generated from a variety of deposit products and services provided to customers under a day-to-day contract. These fees are recognized on a daily or monthly basis. Wealth management revenue - represents monthly fees earned from directing, holding, and managing customers'

assets. Revenue is recognized over regular intervals, either monthly or quarterly.

Card services revenue - represents revenue earned from merchant, debit and credit cards as incurred and includes a contra revenue account for rebates.

Gain on sale of other real estate - represents income recognized at delivery of control of a property at the time of a real estate closing.

Income Taxes

The SEC staff issued SAB 118, which provides guidance on accounting for the tax effects of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 ("Tax Act"). SAB 118 provides a measurement period that should not extend beyond one year from the Tax Act enactment date for companies to complete the accounting under ASC 740. In accordance with SAB 118, a company must reflect the income tax effects of those aspects of the Act for which the accounting under ASC 740 is complete. To the extent that a company's accounting for certain income tax effects of the Tax Act is incomplete but it is able to determine a reasonable estimate, it must record a provisional estimate in the financial statements. If a company cannot determine a provisional estimate to be included in the financial statements, it should continue to apply ASC 740 on the basis of the provisions of the tax laws that were in effect immediately before the enactment of the Tax Act. The Company has recorded amounts based on the information known and reasonable estimates used as of March 31, 2018, but are subject to change based on a number of factors. The Company will complete its analysis of certain tax positions at the time it files its tax returns for the year ended December 31, 2017 and will be able to conclude if any further adjustments to the provisional estimate of the impact recorded is required.

NOTE 2 - EARNINGS PER SHARE

Basic earnings per common share data is calculated by dividing net income by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period. Common shares outstanding include common stock and restricted stock awards where recipients have satisfied the vesting terms. Diluted earnings per common share gives effect to all dilutive potential common shares outstanding during the period using the treasury stock method.

The following table presents a summary of per common share data and amounts for the periods indicated.

	Three m	onths
	ended M	arch 31,
(in thousands, except per share data)	2018	2017

Net income as reported	\$20,921	\$12,391
Weighted average common shares outstanding Additional dilutive common stock equivalents Weighted average diluted common shares outstanding	172	21,928 381 22,309
Basic earnings per common share: Diluted earnings per common share:	\$0.91 \$0.90	\$0.57 \$0.56

For the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, there were no common stock equivalents excluded from the earnings per share calculations because their effect would have been anti-dilutive.

NOTE 3 - INVESTMENTS

The following table presents the amortized cost, gross unrealized gains and losses and fair value of securities available for sale and held to maturity:

	March 31,	2018	
(in thousands)	Amortized Cost	Gross Unrealized Gains	Gross Unrealized Fair Losses
Available for sale securities:			
	\$99,890	\$ —	\$(1,698) \$98,192
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	32,611	386	(209) 32,788
Agency mortgage-backed securities	,	360	(13,713) 511,385
U.S. Treasury bills	9,955	_	(48) 9,907
Total securities available for sale	\$667,194	\$ 746	\$(15,668) \$652,272
Held to maturity securities:			
Obligations of states and political subdivisions		\$ 7	\$(241) \$12,318
Agency mortgage-backed securities	58,027		(1,579) 56,448
Total securities held to maturity	\$70,579	\$ 7	\$(1,820) \$68,766
	Decemb	per 31, 2017	,
	Ducum	$M_{1} J_{1} L_{01}$	
(in thousands)	Amortiz Cost	Gross	Gross ed Unrealized Fair Losses
(in thousands) Available for sale securities:	Amortiz	zed ^{Gross} Unrealiz	Gross ed Unrealized Value
	Amortiz Cost	zed Gross Unrealiz Gains	Gross ed Unrealized Value
Available for sale securities:	Amortiz Cost	zed Gross Unrealiz Gains	Gross ed Unrealized Losses
Available for sale securities: Obligations of U.S. Government-sponsored enterprise	Amortiz Cost es \$99,878	Gross Unrealiz Gains 3 \$ 6 674	Gross ed Unrealized Losses Fair Value \$ (660) \$99,224
Available for sale securities: Obligations of U.S. Government-sponsored enterprise Obligations of states and political subdivisions	Amortiz Cost es \$99,878 34,181 513,082	Gross Unrealiz Gains 3 \$ 6 674	Gross Unrealized Losses \$ (660) \$99,224 (213) 34,642
Available for sale securities: Obligations of U.S. Government-sponsored enterprise Obligations of states and political subdivisions Agency mortgage-backed securities	Amortiz Cost es \$99,878 34,181 513,082	zed Gross Unrealiz Gains 3 \$ 6 674 2 727	Gross ed Unrealized Losses Fair Value \$ (660) \$99,224 (213) 34,642 (6,293) 507,516
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At March 31, 2018, and December 31, 2017, there were no holdings of securities of any one issuer in an amount greater than 10% of shareholders' equity, other than U.S. Government agencies and sponsored enterprises. The agency mortgage-backed securities are all issued by U.S. Government-sponsored enterprises. Securities having a fair value of \$401.1 million and \$500.0 million at March 31, 2018, and December 31, 2017, respectively, were pledged as collateral to secure deposits of public institutions and for other purposes as required by law or contract provisions.

The amortized cost and estimated fair value of debt securities at March 31, 2018, by contractual maturity, are shown below. Expected maturities may differ from contractual maturities because borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties. The weighted average life of the mortgage-backed securities is approximately 5 years.

	Available	for sale	Held to r	naturity
(in thousands)	Amortized Cost	d ^{Estimated} Fair Value	Amortize Cost	Estimated Fair Value
Due in one year or less	\$2,404	\$2,419	\$—	\$—
Due after one year through five years	120,488	118,875	865	858
Due after five years through ten years	14,514	14,647	10,820	10,613
Due after ten years	5,050	4,946	867	847
Agency mortgage-backed securities	524,738	511,385	58,027	56,448
	\$667,194	\$652,272	\$70,579	\$68,766

The following table represents a summary of investment securities that had an unrealized loss:

	March 31	, 2018				
	Less than	12 months	12 months	s or more	Total	
(in thousands)	Fair	Unrealized		Unrealized		Unrealized
	Value	Losses	Value	Losses	Value	Losses
Obligations of U.S. Government-sponsored enterprises	\$98,192	\$ 1,698	\$—	\$ —	\$98,192	\$ 1,698
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	23,766	423	361	27	24,127	450
Agency mortgage-backed securities	408,153	10,017	121,046	5,275	529,199	15,292
U.S. Treasury bills	9,907	48			9,907	48
-	\$540,018	\$ 12,186	\$121,407	\$ 5,302	\$661,425	\$ 17,488
	December	31, 2017				
		: 31, 2017 12 months	12 months	s or more	Total	
(in thousands)				s or more Unrealized		Unrealized
(in thousands)	Less than	12 months				Unrealized Losses
(in thousands) Obligations of U.S. Government-sponsored enterprises	Less than Fair	12 months Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	
Obligations of U.S. Government-sponsored	Less than Fair Value	12 months Unrealized Losses	Fair Value	Unrealized Losses	Fair Value	Losses
Obligations of U.S. Government-sponsored enterprises	Less than Fair Value \$89,309	12 months Unrealized Losses \$ 660	Fair Value	Unrealized Losses	Fair Value \$89,309	Losses \$ 660

The unrealized losses at both March 31, 2018, and December 31, 2017, were primarily attributable to changes in market interest rates since the securities were purchased. Management systematically evaluates investment securities for other-than-temporary declines in fair value on a quarterly basis. This analysis requires management to consider various factors, which include among other considerations (1) the present value of the cash flows expected to be collected compared to the amortized cost of the security, (2) duration and magnitude of the decline in value, (3) the financial condition of the issuer or issuers, (4) structure of the security, and (5) the intent to sell the security or whether it is more likely than not the Company would be required to sell the security before its anticipated recovery in market value. At March 31, 2018, management performed its quarterly analysis of all securities with an unrealized

loss and concluded no individual securities were other-than-temporarily impaired. NOTE 4 - LOANS

The loan portfolio is comprised of loans originated by the Company and loans that were acquired in connection with the Company's acquisitions. These loans are accounted for using the guidance in the Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) section 310-30 and 310-20. Loans accounted for using ASC 310-30 are sometimes referred to as purchased credit impaired ("PCI") loans.

The table below shows the loan portfolio composition including carrying value by segment of loans accounted for at amortized cost, which includes our originated loans, and loans accounted for as PCI.

(in thousands)	March 31,	December 31,
	2018	2017
Loans accounted for at amortized cost	\$4,124,239	\$ 4,022,896
Loans accounted for as PCI	66,606	74,154
Total loans	\$4,190,845	\$ 4,097,050

The following tables refer to loans not accounted for as PCI loans.

Below is a summary of loans by category at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017:

(in thousands)	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
Commercial and industrial	\$1,981,684	\$1,918,720
Real estate:		
Commercial - investor owned	811,244	769,275
Commercial - owner occupied	568,773	554,589
Construction and land development	306,824	303,091
Residential	328,192	341,312
Total real estate loans	2,015,033	1,968,267
Consumer and other	128,436	137,234
Loans, before unearned loan fees	4,125,153	4,024,221
Unearned loan fees, net	(914)	(1,325)
Loans, including unearned loan fees	\$4,124,239	\$4,022,896

A summary of the activity in the allowance for loan losses and the recorded investment in loans by class and category based on impairment methodology through March 31, 2018, and at December 31, 2017, is as follows:

(in thousands)	Commercia and industrial	l CRE - investor owned		Construction and land development		l Consum and othe	nei er	Total
Allowance for loan losses:								
Balance at December 31, 2017	\$ 26,406	\$ 3,890	\$ 3,308	\$ 1,487	\$ 2,237	\$ 838		\$38,166
Provision (provision reversal) for loan losses	780	648	190	35	259	(41)	1,871
Losses charged off	(732)				(254)	(49)	(1,035)
Recoveries	956	8	4	206	73	14		1,261
Balance at March 31, 2018	\$ 27,410	\$4,546	\$ 3,502	\$ 1,728	\$ 2,315	\$ 762		\$40,263

(in thousands)	Commercial and industrial	CRE - investor owned	CRE - owner occupied	Construction and land development	Residential real estate	Consumer and other	Total
Balance March 31, 2018 Allowance for loan losses - Endin	g balance:		•	-			
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$2,794	\$—	\$99	\$ —	\$—	\$—	\$2,893
Collectively evaluated for impairment	24,616	4,546	3,403	1,728	2,315	762	37,370
Total	\$27,410	\$4,546	\$3,502	\$ 1,728	\$2,315	\$762	\$40,263
Loans - Ending balance:							
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$12,313	\$416	\$2,198	\$ —	\$1,777	\$325	\$17,029
Collectively evaluated for impairment	1,969,371	810,828	566,575	306,824	326,415	127,197	4,107,210
Total	\$1,981,684	\$811,244	\$568,773	\$ 306,824	\$328,192	\$127,522	\$4,124,239
Balance December 31, 2017 Allowance for loan losses - Endin	g balance:						
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$2,508	\$—	\$71	\$ —	\$—	\$—	\$2,579
Collectively evaluated for impairment	23,898	3,890	3,237	1,487	2,237	838	35,587
Total	\$26,406	\$3,890	\$3,308	\$ 1,487	\$2,237	\$838	\$38,166
Loans - Ending balance: Individually evaluated for impairment	\$12,665	\$422	\$1,975	\$ 136	\$1,602	\$375	\$17,175
Collectively evaluated for impairment	1,906,055	768,853	552,614	302,955	339,710	135,534	4,005,721
Total	\$1,918,720	\$769,275	\$554,589	\$ 303,091	\$341,312	\$135,909	\$4,022,896

