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FORM 10-K

(Mark One)

☑ ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020

OR

☐ TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

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HOMESTREET, INC.

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). Yes □ No ⊠

As of June 30, 2020, the last business day of the registrant's most recently completed second fiscal quarter, the aggregate market value of common stock held by non-affiliates was approximately \$467 million based on a closing price of \$24.61 per share of common stock on the Nasdaq Global Select Market on such date. Shares of common stock held by each executive officer and director and by each person known to the Company who beneficially owns more than 10% of the outstanding common stock have been excluded in that such persons may under certain circumstances be deemed to be affiliates.

The number of outstanding shares of the registrant's common stock as of March 5, 2021 was 21,512,415.

DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

The information required by Part III of this Report, to the extent not set forth herein, will be incorporated by reference from the registrant's definitive proxy statement relating to the annual meeting of the shareholders to be held in 2021, to be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission within 120 days of the end of the fiscal year to which this Report relates. If a definitive proxy statement of the registrant is not filed within such period, the registrant will instead file such information on an amendment to this Report within such 120 days of the end of the registrant's fiscal year to which this report relates.

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PART I

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This Annual Report on Form 10-K ("Form 10-K") and the documents incorporated by reference contain, in addition to historical information, "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act") and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), including statements relating to projections of revenues, estimated operating expenses or other financial items; business strategy, including management's plans and objectives for growth and future operations or programs; future operations, plans, regulatory compliance or approvals; anticipated restructuring or resource optimization plans and activities and expected cost savings from and timing of these plans and activities; proposed new products or services; expected or estimated performance of our loan portfolio; pending or potential expansion activities; pending or future mergers, acquisitions or other transactions; future economic conditions or performance; expectations relating to our industry, regulatory environment and the economy as a whole and underlying assumptions of any of the foregoing.

All statements other than statements of historical fact are "forward-looking statements" for the purpose of these provisions. When used in this Form 10-K, terms such as "anticipates," "believes," "continue," "could," "estimates," "expects," "intends," "may," "plans," "potential," "predicts," "should," or "will" or the negative of those terms or other comparable terms are intended to identify such forward-looking statements. These statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause us to fall short of our expectations or may cause us to deviate from our current plans, as expressed or implied by these statements. The known risks that could cause our results to differ, or may cause us to take actions that are not currently planned or expected, are described below including in Item 1A, Risk Factors.

Unless required by law, we do not intend to update any of the forward-looking statements after the date of this Form 10-K to conform these statements to actual results or changes in our expectations. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which apply only as of the date of this Form 10-K.

ITEM 1 BUSINESS

Unless we state otherwise or the context otherwise requires, references in this Annual Report on Form 10-K to "we," "our," and "us" refer to HomeStreet, Inc., a Washington corporation, ("HomeStreet," the "Company,") and its consolidated subsidiaries, HomeStreet Bank (the "Bank") and HomeStreet Capital Corporation ("Capital").

Overview

We are a diversified financial services company with offices in Washington, Oregon, California, Hawaii, Arizona, Utah and Idaho serving customers throughout the western United States. We were founded in 1921 and are headquartered in Seattle, Washington. We provide commercial banking products and services to small and medium sized businesses, real estate investors and professional firms and consumer banking products and services to individuals. As of December 31, 2020, we had \$7.2 billion of total assets, \$5.5 billion of loans and \$5.8 billion of deposits.

Our business strategy is to offer a full range of financial products and services to our customer base consistent with a regional bank's offerings while providing the responsive and personalized service of a community bank. We intend to grow our business by (i) marketing our services directly to prospective new customers; (ii) obtaining new client referrals from existing clients; (iii) adding experienced relationship managers and loan officers who may have established client relationships that we can serve; (iv) cross-selling our products and services; and (v) making opportunistic acquisitions of complementary businesses and/or establishing de novo offices in select markets within and outside our existing market areas.

Our business strategy is dependent on attracting and retaining highly qualified employees. All of our employees, including customer facing and back-office support staff, are committed to providing high quality and responsive products and services to our customers. We believe we have assembled a strong team to achieve our strategic goals and are committed to supporting them through our compensation, benefit and training programs and by providing them with the resources needed to complete their tasks and responsibilities.

We are principally engaged in commercial banking, consumer banking, and real estate lending, including construction and permanent loans on commercial real estate and single family residences. We also sell insurance products for consumer clients. We provide our financial products and services to our customers through bank branches, loan production offices, ATMs, online, mobile and telephone banking channels. The yields we realize on our loans and other interest-earning assets and the interest rates we pay on deposits and borrowings determines our net interest income, the largest component of our total revenues. Noninterest income, which represented 37% of total revenues in 2020, is primarily derived from our sale and servicing of single family and multifamily real estate loans.

While our growth has been primarily achieved through organic means, we have a history of making strategic acquisitions to enter into new markets or to enhance our standing in existing markets. Our current product and service offerings have been introduced over a period of time. Most recently, we restructured our activities to reduce the level of single family residential originations due to the volatility of this line of business and continue to focus on growth in our commercial lending and commercial real estate lending.

HomeStreet, as a bank holding company, is subject to regulation and examination by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (the "Federal Reserve Board") and the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco ("FRBSF") under delegated authority from the Federal Reserve. The Bank is a Washington state-chartered bank and is subject to regulation and examination by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") and the Washington State Department of Financial Institutions, Division of Banks ("WDFI"). The Bank is also a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Des Moines ("FHLB"), which provides it with a source of funds in the form of short-term and long-term borrowings.

Loan Products

We are committed to offering competitive lending products that meet the needs of our clients, are underwritten in a prudent manner, and provide an adequate return based on their size, credit risk and interest rate risk. Our loan products include commercial business and agriculture loans, single family residential mortgages, consumer loans, commercial loans secured by residential and commercial real estate, and construction loans for residential and commercial real estate development. The lending units under which these loans are offered include: Commercial Lending; Single Family Residential Lending; Commercial Real Estate ("CRE") Lending and Residential Construction Lending. In addition, certain consumer loans are offered through our retail branch network.

For all our loan offerings, we utilize a comprehensive approach in our underwriting process. In our underwriting, our primary focus is always on the primary, secondary and tertiary sources of repayment, which include the business/borrower's ability to repay, the subject real estate collateral cash flow, and the value of the collateral securing the loan. Because our underwriting process allows us to view the totality of the borrower's capacity to repay, concerns or issues in one area can be compensated for by other favorable financial criteria in other areas. This may include the evaluation of changing trends in credit metrics, market and economic changes, and other risks in individual markets based on multivariate market analysis performed by the Bank on a quarterly basis. This personalized and detailed approach allows us to better understand and meet our clients' borrowing needs. Each lending unit features standardized pricing, uniform sizing and a streamlined process resulting in an efficient high application-to-funding ratio.

Commercial Lending: Loans originated by Commercial Lending are generally supported by the cash flows generated from the business operations of the entity to which the loan is made, and, except for loans secured by owner occupied CRE, are generally secured by non-real estate assets, such as equipment, inventories or accounts receivable. Commercial Lending is focused on developing quality full-service business banking relationships, including loans and deposits. We typically focus on commercial clients that are manufacturers, distributors, wholesalers and professional service companies. These loans are generated primarily by our relationship managers and business development officers with minimal direct marketing support.

Commercial Loans: We offer commercial term loans and commercial lines of credit to our clients. Commercial loans generally are made to businesses that have demonstrated a history of profitable operations. To qualify for such loans, prospective borrowers generally must have operating cash flow sufficient to meet their obligations as they become due, good payment histories, responsible balance sheet management and experienced management. Commercial term loans are either fixed rate or adjustable rate loans with interest rates tied to a variety of independent indices and are made for terms ranging from one to seven years based in part on the useful life of the asset financed. Commercial lines of credit are adjustable rate loans with interest rates usually tied to the Bank's

prime lending rate or other independent indices and are made for terms ranging from one to two years. These loans contain various covenants, including possible requirements that the borrower reduce its credit line borrowings to zero for specified time periods during the term of the line of credit, maintain required levels of liquidity with advances tied to periodic reviews of amounts borrowed based upon a percentage of accounts receivable, and inventory or unmonitored lines for those with significant financial strength and liquidity. Commercial loans are underwritten based on a variety of criteria, including an evaluation of the creditworthiness of the borrower and guarantors, the borrower's ability to repay, debt service coverage ratios, historical and projected client income, borrower liquidity and credit history and the trends in income and balance sheet management. In addition, we perform stress testing for changes in interest rates and other factors and review general economic trends in the client's industry. We typically require full recourse from the owners of the entities to which we make such loans.

Commercial Real Estate Loans — Owner Occupied: Owner occupied CRE loans are generally made to businesses that have demonstrated a history of profitable operations. To qualify for such loans, prospective borrowers generally must have operating cash flow sufficient to meet their obligations as they become due, good payment histories, proper balance sheet management of key cash flow drivers, and experienced management. Our commercial real estate loans are secured by first trust deeds on nonresidential real property, typically office, industrial or warehouse properties. These loans generally have adjustable rates with interest rates tied to a variety of independent indices; although in some cases these loans have fixed interest rates for periods ranging from three to 10 years and adjust thereafter based on an applicable indices and terms. These loans generally have interest rate floors, payment caps, and prepayment fees. The loans are underwritten based on a variety of criteria, including an evaluation of the creditworthiness of the borrower and guarantors, the borrower's ability to repay, loan-to-value and debt service coverage ratios, borrower liquidity and credit history and the trends in balance sheet and income statement management. In addition, we perform stress testing for changes in interest rates, capitalization rates and other factors and review general economic trends such as lease rates, values and absorption rates. We typically require full recourse from the owners of the entities to which we make such loans. We offer an interest rate risk management service to our customers that enables them to exchange a variable interest rate with a fixed interest rate through products from other financial institutions which we broker for a fee.

Shared National Credits/Participation Lending: We participate in multi-bank transactions referred to as Shared National Credits or Participations when an individual loan may be too large to be made by a single institution or an institution wants to reduce their credit exposure from a single loan. These loans are typically originated and led by other larger banks and the Bank is a participant in the transaction. The loans are sourced through relationships with originating lenders as well as through purchases of loans in the secondary market. These loans are generally made to businesses that have demonstrated a history of profitable operations. To qualify for such loans, prospective borrowers generally must have operating cash flow sufficient to meet their obligations as they become due, good payment histories, proper balance sheet management of key cash flow drivers, and experienced management. Syndicated/Participated term loans are either fixed rate or adjustable rate loans with interest rates tied to a variety of independent indices and are generally made for terms ranging from one to seven years based in part on the useful life of the asset financed. Lines of credit are adjustable rate loans with interest rates tied to a variety of independent indices and are generally made with terms from one to five years, and contain various covenants, including possible requirements that the borrower maintain liquidity requirements with advances tied to periodic reviews. These loans are underwritten independently by us based on a variety of criteria, including an evaluation of the creditworthiness of the borrower, the borrower's ability to repay, debt service coverage ratios, historical and projected client income, borrower liquidity and credit history, and their trends in income and balance sheet management. In addition, we perform stress testing for changes in interest rates and other factors and review general economic trends in the client's industry. Full recourse from the owners of these entities is usually not required for these loans.

Small Business Lending, SBA Lending and USDA Lending: The Bank is approved as a Small Business Administration ("SBA") preferred lender and as a United States Department of Agriculture ("USDA") lender. We are committed to our small business commercial lending to serve our communities and small businesses that operate in proximity to our network of retail branch locations. As these are government guaranteed programs, we comply with the relevant agency's underwriting guidelines, servicing and monitoring requirements, and terms and conditions set forth under the related programs standard operating procedures. SBA loans generally follow our underwriting guidelines established for non-SBA commercial and industrial loans and meet the criteria set forth by the SBA.

Single Family Residential Lending: Loans originated by Single Family Residential Lending are generally supported by cash flows of the borrower and are secured by one to four unit residential properties. Single family

loans are originated for sale or to be held for investment. We also make construction loans to qualified owner occupants, which upon completion of the construction phase convert to long-term amortizing single family loans that are eligible for sale in the secondary market. Home equity loans ("HELOCs") are originated to be held for investment. The origination of single family loans tends to be more transactional in nature and are not dependent on the borrower utilizing other products or services offered by us, such as deposits. In addition to leads generated by our loan officers, we utilize targeted marketing programs and cross referrals from our retail branches to generate leads. We do not originate loans defined as high cost by state or federal banking regulators. The single family loan origination process is now almost exclusively done electronically with little or no processing of paper.