A summary of nonperforming loans individually evaluated for impairment by category at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017, and the income recognized on impaired loans is as follows:

	March 3	1, 2018				
	Unpaid	Recorded	Recorded	Total		Average
(in thousands)	Contract	uladvestment	Investment	Recorded	Related	Recorded
(in mousands)	Principal	With No	With	Investment	Allowance	Investment
	Balance	Allowance	Allowance	mvestment		mvestment
Commercial and industrial	\$21,353	\$ 2,470	\$ 9,843	\$ 12,313	\$ 2,794	\$ 13,278
Real estate:						
Commercial - investor owned	558	416		416		418
Commercial - owner occupied	755	267	484	751	99	753
Construction and land development						
Residential	2,103	1,777		1,777		1,985
Consumer and other	325	325	—	325		341
Total	\$25,094	\$ 5,255	\$ 10,327	\$ 15,582	\$ 2,893	\$ 16,775

December 31, 2017

	Unpaid	Recorded	Recorded	Total		Average
(in thousands)	Contract	ulanlvestment	Investment	Recorded	Related	Recorded
(in thousands)	Principal	With No	With	Investment	Allowance	
	Balance	Allowance	Allowance	Investment		Investment
Commercial and industrial	\$20,750	\$ 2,321	\$ 10,344	\$ 12,665	\$ 2,508	\$ 16,270
Real estate:						
Commercial - investor owned	560	422		422		521
Commercial - owner occupied	487		487	487	71	490
Construction and land development	441	136	_	136		331
Residential	1,730	1,602		1,602		1,735
Consumer and other	375	375		375		375
Total	\$24,343	\$ 4,856	\$ 10,831	\$ 15,687	\$ 2,579	\$ 19,722

	Three
	months
	ended
	March 31,
(in thousands)	2018 2017
Total interest income that would have been recognized under original terms	\$534 \$315
Total cash received and recognized as interest income on non-accrual loans	11 23
Total interest income recognized on accruing, impaired loans	11 33

The recorded investment in nonperforming loans by category at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017, is as follows:

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	March 3	1, 2	018	
		Re	structured,	
(in thousands)	Non-acc	r nø l	on	Total
		noi	n-accrual	
Commercial and industrial	\$11,589			\$12,313
Real estate:				
Commercial - investor owned	416			416
Commercial - owner occupied	751			751
Construction and land development				
Residential	1,777			1,777
Consumer and other	325			325
Total	\$14,858	\$	724	\$15,582
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	Decembe	er 3	1, 2017	
	Decembe		1, 2017 structured,	
(in thousands)	December Non-acc	Re	structured,	Total
(in thousands)		Re r nøl	structured,	Total
(in thousands) Commercial and industrial	Non-acc	Re r nøl noi	structured, on n-accrual	1000
		Re r nøl noi	structured, on n-accrual	Total \$12,665
Commercial and industrial	Non-acc	Re r nøl noi	structured, on n-accrual	1000
Commercial and industrial Real estate: Commercial - investor owned	Non-acc \$11,946	Re r nøl noi	structured, on n-accrual	\$12,665
Commercial and industrial Real estate: Commercial - investor owned Commercial - owner occupied	Non-acc \$11,946 422 487	Re r nøl noi	structured, on n-accrual	\$12,665 422 487
Commercial and industrial Real estate: Commercial - investor owned	Non-acc \$11,946 422 487 136	Re r nøl noi	structured, on n-accrual	\$12,665 422 487 136
Commercial and industrial Real estate: Commercial - investor owned Commercial - owner occupied Construction and land development Residential	Non-acc \$11,946 422 487	Re r nøl noi	structured, on n-accrual	\$12,665 422 487 136 1,602
Commercial and industrial Real estate: Commercial - investor owned Commercial - owner occupied Construction and land development	Non-acc \$11,946 422 487 136 1,602	Re r næl noi \$ 	structured, on n-accrual	\$12,665 422 487 136

At March 31, 2018, loans over 90 days past due and still accruing interest totaled \$0.3 million. There were no loans over 90 days past due and still accruing interest at December 31, 2017.

There were no portfolio loans restructured during the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017.

As of March 31, 2018, the Company had \$1.9 million in specific reserves allocated to \$8.1 million of loans that have been restructured. During the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, there were no portfolio loans that subsequently defaulted.

The aging of the recorded investment in past due loans by portfolio class and category at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017 is shown below.

	March 3	31, 2018			
(in thousands)	30-89 Days Past	Days	Total Past Due	Current	Total
Commercial and industrial	\$3,669	\$5,150	\$8,819	\$1,972,865	\$1,981,684
Real estate:					
Commercial - investor owned				811,244	811,244
Commercial - owner occupied	945		945	567,828	568,773
Construction and land development	497		497	306,327	306,824
Residential	401	1,026	1,427	326,765	328,192
Consumer and other		325	325	127,197	127,522
Total	\$5,512	\$6,501	\$12,013	\$4,112,226	\$4,124,239
(in thousands)	Decemb 30-89 Days Past Due	oer 31, 2 90 or More Days Past Due	017 Total Past Due	Current	Total
(in thousands) Commercial and industrial	30-89 Days Past	90 or More Days Past Due	Total Past		Total 8 \$1,918,720
	30-89 Days Past Due	90 or More Days Past Due	Total Past Due		
Commercial and industrial	30-89 Days Past Due	90 or More Days Past Due	Total Past Due		
Commercial and industrial Real estate:	30-89 Days Past Due \$7,882	90 or More Days Past Due	Total Past Due) \$9,652	\$1,909,068	\$ \$1,918,720
Commercial and industrial Real estate: Commercial - investor owned	30-89 Days Past Due \$7,882 934	90 or More Days Past Due	Total Past Due) \$9,652	\$1,909,068 768,341	\$ \$1,918,720 769,275
Commercial and industrial Real estate: Commercial - investor owned Commercial - owner occupied	30-89 Days Past Due \$7,882 934	90 or More Days Past Due	Total Past Due) \$9,652 934 —	\$1,909,068 768,341 554,589	\$ \$1,918,720 769,275 554,589
Commercial and industrial Real estate: Commercial - investor owned Commercial - owner occupied Construction and land development	30-89 Days Past Due \$7,882 934 76	90 or More Days Past Due \$1,770	Total Past Due 9,652 934 	\$1,909,068 768,341 554,589 303,015	8 \$1,918,720 769,275 554,589 303,091

The Company categorizes loans into risk categories based on relevant information about the ability of borrowers to service their debt, such as current financial information, payment experience, credit documentation, and current economic factors among other factors. This analysis is performed on a quarterly basis. The Company uses the following definitions for risk ratings:

Grades 1, 2, and 3 – Includes loans to borrowers with a continuous record of strong earnings, sound balance sheet condition and capitalization, ample liquidity with solid cash flow, and whose management team has experience and depth within their industry.

Grade 4 – Includes loans to borrowers with positive trends in profitability, satisfactory capitalization and balance sheet condition, and sufficient liquidity and cash flow.

Grade 5 – Includes loans to borrowers that may display fluctuating trends in sales, profitability, capitalization, liquidity, and cash flow.

Grade 6 – Includes loans to borrowers where an adverse change or perceived weakness has occurred, but may be correctable in the near future. Alternatively, this rating category may also include circumstances where the borrower is starting to reverse a negative trend or condition, or has recently been upgraded from a 7, 8, or 9 rating.

Grade 7 – Watch credits are borrowers that have experienced financial setback of a nature that is not determined to be severe or influence 'ongoing concern' expectations. Although possible, no loss is anticipated, due to strong collateral

and/or guarantor support.

Grade 8 – Substandard credits will include those borrowers characterized by significant losses and sustained downward trends in balance sheet condition, liquidity, and cash flow. Repayment reliance may have shifted to secondary sources. Collateral exposure may exist and additional reserves may be warranted.

Grade 9 – Doubtful credits include borrowers that may show deteriorating trends that are unlikely to be corrected. Collateral values may appear insufficient for full recovery, therefore requiring a partial charge-off, or debt renegotiation with the borrower. The borrower may have declared bankruptcy or bankruptcy is likely in the near term. All doubtful rated credits will be on non-accrual.

The recorded investment by risk category of the loans by portfolio class and category at March 31, 2018, which is based upon the most recent analysis performed, and December 31, 2017 is as follows:

	March 31, 2	018		
(in thousands)	Pass (1-6)	Watch (7)	Substandard (8)	Total
Commercial and industrial	\$1,823,444	\$99,251	\$ 58,989	\$1,981,684
Real estate:				
Commercial - investor owned	784,937	21,371	4,936	811,244
Commercial - owner occupied	534,493	28,834	5,446	568,773
Construction and land development	295,632	10,989	203	306,824
Residential	317,750	2,606	7,836	328,192
Consumer and other	126,394	9	1,119	127,522
Total	\$3,882,650	\$163,060	\$ 78,529	\$4,124,239
	December 3	1. 2017		
		-,		
(in thousands)	Pass (1-6)	Watch (7)	Substandard (8)	Total
(in thousands) Commercial and industrial		Watch (7)		Total \$1,918,720
· · · ·	Pass (1-6)	Watch (7)	(8)	Total
Commercial and industrial	Pass (1-6)	Watch (7)	(8)	Total
Commercial and industrial Real estate:	Pass (1-6) \$1,769,102	Watch (7) \$94,002	(8) \$ 55,616	1 otal \$1,918,720
Commercial and industrial Real estate: Commercial - investor owned	Pass (1-6) \$1,769,102 754,010 514,616	Watch (7) \$94,002 10,840	(8) \$ 55,616 4,425	1 otal \$1,918,720 769,275
Commercial and industrial Real estate: Commercial - investor owned Commercial - owner occupied	Pass (1-6) \$1,769,102 754,010 514,616	Watch (7) \$94,002 10,840 34,440	(8) \$ 55,616 4,425 5,533	1 otal \$ 1,918,720 769,275 554,589
Commercial and industrial Real estate: Commercial - investor owned Commercial - owner occupied Construction and land development	Pass (1-6) \$1,769,102 754,010 514,616 292,766	Watch (7) \$94,002 10,840 34,440 9,983	 (8) \$ 55,616 4,425 5,533 342 	1 otal \$1,918,720 769,275 554,589 303,091

	March 31, 2018		December 31	, 2017	
	Weighted-	Recorded	Weighted-	Recorded	
(in thousands)	Average	Investment	Average	Investment	
	Risk Rating ¹	PCI Loans	Risk Rating ¹	PCI Loans	
Commercial and industrial	6.35	\$ 2,966	6.38	\$ 3,212	
Real estate:					
Commercial - investor owned	7.26	37,137	7.36	42,887	
Commercial - owner occupied	6.39	10,886	6.48	11,332	
Construction and land development	6.04	5,553	5.99	5,883	
Residential	6.02	10,008	5.99	10,781	
Consumer and other	2.76	56	2.84	59	
Total		\$ 66,606		\$ 74,154	

Below is a summary of PCI loans by category at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017:

¹Risk ratings are based on the borrower's contractual obligation, which is not reflective of the purchase discount.