Single Family Loans Originated for Sale: These loans are generally underwritten and documented in accordance with the guidelines established by the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation ("Freddie Mac" or "FHLMC") and the Federal National Mortgage Association ("Fannie Mae" or "FNMA"). These loans are delivered/sold into securities issued by either Fannie Mae or Freddie Mac. Government insured loans are underwritten and documented in accordance with the guidelines established by the Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") and the Department of Veterans Affairs ("VA"). These loans are delivered/sold into securities issued by the Government National Mortgage Association ("Ginnie Mae" or "GNMA"). We also participate in correspondent relationships under which we originate and sell loans to other financial institutions in compliance with their underwriting guidelines. As part of these guidelines, we underwrite these loans based on a variety of criteria, including an evaluation of the creditworthiness of the borrower, the borrower's ability to repay, loan-to-value and debt-to-income ratios, borrower liquidity, income verification and credit history. For adjustable rate loans, the loan payment used for our underwriting is based upon fully indexed interest rates and payments. Our loan-to-value limits are generally up to 95% of the lesser of the appraised value or purchase price of the property. We offer both fixed and adjustable rate loans. The majority of our fixed rate loans have terms of 15 or 30 years. Our adjustable rate loans are typically amortized over a 30-year period with fixed rate periods ranging between three to 10 years and adjust thereafter based on the applicable index and terms. Adjustable rate loans generally have interest rate floors and caps. Single family loans are almost always sold servicing retained.

Single Family Loans Held for Investment: These loans generally take the form of non-conforming jumbo loans collateralized by real properties located in our market areas. These loans generally have adjustable rates with initial fixed rate periods ranging from three to 10 years and a term not exceeding 30 years. These loans generally have interest rate floors and caps. The loans are underwritten based on a variety of criteria, including an evaluation of the creditworthiness of the borrower, the borrower's ability to repay, loan-to-value and debt-to-income ratios, borrower liquidity, income verification and credit history.

Home equity loans: HELOCs are secured by first or second liens on residential properties and are structured as revolving lines of credit whereby the borrower can draw upon and repay the loan at any time. These loans have adjustable rates with interest rates tied to a variety of independent indices, with interest rate floors and caps and with terms of up to 10 years. We underwrite these loans based on a variety of criteria, including an evaluation of the creditworthiness of the borrower, the borrower's ability to repay, loan-to-value and debt-to-income ratios, borrower liquidity, income verification and credit history.

CRE Lending: Loans originated by CRE Lending are supported by the underlying cash flow from operations of the related real estate collateral for loans except for construction related loans. The loans originated by CRE Lending consist of multifamily, non-owner occupied CRE and CRE construction loans, including bridge loans. The origination of CRE loans tends to be transactional in nature and are not dependent on the borrower utilizing other products or services offered by us, such as deposits. However, we have established full service deposit relationships with a number of these customers and we request that the operating deposit accounts for the related properties be maintained with us. The business is primarily sourced through our loan officers' relationships and through brokers with little direct marketing support.

CRE Residential Mortgage Loans — Multifamily: We make multifamily residential mortgage loans for terms up to 30 years for 5+ unit properties. These loans generally have adjustable rates with interest rates tied to a variety of independent indices; although in many cases these loans have initial fixed rate periods ranging from three to 10 years and adjust thereafter based on an applicable index. These loans generally have interest rate floors, payment caps, and prepayment fees. The loans are underwritten based on a variety of criteria, including an evaluation of the subject real estate collateral cash flow, the creditworthiness of the borrower and guarantors, the borrower's ability to repay, loan-to-value and debt service coverage ratios, borrower liquidity and credit history. In addition, we perform stress

testing for changes in interest rates, capitalization rates and other factors and review general economic trends such as rental rates, market values and vacancy rates. We typically require full or limited recourse from the owners of the entities to which we make such loans. Some of our multifamily real estate loans originated under our Fannie Mae DUS© lender service authorization are sold to or securitized by Fannie Mae after origination, with the Company generally retaining the servicing rights. In addition, because our operations can originate multifamily loans at levels higher than those needed to be retained to meet our loan growth targets, from time to time, we may sell multifamily loans to other financial institutions, usually servicing released.

CRE Loans — Non-owner Occupied: Our commercial real estate loans are secured by first trust deeds on nonresidential real property with terms up to 10 years. We typically focus on multi-tenant industrial, office and retail real estate collateral with strong, stable tenancy, and strong, stable historical cash flow located in submarket locations with strong, stable demand. These loans generally have adjustable rates with interest rates tied to a variety of independent indices; although in many cases these loans have initial fixed rate periods ranging from three to 10 years and adjust thereafter based on an applicable index. These loans generally have interest rate floors, payment caps, and prepayment fees. The loans are underwritten based on a variety of criteria, including an evaluation of the subject real estate collateral cash flow, the creditworthiness of the borrower and guarantors, the borrower's ability to repay, loan-to-value and debt service coverage ratios, borrower liquidity and credit history. In addition, we perform stress testing for changes in interest rates, capitalization rates and other factors and review general economic trends such as lease rates, values and absorption rates. We typically require full recourse from the owners of the entities to which we make such loans.

CRE construction Loans: CRE construction loans are provided to borrowers with extensive construction experience and are primarily focused on multifamily, commercial building and warehouse developments. These loans are custom tailored to fit the individual needs of each specific request. We typically consider CRE construction loan requests in the submarket locations where we have experience and offer permanent real estate loans. We also offer bridge loans which are designed to fund a project for a short period of time until permanent financing can be arranged. Construction loans and bridge loans usually only require interest only payments which are generally supported by an interest reserve established at the time the loan is originated. Construction loans typically are disbursed as construction progresses and are subject to inspection by third party experts. Construction loans, including bridge loans, carry a higher degree of risk because repayment of these loans is dependent, in part, on the successful completion of the project or, to a lesser extent, the ability of the borrower to refinance the loan or sell the property upon completion of the project, rather than the ability of the borrower or guarantor to repay principal and interest. Because of these factors, these loans require substantial equity either as up-front cash equity in the project or equity in the value of the underlying property. These loans are typically secured by the underlying development and, even if we foreclose on the loan, we may be required to fund additional amounts to complete the project and may have to hold the property for an unspecified period of time while we attempt to dispose of it. CRE construction and bridge loans are secured by first trust deeds on real property. These loans generally have adjustable rates with interest rates tied to a variety of independent indices. These loans generally have interest rate floors, payment caps, and prepayment fees. The loans are underwritten based on a variety of criteria, including an evaluation of the creditworthiness of the borrower and guarantors, the borrower's ability to repay, loan to value and debt service coverage ratios, borrower liquidity and credit history. In addition, we perform stress testing for changes in interest rates and other factors and review general economic trends such as lease rates, values and absorption rates. We typically require full recourse from the owners of the entities to which we make such loans.

Residential Construction Lending: Loans originated by Residential Construction Lending include single family residential construction loans, lot acquisition loans and land development loans. Our construction loans are to experienced local developers with extensive track records in building single family loans. Our lot acquisition loans and land development loans are typically on entitled land, versus raw land. Construction loans are disbursed as construction progresses. These loans require repayment as residences or lots are sold. Residential Construction Lending typically develops full service business banking relationships, including loans and deposits. The business is primarily sourced through our relationship managers with minimal direct marketing support.

We typically consider residential construction loan requests in the submarket locations where we have experience and a relationship manager is located. Construction loans, lot acquisition loans and land development loans usually only require interest only payments which may be supported by an interest reserve established at the time the loan is originated. Construction loans typically are disbursed as construction progresses. Construction loans, carry a higher degree of risk because repayment of these loans is dependent, in part, on the success of the ultimate project or, to a

lesser extent, the ability of the borrower to refinance the loan or sell the home or lots upon completion of the project. Because of these factors, these loans require substantial equity either as up-front cash equity in the project or equity in the value of the underlying property. These loans are secured by the underlying real estate and improvements. In the event of a foreclosure on the loan, we may be required to fund additional amounts to complete the project and may have to hold the property for an unspecified period of time while we attempt to dispose of it. Residential Construction Lending loans are secured by first trust deeds on real property. These loans generally have adjustable rates with interest rates tied to the Bank's prime lending rate. These loans generally have interest rate floors, payment caps, and prepayment fees. The loans are underwritten based on a variety of criteria, including an evaluation of the creditworthiness of the borrower and guarantors, the borrower's ability to repay, loan to value and loan to cost ratios, borrower leverage and liquidity, credit history and guarantor support. In addition, we perform stress testing for changes in interest rates and other factors and review general economic trends such as values and absorption rates. We typically require full recourse from the owners of the entities to which we make such loans.

Other: We offer consumer installment loans through our retail branches to our customers to allow them to meet short term cash flow needs. Consumer loans are generally fixed rate loans made for terms ranging from one to five years. The loans are underwritten based on a variety of criteria, including an evaluation of the creditworthiness and credit history of the borrower and guarantors, the borrower's ability to repay, debt-to-income ratios, borrower liquidity and income verification.

Loans Serviced for Others

We retain servicing rights from the sale of single family loans and multifamily loans originated under our Fannie Mae DUS authorization. The value of these mortgage servicing rights ("MSRs") is recognized upon the sale of the loans and is amortized over the lives of the loans. For single family loans, the value of MSRs can be highly volatile due primarily to changes in prepayment speeds. We have a hedging program in place to reduce the impact of this volatility on our financial results. The monthly servicing fees we receive are partially offset by the amortization of MSRs. Our contractual servicing obligations include the collection of payments from borrowers, resolving delinquent payments including foreclosing on loans when appropriate, remittance of collections and monthly reporting of servicing activities. The funds collected are generally retained as deposits in the Bank until they are remitted on a monthly basis to the owner or trustee.

Deposit Products and Services

Deposits represent our principal source of funds for making loans and acquiring other interest-earning assets. These deposits are serviced through our retail branch network which currently includes 62 branches. These retail branches serve as one of our primary contact points with our customers. These branches are typically staffed with three to six employees, including a branch manager who is responsible for servicing our existing customers and generating new business. At December 31, 2020, we held \$5.8 billion of deposits.

Deposit Products: We offer a wide range of deposit products including personal and business checking, savings accounts, interest-bearing negotiable order of withdrawal accounts, money market accounts and time certificates of deposit. Our pricing strategy is to maintain deposit pricing at levels consistent with our competitors. This generally allows us to maintain our current deposit relationships. From time to time, we will offer promotional rates to attract new clients to our platform. Our pricing strategy is intended to complement our other products and services so that we can attract and retain clients without always paying the highest rates.

Deposit Services: Our deposit services include the following:

<u>Treasury Management</u>: Treasury Management products and services provide our customers the tools to bank with us conveniently without having the need to visit one of our offices and are necessary to attract complex commercial and specialty deposit clients. These include bill pay, payee positive pay, wire transfers, internal and external transfers, wire and ACH reconciliation services, remote deposit capture and mobile/mobile deposit, as well as lockbox and cash vault services.

<u>Digital Banking</u>: We offer consumer and business online access to our basic account management, review and processing functions and our treasury management products and services. In addition, we provide mobile banking services to both business and consumer clients through our online access.

Competition

The banking business in our market areas in the Western United States is highly competitive. We primarily compete with other banks, credit unions, mortgage banking companies and finance companies, including similarly sized community banks who are vying for customers and employees in the same markets as us. A relatively small number of major national and regional banks, operating over wide geographic areas, including Wells Fargo, JP Morgan Chase, US Bank, Comerica, Union Bank and Bank of America, dominate our banking markets. Those banks generally have greater financial and capital resources than we do and as a result of their ability to conduct extensive advertising campaigns and their relatively long histories of operations in our markets, are generally better known than us. In addition, by virtue of their greater total capitalization, the large banks have substantially higher lending limits than we do, which enables them to make much larger loans and to offer loan products and other services that we are not able to offer to our clients.

Due to consolidation in the banking industry, the number of competitors for lower and middle-market businesses has decreased. At the same time, national and large regional banks have focused on larger customers to achieve economies of scale in lending and depository relationships and have also consolidated business banking operations and support and reduced service levels in many of our markets. We have taken advantage of industry consolidation by recruiting well-qualified employees and attracting new customers who seek long-term stability, local decision-making, quality products and outstanding expertise and customer service. While we provide our clients with the convenience of technological access services, such as remote deposit capture, internet banking and mobile banking, we compete primarily by providing a high level of personal service. As a result, we do not try to compete exclusively on pricing. However, because we are located in competitive markets and because we are seeking to grow our businesses, we attempt to maintain our pricing to be competitive with our principal competitors.

Human Capital Management

Employee Headcount

As of December 31, 2020, the Company employed 1,030 employees across our geographic footprint, including 970 employees classified as full-time employees and 60 employees classified as part-time. Our employee turnover rate was 23% during the year ended December 31, 2020 with a voluntary turnover rate of 16%.

Company Culture

As a financial institution, HomeStreet Bank occupies a position of trust in the community, among its customers and employees, and with its regulators. We have earned that trust by developing a reputation for fairness, honesty, integrity and community service, since the Company's inception in 1921. Our reputation is directly tied to the individual decisions, actions, and sense of business ethics of each and every one of our employees. A high level of trust gives us a competitive advantage in an environment that is increasingly sensitive to business ethics. Employees and customers are attracted to work for, and do business with, a company that prides itself on maintaining the highest ethical standards. For all of these reasons, a commitment to fairness, honesty, integrity and community service are core values of the Company.