The aging of the recorded investment in past due PCI loans by portfolio class and category at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017 is shown below:

	March 31, 2018				
(in thousands)	30-89 Days Past Due	90 or More Days Past Due		Current	Total
Commercial and industrial Real estate:	\$—	\$ <i>—</i>	\$—	\$2,966	\$2,966
Commercial - investor owned Commercial - owner occupied Construction and land development Residential Consumer and other Total	84 —	 665 294 5 \$ 959	944 665 88 378 	36,193 10,221 5,465 9,630 56 \$64,531	37,137 10,886 5,553 10,008 56 \$66,606
	Decem	nber 31,	2017		
(in thousands)	30-89 Days Past Due	iber 31, 90 or More Days Past Due	2017 Total Past Due	Current	Total
(in thousands) Commercial and industrial Real estate:	30-89 Days Past Due	90 or More Days Past	Total Past	Current \$3,212	Total \$3,212

The following table is a roll forward of PCI loans, net of the allowance for loan losses, for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017.

(in thousands)	Contractual Cashflows	Non-accretable	e Accretable Yield	e Carrying Amount
Balance December 31, 2017		\$ 29,005	\$ 13,962	\$69,743
Principal reductions and interest payments	(12,142)			(12,142)
Accretion of loan discount	<u> </u>		(1,755)	1,755
Changes in contractual and expected cash flows due to remeasurement	2,863		_	2,863
Balance March 31, 2018	\$103,431	\$ 29,005	\$12,207	\$62,219
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Balance December 31, 2016		\$ 18,902	\$13,176	\$33,925
Acquisitions	70,435	11,669	8,550	50,216
Principal reductions and interest payments	(4,310)			(4,310)
Accretion of loan discount	<u> </u>		(1,389)	1,389
Changes in contractual and expected cash flows due to remeasurement	3,166	(307)	1,165	2,308
Reductions due to disposals	(1,341)	(345)	(264)	(732)
Balance March 31, 2017	\$133,953	\$ 29,919	\$21,238	\$82,796

The accretable yield is recognized in interest income over the estimated life of the acquired loans using the effective yield method. Outstanding customer balances on PCI loans were \$85.9 million and \$94.9 million as of March 31, 2018, and December 31, 2017, respectively.

NOTE 5 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The Company issues financial instruments with off balance sheet risk in the normal course of the business of meeting the financing needs of its customers. These financial instruments include commitments to extend credit and standby letters of credit. These instruments may involve, to varying degrees, elements of credit and interest rate risk in excess of the amounts recognized in the consolidated balance sheets.

The Company's extent of involvement and maximum potential exposure to credit loss in the event of nonperformance 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 Company uses the same credit policies in making commitments and conditional obligations as it does for financial instruments included on its consolidated balance sheets. At March 31, 2018, the amount of unadvanced commitments on impaired loans was insignificant.

The contractual amounts of off-balance-sheet financial instruments as of March 31, 2018, and December 31, 2017, are as follows:

(in the user da)	March 31,	December 31,	
(in thousands)	2018	2017	
Commitments to extend credit	\$1,267,362	\$ 1,298,423	
Letters of credit	51,836	73,790	

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 usually have fixed expiration dates or other termination clauses, may have

significant usage restrictions, and may require payment of a fee. Of the total commitments to extend credit at March 31, 2018, and December 31, 2017, approximately \$123.9 million and \$112.0 million, respectively, represent fixed rate loan commitments. Since certain of the commitments may expire without being drawn upon or may be revoked, the total commitment amounts do not necessarily represent future cash requirements. The Company evaluates each customer's credit worthiness on a case-by-case basis. The amount of collateral obtained, if deemed necessary by the Company upon extension of credit, is based on management's credit evaluation of the borrower. Collateral held varies, but may include accounts receivable, inventory, premises and equipment, and real estate. Other liabilities includes \$0.4 million for estimated losses attributable to the unadvanced commitments at March 31, 2018, and December 31, 2017.

Standby letters of credit are conditional commitments issued by the Company to guarantee the performance or payment of a customer to a third party. These standby letters of credit are issued to support contractual obligations of the Company's customers. The credit risk involved in issuing letters of credit is essentially the same as the risk involved in extending loans to customers. As of March 31, 2018, the approximate remaining terms of standby letters of credit range from 1 month to 3 years and 6 months.

Contingencies

The Company and its subsidiaries are, from time to time, parties to various legal proceedings arising out of their businesses. Management believes there are no such proceedings pending or threatened against the Company or its subsidiaries which, if determined adversely, would have a material adverse effect on the business, consolidated financial condition, results of operations or cash flows of the Company or any of its subsidiaries.

NOTE 6 - DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Company is a party to various derivative financial instruments that are used in the normal course of business to meet the needs of its clients and as part of its risk management activities. These instruments include interest rate swaps and option contracts and foreign exchange forward contracts. The Company does not enter into derivative financial instruments for trading purposes.

Hedging Instruments. At March 31, 2018, the Company has no outstanding derivative contracts used to manage risk.

Client-Related Derivative Instruments. The Company enters into interest rate swaps to allow customers to hedge changes in fair value of certain loans while maintaining a variable rate loan on its own books. The Company also enters into foreign exchange forward contracts with clients, and enters into offsetting foreign exchange forward contracts with established financial institution counterparties. The table below summarizes the notional amounts and fair values of the client-related derivative instruments:

			Asset D	D erivatives	Liabilit	y Derivatives
			(Other 2	Assets)	(Other	Liabilities)
	Notional A	Amount	Fair Va	lue	Fair Va	lue
(in thousands)	March 31,	December 31,	March 3	3December 31,	March	3December 31,
(in thousands)	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017
Non-designated hedging instruments						
Interest rate swap contracts	\$379,778	\$ 394,852	\$2,524	\$ 2,061	\$2,524	\$ 2,061
Foreign exchange forward contracts	1,482	1,528	1,482	1,528	1,482	1,528

Changes in the fair value of client-related derivative instruments are recognized currently in operations. For the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, the gains and losses offset each other due to the Company's hedging of the

client swaps and foreign exchange contracts with other bank counterparties.

NOTE 7 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Below is a description of certain assets and liabilities measured at fair value.

The following table summarizes financial instruments measured at fair value on a recurring basis as of March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017, segregated by the level of the valuation inputs within the fair value hierarchy utilized to measure fair value:

	March 31, 2018 Quoted Prices
(in thousands)	in Active Other Markets for Observable Identical (Level 2) (Level 1) Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3) Total Fair Value
Assets	
Securities available for sale	
Obligations of U.S. Government-sponsored enterprises	\$— \$98,192 \$ — \$98,192
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	— 32,788 — 32,788
Residential mortgage-backed securities	— 511,385 — 511,385
U.S. Treasury bills	— 9,907 — 9,907
Total securities available for sale	\$— \$652,272 \$ — \$652,272
Other investments	171 — — 171
State tax credits held for sale	— — 350 350
Derivative financial instruments	<u> </u>
Total assets	\$171 \$656,278 \$ 350\$656,799
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Liabilities Derivative financial instruments	\$
Total liabilities	\$— \$4,006 \$ — \$4,006 \$— \$4,006 \$ — \$4,006
Total habilities	3 - 34,000 - 3 34,000
	December 31, 2017
	Quoted
	Prices
	in _c
	Active Significant
(in thousands)	Markets Observable Unobservable Fair
(in thousands)	tor Inputs
	Identical (Level 3) Value
	Assets
	(Level
	1)
Assets	
Securities available for sale	¢ ¢ 00 224 ¢ ¢ 00 224
Obligations of U.S. Government-sponsored enterprises	\$- \$ 99,224 \$ — \$99,224

Obligations of states and political subdivisions	34,642		34,642
Residential mortgage-backed securities	507,516		507,516
Total securities available for sale	\$-\$-641,382		\$641,382
State tax credits held for sale			400
Derivative financial instruments	3,589		3,589
Total assets	\$-\$-644,971		\$645,371
Liabilities Derivative financial instruments Total liabilities	\$- \$ 3,589 \$- \$ 3,589	\$ — \$ —	\$3,589 \$3,589

Securities available for sale. Securities classified as available for sale are reported at fair value utilizing Level 2 and Level 3 inputs. Fair values for Level 2 securities are based upon dealer quotes, market spreads, the U.S.

Treasury yield curve, trade execution data, market consensus prepayment speeds, credit information and the bond's terms and conditions at the security level.

Other investments. At March 31, 2018, of the \$29.3 million of other investments on the condensed consolidated balance sheet, approximately \$0.2 million were carried at fair value. The remaining \$29.1 million of other investments were accounted for at cost. Other investments reported at fair value represent equity securities with quoted market prices (Level 1).

State tax credits held for sale. At March 31, 2018, of the \$42.4 million of state tax credits held for sale on the condensed consolidated balance sheet, approximately \$0.4 million were carried at fair value. The remaining \$42.0 million of state tax credits were accounted for at cost.

The Company is not aware of an active market that exists for the 10-year streams of state tax credit financial instruments. However, the Company's principal market for these tax credits consists of Missouri state residents who buy these credits and local and regional accounting firms who broker them. As such, the Company employed a discounted cash flow analysis (income approach) to determine the fair value.

The remaining state tax credits carried at fair value are expected to be sold within the next several quarters. The state tax credit assets are reported as Level 3 assets.

Derivatives. Derivatives are reported at fair value utilizing Level 2 inputs. The Company obtains counterparty quotations to value its interest rate swaps. In addition, the Company validates the counterparty quotations with third party valuation sources. Derivatives with negative fair values are included in Other liabilities in the consolidated balance sheets. Derivatives with positive fair value are included in Other assets in the consolidated balance sheets. There were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 during the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017.

Level 3 financial instruments

The following table presents the changes in Level 3 financial instruments measured at fair value on a recurring basis as of March 31, 2018 and 2017.

Purchases, sales, issuances and settlements. There were no Level 3 purchases during the quarters ended March 31, 2018 or 2017.

Transfers in and/or out of Level 3. There were no Level 3 transfers during the quarters ended March 31, 2018 and 2017.

	Securities available for sale, at fair value Three months ended March 31,
(in thousands)	20 20 17
Beginning balance	\$ \$ 3,089
Total gains:	
Included in other comprehensive income	—4
Purchases, sales, issuances and settlements:	
Purchases	
Transfer in and/or out of Level 3	
Ending balance	\$-\$3,093

Change in unrealized gains relating to assets still held at the reporting date \$-\$4

	sale	s held for
		months
	ended 31,	March
(in thousands)	2018	2017
Beginning balance	\$400	\$3,585
Total gains:		
Included in earnings	3	40
Purchases, sales, issuances and settlements:		
Sales	(53)	(2,167)
Ending balance	\$350	\$1,458
Change in unrealized gains (losses) relating to assets still held at the reporting date	\$(13)	\$(606)

From time to time, the Company measures certain assets at fair value on a nonrecurring basis. These include assets that are measured at the lower of cost or fair value that were recognized at fair value below cost at the end of the period. The following table presents financial instruments and non-financial assets measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis as of March 31, 2018.

	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
		Quoted			Total
		Prices in	l		losses
		Active	Significant	Significant	for the
	Total	Markets	Other	Unobservable	three
(in thousands)	Fair	for	Observable		months
	Value	Identica	l Inputs	Inputs (Level 3)	ended
		Assets	(Level 2)	(Level 3)	March
		(Level			31,
		1)			2018
Impaired loans	\$2,929	\$ -	\$	-\$ 2,929	\$ 882
Other real estate	455			455	43
Total	\$3,384	\$ -	-\$ -	-\$ 3,384	\$ 925

(1) The amounts represent only balances measured at fair value during the period and still held as of the reporting date.

Impaired loans are reported at the fair value of the underlying collateral for collateral dependent loans. Fair values for impaired loans are obtained from current appraisals by qualified licensed appraisers or independent valuation specialists. At March 31, 2018, impaired loans measured on a non-recurring basis had a principal balance of \$3.5 million, with a valuation allowance of \$0.6 million.

Other real estate owned is adjusted to fair value upon foreclosure of the underlying loan. Subsequently, foreclosed assets are carried at the lower of carrying value or fair value less costs to sell. Fair value of other real estate is based upon the current appraised values of the properties as determined by qualified licensed appraisers and the Company's judgment of other relevant market conditions.

Following is a summary of the carrying amounts and fair values of the Company's financial instruments on the consolidated balance sheets at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017. Fair values that are not estimable are listed at the carrying value.

	March 31, 2018		Decembe	er 31, 2017	
(in thousands)	Carrying	Estimated	Carrying	Estimated	
(In mousailus)	Amount	fair value	Amount	fair value	
Balance sheet assets					
Cash and due from banks	\$81,604	\$81,604	\$91,084	\$91,084	
Federal funds sold	1,099	1,099	1,223	1,223	
Interest-bearing deposits	62,798	62,798	63,661	63,661	
Securities available for sale	652,272	652,272	641,382	641,382	
Securities held to maturity	70,579	68,766	73,749	73,458	
Other investments, at cost	29,263	29,263	26,661	26,661	
Loans held for sale	1,748	1,748	3,155	3,155	
Derivative financial instruments	4,006	4,006	3,589	3,589	
Portfolio loans, net	4,146,19	54,158,694	4,054,47	34,096,741	
State tax credits, held for sale	42,364	41,072	43,468	44,271	
Accrued interest receivable	17,277	17,277	14,069	14,069	
Balance sheet liabilities					
Deposits	4,281,37	74,276,096	4,156,41	44,153,323	
Subordinated debentures and notes	118,118	105,751	118,105	105,031	
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	224,624	224,665	172,743	172,893	
Other borrowings	166,589	166,471	253,674	253,530	
Derivative financial instruments	4,006	4,006	3,589	3,589	
Accrued interest payable	2,046	2,046	1,730	1,730	

For information regarding the methods and assumptions used to estimate the fair value of each class of financial instruments for which it is practical to estimate such value, refer to Note 18 – Fair Value Measurements in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017.

The following table presents the level in the fair value hierarchy for the estimated fair values of only the Company's financial instruments that are not already presented on the condensed consolidated balance sheets at fair value at March 31, 2018, and December 31, 2017.

	Estimated F		
	Measureme	nt at	Balance at
	Reporting D	Date Using	March 31,
(in thousands)	Level Level 2	Level 3	2018
Financial Assets:			
Securities held to maturity	\$ -\$ 68,766	\$ -	-\$ 68,766
Portfolio loans, net		4,158,694	4,158,694
State tax credits, held for sale		40,722	40,722
Financial Liabilities:			
Deposits	3, 633 ,073	643,023	4,276,096
Subordinated debentures and notes	—105,751		105,751
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	-224,665		224,665
Other borrowings	—166,471		166,471
	Estimated F	air Value	
	Measureme	Balance at	
	Reporting D	Date Using	December
(in thousands)	Level Level 2	Level 3	31, 2017

	1		
Financial Assets:			
Securities held to maturity	\$-\$73,458	\$ -	-\$ 73,458
Portfolio loans, net		4,096,741	4,096,741
State tax credits, held for sale		43,871	43,871
Financial Liabilities:			
Deposits	3,577,641	575,682	4,153,323
Subordinated debentures and notes	—105,031		105,031
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	—172,893		172,893
Other borrowings	-253,530		253,530

NOTE 8 - NEW AUTHORITATIVE ACCOUNTING GUIDANCE

Financial Accounting Standards Board (the "FASB") ASU 2017-08 "Receivables - Nonrefundable Fees and Other Costs (Subtopic 310-20), Premium Amortization on Purchased Callable Debt Securities" In March 2017, the FASB issued ASU 2017-08, "Receivables - Nonrefundable Fees and Other Costs (Subtopic 310-20)" which shortens the amortization period of certain callable debt securities held at a premium to the earliest call date. The amendments are effective for public business entities for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2018, including interim periods within those annual periods, with early adoption being permitted. The Company has evaluated the new guidance and does not expect it to have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

FASB ASU 2016-13 "Financial Instruments - Credit Losses (Topic 326): Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments" In June 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-13, "Financial Instruments (Topic 326)" which changes the methodology for evaluating impairment of most financial instruments. The ASU replaces the currently used incurred loss model with a forward-looking expected loss model, which will generally result in a more timely recognition of

losses. The guidance becomes effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2019, including interim periods within those fiscal years. Early adoption is permitted for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2018, including interim periods within those fiscal years. The Company has formed an implementation team that includes members of accounting, credit, and loan operations to review the requirements of ASU 2016-13. The Company has not determined the impact this standard may have on its financial statements.

FASB ASU 2016-02 "Leases (Topic 842)" In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-02, "Leases (Topic 842)" which requires organizations that lease assets ("lessees") to recognize the assets and liabilities for the rights and obligations created by leases with terms of more than 12 months. The recognition, measurement, and presentation of expenses and cash flows arising from a lease by a lessee remains dependent on its classification as a finance or operating lease. The criteria for determining whether a lease is a finance or operating lease has not been significantly changed by this ASU. The ASU also requires additional disclosure of the amount, timing, and uncertainty of cash flows arising from leases, including qualitative and quantitative requirements. The guidance becomes effective for periods beginning after December 15, 2018, including interim periods therein. Early adoption will be permitted. The Company has formed a lease implementation team that includes members of accounting, facilities and operations to review lease contracts and the requirements of ASU 2016-02. The Company expects the adoption of this standard will increase total assets on the Company's consolidated balance sheet and utilize capital.

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

Safe Harbor Statement Under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 Some of the information in this report contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of and intended to be covered by the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements typically are identified with use of terms such as "may," "might," "will, "should," "expect," "plan," "anticipate," "b "estimate," "predict," "potential," "could," "continue" and the negative of these terms and similar words, although some forward-looking statements may be expressed differently. Forward-looking statements also include, but are not limited to, statements regarding plans, objectives, expectations or consequences of statements about the future performance, operations products and services of the Company and its subsidiaries. Our ability to predict results or the actual effect of future plans or strategies is inherently uncertain. You should be aware that our actual results could differ materially from those contained in the forward-looking statements due to a number of factors, including, but not limited to: our ability to efficiently integrate acquisitions into our operations, retain the customers of these businesses and grow the acquired operations; credit risk; changes in the appraised valuation of real estate securing impaired loans; outcomes of litigation and other contingencies; exposure to general and local economic conditions; risks associated with rapid increases or decreases in prevailing interest rates; consolidation within the banking industry; competition from banks and other financial institutions; our ability to attract and retain relationship officers and other key personnel; burdens imposed by federal and state regulation; changes in regulatory requirements; changes in accounting regulation or standards applicable to banks; and other risks discussed under the caption "Risk Factors" of our most recently filed Form 10-K or within this Form 10-Q, all of which could cause the Company's actual results to differ from those set forth in the forward-looking statements.

Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on our forward-looking statements, which reflect management's analysis and expectations only as of the date of such statements. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made, and the Company does not intend, and undertakes no obligation, to publicly revise or update forward-looking statements after the date of this report, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by federal securities law. You should understand that it is not possible to predict or identify all risk factors. Readers should carefully review all disclosures we file from time to time with the Securities and Exchange Commission which are available on our website at www.enterprisebank.com under "Investor Relations."

Introduction

The following discussion describes the significant changes to the financial condition of the Company that have occurred during the first three months of 2018 compared to the financial condition as of December 31, 2017. In addition, this discussion summarizes the significant factors affecting the results of operations, liquidity and cash flows of the Company for the three months ended March 31, 2018, compared to the same periods in 2017. This discussion should be read in conjunction with the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements included in this report and our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017.

Executive Summary

Below are highlights of our financial performance for the three months ended March 31, 2018, as compared to the linked quarter ended December 31, 2017, and prior year period. The Company closed its acquisition of Jefferson County Bancshares, Inc. ("JCB") on February 10, 2017. The results of operations of JCB are included in our consolidated results since this date and, therefore, were not included for the full prior year period.

	For the Three Months ended/At				
(in thousands, except per share data)	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,		
	2018	2017	2017		
EARNINGS					
Total interest income	\$55,164	\$ 54,789	\$43,740		
Total interest expense	8,993	7,385	5,098		
Net interest income	46,171	47,404	38,642		
Provision for portfolio loans	1,871	3,186	1,533		
Provision reversal for PCI loans		(279)	(148)		
Net interest income after provision for loan losses	44,300	44,497	37,257		
Total noninterest income	9,542	11,112	6,976		
Total noninterest expense	29,143	28,260	26,736		
Income before income tax expense	24,699	27,349	17,497		
Income tax expense	3,778	19,820	5,106		
Net income	\$20,921	\$ 7,529	\$12,391		
Basic earnings per share	\$0.91	\$ 0.33	\$0.57		
Diluted earnings per share	0.90	0.32	0.56		
Return on average assets		0.57 %	1.10 %		
Return on average common equity	15.31 %	5.37 %	10.65 %		
Return on average tangible common equity	19.92 %	6.99 %	12.96 %		
Net interest margin (fully tax equivalent)			3.73 %		
Efficiency ratio	52.31 %	48.29 %	58.61 %		
Tangible book value per common share	\$18.49	\$ 18.20	\$17.59		
ASSET QUALITY (1)					
Net charge-offs (recoveries)	\$(226)	\$ 3,313	\$(56)		
Nonperforming loans	15,582	15,687	13,847		
Classified assets	77,195	73,239	86,879		
Nonperforming loans to portfolio loans	0.38 %	0.39 %	0.36 %		
Nonperforming assets to total assets ⁽¹⁾	0.30 %	0.31 %	0.33 %		
Allowance for loan losses to portfolio loans		0.95 %	1.03 %		
Net charge-offs to average loans (annualized)	(0.02)%	0.33 %	(0.01)%		

(1) Excludes purchased credit impaired loans and related assets, except for their inclusion in total assets.

Below are highlights of the Company's Core performance measures, which we believe are important measures of financial performance, but are non-GAAP measures. For additional information, refer to the reconciliation of Core performance measures included in this MD&A section under the caption "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures".