As part of this commitment to our core values, beginning in 2018, we gathered employees from different areas of the Company and different representative parts of our community to form a Culture Committee. That Committee has identified five key values built on specific behaviors that bring our values to life — a focus on customers, collaboration as one team, delivering excellence, embodying a spirit to serve the communities that we are in, and being engaged in our work in a manner that can be described as "all in."

Diversity, Equity and Inclusion

HomeStreet is an equal opportunity employer committed to a diverse workplace with employees from a wide range of backgrounds. We recognize that a more diverse workforce translates to broader perspective and greater understanding, which in turn translates to a greater capacity for customer service. We focus on recruiting, retaining and promoting employees from different backgrounds and who are representative of the people in our communities. By doing so, we are better able to serve our customers and understand their financial services needs and goals.

Our Culture Committee works with management to identify and promote practices that will help us achieve these diversity goals. We also promote policies and practices to combat harassment, discrimination, retaliation, or disrespectful or other unprofessional conduct based on an individual's identity, including sex, gender, sexual orientation, race, religion, color, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, age, marital status and more.

Compensation of Employees

As part of our goal of providing high-quality banking and financial services to our customers while creating a positive impact in the local communities in which we do business, we designed our compensation program with the intention of attracting and retaining highly qualified employees. We use a mix of base salary, cash-based short-term incentive plans and defined contributions to the 401(k) plans for participating employees to incentivize our employees classified as exempt employees, and also provide equity-based long-term incentive compensation for members of the management team who are senior vice president and above. Employee performance is considered, evaluated and discussed through quarterly performance check-ins between manager and direct report, while those employees eligible for short-term annual incentives also have an annual performance review. Our non-exempt employees are paid hourly wages with benefits of working overtime along with defined contributions to the 401(k) plan for participating employees.

We have a variety of group benefit programs designed to provide our employees with health and wellness benefits, financial benefits in the event of planned or unplanned expenses, or losses relating to illness, disability, death, to help plan for retirement, and deal with job-related or personal problems.

Employee Training and Development

As part of our employee development program, we provide a variety of training and educational opportunities to help our employees stay current on regulatory compliance issues and develop their professional skills. We use an online learning management system to create, assign, and track compliance and professional development learning programs across many topical areas such as Banking, mortgage and regulatory education, technology training, public speaking and proactive communication, development of strong customer relationship and customer service skills.

Employee Safety; Response to COVID-19

Employee safety is a priority, and we promote workplace safety in many ways. In 2020, we faced the unprecedented threat to our employees of a global pandemic with the outbreak of COVID-19. The first case in the United States was identified near Seattle, where we are headquartered. We took quick action to provide protections for our employees, even before receiving state and local stay home/stay safe orders, including facilitating work from home capabilities for approximately 50% of our workforce whose jobs were not dependent on being customer-facing, moving our branches to appointment-only status to limit exposure for our employees who work face-to-face with customers and providing personal protective equipment in all of our premises and even providing masks to all of our employees. Our crisis management team met over 100 times during the year to develop and implement safety standards and protocols along with robust social distancing and a phased return to work plan.

Early in the pandemic, we designed and adopted HomeStreet's Social Distancing Policy and COVID-19 Sanitation Measures which are based on US Department of Labor Occupational Safety and Health Administration Guidance on Preparing Workplaces for COVID-19, the Center for Disease Control ("CDC") guidance, the President's Coronavirus Guidelines for America and orders and guidance from state and local authorities. The Department of Homeland Security has designated the financial services sector as a Critical Infrastructure Sector. This includes banks, so we have a special responsibility to continue to provide financial services to our customers and communities. In doing so, we make the safety of our employees, customers and communities where we serve, a priority. Our policy applies to all HomeStreet locations in the several states where we do business.

Employee Community Involvement

HomeStreet is committed to our communities, and as part of that commitment we support the active involvement of our employees in supporting their communities. Employees are given time off to volunteer for community organizations, and where employees make a substantial commitment of time to a particular organization, HomeStreet offers an additional financial contribution to those organizations in recognition of the commitment of our employees. We also create active partnerships with hundreds of local organizations, and our employees provide leadership, educational support, hands-on service, expertise, and financial support to those organizations. We focus primarily on organizations within the scope of the Community Reinvestment Act ("CRA") — those that provide support for housing, basic needs, and economic development for those of low and moderate income. Our senior management also helps to educate our employees on the importance of our community responsibility focus and strategies.

Locations

We operate 62 full service bank branches in Washington, in Northern and Southern California, in the Portland, Oregon area and in Hawaii, as well as five primary stand-alone commercial lending centers located in Central Washington, Oregon, Southern California, Idaho and Utah.

Where You Can Obtain Additional Information

We file annual, quarterly, current and other reports with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). We make available free of charge on or through our website http://www.homestreet.com all of these reports (and all amendments thereto), as soon as reasonably practicable after we file these materials with the SEC. Please note that the contents of our website do not constitute a part of our reports, and those contents are not incorporated by reference into this Form 10-K or any of our other securities filings. The SEC's website, www.sec.gov, contains reports, proxy and information statements, and other information that we file or furnish electronically with the SEC.

REGULATION AND SUPERVISION

The following is a brief description of certain laws and regulations that are applicable to us. The description of these laws and regulations, as well as descriptions of laws and regulations contained elsewhere in this Form 10-K, does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the applicable laws and regulations.

The bank regulatory framework to which we are subject is intended primarily for the protection of bank depositors and the Deposit Insurance Fund and not for the protection of shareholders or other security holders.

General

The Company is a bank holding company which has made an election to be a financial holding company. It is regulated by the Federal Reserve and the WDFI. The Company is required to register and file reports with, and otherwise comply with, the rules and regulations of the Federal Reserve and the WDFI.

The Bank is a Washington state-chartered commercial bank. The Bank is subject to regulation, examination and supervision by the WDFI and the FDIC.

The following discussion provides an overview of certain elements of banking regulations that currently apply to HomeStreet and HomeStreet Bank. New statutes, regulations and guidance are regularly considered that could change the regulatory framework applicable to financial institutions operating in our markets and in the United States generally. Any change in policies, legislation or regulation, including through interpretive decisions or enforcement actions, by any of our regulators, including the Federal Reserve, the WDFI and the FDIC, or by any other government branch or agency with authority over us, could have a material impact on our operations.

Regulation Applicable to the Company and the Bank

Capital Requirements

Capital rules (the "Rules") adopted by Federal banking regulators (including the Federal Reserve and the FDIC) generally recognize three components, or tiers, of capital: common equity Tier 1 capital, additional Tier 1 capital and Tier 2 capital. Common equity Tier 1 capital generally consists of retained earnings and common stock instruments (subject to certain adjustments), as well as accumulated other comprehensive income ("AOCI") except to the extent that the Company and the Bank exercise a one-time irrevocable option to exclude certain components of AOCI. Both the Company and the Bank made this election in 2015. Additional Tier 1 capital generally includes non-cumulative preferred stock and related surplus subject to certain adjustments and limitations. Tier 2 capital generally includes certain capital instruments (such as subordinated debt) and portions of the amounts of the allowance for credit losses, subject to certain requirements and deductions. The term "Tier 1 capital" means common equity Tier 1 capital plus additional Tier 1 capital, and the term "total capital" means Tier 1 capital plus Tier 2 capital.

The Rules generally measure an institution's capital using four capital measures or ratios. The common equity Tier 1 capital ratio is the ratio of the institution's common equity Tier 1 capital to its total risk-weighted assets. The Tier 1 risk-based capital ratio is the ratio of the institution's Tier 1 capital to its total risk-weighted assets. The total risk-based capital ratio is the ratio of the institution's total capital to its total risk-weighted assets. The Tier 1 leverage ratio is the ratio of the institution's Tier 1 capital to its average total consolidated assets. To determine risk-weighted assets, assets of an institution are generally placed into a risk category as prescribed by the regulations and given a percentage weight based on the relative risk of that category. An asset's risk-weighted value will generally be its percentage weight multiplied by the asset's value as determined under generally accepted accounting principles. In addition, certain off-balance-sheet items are converted to balance-sheet credit equivalent amounts, and each amount is then assigned to one of the risk categories. An institution's federal regulator may require the institution to hold more capital than would otherwise be required under the Rules if the regulator determines that the institution's capital requirements under the Rules are not commensurate with the institution's credit, market, operational or other risks.

To be adequately capitalized both the Company and the Bank are required to have a common equity Tier 1 capital ratio of at least 4.5% or more, a Tier 1 leverage ratio of 4.0% or more, a Tier 1 risk-based ratio of 6.0% or more and a total risk-based ratio of 8.0% or more. In addition to the preceding requirements both the Company and the Bank, are required to maintain a "conservation buffer," consisting of common equity Tier 1 capital, which is at least 2.5%

above each of the required minimum levels. An institution that does not meet the conservation buffer will be subject to restrictions on certain activities including payment of dividends, stock repurchases and discretionary bonuses to executive officers.

The Rules set forth the manner in which certain capital elements are determined, including but not limited to, requiring certain deductions related to mortgage servicing rights and deferred tax assets. The Rules permit holding companies with less than \$15 billion in total assets as of December 31, 2009 (which includes the Company) to continue to include trust preferred securities issued prior to May 19, 2010 in Tier 1 capital, generally up to 25% of other Tier 1 capital.

The Rules also prescribe the methods for calculating certain risk-based assets and risk-based ratios. Higher or more sensitive risk weights are assigned to various categories of assets, among which are credit facilities that finance the acquisition, development or construction of real property, certain exposures or credits that are 90 days past due or are nonaccrual, foreign exposures, certain corporate exposures, securitization exposures, equity exposures and in certain cases mortgage servicing rights and deferred tax assets.

Bank Secrecy Act and USA Patriot Act

The Company and the Bank are subject to the Bank Secrecy Act, as amended by the USA PATRIOT Act, which gives the federal government powers to address money laundering and terrorist threats through enhanced domestic security measures, expanded surveillance powers and mandatory transaction reporting obligations. By way of example, the Bank Secrecy Act imposes an affirmative obligation on the Bank to report currency transactions that exceed certain thresholds and to report other transactions determined to be suspicious. The Bank Secrecy Act requires financial institutions, including the Bank, to meet certain customer due diligence requirements, including obtaining a certification from the individual opening the account on behalf of the legal entity that identifies the beneficial owner(s) of the entity. The purpose of these requirements is to enable the Bank to be able to predict with relative certainty the types of transactions in which a customer is likely to engage which should in turn assist in determining when transactions are potentially suspicious.

Like all United States companies and individuals, the Company and the Bank are prohibited from transacting business with certain individuals and entities named on the Office of Foreign Asset Control's list of Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons. Failure to comply may result in fines and other penalties. The Office of Foreign Asset Control has issued guidance directed at financial institutions in which it asserted that it may, in its discretion, examine institutions determined to be high-risk or to be lacking in their efforts to comply with these prohibitions.

Compensation Policies

Compensation policies and practices at the Company and the Bank are subject to regulations and policies by their respective banking regulators, as well as the SEC. These regulations and policies are generally intended to prohibit excessive compensation and to help ensure that incentive compensation policies do not encourage imprudent risk-taking and are consistent with the safety and soundness of the financial institutions. In certain cases, compensation payments may have to be returned by the recipient to the financial institutions. In addition, FDIC regulations restrict our ability to make certain "golden parachute" and "indemnification" payments. As a public company, the Company is subject to various rules regarding disclosure of compensation payments and policies as well as providing its shareholders certain non-binding votes relating to the Company's disclosed compensation practices.

Regulation of the Company

General

As a bank holding company, the Company is subject to Federal Reserve regulations, examinations, supervision and reporting requirements relating to bank holding companies. Among other things, the Federal Reserve is authorized to restrict or prohibit activities that are determined to be a serious risk to the financial safety, soundness or stability of a subsidiary bank. Since the Bank is chartered under Washington law, the WDFI has authority to regulate the Company generally relating to its conduct affecting the Bank.

Capital/Source of Strength

Under the Dodd Franks Act, the Company is subject to certain capital requirements and required to act as a "source of strength" for the Bank.

Restrictions Applicable to Bank Holding Companies

Federal law generally prohibits a bank holding company, including the Company, directly or indirectly (or through one or more subsidiaries), from acquiring:

- control of another depository institution (or a holding company parent) without prior approval of the Federal Reserve (as "control" is defined under the Bank Holding Company Act);
- another depository institution (or a holding company thereof), through merger, consolidation or purchase
 of all or substantially all of the assets of such institution (or holding company) without prior approval
 from the Federal Reserve and FDIC;
- more than 5.0% of any class of the voting shares of a non-subsidiary depository institution or a holding company subject to certain exceptions; or
- control of any depository institution not insured by the FDIC (except through a merger with and into the holding company's bank subsidiary that is approved by the FDIC).