	For the Three Months ended					
(in thousands)	March 31,		December 31,		March 3	31,
(III thousands)	2018		2017		2017	
CORE PERFORMANCE MEASURES (1)						
Net interest income	\$45,405		\$ 44,901		\$37,56	7
Provision for portfolio loans	1,871		3,186		1,533	
Noninterest income	8,520		11,118		6,976	
Noninterest expense	29,129		28,146		24,946	
Income before income tax expense	22,925		24,687		18,064	
Income tax expense	3,340		6,692		4,916	
Net income	\$19,585		\$ 17,995		\$13,14	8
Earnings per share	\$0.84		\$ 0.77		\$0.59	
Return on average assets	1.49	%	1.37	%	1.17	%
Return on average common equity	14.34	%	12.84	%	11.29	%
Return on average tangible common equity	18.64	%	16.71	%	13.75	%
Net interest margin (fully tax equivalent)	3.74	%	3.73	%	3.63	%
Efficiency ratio	54.02	%	50.24	%	56.01	%

(1) A non-GAAP measure. A reconciliation has been included in this MD&A section under the caption "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures."

For the three months ended March 31, 2018 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2017, the Company noted the following trends:

The Company reported net income of \$20.9 million, or \$0.90 per diluted share, for the three months ended March 31, 2018, compared to \$12.4 million, or \$0.56 per diluted share, for the same period in 2017. The \$0.34 increase in earnings per share primarily increased from growth in the balance sheet related to the acquisition of JCB as well as organic loan and deposit growth. The Company's efficiency ratio improved to 52.3% for the quarter ended March 31, 2018, compared to 58.6% for the prior year period.

On a core basis¹, net income grew 49% to \$19.6 million, or \$0.84 per diluted share, for the quarter ended March 31, 2018, compared to \$13.1 million, or \$0.59 per diluted share, in the prior year period. The diluted core earnings per share¹ increase of \$0.25 was primarily due to higher levels of core net interest income from continued growth in earning asset balances combined with 11 basis points of core net interest margin¹ expansion, and a lower effective tax rate, which resulted from U.S. corporate tax reform.

• Net interest income for the first three months of 2018 increased \$7.5 million or 19%, from the prior year period due to strong portfolio loan growth, net interest margin expansion and the acquisition of JCB.

Net interest margin for the first quarter of 2018 increased seven basis points to 3.80% when compared to the prior year period of 3.73%. Core net interest margin¹, which excludes incremental accretion on non-core acquired loans, increased 11 basis points to 3.74% for the first three months of 2018 from the prior year period primarily due to the impact of interest rate increases on portfolio loans out-pacing the increase in deposit and borrowing costs.

Noninterest income for the first three months of 2018 increased \$2.6 million or 37%, compared to the prior year period primarily due to \$1.2 million from certain recoveries, in addition to higher income from deposit

service charges, wealth management revenue, and card services from the acquisition of JCB, as well as growth in the client base.

Noninterest expenses were \$29.1 million for the quarter ended March 31, 2018, compared to \$26.7 million for the quarter ended March 31, 2017. Noninterest expenses for the 2017 period included \$1.7 million of merger related expenses. Core noninterest expenses¹ were \$29.1 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, compared to \$24.9 million for the prior year period primarily due to increases in compensation and benefit expense and other operating expenses from the acquisition of JCB, along with tax credit amortization of \$0.8 million.

Balance sheet highlights:

Loans – Portfolio loans increased to \$4.2 billion at March 31, 2018, increasing \$95 million when compared to December 31, 2017 primarily in the commercial and industrial, and commercial real estate categories. Deposits – Total deposits at March 31, 2018 were \$4.3 billion, an increase of \$125 million, or 3% from December 31, 2017. Core deposits, defined as total deposits excluding time deposits, were \$3.6 billion at March 31, 2018, an increase of \$55 million from the linked quarter.

Asset quality – Nonperforming loans were \$15.6 million at March 31, 2018, compared to \$14.9 million at December 31, 2017. Nonperforming loans represented 0.38% and 0.39% of portfolio loans at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively.

Provision for portfolio loan losses was \$1.9 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, compared to \$1.5 million for the three months ended March 31, 2017. See Item 1, Note 5 – Portfolio Loans, and Provision and Allowance for Loan Losses in this section for more information.

¹A non-GAAP measure. A reconciliation has been included in this MD&A section under the caption "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures."

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

Net Interest Income

Average Balance Sheet

Non-core acquired loans were those acquired from the FDIC and were previously covered by shared-loss agreements. These loans continue to be accounted for as purchased credit impaired loans. Approximately \$38 million of loans acquired from JCB's portfolio are also accounted for as purchased credit impaired loans. However, all loans acquired from JCB are included in portfolio loans. The following table presents, for the periods indicated, certain information related to our average interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities, as well as, the corresponding interest rates earned and paid, all on a tax equivalent basis.

	Three months ended March 31, 2018			2017		
(in thousands)	Average Balance	Interest Income/Expen	Average Yield/ Rate	Average Balance	Interest Income/Expen	Average Yield/ Rate
Assets						
Interest-earning assets:						
Taxable portfolio loans (1)	\$4,072,639	\$ 48,891		\$3,466,637	\$ 37,827	4.43 %
Tax-exempt portfolio loans (2)	37,206	489	5.33	44,820	693	6.27
Non-core acquired loans - contractual	29,125	426	5.93	39,287	595	6.14
Non-core acquired loans - incremental accretion		766	10.67		1,075	11.10
Total loans	4,138,970	50,572	4.96	3,550,744	40,190	4.59
Taxable investments in debt and equity securities	698,459	4,192	2.43	580,600	3,298	2.30
Non-taxable investments in debt and equity securities (2)	^y 42,128	375	3.61	56,626	622	4.45
Short-term investments	69,318	240	1.40	71,228	130	0.74
Total securities and short-term investments	\$ 809,905	4,807	2.41	708,454	4,050	2.32
Total interest-earning assets	4,948,875	55,379	4.54	4,259,198	44,240	4.21
Noninterest-earning assets:						
Cash and due from banks	88,630			75,226		
Other assets	346,376			283,448		
Allowance for loan losses	(43,769)			(44,284)		
Total assets	\$5,340,112			\$4,573,588		
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity Interest-bearing liabilities:						
Interest-bearing transaction accounts	\$862,912	\$ 806		\$765,405	\$ 675	0.36 %
Money market accounts	1,391,055	3,353	0.98	1,193,350	1,493	0.51
Savings	201,852	125	0.25	154,348	82	0.22
Certificates of deposit	603,736	1,899	1.28	548,705	1,215	0.90
Total interest-bearing deposits	3,059,555	6,183	0.82	2,661,808	3,465	0.53
Subordinated debentures	118,110	1,368	4.70	112,497	1,164	4.19
FHLB advances	302,548	1,258	1.69	144,903	330	0.91
Other borrowed funds	207,442	184	0.36	246,041	139	0.23
Total interest-bearing liabilities	3,687,655	8,993	0.99	3,165,249	5,098	0.65
Noninterest bearing liabilities:	1 0 (1 == 1			006051		
Demand deposits	1,064,771			906,951		
Other liabilities	33,620			29,311		

Total liabilities	4,786,046			4,101,511			
Shareholders' equity	554,066			472,077			
Total liabilities & shareholders' equity	\$5,340,112			\$4,573,588			
Net interest income		\$ 46,386			\$ 39,142		
Net interest spread			3.55	%		3.56	%
Net interest margin			3.80	%		3.73	%
Core net interest margin (3)			3.74	%		3.63	%
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Average balances include non-accrual loans. The income on such loans is included in interest but is recognized only upon receipt. Loan fees, net of amortization of deferred loan origination fees and costs,

(1) included in interest income are approximately \$1.0 million and \$0.8 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017 respectively.

Non-taxable income is presented on a fully tax-equivalent basis using a 24.7% and 38.0% tax rate in 2018 and (2)2017, respectively. The tax-equivalent adjustments were \$0.2 million and \$0.5 million for the three months ended

March 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

(3) A non-GAAP measure. A reconciliation has been included in this MD&A section under the caption "Use of Non-GAAP Financial measures."

Rate/Volume

The following table sets forth, on a tax-equivalent basis for the periods indicated, a summary of the changes in interest income and interest expense resulting from changes in yield/rates and volume.

	2018 compared to 2017				
	Three m	Three months ended March			
	31,	31,			
	Increase	(decrease	e) due to		
(in thousands)	Volume	$(\mathbf{R}_{ate}(2))$	Net		
Interest earned on:					
Taxable portfolio loans	\$7,056	\$4,008	\$11,064		
Tax-exempt portfolio loans (3)	(108)	(96)	(204)		
Non-core acquired loans	(418)	(60)	(478)		
Taxable investments in debt and equity securities	699	195	894		
Non-taxable investments in debt and equity securities (3)	(142)	(105)	(247)		
Short-term investments	(3)	113	110		
Total interest-earning assets	\$7,084	\$4,055	\$11,139		
Interest paid on:					
Interest-bearing transaction accounts	\$91	\$40	\$131		
Money market accounts	284	1,576	1,860		
Savings	30	13	43		
Certificates of deposit	131	553	684		
Subordinated debentures	59	145	204		
FHLB advances	519	409	928		
Borrowed funds	(25)	70	45		
Total interest-bearing liabilities	1,089	2,806	3,895		
Net interest income	\$5,995	\$1,249	\$7,244		

(1) Change in volume multiplied by yield/rate of prior period.

(2) Change in yield/rate multiplied by volume of prior period.

(3) Nontaxable income is presented on a fully-tax equivalent basis using the combined statutory federal and state income tax rate in effect for each tax year.

NOTE: The change in interest due to both rate and volume has been allocated to rate and volume changes in proportion to the relationship of the absolute dollar amounts of the change in each.

Net interest income (on a tax equivalent basis) was \$46.4 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, compared to \$39.1 million for the same period of 2017, an increase of \$7.2 million, or 19%. The tax-equivalent net interest margin was 3.80% for the first quarter of 2018, compared to 3.73% in the first quarter of 2017. Portfolio loan growth and higher rates, combined with the acquisition of JCB, supported the \$11.1 million increase in interest income over the prior year period. The yield on taxable portfolio loans increased 42 basis points from the prior year period to 4.87% for the three months ended March 31, 2018, due to increasing interest rates on the existing variable-rate loan portfolio and higher rates on newly originated loans. The run-off of higher yielding non-core acquired loans continues to negatively impact net interest margin and resulted in a \$0.5 million decrease in interest income for the three months ended March 31, 2018 compared to the prior year period.

Core net interest margin¹ expanded 11 basis points from the prior year to 3.74% for the three months ended March 31, 2018, primarily due to loan growth improving the earning asset mix, combined with increased yield on portfolio loans out-pacing the increase to borrowing costs. The increase in the interest rate paid on deposits reflects market interest

rate trends, as the Company continues to defend and attract new core deposit relationships. The Company continues to manage its balance sheet to grow core net interest income and expects to maintain core net interest margin over the coming quarters; however, pressure on funding costs could hinder the expected trends in core net interest margin.

Non-Core Acquired Assets Contribution

The following table illustrates the non-core contribution of non-core acquired loans and related assets for the periods indicated.

	For the ' Months	
		lMarch 31,
	2018	2017
Accelerated cash flows and other incremental accretion	\$766	\$ 1,075
Provision reversal for non-core acquired loan losses		148
Other income	1,013	
Other expenses	(14)	(123)
Non-core acquired assets income before income tax expense	\$1,765	\$ 1,100

Accelerated cash flows and other incremental accretion consists of the interest income on non-core acquired loans in excess of contractual interest on the loans. The contractual amount of interest is included in the Company's core results. At March 31, 2018, the remaining accretable yield on the remaining non-core acquired portfolio was estimated to be \$9 million and the non-accretable difference was approximately \$13 million. Accelerated cash flows and other incremental accretion from these was \$0.8 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, and \$1.1 million for the same period in 2017. The Company estimates income from accelerated cash flows and other incremental accretion to be between \$3 million and \$5 million in total for 2018.

¹A non-GAAP measure. A reconciliation has been included in this MD&A section under the caption "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures."

Noninterest Income

The following table presents a comparative summary of the major components of noninterest income for the periods indicated.

Three months ended March				
· _				
2018	2017	(decrease)		
\$2,851	\$2,510	\$341	14	%
2,114	1,833	281	15	%
1,516	1,037	479	46	%
252	246	6	2	%
1,787	1,350	437	32	%
8,520	6,976	1,544	22	%
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1,013		1,013	NM	[
\$9,542	\$6,976	\$2,566	37	%
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(1) A non-GAAP measure. A reconciliation has been included in this MD&A section under the caption "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures."

Noninterest income increased \$2.6 million, or 37% in the first three months of 2018 compared to the first three months of 2017. In the first quarter of 2018, the Company received certain recoveries from non-core acquired assets of \$1.0 million. Core noninterest income¹ grew 22% in the first three months of 2018. This improvement was primarily due to higher income from deposit service charges, wealth management revenue, and card services from the acquisition of JCB, as well as growth in the client base.

The Company expects continued growth in fee income of 5% - 7% for 2018 compared to 2017.

Noninterest Expense

The following table presents a comparative summary of the major components of noninterest expense for the periods indicated.

	Three months ended March 31,						
(in thousands)	2018 2017		Increase (decreas				
Core expenses (1):							
Employee compensation and benefits	\$16,491	\$15,208	\$1,283	8	%		
Occupancy	2,406	1,929	477	25	%		
Data processing	1,467	1,633	(166)	(10)%		
FDIC and other insurance	917	824	93	11	%		
Professional fees	849	837	12	1	%		
Loan, legal and other real estate expense - core	285	222	63	28	%		
Other	6,714	4,293	2,421	56	%		
Core noninterest expense ⁽¹⁾	29,129	24,946	4,183	17	%		
Merger related expenses		1,667	(1,667)	(100))%		
Other expenses related to non-core acquired loans	14	123	(109)	(89)%		
Total noninterest expense	\$29,143	\$26,736	\$2,407	9	%		
(1) A non-GAAP measure. A reconciliation has been included in this MD&A section							

under the caption "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures."

Noninterest expenses were \$29.1 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, compared to \$26.7 million for the three months ended March 31, 2017. Noninterest expenses for 2017 period included \$1.7 million of merger related expenses. Core noninterest expenses¹ increased \$4.2 million to \$29.1 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, from \$24.9 million for the prior year period. Core expenses increased from the JCB acquisition, tax credit amortization, and increases in employee compensation and benefits from investments in revenue producing personnel.

The Company's core efficiency ratio¹ decreased to 54.0% for the three months ended March 31, 2018, compared to 56.0% for the prior year period, and reflects continuing efforts to leverage its expense base. The Company expects to continue to invest in revenue producing associates and other infrastructure that supports additional growth. These investments are expected to result in expense growth, at a rate of 35% - 45% of projected revenue growth for 2018, resulting in continued improvements to the Company's efficiency ratio.

Income Taxes

The Company's income tax expense for the three months ended March 31, 2018, which includes both federal and state taxes, was \$3.8 million compared to \$19.8 million for the linked quarter, and \$5.1 million for the same period in 2017. The Company's effective tax rate was 15.3% for the quarter ended March 31, 2018 compared to 72.5% for the quarter ended December 31, 2017, and 29.2% for the quarter ended March 31, 2017. The linked quarter income tax expense included a \$12.1 million deferred tax asset revaluation charge associated with the U.S. corporate income tax reform which increased the effective tax rate by 44.3%. The current period effective tax rate improvements resulted from the new 21% corporate federal tax rate as well as benefits recognized from the vesting of employee stock awards.

The Company expects its effective tax rate for the remainder of 2018 to be approximately 18% - 20%, which is expected to result in a full year effective tax rate of 17% - 19%.

Summary Balance Sheet

(in thousands)	March 31,	December 31,	Increase
(III tilousailus)	2018	2017	(decrease)
Total cash and cash equivalents	\$143,101	\$ 153,323	\$(10,222)(6.7)%
Securities	722,851	715,131	7,720 1.1 %
Portfolio loans	4,162,082	4,066,659	95,423 2.3 %
Non-core acquired loans	28,763	30,391	(1,628)(5.4)%
Total assets	5,383,102	5,289,225	93,877 1.8 %
Deposits	4,281,377	4,156,414	124,963 3.0 %
Total liabilities	4,828,087	4,740,652	87,435 1.8 %
Total shareholders' equity	555,015	548,573	6,442 1.2 %

Assets

Loans by Type

The Company has a diversified loan portfolio, with no particular concentration of credit in any one economic sector; however, a substantial portion of the portfolio, including the C&I category, is secured by real estate. The ability of the Company's borrowers to honor their contractual obligations is partially dependent upon the local economy and its effect on the real estate market.

The following table summarizes the composition of the Company's loan portfolio:

(in thousands)	March 31,	December 31,	Increase		
(in thousands)	2018	2017	(decrease))	
Commercial and industrial	\$1,982,086	\$ 1,919,145	\$62,941	3.3	%
Commercial real estate - investor owned	843,247	769,275	73,972	9.6	%
Commercial real estate - owner occupied	570,650	554,589	16,061	2.9	%
Construction and land development	309,227	345,209	(35,982)	(10.4)%
Residential real estate	329,337	342,518	(13,181)	(3.8)%
Consumer and other	127,535	135,923	(8,388)	(6.2)%
Portfolio loans	4,162,082	4,066,659	95,423	2.3	%
Non-core acquired loans	28,763	30,391	(1,628)	(5.4)%
Total loans	\$4,190,845	\$ 4,097,050	\$93,795	2.3	%

Portfolio loans grew by \$95.4 million to \$4.2 billion at March 31, 2018, when compared to December 31, 2017. Non-core acquired loans totaled \$28.8 million at March 31, 2018, a decrease of \$1.6 million, or 5%, from December 31, 2017, primarily as a result of principal paydowns and accelerated loan payoffs.

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	At the quarter ended				
(in thousands)	March 31,	December 31,	Increase		
(in thousands)	2018	2017	(decrease)	
C&I - general	\$945,682	\$ 936,588	\$9,094	1.0	%
CRE investor owned - general	836,499	801,156	35,343	4.4	%
CRE owner occupied - general	471,417	468,151	3,266	0.7	%
Enterprise value lending ¹	439,352	407,644	31,708	7.8	%
Life insurance premium financing ¹	365,377	364,876	501	0.1	%
Residential real estate - general	328,966	342,140	(13,174)	(3.9))%
Construction and land development - general	293,938	294,123	(185)	(0.1))%
Tax credits ¹	244,088	234,835	9,253	3.9	%
Agriculture loans ¹	118,862	91,031	27,831	30.6	%
Consumer and other - general	117,901	126,115	(8,214)	(6.5))%
Portfolio loans	\$4,162,082	\$ 4,066,659	\$95,423	2.3	%

The following table illustrates portfolio loan growth with selected specialized lending detail:

Note: Certain prior period amounts have been reclassified among the categories to conform to the current period presentation.

¹Specialized categories may include a mix of C&I, CRE, construction and land development, or consumer and other loans.

Specialized lending products, especially Enterprise value lending, life insurance premium financing, and tax credits, consist of primarily C&I loans, and have contributed significantly to the Company's loan growth. These loans are sourced through relationships developed with estate planning firms and private equity funds, and are not bound geographically by our traditional three markets. These specialized loan products offer opportunities to expand and diversify geographically by entering into new markets. The Company continues to focus on originating high-quality C&I relationships as they typically have variable interest rates and allow for cross selling opportunities involving other banking products. C&I loans increased \$63 million during the first quarter of 2018 and represented 48% of the Company's loan portfolio at March 31, 2018. C&I loan growth also supports our efforts to maintain the Company's asset sensitive interest rate risk position. For 2018, portfolio loan growth is expected to be approximately 7% - 9%.

Provision and Allowance for Loan Losses

The following table summarizes changes in the allowance for loan losses arising from loans charged off and recoveries on loans previously charged off, by loan category, and additions to the allowance charged to expense.

	Three months ended March								
	31,								
(in thousands)	2018		2017						
Allowance at beginning of period, for portfolio loans	\$38,166		\$37,565						
Loans charged off:									
Commercial and industrial	(732)	(133)					
Real estate:									
Commercial			_						
Construction and land development									
Residential	(254)	(9)					
Consumer and other	(49)	(29)					
Total loans charged off	(1,035)	(171)					
Recoveries of loans previously charged off:		,	·						
Commercial and industrial	956		80						
Real estate:									
Commercial	12		98						
Construction and land development	206		9						
Residential	73		25						
Consumer and other	14		9						
Total recoveries of loans	1,261		221						
Net loan charge-offs	226		50						
Provision for loan losses	1,871		1,533						
Allowance at end of period, for portfolio loans (1)	\$40,263		\$39,148						
Allowance at beginning of period, for purchased credit impaired loans	\$4,411		\$5,844						
Loans charged off									
Recoveries of loans			_						
Other	(24)	(219)					
Net loan charge-offs	(24)	(219)					
Provision reversal for purchased credit impaired loan losses		,	(148)					
Allowance at end of period, for purchased credit impaired loans	\$4,387		\$5,477	,					
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Total allowance at end of period	\$44,650		\$44,625						
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Portfolio loans, average	\$4,109,843	5	\$3,501,23	3					
Portfolio loans, ending (1)	4,124,239		3,852,972						
Net charge-offs to average portfolio loans (1)	(0.02		(0.01)%					
Allowance for portfolio loan losses to loans (1)	0.98		1.02	%					
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(1) Excludes PCI loans.

The provision for loan losses on portfolio loans for the three months ended March 31, 2018 was \$1.9 million, compared to \$1.5 million for same period in 2017. The provision is reflective of growth in portfolio loan balances, and maintaining a prudent credit risk posture.

The allowance for loan losses on portfolio loans was 0.98% of portfolio loans at March 31, 2018 compared to 1.03% at March 31, 2017. Management believes the allowance for loan losses is adequate to absorb inherent losses in the loan portfolio.

Nonperforming assets

The following table presents the categories of nonperforming assets and other ratios as of the dates indicated.

(in thousands)	March 31, 2018		December 2017	31,	March 31, 2017	
Non-accrual loans	\$14,858		\$14,968		\$11,527	
Restructured loans	724		719		2,320	
Total nonperforming loans (1)	15,582		15,687		13,847	
Other real estate	455		498		2,925	
Total nonperforming assets (1)	\$16,037		\$16,185		\$16,772	
Total assets	\$5,383,102		\$5,289,225		\$5,106,220	6
Portfolio loans (1)	4,124,239		4,022,896		3,802,681	
Portfolio loans plus other real estate (1)	4,124,694		4,023,394		3,805,606	
Nonperforming loans to portfolio loans (1)	0.38	%	0.39	%	0.36	%
Nonperforming assets to total loans plus other real estate (1)	0.39		0.40		0.44	
Nonperforming assets to total assets (1)	0.30		0.31		0.33	
Allowance for loans to nonperforming loans (1)	258	%	243	%	283	%

(1) Excludes PCI loans, except for their inclusion in total assets.