In evaluating applications by holding companies to acquire depository institutions or holding companies, the Federal Reserve must consider the financial and managerial resources and future prospects of the company and the institutions involved, the effect of the acquisition on the risk to the insurance funds, the convenience and needs of the community and competitive factors. In addition, nonbank acquisitions by a bank holding company are generally limited to the acquisition of up to 5% of the outstanding share of any class of voting securities of a company unless the Federal Reserve has previously determined that the nonbank activities are closely related to banking or prior approval is obtained from the Federal Reserve.

Acquisition of Control

Under the federal Change in Bank Control Act, a notice must be submitted to the Federal Reserve if any person (including a company), or group acting in concert, seeks to acquire "control" of a bank holding company. An acquisition of control can occur upon the acquisition of 10.0% or more of the voting stock of a bank holding company or as otherwise defined by the Federal Reserve. Under the Change in Bank Control Act, the Federal Reserve has 60 days from the filing of a complete notice to act (the 60-day period may be extended), taking into consideration certain factors, including the financial and managerial resources of the acquirer and the antitrust effects of the acquisition. Control can also exist if an individual or company has, or exercises, directly or indirectly or by acting in concert with others, a controlling influence over the Bank. Washington law also imposes certain limitations on the ability of persons and entities to acquire control of banking institutions and their parent companies.

Dividend Policy

Under Washington law, the Company is generally permitted to make a distribution, including payments of dividends, only if, after giving effect to the distribution, in the judgment of the board of directors, (1) the Company would be able to pay its debts as they become due in the ordinary course of business and (2) the Company's total assets would at least equal the sum of its total liabilities plus the amount that would be needed if the Company were to be dissolved at the time of the distribution to satisfy the preferential rights upon dissolution of shareholders whose preferential rights are superior to those receiving the distribution. In addition, it is the policy of the Federal Reserve that bank holding companies generally should pay dividends only out of net income generated over the past year and only if the prospective rate of earnings retention appears consistent with the organization's capital needs, asset quality and overall financial condition. The policy also provides that bank holding companies should not maintain a level of cash dividends that places undue pressure on the capital of its subsidiary bank or that may undermine its ability to serve as a source of strength. The Federal Reserve has the authority to place additional restrictions and limits on payment of dividends. Capital rules as well as regulatory policy impose additional requirements on the ability of the Company to pay dividends.

Regulation and Supervision of HomeStreet Bank

General

As a commercial bank chartered under the laws of the State of Washington, HomeStreet Bank is subject to applicable provisions of Washington law and regulations of the WDFI. As a state-chartered commercial bank the Bank's primary federal regulator is the FDIC. It is subject to regulation and examination by the WDFI and the FDIC, as well as enforcement actions initiated by the WDFI and the FDIC, and its deposits are insured by the FDIC.

Washington Banking Regulation

As a Washington bank, the Bank's operations and activities are substantially regulated by Washington law and regulations, which govern, among other things, the Bank's ability to take deposits and pay interest, make loans on or invest in residential and other real estate, make consumer and commercial loans, invest in securities, offer various banking services to its customers and establish branch offices. Under state law, commercial banks in Washington also generally have, subject to certain limitations or approvals, all of the powers that Washington chartered savings banks have under Washington law and that federal savings banks and national banks have under federal laws and regulations.

Washington law also governs numerous corporate activities relating to the Bank, including the Bank's ability to pay dividends, to engage in merger activities and to amend its articles of incorporation, as well as limitations on change of control of the Bank. Under Washington law, the board of directors of the Bank generally may not declare a cash dividend on its capital stock in an amount greater than its retained earnings without the approval of the WDFI. This restriction is in addition to restrictions imposed by federal law. Mergers involving the Bank and sales or acquisitions of its branches are generally subject to the approval of the WDFI. No person or entity may acquire control of the Bank until 30 days after filing a notice or an application with the WDFI, which has the authority to disapprove the notice or application. Washington law defines "control" of an entity to mean directly or indirectly, alone or in concert with others, to own, control or hold the power to vote 25% or more of the outstanding stock or voting power of the entity. Any amendment to the Bank's articles of incorporation requires the approval of the WDFI.

The Bank is subject to periodic examination by and reporting requirements of the WDFI, as well as enforcement actions initiated by the WDFI. The WDFI's enforcement powers include the issuance of orders compelling or restricting conduct by the Bank and the authority to bring actions to remove the Bank's directors, officers and employees. The WDFI has authority to place the Bank under supervisory direction or to take possession of the Bank and to appoint the FDIC as receiver.

Insurance of Deposit Accounts and Regulation by the FDIC

The FDIC is the Bank's principal federal bank regulator. As such, the FDIC is authorized to conduct examinations of, and to require reporting by the Bank. The FDIC may prohibit the Bank from engaging in any activity determined by law, regulation or order to pose a serious risk to the institution, and may take a variety of enforcement actions in the event the Bank violates a law, regulation or order or engages in an unsafe or unsound practice or under certain other circumstances. The FDIC also has the authority to appoint itself as receiver of the Bank or to terminate the Bank's deposit insurance if it were to determine that the Bank has engaged in unsafe or unsound practices or is in an unsafe or unsound condition.

The Bank is a member of the Deposit Insurance Fund ("DIF") administered by the FDIC, which insures customer deposit accounts. The amount of federal deposit insurance coverage is \$250,000, per depositor, for each account ownership category at each depository institution. The \$250,000 amount is subject to periodic adjustments. In order to maintain the DIF, member institutions, such as the Bank, are assessed insurance premiums which are now based on an insured institution's average consolidated assets less tangible equity capital.

Each institution is provided an assessment rate, which is generally based on the risk that the institution presents to the DIF. Institutions with less than \$10 billion in assets generally have an assessment rate that can range from 1.5 to 30 basis points. However, the FDIC does have flexibility to adopt assessment rates without additional rule-making provided that the total base assessment rate increase or decrease does not exceed 2 basis points. In addition, the

FDIC in 2020 adopted a rule to mitigate the effect on deposit insurance assessments resulting from a bank's participation in certain programs adopted as a result of the coronavirus pandemic. In the future, if the reserve ratio reaches certain levels, these assessment rates will generally be lowered.

Prompt Corrective Action Regulations

Section 38 of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act establishes a framework of supervisory actions for insured depository institutions that are not adequately capitalized, also known as "prompt corrective action" regulations. All of the federal banking agencies have promulgated substantially similar regulations to implement a system of prompt corrective action. As modified by the Rules, the framework establishes five capital categories; under the Rules, a bank is:

- "well capitalized" if it has a total risk-based capital ratio of 10.0% or more, a Tier 1 risk-based capital ratio of 8.0% or more, a common equity Tier 1 risk-based ratio of 6.5% or more, and a leverage capital ratio of 5.0% or more, and is not subject to any written agreement, order or capital directive to meet and maintain a specific capital level for any capital measure;
- "adequately capitalized" if it has a total risk-based capital ratio of 8.0% or more, a Tier 1 risk-based capital ratio of 6.0% or more, a common equity Tier 1 risk-based ratio of 4.5% or more, and a leverage capital ratio of 4.0% or more;
- "undercapitalized" if it has a total risk-based capital ratio less than 8.0%, a Tier 1 risk-based capital ratio less than 6.0%, a common equity risk-based ratio less than 4.5% or a leverage capital ratio less than 4.0%;
- "significantly undercapitalized" if it has a total risk-based capital ratio less than 6.0%, a Tier 1 risk-based capital ratio less than 4.0%, a common equity risk-based ratio less than 3.0% or a leverage capital ratio less than 3.0%; and
- "critically undercapitalized" if it has a ratio of tangible equity to total assets that is equal to or less than 2.0%.

A bank that, based upon its capital levels, is classified as "well capitalized," "adequately capitalized" or "undercapitalized" may be treated as though it were in the next lower capital category if the appropriate federal banking agency, after notice and opportunity for a hearing, determines that an unsafe or unsound condition, or an unsafe or unsound practice, warrants such treatment.

At each successive lower capital category, an insured bank is subject to increasingly severe supervisory actions. These actions include, but are not limited to, restrictions on asset growth, interest rates paid on deposits, branching, allowable transactions with affiliates, ability to pay bonuses and raises to senior executives and pursuing new lines of business. Additionally, all "undercapitalized" banks are required to implement capital restoration plans to restore capital to at least the "adequately capitalized" level, and the FDIC is generally required to close "critically undercapitalized" banks within a 90-day period.

Limitations on Transactions with Affiliates

Transactions between the Bank and any affiliate are governed by Sections 23A and 23B of the Federal Reserve Act. An affiliate of the Bank is any company or entity which controls, is controlled by or is under common control with the Bank but which is not a subsidiary of the Bank. The Company and its non-bank subsidiaries are affiliates of the Bank. Generally, Section 23A limits the extent to which the Bank or its subsidiaries may engage in "covered transactions" with any one affiliate to an amount equal to 10.0% of the Bank's capital stock and surplus, and imposes an aggregate limit on all such transactions with all affiliates in an amount equal to 20.0% of such capital stock and surplus. Section 23B applies to "covered transactions" as well as certain other transactions and requires that all transactions be on terms substantially the same, or at least as favorable to the Bank, as those provided to a non-affiliate. The term "covered transaction" includes the making of loans to an affiliate, the purchase of or investment in the securities issued by an affiliate, the purchase of assets from an affiliate, the acceptance of securities issued by an affiliate as collateral security for a loan or extension of credit to any person or company, the issuance of a guarantee, acceptance or letter of credit on behalf of an affiliate, or certain transactions with an affiliate that involves the borrowing or lending of securities and certain derivative transactions with an affiliate.

In addition, Sections 22(g) and (h) of the Federal Reserve Act place restrictions on loans, derivatives, repurchase agreements and securities lending to executive officers, directors and principal shareholders of the Bank and its affiliates.

Standards for Safety and Soundness

The federal banking regulatory agencies have prescribed, by regulation, a set of guidelines for all insured depository institutions prescribing safety and soundness standards. These guidelines establish general standards for internal controls, information systems, internal audit systems, loan documentation, credit underwriting, interest rate risk exposure, asset growth, asset quality, earnings standards, compensation, fees and benefits. In general, the guidelines require appropriate systems and practices to identify and manage the risks and exposures specified in the guidelines before capital becomes impaired. The guidelines prohibit excessive compensation as an unsafe and unsound practice and describe compensation as excessive when the amounts paid are unreasonable or disproportionate to the services performed by an executive officer, employee, director, or principal shareholder.

Each insured depository institution must implement a comprehensive written information security program that includes administrative, technical and physical safeguards appropriate to the institution's size and complexity and the nature and scope of its activities. The information security program also must be designed to ensure the security and confidentiality of customer information, protect against any unanticipated threats or hazards to the security or integrity of such information, protect against unauthorized access to or use of such information that could result in substantial harm or inconvenience to any customer and ensure the proper disposal of customer and consumer information. Each insured depository institution must also develop and implement a risk-based response program to address incidents of unauthorized access to customer information in customer information systems. If the FDIC determines that the Bank fails to meet any standard prescribed by the guidelines, it may require the Bank to submit an acceptable plan to achieve compliance with the standard.

Real Estate Lending Standards

FDIC regulations require the Bank to adopt and maintain written policies that establish appropriate limits and standards for real estate loans. These standards, which must be consistent with safe and sound banking practices, must establish loan portfolio diversification standards, prudent underwriting standards (including loan-to-value ratio limits) that are clear and measurable, loan administration procedures and documentation, approval and reporting requirements. The Bank is obligated to monitor conditions in its real estate markets to ensure that its standards continue to be appropriate for market conditions. The Bank's board of directors is required to review and approve the Bank's standards at least annually.

The FDIC has published guidelines for compliance with these regulations, including supervisory limitations on loan-to-value ratios for different categories of real estate loans. Loans in excess of the supervisory loan-to-value ratio limitations must be identified in the Bank's records and reported at least quarterly to the Bank's board of directors.

The FDIC and the federal banking agencies have also issued guidance on sound risk management practices for concentrations in commercial real estate lending. The particular focus is on exposure to commercial real estate loans that are dependent on the cash flow from the real estate held as collateral and that are likely to be sensitive to conditions in the commercial real estate market (as opposed to real estate collateral held as a secondary source of repayment or as an abundance of caution). The purpose of the guidance is not to limit a bank's commercial real estate lending but to guide banks in developing risk management practices and capital levels commensurate with the level and nature of real estate concentrations.

Risk Retention

The Dodd-Frank Act requires that, subject to certain exemptions, securitizers of mortgage and other asset-backed securities retain not less than five percent of the credit risk of the mortgages or other assets and that the securitizer not hedge or otherwise transfer the risk it is required to retain. Generally, the implemented regulations provide various ways in which the retention of risk requirement can be satisfied and also describes exemptions from the retention requirements for various types of assets, including mortgages.