Nonperforming loans

Nonperforming loans exclude PCI loans that are accounted for on a pool basis, as the pools are considered to be performing. See Item 1, Note 5 – Loans for more information on these loans.

Nonperforming loans based on loan type were as follows:

(in thousands)	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017	March 31, 2017
Commercial and industrial	\$12,313	\$12,665	\$11,930
Commercial real estate	1,167	909	281
Construction and land development		136	1,575
Residential real estate	1,777	1,602	61
Consumer and other	325	375	_
Total	\$15,582	\$ 15,687	\$13,847

The following table summarizes the changes in nonperforming loans:

	Three months			
	ended March 31,			
(in thousands)	2018 2017			
Nonperforming loans beginning of period	\$15,687 \$14,905			
Additions to nonaccrual loans	1,449 291			
Additions to restructured loans	10 —			
Charge-offs	(1,003) (141)			
Other principal reductions	(561) (925)			
Moved to other real estate	— (283)			
Nonperforming loans end of period	\$15,582 \$13,847			

Other real estate

Other real estate at March 31, 2018, was \$0.5 million, compared to \$2.9 million at March 31, 2017.

The following table summarizes the changes in other real estate:

		months March
	31,	
(in thousands)	2018	2017
Other real estate beginning of period	\$498	\$980
Additions and expenses capitalized to prepare property for sale		283
Additions from acquisition		1,680
Writedowns in value	(43)	(18)
Other real estate end of period	\$455	\$2,925

Writedowns in fair value are recorded in loan legal and other real estate expense based on current market activity shown in the appraisals.

Liabilities

Liabilities totaled \$4.8 billion at March 31, 2018, compared to \$4.7 billion at December 31, 2017. The increase in liabilities was due to a \$125 million increase in total deposits and a \$52 million increase in Federal Home Loan Bank

advances, partially offset by a decrease of \$87 million in other borrowings.

Deposits

(in thousands)	March 31, 2018		December 3 2017	1,	Increase (decrease)
Demand deposits	\$1,101,705		\$1,123,907		\$(22,202) (2.0)%
Interest-bearing transaction accounts	875,880		915,653		(39,773) (4.3)%
Money market accounts	1,445,459		1,342,931		102,528 7.6 %
Savings	210,029		195,150		14,879 7.6 %
Certificates of deposit:					
Brokered	201,082		115,306		85,776 74.4 %
Other	447,222		463,467		(16,245) (3.5)%
Total deposits	\$4,281,377		\$4,156,414		\$124,963 3.0 %
Non-time deposits / total deposits	85	%	86	%	
Demand deposits / total deposits	26	%	27	%	

Total deposits at March 31, 2018 were \$4.3 billion, an increase of 3%, from December 31, 2017, primarily from increases in money market accounts and brokered certificates of deposit. The composition of our noninterest bearing deposits remained relatively stable at 26% of total deposits at March 31, 2018 compared to 27% at December 31, 2017.

Shareholders' Equity

Shareholders' equity totaled \$555.0 million at March 31, 2018, an increase of \$6.4 million from December 31, 2017. Significant activity during the three months ended March 31, 2018 was as follows:

Net income of \$20.9 million,

decrease in fair value of securities of \$6.9 million,

issuance under equity compensation plans of \$2.7 million,

dividends paid on common shares of \$2.5 million, and

• repurchase of 64,915 shares at an average price of \$47.10 per share, or approximately \$3.1 million in the aggregate, pursuant to its publicly announced program.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

Liquidity

The objective of liquidity management is to ensure we have the ability to generate sufficient cash or cash equivalents in a timely and cost-effective manner to meet our commitments as they become due. Typical demands on liquidity are run-off from demand deposits, maturing time deposits which are not renewed, and fundings under credit commitments to customers. Funds are available from a number of sources, such as from the core deposit base and from loans and securities repayments and maturities.

Additionally, liquidity is provided from sales of the securities portfolio, fed fund lines with correspondent banks, borrowings from the Federal Reserve and the FHLB, the ability to acquire large and brokered deposits, and the ability to sell loan participations to other banks. These alternatives are an important part of our liquidity plan and provide flexibility and efficient execution of the asset-liability management strategy.

The Bank's Asset-Liability Management Committee oversees our liquidity position, the parameters of which are approved by the Bank's Board of Directors. Our liquidity position is monitored monthly by producing a liquidity report, which measures the amount of liquid versus non-liquid assets and liabilities. Our liquidity management framework includes measurement of several key elements, such as the loan to deposit ratio, a liquidity ratio, and a dependency

ratio. The Company's liquidity framework also incorporates contingency planning to assess the nature and volatility of funding sources and to determine alternatives to these sources. While core deposits and loan and investment repayments are principal sources of liquidity, funding diversification is another key element of liquidity management and is achieved by strategically varying depositor types, terms, funding markets, and instruments.

Parent Company liquidity

The parent company's liquidity is managed to provide the funds necessary to pay dividends to shareholders, service debt, invest in subsidiaries as necessary, and satisfy other operating requirements. The parent company's primary funding sources to meet its liquidity requirements are dividends and payments from the Bank and proceeds from the issuance of equity (i.e. stock option exercises, stock offerings). A \$5 million dividend was paid to the parent company from the Bank in February of 2018. Another source of funding for the parent company includes the issuance of subordinated debentures and other debt instruments.

The Company has an effective shelf registration statement on Form S-3 registering up to \$100 million of common stock, preferred stock, debt securities, and various other securities, including combinations of such securities. The Company's ability to offer securities pursuant to the registration statement depends on market conditions and the Company's continuing eligibility to use the Form S-3 under rules of the SEC.

On November 1, 2016, the Company issued \$50 million aggregate principal amount of 4.75% fixed-to-floating rate subordinated notes with a maturity date of November 1, 2026, which initially bear an annual interest rate of 4.75%, with interest payable semiannually. Beginning November 1, 2021, the interest rate resets quarterly to the three-month LIBOR rate plus a spread of 338.7 basis points, payable quarterly.

The Company has a senior unsecured revolving credit agreement (the "Revolving Agreement") with another bank allowing for borrowings up to \$20 million which is renewed through February 2019. The proceeds can be used for general corporate purposes. The Revolving Agreement is subject to ongoing compliance with a number of customary affirmative and negative covenants as well as specified financial covenants. As of March 31, 2018, there were no outstanding balances under the Revolving Agreement.

As of March 31, 2018, the Company had \$69.2 million of outstanding subordinated debentures as part of ten Trust Preferred Securities Pools. These securities are classified as debt but are included in regulatory capital and the related interest expense is tax-deductible, which makes them an attractive source of funding.

Management believes our current level of cash at the holding company of \$5.1 million, along with the Company's other available funding sources, will be sufficient to meet all projected cash needs for the remainder of 2018.

Bank liquidity

The Bank has a variety of funding sources available to increase financial flexibility. In addition to amounts currently borrowed, at March 31, 2018, the Bank had borrowing capacity of \$465.9 million from the FHLB of Des Moines under blanket loan pledges, and has an additional \$803.9 million available from the Federal Reserve Bank under a pledged loan agreement. The Bank has unsecured federal funds lines with six correspondent banks totaling \$95.0 million, and \$79.0 million of unsecured credit through the American Financial Exchange.

Investment securities are another important tool to the Bank's liquidity objectives. Total securities available for sale of \$652.3 million at March 31, 2018, included \$346.7 million of securities that were pledged as collateral for deposits of public institutions, treasury, loan notes, and other requirements. The remaining \$305.6 million could be pledged or sold to enhance liquidity, if necessary. In addition, \$14.4 million of unpledged held to maturity securities could also be pledged for liquidity purposes.

In the normal course of business, the Bank enters into certain forms of off-balance sheet transactions, including unfunded loan commitments and letters of credit. These transactions are managed through the Bank's various risk management processes. Management considers both on-balance sheet and off-balance sheet transactions in its evaluation of the Company's liquidity. The Bank has \$1.3 billion in unused commitments as of March 31, 2018. While this commitment

level would exhaust the majority of the Company's current liquidity resources, the nature of these commitments is such that the likelihood of funding them in the aggregate at any one time is low.

Capital Resources

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 possible additional discretionary actions by regulators that, if undertaken, could have a direct material effect on the financial statements. Under capital adequacy guidelines and the regulatory framework for prompt corrective action, the Company and its bank affiliate must meet specific capital guidelines that involve quantitative measures of assets, liabilities, and certain off-balance-sheet items as calculated under regulatory accounting practices. The banking affiliate's capital amounts and classification are also subject to qualitative judgments by the regulators about components, risk weightings and other factors.

Quantitative measures established by regulation to ensure capital adequacy require the Company and the Bank to maintain minimum amounts and ratios (set forth in the following table) of total, Tier 1, and common equity tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets, and of Tier 1 capital to average assets. To be categorized as "well capitalized", banks must maintain minimum total risk-based (10%), Tier 1 risk-based (8%), common equity tier 1 risk-based (6.5%), and Tier 1 leverage ratios (5%). As of March 31, 2018, and December 31, 2017, the Company and the Bank met all capital adequacy requirements to which they are subject.

The Bank continues to exceed regulatory standards and met the definition of "well-capitalized" (the highest category) at March 31, 2018. The Company adopted the Regulatory Capital Framework (Basel III) in 2015, and has implemented the necessary processes and procedures to comply.

The following table summarizes the Company's various capital ratios at the dates indicated:

					Well	
(in the suggest de)	March 31,		December		Capitalized	
(in thousands)	2018		31, 2017		Minimum	
					%	
Total capital to risk-weighted assets	12.41	%	12.21	%	10.00	%
Tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets	10.46	%	10.29	%	8.00	%
Common equity tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets	9.07	%	8.88	%	6.50	%
Leverage ratio (Tier 1 capital to average assets)	9.75	%	9.72	%	5.00	%
Tangible common equity to tangible assets ¹	8.13	%	8.14	%	N/A	
Tier 1 capital	\$509,062		\$496,045	5		
Total risk-based capital	604,137		589,047			

¹ Not a required regulatory capital ratio

The Company believes the tangible common equity ratio and the common equity tier 1 capital ratio are important measures of capital strength even though they are considered to be non-GAAP measures. A reconciliation has been included in this MD&A section under the caption "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures."

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures:

The Company's accounting and reporting policies conform to generally accepted accounting principles in the United States ("GAAP") and the prevailing practices in the banking industry. However, the Company provides other financial measures, such as core net income and net interest margin, and other core performance measures, regulatory capital ratios, and the tangible common equity ratio, in this report that are considered "non-GAAP financial measures." Generally, a non-GAAP financial measure is a numerical measure of a company's financial performance, financial position, or cash flows that exclude (or include) amounts that are included in (or excluded from) the most directly comparable measure calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP.

The Company considers its core performance measures presented in this report and the included tables as important measures of financial performance, even though they are non-GAAP measures, as they provide supplemental information by which to evaluate the impact of non-core acquired loans and related income and expenses, the impact of certain non-comparable items, and the Company's operating performance on an ongoing basis. Core performance measures include contractual interest on non-core acquired loans, but exclude incremental accretion on these loans. Core performance measures also exclude the gain or loss on sale of other real estate from non-core acquired loans, deferred tax asset revaluation due to U.S. corporate income tax reform, and expenses directly related to non-core acquired loans and other assets formerly covered under FDIC loss share agreements. Core performance measures also exclude certain other income and expense items, such as executive separation costs, merger related expenses, facilities disposal and the gain or loss on sale of investment securities, the Company believes to be not indicative of or useful to measure the Company's operating performance on an ongoing basis. The Company believes that the tangible common equity ratio provides useful information to investors about the Company's capital strength even though it is considered to be a non-GAAP financial measure and is not part of the regulatory capital requirements to which the Company is subject.

The Company believes these non-GAAP measures and ratios, when taken together with the corresponding GAAP measures and ratios, provide meaningful supplemental information regarding the Company's performance and capital strength. The Company's management uses, and believes that investors benefit from referring to, these non-GAAP measures and ratios in assessing the Company's operating results and related trends and when forecasting future periods. However, these non-GAAP measures and ratios should be considered in addition to, and not as a substitute for or preferable to, ratios prepared in accordance with GAAP. In the following tables, the Company has provided a reconciliation of, where applicable, the most comparable GAAP financial measures and ratios to the non-GAAP financial measures and ratios, or a reconciliation of the non-GAAP calculation of the financial measure for the periods indicated.

Core Performance Measures

(in thousands) Net interest income Less: Incremental accretion income Core net interest income		ree Months en December 31 2017 \$ 47,404 2,503 44,901	
Total noninterest income Less: Gain (loss) on sale of other real estate from non-core acquired loans Less: Gain on sale of investment securities Less: Other income from non-core acquired assets Core noninterest income	9,542 	11,112 (6)) 	6,976 — — 6,976
Total core revenue	53,925	56,019	44,543
Provision for portfolio loans	1,871	3,186	1,533
Total noninterest expense Less: Other expenses related to non-core acquired loans Less: Merger related expenses Core noninterest expense	29,143 14 	28,260 114 28,146	26,736 123 1,667 24,946
Core income before income tax expense	22,925	24,687	18,064
Total income tax expense Less: income tax expense from deferred tax asset revaluation ¹ Less: Other non-core income tax expense ² Core income tax expense Core net income	3,778 	19,820 12,117 1,011 6,692 \$ 17,995	5,106 190 4,916 \$13,148
Core diluted earnings per share Core return on average assets Core return on average common equity Core return on average tangible common equity Core efficiency ratio	14.34 % 18.64 %	12.84 % 16.71 %	\$0.59 1.17 % 11.29 % 13.75 % 56.01 %

¹Deferred tax asset revaluation associated with U.S. corporate income tax reform.

²Other non-core income tax expense calculated at 24.7% of non-core pretax income for 2018. For 2017, the calculation is 38.0% of non-core pretax income plus an estimate of taxes payable related to non-deductible JCB acquisition costs.

Net Interest Margin to Core Net Interest	erest Ma	argin (f	ully tax	equivalen	t)
	Three months ended March				
	31,				
(in thousands)	2018		2017		
Net interest income	\$46,386		\$39,147		
Less: Incremental accretion income			1,075		
Core net interest income	\$45,620		\$38,072		
	+,.	\$15,020 \$50,072			
Average earning assets	\$4,948	\$4,948,875		\$4,259,198	
Reported net interest margin	3.80	%	3.73	%	
Core net interest margin	3.74	%	3.63	%	
Tangible common equity ratio					
(in thousands)		March 31,		December 31,	
(in thousands)		2018		2017	
Total shareholders' equity		\$555,0		\$548,573	
Less: Goodwill		117,345		117,345	
Less: Intangible assets		10,399		11,056	
Tangible common equity		\$427,271		\$420,172	
Total assets		\$5,383	3,102	\$5,289,2	25
Less: Goodwill		117,345		117,345	
Less: Intangible assets		10,399)	11,056	
Tangible assets		\$5,255	5,358	\$5,160,8	24
6			,		
Tangible common equity to tangible	e assets	8.13	%	8.14	%
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Regulatory Capital to Risk-Weighted Assets

(in thousands)	March 31, 2018	December 2017	31,	
Total shareholders' equity	\$555,015	\$548,573		
Less: Goodwill	117,345	117,345		
Less: Intangible assets, net of deferred tax liabilities	7,831	6,661		
Less: Unrealized gains (losses)	(11,563)	(3,818)	
Plus: Other	12	12		
Common equity Tier 1 capital	441,414	428,397		
Plus: Qualifying trust preferred securities	67,600	67,600		
Plus: Other	48	48		
Tier 1 capital	509,062	496,045		
Plus: Tier 2 capital	95,075	93,002		
Total risk-based capital	604,137	589,047		
Total risk-weighted assets determined in accordance with prescribed regulatory requirements	\$4,867,491 \$4,		,822,695	
Common equity tier 1 to risk-weighted assets	9.07 9	6 8.88	%	
Tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets	10.46 %	6 10.29	%	
Total risk-based capital to risk-weighted assets	12.41 %	6 12.21	%	
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Critical Accounting Policies

The impact and any associated risks related to the Company's critical accounting policies on business operations are described throughout "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations," where such policies affect our reported and expected financial results. For a detailed description on the application of these and other accounting policies, see the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017.

ITEM 3: QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

The disclosures set forth in this item are qualified by the section captioned "Safe Harbor Statement Under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995" included in Item 2 – Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of this report and other cautionary statements set forth elsewhere in this report.

Interest Rate Risk

Our interest rate risk management practices are aimed at optimizing net interest income, while guarding against deterioration that could be caused by certain interest rate scenarios. Interest rate sensitivity varies with different types of interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities. We attempt to maintain interest-earning assets, comprised primarily of both loans and investments, and interest-bearing liabilities, comprised primarily of deposits, maturing or repricing in similar time horizons in order to minimize or eliminate any impact from market interest rate changes. In order to measure earnings sensitivity to changing rates, the Company uses an earnings simulation model.

The Company determines the sensitivity of its short-term future earnings to a hypothetical plus or minus 100 to 300 basis point parallel rate shock through the use of simulation modeling. The simulation of earnings includes the modeling of the balance sheet as an ongoing entity. Future business assumptions involving administered rate products, prepayments for future rate-sensitive balances, and the reinvestment of maturing assets and liabilities are included. These items are then modeled to project net interest income based on a hypothetical change in interest rates. The resulting net interest income for the next 12-month period is compared to the net interest income amount calculated using flat rates. This difference represents the Company's earnings sensitivity to a plus or minus 100 basis points parallel rate shock.

The following table summarizes the expected impact of interest rate shocks on net interest income (due to the current level of interest rates, the 200 and 300 basis point downward shock scenarios are not shown):

 Annual % change

 in net interest income

 + 300 bp
 5.9%

 + 200 bp
 4.0%

 + 100 bp
 2.0%

 - 100 bp
 (5.9)%

In addition to the rate shocks shown in the table above, the Company models net interest income under various dynamic

interest rate scenarios. In general, changes in interest rates are positively correlated with changes in net interest income.

The exception to this is a bear flattener scenario (a yield rate environment where short term rates move up more than long term rates), which results in a mild decrease in net interest income.

The Company occasionally uses interest rate derivative financial instruments as an asset/liability management tool to hedge mismatches in interest rate exposure indicated by the net interest income simulation described above. They are used to modify the Company's exposures to interest rate fluctuations and provide more stable spreads between loan yields and the rate on their funding sources.

ITEM 4: CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures

Under the supervision and with the participation of the Company's Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and the Chief Financial Officer (CFO), management has evaluated the effectiveness of the design and operation of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 13a-15, as of March 31, 2018. Disclosure controls and procedures include without limitation, controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by an issuer in the reports that it files or submits under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, is accumulated and communicated to the issuer's management, including its principal executive and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

Based on that evaluation, the CEO and CFO concluded the Company's disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of March 31, 2018 to provide reasonable assurance of the achievement of the objectives described above.

Changes to Internal Controls

There were no changes during the period covered by this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q in the Company's internal controls over financial reporting that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, those controls.

PART II - OTHER INFORMATION

ITEM 1: LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

The Company and its subsidiaries are, from time to time, parties to various legal proceedings arising out of their businesses. Management believes there are no such proceedings pending or threatened against the Company or its subsidiaries which, if determined adversely, would have a material adverse effect on the business, consolidated financial condition, results of operations or cash flows of the Company or any of its subsidiaries.

ITEM 1A: RISK FACTORS

For information regarding risk factors affecting the Company, please see the cautionary language regarding forward-looking statements in the introduction to Item 2 of Part I of this Report on Form 10-Q, and Part I, Item 1A of our Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2017. There have been no material changes to the risk factors described in such Annual Report on Form 10-K.

ITEM 2: UNREGISTERED SALES OF EQUITY SECURITIES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

Issuer Purchases of Equity Securities

The following table provides information on repurchases by the Company of its common stock in each month of the quarter ended March 31, 2018.

Period	Total number of shares purchased (a)	Weighted-average price paid per share	Total number of shares purchased as part of publicly announced plans or programs	Maximum number of shares that may yet be purchased under the plans or programs
January 1, 2018 through January 31, 2018				1,384,327
February 1, 2018 through February 28, 2018	64,915	47.10	64,915	1,319,412
March 1, 2018 through March 31, 2018	_			1,319,412
Total	64,915	\$ 47.10	64,915	1,319,412

(a) In May 2015, the Company's board of directors authorized the repurchase of up to two million shares of the Company's common stock. The repurchases may be made in open market or privately negotiated transactions and the repurchase program will remain in effect until fully utilized or until modified, superseded or terminated. The timing and exact amount of common stock repurchases will depend on a number of factors including, among others, market and general economic conditions, economic capital and regulatory capital considerations, alternative uses of capital, the potential impact on our credit ratings, and contractual and regulatory limitations.

ITEM 6: EXHIBITS

Exhibit No. Description

Registrant hereby agrees to furnish to the Commission, upon request, the instruments defining the rights of holders of each issue of long-term debt of Registrant and its consolidated subsidiaries.

Form of Enterprise Financial Services Corp LTIP Grant Agreement (filed herewith), pursuant to 2018 Stock

- *10.1 Incentive Plan (incorporated herein by reference to Appendix A to Registrant's Proxy Statement on Schedule 14-A filed on March 14, 2018).
- *12.1 Computation of Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges and Preferred Dividends.
- *31.1 Chief Executive Officer's Certification required by Rule 13(a)-14(a).
- *31.2 Chief Financial Officer's Certification required by Rule 13(a)-14(a).
- **32.1 Chief Executive Officer Certification pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350, as adopted pursuant to section § 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
- **32.2 Chief Financial Officer Certification pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350, as adopted pursuant to section § 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

Pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T, the following financial information from the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the period ended March 31, 2018, is formatted in XBRL interactive data files: (i) Consolidated Balance Sheet at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017; (ii) Consolidated Statement of Income for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017; (iii) Consolidated Statement

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- * Filed herewith

** Furnished herewith. Notwithstanding any incorporation of this Quarterly Statement on Form 10-Q in any other filing by the Registrant, Exhibits furnished herewith and designated with two (**) shall not be deemed incorporated by reference to any other filing unless specifically otherwise set forth herein or therein.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Clayton, State of Missouri on the day of April 27, 2018.

ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP

- By: /s/ James B. Lally James B. Lally Chief Executive Officer
- By: /s/ Keene S. Turner Keene S. Turner Chief Financial Officer