Activities and Investments of Insured State-Chartered Financial Institutions

Federal law generally prohibits FDIC-insured state banks from engaging as a principal in activities, and from making equity investments, other than those that are permissible for national banks. An insured state bank is not prohibited from, among other things, (1) acquiring or retaining a majority interest in certain subsidiaries, (2) investing as a limited partner in a partnership the sole purpose of which is direct or indirect investment in the acquisition, rehabilitation or new construction of a qualified housing project, provided that such limited partnership investments may not exceed 2.0% of the bank's total assets, (3) acquiring up to 10.0% of the voting stock of a company that solely provides or reinsures directors', trustees' and officers' liability insurance coverage or bankers' blanket bond group insurance coverage for insured depository institutions and (4) acquiring or retaining the voting shares of a depository institution if certain requirements are met.

Washington State has enacted a law regarding financial institution parity. The law generally provides that Washington-chartered commercial banks may exercise any of the powers of Washington-chartered savings banks, national banks or federally-chartered savings banks, subject to the approval of the Director of the WDFI in certain situations.

Environmental Issues Associated with Real Estate Lending

The Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, or (the "CERCLA"), is a federal statute that generally imposes strict liability on all prior and present "owners and operators" of sites containing hazardous waste. However, Congress has acted to protect secured creditors by providing that the term "owner and operator" excludes a person whose ownership is limited to protecting its security interest in the site. Since the enactment of the CERCLA, this "secured creditor" exemption has been the subject of judicial interpretations which have left open the possibility that lenders could be liable for cleanup costs on contaminated property that they hold as collateral for a loan. To the extent that legal uncertainty exists in this area, all creditors, including the Bank, that have made loans secured by properties with potential hazardous waste contamination (such as petroleum contamination) could be subject to liability for cleanup costs, which costs often substantially exceed the value of the collateral property.

Reserve Requirements

The Bank is subject to Federal Reserve regulations pursuant to which depositary institutions may be required to maintain non- interest-earning reserves against their deposit accounts and certain other liabilities. Reserves must be maintained against transaction accounts (primarily negotiable order of withdrawal and regular checking accounts). Currently, however, the Federal Reserve is not requiring banks to maintain any reserve amount.

Federal Home Loan Bank System

The Federal Home Loan Bank system consists of 11 regional Federal Home Loan Banks. Among other benefits, each of these serves as a reserve or central bank for its members within its assigned region. Each of the Federal Home Loan Banks makes available loans or advances to its members in compliance with the policies and procedures established by its board of directors. The Bank is a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Des Moines (the "Des Moines FHLB"). As a member of the Des Moines FHLB, the Bank is required to own stock in the Des Moines FHLB.

Community Reinvestment Act of 1977

Banks are subject to the provisions of the Community Reinvestment Act of 1977 ("CRA"), which requires the appropriate federal bank regulatory agency to assess a bank's record in meeting the credit needs of the assessment areas serviced by the bank, including low and moderate income neighborhoods. The regulatory agency's assessment of the bank's record is made available to the public. Further, these assessments are considered by regulators when evaluating mergers, acquisitions and applications to open or relocate a branch or facility. The Bank currently has a rating of "Satisfactory" under the CRA.

Dividends

Dividends from the Bank constitute an important source of funds for dividends that may be paid by the Company to shareholders. The amount of dividends payable by the Bank to the Company depends upon the Bank's earnings and capital position and is limited by federal and state laws. Under Washington law dividends on the Bank's capital stock generally may not be paid in an amount greater than its retained earnings without the approval of the WDFI.

The amount of dividends actually paid during any one period will be strongly affected by the Bank's policy of maintaining a strong capital position. Federal law prohibits an insured depository institution from paying a cash dividend if this would cause the institution to be "undercapitalized," as defined in the prompt corrective action regulations. Moreover, the federal bank regulatory agencies have the general authority to limit the dividends paid by insured banks if such payments are deemed to constitute an unsafe and unsound practice.

Consumer Protection Laws and Regulations

The Bank and its affiliates are subject to a broad array of federal and state consumer protection laws and regulations that govern almost every aspect of its business relationships with consumers. While this list is not exhaustive, these include the Truth-in-Lending Act, the Truth in Savings Act, the Electronic Fund Transfer Act, the Expedited Funds Availability Act, the Equal Credit Opportunity Act, the Fair Housing Act, the Secure and Fair Enforcement in Mortgage Licensing Act, the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act, the Home Mortgage Disclosure Act, the Fair Credit Reporting Act, the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, the Service Members' Civil Relief Act, the Right to Financial Privacy Act, the Home Ownership and Equity Protection Act, the Consumer Leasing Act, the Fair Credit Billing Act, the Homeowners Protection Act, the Check Clearing for the 21st Century Act, laws governing flood insurance, laws governing consumer protections in connection with the sale of insurance, federal and state laws prohibiting unfair and deceptive business practices, foreclosure laws and various regulations that implement some or all of the foregoing. These laws and regulations mandate certain disclosure requirements and regulate the manner in which financial institutions must deal with customers when taking deposits, making loans, collecting loans and providing other services. Failure to comply with these laws and regulations can subject the Bank to various penalties, including but not limited to, enforcement actions, injunctions, fines, civil money penalties, civil liability, criminal penalties, punitive damages and the loss of certain contractual rights. The Bank has a compliance governance structure in place to help ensure its compliance with these requirements.

The Bank is subject to a variety of provisions related to consumer mortgage including (1) a requirement that lenders make a determination that at the time a residential mortgage loan is consummated the consumer has a reasonable ability to repay the loan and related costs, (2) a ban on loan originator compensation based on the interest rate or other terms of the loan (other than the amount of the principal), (3) a ban on prepayment penalties for certain types of loans, (4) bans on arbitration provisions in mortgage loans and (5) requirements for enhanced disclosures in connection with the making of a loan. The Bank is also subject mortgage loan application data collection and reporting requirements under the Home Mortgage Disclosure Act and a variety of requirements related to its mortgage loan servicing activities.

The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau ("CFPB") is an independent bureau that is responsible for regulating consumer financial products and services under federal consumer financial laws. The CFPB has broad rulemaking authority with respect to these laws and exclusive examination and primary enforcement authority regarding such laws with respect to banks with assets of more than \$10 billion.

The Federal Reserve has regulations limiting the amount of debit interchange fees that large bank issuers may charge or receive on their debit card transactions. There is an exemption from the rules for issuers with assets of less than \$10 billion.

ITEM 1A RISK FACTORS

This Annual Report on Form 10-K contains forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Our actual results could differ materially from those anticipated in these forward-looking statements as a result of certain factors, including the risks faced by us described below and elsewhere in this report.

Risks Related to the COVID-19 Pandemic

Our customers may be negatively impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic, which may result in adverse impacts to our financial position and results of operations.

Since March 2020, the communities where we do business have been under varying degrees of restrictions on social gatherings and retail operations due to the COVID-19 global pandemic. These restrictions, combined with related changes in consumer behavior and significant increases in unemployment, have resulted in extreme financial hardship for certain industries, especially travel, energy, hotel, food and beverage service and retail. While some governmental programs have provided assistance to unemployed consumers and certain businesses that have been especially hard hit, these programs are of limited scope and duration, and the ultimate impact of those programs is not yet known.

Even as vaccines begin to be administered, it is not clear when the economic impacts of the pandemic will subside or what the overall effect will be on our customers. Some of our customers may be unable to meet their debt obligations to us in a timely manner, or at all, and we may continue to experience a heightened number of requests from customers for forbearances on loans, especially as government programs subside. Federal, state and local moratoriums on evictions for non-payment of rent during this time may also negatively impact the ability of some borrowers to make payments on loans made for multifamily housing. In addition, while current laws and regulatory guidance allow us to presume that certain borrowers are not experiencing financial difficulties at the time of a modification for purposes of determining if a loan is a troubled debt restructuring ("TDR") if it is in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, in the long run a meaningful number of the loans in our portfolio may ultimately need additional forbearance or significant modification and be accounted for as a TDR or migrate to an adverse risk rating because of lingering impacts of an economic recession.

While we have substantially increased our allowance for credit losses in response to the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic to adjust the expected historic loss rates for current and forecasted conditions as some of the economic conditions created by the pandemic are not incorporated into the historical loss information, we cannot be sure that the amount by which we have increased our allowance for credit losses will be adequate or that additional increases to the allowance for credit losses will not be needed in subsequent periods. The actual and full economic impact of the pandemic is still unknowable, and if our allowance is not adequate, future net charge-offs may be in excess of current expected losses, which would create the need for more provisioning and have a negative impact on our financial condition, results of operations and capital position.

Our business operations may be negatively impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.

Most of our employees have been working from home during the pandemic. We face risks associated with having a significant portion of our employees working from home as we may have less oversight over certain internal controls and the confidentiality requirements of our compliance and contractual obligations may be more challenging to meet as confidential information is being accessed from a wider range of locations and there may be more opportunity for inadvertent disclosure or malicious interception. Many of our vendors are also allowing their workforce to work primarily from home, which may create similar issues if our confidential information is being accessed by employees of those vendors in connection with their performance of services for us. While we have not identified any significant concerns to date with our internal controls, compliance obligations or confidentiality requirements, the change in work environment, team dynamics and job responsibilities for us and our vendors could increase our risk of failure in these areas, which could have a negative impact on our financial reporting, compliance risk, operational risk and reputational risk.

In addition, much of the regulation that has been passed in response to the COVID-19 pandemic and the related economic recession has been done quickly and without adequate initial specificity, which has resulted in a substantial amount of additional regulatory interpretation and guidance being provided after such regulatory actions have taken effect. For example, the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security ("CARES") Act, which was

passed in March 2020 to provide emergency relief related to the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic, implemented the Paycheck Protection Plan loan program through the Small Business Administration ("SBA") as one of the measures of relief, but it was promulgated without much guidance on implementation and compliance requirements. Subsequent guidance and interpretations continue to be issued from the SBA which oversees the loan program, as well as from other regulatory agencies whose purview relates to the Paycheck Protection Program ("PPP") loans, including compliance guidelines for consumer protection purposes issued by the CFPB as recently as February 2021. Because these new regulations are complex and can be confusing, and because much of the interpretation and implementation guidelines have been issued after the provisions of the CARES Act and related legislation have already become effective and could be applied retroactively, we may find that our practices implemented in good faith with respect to these provisions was not in compliance with the final requirements that may be promulgated by various legislative and regulatory bodies.

Risks Related to Operations

We rely on third party purchasers to buy our loans in the secondary market, and changes to their policies may significantly impact our financial results.

We originate a substantial portion of our single family mortgage loans for sale to third party investors, including government-sponsored enterprises ("GSE") such as Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac and Ginnie Mae. Changes in the types of loans purchased by these GSEs or the program requirements for those entities could adversely impact our ability to sell certain of the loans we originate for sale, leaving us unable to find a buyer on similar terms. Similarly, changes in the fee structures by any of our third party loan purchasers, including the GSEs, may increase our costs of doing business, the cost of loans to our customers, and the cost of selling loans to third party loan purchasers, all of which could in turn decrease our margin and negatively impact our profitability. In addition, significant changes in the underwriting criteria of third party loan purchasers could increase our costs or decrease our ability to sell into the secondary markets. Any of these changes can have a negative impact on our liquidity, financial condition, results of operations and capital position.

We are bound by representations or warranties we make to third party purchasers of our loans or MSRs and may be liable for certain costs and damages if those representations are breached.

We make certain representations and warranties to third party purchasers of our loans, including GSEs about the loans and the manner in which they were originated, including adherence to strict origination guidelines for loans originated for sale to GSEs. Our sale agreements generally require us to either repurchase loans if we have breached any of these representations or warranties, which may result in recording a loss and/or bearing any subsequent loss on the loan, or pay monetary penalties. We may not be able to recover our losses from a borrower or other third party in the event of such a breach of representation or warranty due to a lack of remedies or lack of financial resources of the borrower, and may be required to bear the full amount of the related loss. Similarly, we have sold significant amounts of our MSRs in recent years, and the agreements governing those sales also have representations and warranties relating to the documentation and collectability of those MSRs; a breach of those representations and warranties could also require us to either pay monetary damages or, in some cases, repurchase the defective MSRs.

We also originate, purchase, sell and service loans insured by FHA/HUD or guaranteed by the VA, and certify that such loans have met their requirements and guidelines. We are subject to audits of our processes, procedures and documentation of such loans, and any violations of the guidelines can result in monetary penalties, which can be significant if there are systemic violations, as well as indemnification requirements or restrictions on participation in the program.

If we experience increased repurchase and indemnity demands on loans or MSRs that we have sold or that we sell from our portfolios in the future, or if we are assessed significant penalties for violations of origination guidelines, our liquidity, financial condition, results of operations and capital position may be adversely affected.

A portion of our revenue is derived from residential mortgage lending which is a market sector that experiences significant volatility.

Residential mortgage lending is subject to substantial volatility due to changes in interest rates, a significant lack of housing inventory in our principal markets, and other market forces beyond our control. Increases in interest rates may materially and adversely affect our future loan origination volume and margins. Decreases in the availability of

housing inventory may reduce demand and adversely impact our future loan origination volume. Decreases in the value of the collateral securing our outstanding loans, may increase rates of borrower default, which would adversely affect our financial condition, results of operations and capital position.

Our capital management strategy may impact the value of our common stock and could negatively impact our ability to maintain a well-capitalized position.

We actively manage our capital levels with a goal of returning excess capital to shareholders, which we currently do through dividend and stock repurchase programs. While we have been able to sustain and even increase our dividend payments and reinstate stock repurchases during the pandemic, a materially negative change to our business, results of operations and capital position, could cause us to suspend those programs to preserve capital. In addition, our regulators could restrict our ability to pay dividends or repurchase our stock, as happened to certain financial institutions larger than us during the pandemic.

While the intent of our capital management strategy is to improve the long-term value of our stock, we cannot be assured that our stock repurchases will actually enhance long-term shareholder value. Repurchases may affect our stock price and increase its volatility in the short term, and while the existence of the program may increase the price and decrease liquidity in our stock in the short term, other market factors may cause the stock price of our common shares to fall below the price we paid for the repurchase of our common stock. As a result, shareholders may not see an increase in the value of their holdings.

While we historically have maintained capital ratios at a level higher than the regulatory minimums to be "well-capitalized", our capital ratios in the future may decrease due to economic changes, utilization of capital to take advantage of growth or investment opportunities, or the return of additional capital to our shareholders. In the event the quality of our assets or our economic position were to deteriorate significantly, lower capital ratios may require us to raise additional capital in the future in order to remain compliant with capital standards. We may not be able to raise such additional capital at the time when we need it, or on terms that are acceptable to us, especially if capital markets are especially constrained, if our financial performance weakens, or if we need to do so at a time when many other financial institutions are competing for capital from investors in response to changing economic conditions. An inability to raise additional capital on acceptable terms when needed could have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations and capital position. In addition, any capital raising alternatives could dilute the existing holders of our outstanding common stock and may adversely affect the market price of our common stock.

HomeStreet, Inc. primarily relies on dividends from the Bank, which may be limited by applicable laws and regulations.

HomeStreet, Inc. is a separate legal entity from the Bank, which is the primary source of funds available to HomeStreet Inc. to service its debt, pay dividends to shareholders, repurchase shares and otherwise satisfy its obligations. The availability of dividends from the Bank is limited by various statutes and regulations, capital rules regarding requirements to maintain a "well capitalized" ratio at the Bank, as well as by our policy of retaining a significant portion of our earnings to support the Bank's operations. For additional information on these restrictions, see "Regulation and Supervision of HomeStreet Bank" in this Report. If the Bank cannot pay dividends to HomeStreet Inc., HomeStreet, Inc. may be limited in its ability to service its debt, fund its operations, repurchase shares and pay dividends to its shareholders.

Our business is geographically confined to certain metropolitan areas of the Western United States, and events and conditions that disproportionately affect those areas may pose a more pronounced risk for our business.

Although we presently have retail deposit branches in four states, with lending offices in these states and two others, a substantial majority of our revenues are derived from operations in the Puget Sound region of Washington, the Portland, Oregon metropolitan area, the San Francisco Bay Area, and the Los Angeles, Orange County, Riverside and San Diego metropolitan areas in Southern California. All of our markets are located in the Western United States. Each of our primary markets is subject to various types of natural disasters, including earthquakes, wild fires, volcanic eruptions, mudslides and floods, and many have experienced disproportionately significant economic volatility in the past, as well as more recent local political unrest and calls to action, including calls for rent disruption, when compared to many other parts of the United States. Economic events, political unrest or

natural disasters that affect the Western United States and our primary markets in that region may have an unusually pronounced impact on our business. Because our operations are not more geographically diversified, we may lack the ability to mitigate those impacts from operations in other regions of the United States.

The significant concentration of real estate secured loans in our portfolio has had a negative impact on our asset quality and profitability in the past and there can be no assurance that it will not have such impact in the future.

A substantial portion of our loans are secured by real property, including a growing portfolio of commercial real estate loans. Our real estate secured lending is generally sensitive to national, regional and local economic conditions, making loss levels difficult to predict. Declines in real estate sales and prices, significant increases in interest rates, unforeseen natural disasters and a decline in prevailing economic conditions may result in higher than expected loan delinquencies, foreclosures, problem loans, other real estate owned ("OREO"), net charge-offs and provisions for credit and OREO losses. If real estate market values decline significantly, as they did in the 2008 to 2011 recession, the collateral for our loans may provide less security and reduce our ability to recover the principal, interest and costs due on defaulted loans. Such declines may have a greater effect on our earnings and capital than on the earnings and capital of financial institutions whose loan portfolios are more diversified, and we could face reduced liquidity, constraints on capital resources, increased obligations to investors to whom we sell mortgage loans, declining income on mortgage servicing fees and a related decrease in the value of mortgage servicing rights, and declining values on certain securities we hold in our investment portfolio.

Deficiencies in our internal controls over financial reporting or enterprise risk management framework may result in ineffective mitigation of risk or an inability to identify and accurately report our financial results.

Our internal controls over financial reporting are intended to ensure we maintain accurate records, promote the accurate and timely reporting of our financial information, maintain adequate control over our assets, and prevent and detect unauthorized acquisition, use or disposition of our assets. Effective internal and disclosure controls are necessary for us to provide reliable financial reports, effectively prevent fraud, and operate successfully as a public company. If we cannot provide reliable financial reports or prevent fraud, our reputation and operating results may be harmed. In addition to our internal controls, we use an enterprise risk management framework in an effort to achieve an appropriate balance between risk and return, with established processes and procedures intended to identify, measure, monitor, report, analyze and control our primary risks, including liquidity risk, credit risk, price risk, interest rate risk, operational risk, legal and compliance risk, strategic risk and reputational risk. We also maintain a compliance program to identify, measure, assess and report on our adherence to applicable laws, policies and procedures.

While we assess and improve these controls and programs on an ongoing basis, there can be no assurance that our controls and programs will effectively mitigate all risk and limit losses in our business. In addition, as we make strategic shifts in our business, we implement new systems and processes. If our change management processes are not sound and adequate resources are not deployed to support these implementations and changes, we may experience additional internal control deficiencies that could expose the Company to operating losses or fail to appropriately anticipate or identify new risks related to such shifts in the business. Any failure to maintain effective controls or timely implement any necessary improvement of our internal and disclosure controls in the future could create losses, cause us to incur additional costs or fail to meet our reporting obligations. Failing to maintain an effective risk management framework or compliance program could also expose us to losses, adverse impacts to our financial position, results of operations and capital position, or regulatory criticism or restrictions.

We use a variety of estimates in our accounting processes which may prove to be imprecise and result in significant changes in valuation and inaccurate financial reporting.

We use a variety of estimates in our accounting policies and methods, including complex financial models designed to value certain of our assets and liabilities, including our allowance for credit losses. These models are complex and use specific judgment-based assumptions about the effect of matters that are inherently uncertain. Different assumptions in these models could result in significant changes in valuation, which in turn could affect earnings or result in significant changes in the recorded amount of assets and liabilities reported on the balance sheet. The assumptions used may be impacted by numerous factors, including economic conditions, consumer behavior, changes in interest rates and changes in collateral values. A failure to make appropriate assumptions in these models could have a negative impact on our liquidity, result of operations and capital position.

We are subject to extensive and complex regulations which are costly to comply with and may subject us to significant penalties for noncompliance.

Our operations are subject to extensive regulation by federal, state and local governmental authorities, including the FDIC, the Washington Department of Financial Institutions and the Federal Reserve, and to various laws and judicial and administrative decisions imposing requirements and restrictions on part or all of our operations. Many of these laws are complex, especially those governing predatory or unfair or deceptive practices, and the complexity of those rules creates additional potential liability for us as noncompliance can result in significant regulatory action, including restrictions on operations and fines, and could lead to class action lawsuits from consumers and employees. In addition, various states have their own laws and regulations, especially California, which has heightened data privacy, employment law and consumer protection regulations, and the cost of complying with state rules that differ from federal rules can significantly increase compliance costs.

Our consumer business, including our mortgage and other consumer lending and non-lending businesses, is also governed by policies enacted or regulations adopted by the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau ("CFPB") which under the Dodd-Frank Act has broad rulemaking authority over consumer financial products and services. Our regulators, including the FDIC, use interpretations from the CFPB in certain parts of their assessments of our regulatory compliance, including the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act, the Final Integrated Disclosure Rule, known as TRID, and the Home Mortgage Disclosure Act, adding to the complexity of our regulatory requirements, increasing our data collection requirements and increasing our costs of compliance. The laws, rules and regulations to which we are subject evolve and change frequently, including changes that come from judicial or regulatory agency interpretations of laws and regulations outside of the legislative process that may be more difficult to anticipate, and changes to our regulatory environment are often driven by shifts of political power in the federal government. In addition, we are subject to various examinations by our regulators during the course of the year. Regulatory authorities who conduct these examinations have extensive discretion in their supervisory and enforcement activities, including the authority to restrict our operations and certain corporate actions. Regulatory or in some cases judicial interpretations of the rules that apply to our business may change the way such rules are applied, which also increases our compliance risk if the interpretation differs from our understanding or prior practice. Moreover, an increasing amount of the regulatory authority that pertains to financial institutions is in the form of informal "guidance" such as handbooks, guidelines, examination manuals, field interpretations by regulators or similar provisions that will affect our business or require changes in our practices in the future even if they are not formally adopted as laws or regulations. Any such changes could adversely affect our cost of doing business and our profitability.

In addition, changes in regulation of our industry have the potential to create higher costs of compliance, including short-term costs to meet new compliance standards, limit our ability to pursue business opportunities and increase our exposure to potential fines, penalties and litigation.

Significant legal or regulatory actions could subject us to substantial uninsured liabilities and reputational harm and have a material adverse effect on our business and results of operations.

We are from time to time subject to claims and proceedings related to our operations. These claims and legal actions could include supervisory or enforcement actions by our regulators, criminal proceedings by prosecutorial authorities, claims by customers or by former and current employees, including class, collective and representative actions, or environmental lawsuits stemming from property that we may hold as OREO following a foreclosure action in the course of our business. Such actions are a substantial management distraction and could involve large monetary claims, including civil money penalties or fines imposed by government authorities and significant defense costs.

To mitigate the cost of some of these claims, we maintain insurance coverage in amounts and with deductibles that we believe are appropriate for our operations. However, our insurance coverage does not cover any civil monetary penalties or fines imposed by government authorities and may not cover all other claims that might be brought against us, including certain wage and hour class, collective and representative actions brought by customers, employees or former employees. In addition, such insurance coverage may not continue to be available to us at a reasonable cost or at all. As a result, we may be exposed to substantial uninsured liabilities, which could adversely

affect our business, prospects, financial condition, results of operations and capital position. Substantial legal liability or significant regulatory action against us could cause significant reputational harm to us and/or could have a material adverse impact on our business, prospects, financial condition, results of operations and capital position.

If we are not able to retain or attract key employees, or if we were to suffer the loss of a significant number of employees, we could experience a disruption in our business.

As the Company has focused on efficiency in recent years, we have significantly reduced our employee headcount. However, hiring remains competitive in certain areas of our business, such as mortgage banking, where volume has increased significantly in the wake of lowered interest rates and heightened interest in refinancing loans. We rely on a number of key employees who are highly sought after in the industry. If a key employee or a substantial number of employees depart or become unable to perform their duties, it may negatively impact our ability to conduct business as usual. We might then have to divert resources from other areas of our operations, which could create additional stress for other employees in key positions. The loss of key personnel, or an inability to continue to attract, retain and motivate key personnel could adversely affect our business.

Risk Related to Market Factors

Changes to monetary policy by the Federal Reserve could adversely impact our results of operations.

The Federal Reserve is responsible for regulating the supply of money in the United States, including open market operations used to stabilize prices in times of economic stress, as well as setting monetary policies. These activities strongly influence our rate of return on certain investments, our hedge effectiveness for mortgage servicing and our mortgage origination pipeline, as well as our costs of funds for lending and investing, all of which may adversely impact our liquidity, results of operations and capital position.

Changes in market factors beyond our control, including fluctuation in interest rates, may adversely impact our profitability and financial results.

Other market factors outside of our control, including changing interest rate environments, regulatory decisions, increased competition, changes in the yield curve, consumer confidence, rates of unemployment and other forces of market volatility, can have a significant impact on our results of operations and capital positions.

Our earnings are dependent on the difference between the interest earned on loans and investments and the interest paid on deposits and borrowings. Changes in interest rates impact the rates earned on loans and investment securities and the rates paid on deposits and borrowings and may negatively impact our ability to attract deposits, make loans, and achieve satisfactory interest rate spreads. In addition, changes to market interest rates may impact the demand for loans, levels of deposits and investments and the credit quality of existing loans. These results may adversely impact our liquidity, financial condition, results of operations and capital position.

The rate of prepayment of loans, which is impacted by changes in interest rates and general economic conditions, among other things, impacts the value of our MSRs. We actively hedge this risk with financial derivative instruments to mitigate losses, but changes in interest rates can be difficult to predict and changes in our hedging instruments may not correlate with changes in the values of our MSRs and loans held for sale.

In addition to overall fluctuations in interest rates, asymmetrical changes in interest rates, for example a greater increase in short term rates than in long term rates, could adversely impact our net interest income because our liabilities tend to be more sensitive to short term rates while our assets tend to be more sensitive to long term rates. In addition, it may take longer for our assets to reprice to adjust to a new rate environment because fixed rate loans do not fluctuate with interest rate changes and adjustable rate loans often have a specified period of reset. As a result, a flattening or an inversion of the yield curve, is likely to have a negative impact on our net interest income.

Our securities portfolio also includes securities whose value is sensitive to interest rate fluctuations. The unrealized gains or losses in our available-for-sale portfolio are reported as a separate component of shareholders' equity until realized upon sale. Interest rate fluctuations may impact the value of these securities and as a result, shareholders' equity, and may cause material fluctuations from quarter to quarter. Failure to hold our securities until maturity or until market conditions are favorable for a sale could adversely affect our operating results and capital position.

The financial services industry is highly competitive, and as a result, our business, results of operations, financial condition and capital position may be adversely affected,

We face pricing competition for loans and deposits, both in pricing and products as well as in customer service and convenience. Our most direct competition comes from other banks, credit unions, mortgage banking companies and finance companies, and more recently has also come from companies that rely heavily on technology to provide financial services, are moving to provide cryptocurrency products and offerings, and often target a younger customer demographic. The significant competition in attracting and retaining deposits and making loans as well as in providing other financial services throughout our market area may impact future earnings and growth. Our success depends, in part, on the ability to adapt products and services to evolving industry standards and customer preferences and trends and provide consistent customer service while keeping costs in line. There is increasing pressure to provide products and services at lower prices, which can reduce net interest income and non-interest income from fee-based products and services. New technology-driven products and services are often introduced and adopted, including innovative ways that customers can make payments, access products and manage accounts. We could be required to make substantial capital expenditures to modify or adapt existing products and services or develop new products and services. We may not be successful in introducing new products and services or those new products may not achieve market acceptance. In addition, advances in technology such as telephone, text and on-line banking, e-commerce and self-service automatic teller machines and other equipment, as well as changing customer preferences to access our products and services through digital channels, could decrease the value of our branch network and other assets. As a result of these competitive pressures, our business, financial condition, results of operations and capital position may be adversely affected.

Uncertainty relating to the London Interbank Offered Rate ("LIBOR") calculation process and potential phasing out of LIBOR may adversely affect our results of operations.

The Financial Conduct Authority in the United Kingdom, which regulates LIBOR, will not guarantee the continuation of LIBOR on the current basis after 2021. The Federal Reserve selected a new index calculated by short-term repurchase agreements, backed by Treasury securities ("SOFR") to replace LIBOR. SOFR differs in its methodology from LIBOR in that it is backward looking and is likely to be lower than LIBOR and less likely to correlate with the funding costs of financial institutions. Whether or not SOFR attains market acceptance as a LIBOR replacement tool remains in question; however, in 2020 we began transitioning to SOFR for our instruments indexed to LIBOR. Uncertainty as to the nature of alternative reference rates and as to potential changes or other reforms to LIBOR may adversely affect LIBOR rates and the value of LIBOR-based loans, and to a lesser extent, securities in our portfolio, and may impact the availability and cost of hedging instruments and borrowings, including the rates we pay on our subordinated debentures and trust preferred securities. In addition, there is a risk that we may not complete our full transition to alternative indices or reference rates by the time LIBOR is no longer available. Once LIBOR rates are no longer available, we may be subject to disputes or litigation with customers and creditors over the appropriateness or comparability to LIBOR of the substitute indices, which could have an adverse effect on our financial condition, results of operations and capital position.

To support our growth, we may need to rely on funding sources in addition to growth in deposits and such funding sources may not be adequate or may be more costly.

We must maintain sufficient funds to respond to the needs of depositors and borrowers. As a part of our liquidity management, we use a number of funding sources in addition to deposit growth and repayments and maturities of loans and investments, including Federal Home Loan Bank advances, proceeds from the sale of loans, federal funds purchased, brokered certificates of deposit and issuance of equity or debt securities. While we continue to have adequate liquidity even in the face of economic uncertainties, changes in global markets and customer demand, adverse operating results or changes in industry conditions could lead to difficulty or an inability to access these additional funding sources and could make our existing funds more volatile. Our financial flexibility may be materially constrained if we are unable to maintain our access to funding or if adequate financing is not available to accommodate future growth at acceptable interest rates. When interest rates change, the cost of our funding may change at a different rate than our interest income, which may have a negative impact on our net interest income and, in turn, our results of operations and capital position. If we are required to rely more heavily on more expensive funding sources to support future growth, our revenues may not increase proportionately to cover our costs. In that case, our results of operations and capital position would be adversely affected. Further, the volatility inherent in some of these funding sources, particularly brokered deposits, may increase our exposure to liquidity risk.

Risks Related to Information Technology

The network and computer systems on which we depend, including the systems maintained by certain third-party vendors, could be the target of a cyber-attack or could otherwise fail, which would adversely impact our business.

Information security risks for financial institutions have increased in recent years in part because of the proliferation of new technologies, the use of the Internet and telecommunications technologies to conduct financial transactions, and the increased sophistication and activities of organized crime, state sponsored and other hackers, terrorists, activists, and other malicious external parties. Those parties also may attempt to fraudulently induce employees, customers, or other users of our systems to disclose confidential information in order to gain access to our networks and data or that of our customers. Our operations rely on the secure processing, transmission and storage of confidential information in our computer systems and networks, either managed directly by us or through our data processing vendors. In addition, to access our products and services, our customers may use personal computers, smartphones, tablet PCs, and other mobile devices that are beyond our control systems. Although we believe we have adequate information security procedures and controls, we rely heavily on our third party vendors, technologies, systems, networks and our customers' devices, all of which may become the target of cyber-attacks, computer viruses, malicious code, unauthorized access, hackers or information security breaches that could result in the unauthorized release, gathering, monitoring, misuse, loss, theft or destruction of our confidential, proprietary and other information or that of our customers, or disrupt our operations or those of our customers or third parties.

Our computer systems could be vulnerable to unforeseen problems other than cyber-attack or other security breaches, including the potential for infrastructure damage to our systems or the systems of our vendors from fire, power loss, telecommunications failure, physical break-ins or similar catastrophic events. Any damage or failure that causes interruptions in operations may compromise our ability to perform critical functions in a timely manner (or may give rise to perceptions of such compromise) and could increase our costs of doing business, or have a material adverse effect on our results of operations results as well as our reputation and customer or vendor relationships.

In addition, some of the technology we use in our regulatory compliance, including our mortgage loan origination technology, as well as other critical business activities such as core systems processing, essential web hosting and deposit and processing services, as well as security solutions, is provided by third party vendors. If those providers fail to update their systems or services in a timely manner to reflect new or changing regulations, or if our personnel operate these systems in a non-compliant manner, our ability to meet regulatory requirements may be impacted and may expose us to heightened regulatory scrutiny and the potential for monetary penalties. These vendors could also be sources of operational and information security risk to us, including from interruptions or failures of their own systems, cybersecurity or ransomware attacks, capacity constraints or failures of their own internal controls. To date, we are not aware of any system breaches at any of our third party vendors or service providers that has also breached the integrity of our confidential customer data. However, such third parties may also be targets of cyber-attacks, computer viruses, malicious code, unauthorized access, hackers, ransomware attacks or information security breaches that could compromise the confidential or proprietary information of HomeStreet and our customers.

The failure to protect our customers' confidential information and privacy could adversely affect our business.

We are subject to federal and state privacy regulations and confidentiality obligations, including the California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018 and the California Privacy Rights Act of 2020, that, among other things restrict the use and dissemination of, and access to, certain information that we produce, store or maintain in the course of our business and establishes a new state agency to enforce these rules. We also have contractual obligations to protect certain confidential information we obtain from our existing vendors and customers. These obligations generally include protecting such confidential information in the same manner and to the same extent as we protect our own confidential information, and in some instances may impose indemnity obligations on us relating to unlawful or unauthorized disclosure of any such information.

The continued development and enhancement of our information security controls, processes and practices designed to protect customer information, our systems, computers, software, data and networks from attack, damage or unauthorized access remain a priority for our management as we increase our online and mobile banking offerings. As cyber threats continue to evolve, including supply chain risks, our costs to combat the cybersecurity threat may also increase. Nonetheless, our measures may be insufficient to prevent all physical and electronic break-ins, denial of service and other cyber-attacks or security breaches.

If we do not properly comply with privacy regulations and contractual obligations that require us to protect confidential information, or if we experience a security breach or network compromise, we could face regulatory sanctions, penalties or fines, increased compliance costs, remedial costs such as providing credit monitoring or other services to affected customers, litigation and damage to our reputation, which in turn could result in decreased revenues and loss of customers, any or all of which would have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, results of operations and capital position.

We continually encounter technological change, and we may have fewer resources than many of our competitors to invest in technological improvements.

The financial services industry is undergoing rapid technological changes with frequent introductions of new technology-driven products and services to better serve customers and to reduce costs. Our future success will depend, in part, upon our ability to provide products and services using technology that will satisfy client demands for convenience, as well as to create additional efficiencies in our operations. Many national vendors provide turn-key services to community banks, such as Internet banking and remote deposit capture that allow smaller banks to compete with institutions that have substantially greater resources to invest in technological improvements. However, we may not be able to effectively implement new technology-driven products and services or be successful in marketing these products and services to our customers.

ITEM 1B UNRESOLVED STAFF COMMENTS

None.

ITEM 2 PROPERTIES

Our principal offices are leased and located in Seattle at 601 Union Street, Suite 2000, Seattle, WA 98101. The Company conducts its Commercial and Consumer Banking activities in locations in Washington, California, Oregon, Hawaii, Idaho and Utah in five commercial lending centers, 62 retail deposit branches, and one insurance office. We also have three general administrative facilities in Washington. Of these properties, we own six of the retail deposit branches, one of the general administrative facilities and 50% of a retail branch through a joint venture. All other facilities are leased.

ITEM 3 LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

Because the nature of our business involves the collection of numerous accounts, the validity of liens and compliance with various state and federal lending laws, we are subject to various legal proceedings in the ordinary course of our business related to foreclosures, bankruptcies, condemnation and quiet title actions and alleged statutory and regulatory violations. We are also subject to legal proceedings in the ordinary course of business related to employment matters. We do not expect that these proceedings, taken as a whole, will have a material adverse effect on our business, financial position or our results of operations. There are currently no matters that, in the opinion of management, would have a material adverse effect on our consolidated financial position, results of operation or liquidity, or for which there would be a reasonable possibility of such a loss based on information known at this time.

ITEM 4 MINE SAFETY DISCLOSURES

Not applicable.

PART II

ITEM 5 MARKET FOR REGISTRANT'S COMMON EQUITY, RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS AND ISSUER PURCHASES OF EQUITY SECURITIES

Common Stock

Our common stock is traded on the Nasdaq Global Select Market under the symbol "HMST."

As of March 5, 2021, there were 2,295 shareholders of record of our common stock.

Dividend Policy

In January 2020, HomeStreet's Board of Directors approved a dividend policy that contemplates the payment of quarterly cash dividends on our common stock when, if and in an amount declared by the Board after taking into consideration, among other things, earnings, regulatory capital levels, the overall payout ratio and expected asset growth. Under this policy, we declared and paid a cash dividend of \$0.15 per share in each quarter of 2020. In January 2021, we declared a cash dividend of \$0.25 per share paid on February 24, 2021. The payment of a dividend and the dividend rate to be paid will be reassessed each quarter by the Board of Directors in accordance with the dividend policy. Our ability to pay dividends to shareholders is dependent on many factors, including the Bank's ability to pay dividends to the Company. Therefore, we cannot give assurance that we will be able to continue to pay a regular dividend in any future period.

Sales of Unregistered Securities

There were no sales of unregistered securities in the fourth quarter of 2020.

Purchases of Equity Securities by the Issuer

Shares repurchased pursuant to the common equity repurchase program during the three months ended December 31, 2020, were as follows.

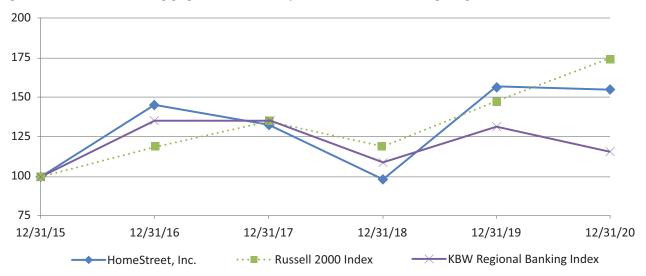
(in thousands, expect share and per share information)	Total shares of common stock purchased	Average price paid per share of common stock		Dollar value of remaining authorized for repurchase ⁽¹⁾	
October	209,820	\$	28.93	\$	_
November	_				
December					_
Total	209,820	\$	28.93		

⁽¹⁾ Stock repurchases in October were made pursuant to a Board authorized share repurchase program approved on July 23, 2020 pursuant to which the Company could purchase up to \$25 million of its issued and outstanding common stock, no par value, at prevailing market rates at the time of such purchase. During October 2020, the Company completed this repurchase authorization.

Stock Performance Graph

This performance graph shall not be deemed "soliciting material" or to be "filed" with the SEC for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (Exchange Act), or otherwise subject to the liabilities under that Section, and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any filing of HomeStreet, Inc. under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act.

The following graph shows a comparison from December 31, 2015 through December 31, 2020 of the cumulative total return for our common stock, the Russell 2000 Index (RUT) and the KBW Regional Banking Index ("KRX"). The graph assumes that \$100 was invested at the market close on December 31, 2015 in the common stock of HomeStreet, Inc., the Russell 2000 Index, the KBW Regional Banking Index and data for HomeStreet, Inc., the Russell 2000 Index and the KBW Regional Banking Index assumes reinvestments of dividends. The stock price performance of the following graph is not necessarily indicative of future stock price performance.



ITEM 6 THE COMPANY HAS APPLIED THE AMENDMENT TO REGULATION S-K ITEM 301 WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE ON FEBRUARY 10, 2021.

ITEM 7 MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

General

Management's discussion and analysis of results of operations and financial condition ("MD&A") is intended to assist the reader in understanding and assessing significant changes and trends related to the results of operations and financial position of our consolidated Company. This discussion and analysis should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and accompanying footnotes in Item 8 of Part II of this Annual Report on Form 10-K.

Management's Overview of 2020 Financial Performance

Results for 2019 and 2018 reflect the impact of the adoption in the first quarter of 2019 of a plan of exit or disposal with respect to the stand-alone home loan center-based mortgage origination and related servicing businesses, which comprised the bulk of our legacy mortgage banking business, as discontinued operations. Discontinued operations reported in the first quarter of 2019 included our entire former mortgage banking business as did all prior periods presented. Effective April 1, 2019, the newly organized bank location-based mortgage banking business commenced operations and the associated direct revenues and direct expenses were reported as part of the Company's continuing operations and thereafter ("Retained MB Business"). Discontinued operations accounting was concluded as of January 1, 2020.

Recent Developments

COVID-19 Pandemic

The outbreak of COVID-19 has adversely impacted a broad range of industries across the region where the Company's customers operate and could impair their ability to fulfill their financial obligations to the Company. The World Health Organization has declared COVID-19 to be a global pandemic and as a result almost all public commerce and related business activities have been and continue to be, to varying degrees, curtailed with the goal of decreasing the rate of new infections. The spread of the outbreak has caused significant disruptions in the U.S. economy and has disrupted business and other financial activity in the areas in which the Company operates.

The federal government, including the Federal Reserve have taken several actions designed to cushion the economic fallout related to the COVID-19 pandemic. The CARES Act was signed into law at the end of March 2020 as a \$2 trillion legislative package, which was further expanded in April 2020 by \$484 billion. The goal of the CARES Act is to prevent a severe economic downturn through various measures, including direct financial aid to American families and economic stimulus to significantly impacted industry sectors. The package also includes extensive emergency funding for hospitals and health care providers.

On December 27, 2020 the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 ("CRRSA Act") was signed into law, providing additional coronavirus aid for businesses and individuals. This \$2.3 trillion dollar legislative package includes \$900 billion in additional stimulus relief for the COVID-19 pandemic.

While it is not possible to know the full extent of the impacts of COVID-19 on the Company's operations, including any additional mitigation measures that may be imposed to curtail its spread, the Company is disclosing potentially material items of which it is aware.

Financial position and results of operations

The Company's net interest income could be reduced due to COVID-19. In keeping with guidance from regulators, the Company has worked with COVID-19 affected borrowers to defer their payments. While loans will continue to accrue interest during the initial or extended deferral periods, should the economic downturn persist causing the borrowers' financial situation to deteriorate, we would potentially need to reverse interest income and could sustain credit losses on these loans. In such a scenario, interest income and provision for credit losses in future periods could be negatively impacted. At this time, the Company is unable to project the materiality of such an impact but recognizes the breadth of the economic impact may affect certain borrowers' ability to repay in future periods.

Credit

The Company is working with customers directly affected by COVID-19. The Company has and is prepared to offer short-term assistance in accordance with banking regulatory guidelines. As a result of the current economic environment caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, the Company is engaging in more frequent communication with borrowers to better understand their financial situation and the challenges faced, allowing it to respond proactively as needs and issues arise. Should economic conditions worsen, whether due to the COVID-19 pandemic or otherwise, the Company could experience further increases in its required allowance for credit losses and record additional provision for credit losses. It is possible that the Company's asset quality measures could worsen at future measurement periods if the effects of COVID-19 pandemic are prolonged.

Goodwill Impairment Analysis

We evaluated goodwill for impairment at June 30, 2020 and based on our impairment assessment determined our goodwill assets were not impaired. COVID-19 could cause a further and sustained decline in the Company's stock price or the occurrence of what management would deem to be a triggering event that could, under certain circumstances, cause us to perform another goodwill impairment test which may result in an impairment charge being recorded to earnings for that period.

Processes, controls and business continuity plan

The Company has implemented a business continuity plan that includes a remote working strategy and a social distancing and sanitation plan. The Company does not anticipate incurring material additional costs related to its continued deployment of the business continuity plan. No material operational failures or internal control challenges have been identified to date. The Company does not anticipate significant challenges to its ability to maintain its systems and controls in light of the measures the Company has taken to prevent the spread of COVID-19. The Company does not currently face any material resource constraints through the implementation of its business continuity plans, but staffing remains a risk if key employees or a large number of employees were to become ill and unable to work. The Company has taken significant measures to protect its employees, such as having most work remotely from home under stay at home orders and where remote work is not viable, implemented a social distancing and sanitation plan. At March 1, 2021, all of our retail deposit branches were open and operating under the guidelines issued by Federal, state and regional health departments.

Lending operations and accommodations to borrowers

In keeping with regulatory guidance to work with borrowers during this unprecedented situation and as outlined in the CARES Act and the CRRSA Act, the Company has executed multiple assistance programs including loan forbearance programs for its lending customers that are adversely affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. In accordance with the CARES Act and the CRRSA Act, loans granted forbearance due to COVID-19 are not currently considered TDRs.

With the passage of the PPP, administered by the Small Business Administration ("SBA"), the Company assisted its customers with applications for resources through the program. PPP loans generally have a two-year term and bear interest at 1%. Additionally, the Company is paid fees by the SBA based upon the sliding fee scale established for the PPP program. The weighted average fee for these loans was 3.3% and the Company will recognize these fees over the contractual life of the related loan, which will be accelerated if the loan is paid off prior to its maturity. The Company believes that a significant portion of these loans will ultimately be forgiven by the SBA in accordance with the terms of the program at which time the SBA pays off the loans. In 2020, the Company originated 1,822 PPP loans representing \$298 million in outstanding balances, of which \$277 million was still outstanding as of December 31, 2020. The PPP program was extended in the first quarter of 2021. Loans under this extended program have a five year term. As of March 1, 2021, the Company has closed or approved 865 additional PPP loans representing \$98 million in outstanding balances. The loans funded through the PPP program are fully guaranteed by the U.S. government.

<u>Summary</u>

The extent to which the COVID-19 pandemic affects the Company's future financial results and operations will depend on future developments which are uncertain and unpredictable, including new information which continues to emerge concerning the expected duration and broad impacts of the pandemic both social and economic, and current or future domestic and international actions in response to the pandemic and its effects. In addition, due to these uncertainties, we do not know if dividends will be declared in future periods.

Other Items

As part of our capital management strategy, in 2020, we repurchased a total of 2,205,665 shares of our common stock at an average price of \$26.31 per share, representing 9.2% of the outstanding shares at December 31, 2019. On January 28, 2021, the Board of Directors approved an extension of the Company's share repurchase program for up to \$25 million of its common stock.

Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates

The following discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations are based upon our consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto, which have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States ("GAAP") and accounting practices in the banking industry. Certain of those accounting policies are considered critical accounting policies, because they require us to make

estimates and assumptions regarding circumstances or trends that could materially affect the value of those assets, such as economic conditions or trends that could impact our ability to fully collect our loans or ultimately realize the carrying value of certain of our other assets. Those estimates and assumptions are made based on current information available to us regarding those economic conditions or trends or other circumstances. If changes were to occur in the events, trends or other circumstances on which our estimates or assumptions were based, these changes could have a material adverse effect on the carrying value of assets and liabilities and on our results of operations. We have identified two policies and estimates as being critical because they require management to make particularly difficult, subjective, and/or complex judgments about matters that are inherently uncertain and because of the likelihood that materially different amounts would be reported under different conditions or using different assumptions. These policies relate to the allowance for credit losses ("ACL") and the valuation of residential mortgage servicing rights ("MSR").

Our ACL is established through a provision for credit losses charged to expense and may be reduced by a recapture of previously established loss reserves, which are also reflected in the income statement. Loans are charged-off against the ACL when management believes that collectability of the principal is unlikely. The CECL model requires the ACL to cover estimated credit losses expected over the life of an exposure. This evaluation takes into consideration such factors as current economic projections, projected payment estimates, changes in the nature and volume of the loan portfolio, overall portfolio quality, review of specific problem loans, and certain other factors that may affect the borrower's ability to pay. While we use the best information available to make this evaluation, future adjustments to our ACL may be necessary if there are significant changes in economic or other conditions that can affect the collectability of loans in our loan portfolio.

MSRs are recognized as separate assets when servicing rights are acquired through the sale of loans or purchased. For sales of mortgage loans, the fair value of the MSR is estimated and capitalized. Purchased MSRs are capitalized at the cost to acquire. Initial and subsequent fair value measurements are determined using a discounted cash flow model. To determine the fair value of the MSR, the present value of expected net future cash flows is estimated. Assumptions used include market discount rates, anticipated prepayment speeds, delinquency and foreclosure rates, and ancillary fee income net of servicing costs. This model is periodically validated by an independent model validation group. The model assumptions and the MSR fair value estimates are also compared to observable trades of similar portfolios as well as to MSR broker valuations and industry surveys, as available. We also utilize a third party valuation firm to value our MSRs on a periodic basis, the results of which we utilize as a baseline for our valuation modeling. Actual market conditions could vary significantly from current conditions which could result in the estimated life of the underlying loans being different which would change the fair value of the MSR. We measure our single family residential mortgage servicing assets at fair value and report changes in fair value through earnings. MSRs for loans other than single family loans are adjusted to fair value if the carrying value is higher than fair value and are amortized into non-interest income in proportion to, and over the period of, the estimated future net servicing income of the underlying financial assets.

Summary Financial Data

	For the Years Ended December 31,				31,
(dollars in thousands, except per share data)	2020		2019		2018
Select Income statement data:					
Net interest income	208,662	\$	189,390	\$	189,963
Provision for credit losses	20,469		(500)		3,000
Noninterest income	149,364		74,432		36,533
Noninterest expense	235,663		215,614		195,241
Net income	79,990		17,512		40,027
Income from continuing operations:(1)					
Before income taxes	101,894		48,708		28,255
Total	79,990		40,720		26,223
Income per share – diluted \$	3.47	\$	1.55	\$	0.97
Select Performance Ratios:					
Return on average equity					
Net income	11.3%	ó	2.5%	,)	5.7%
Income from continuing operations	11.3%	ó	5.9%)	3.7%
Return on average tangible equity ⁽²⁾					
Net income	12.1%		2.9%		6.2%
Income from continuing operations	12.1%	0	6.4%)	4.1%
Return on average assets					
Net income	1.1%	0	0.3%)	0.6%
Income from continuing operations	1.1%	0	0.6%	D	0.4%
Efficiency ratio ⁽²⁾	61.4%	o	79.4%	,)	87.2%
Net interest margin	3.13%	ó	3.05%	,)	3.26%
Other Data:					
Full time equivalent employees ⁽³⁾	1,013		1,071		2,036

⁽¹⁾ Discontinued operations accounting was terminated effective January 1, 2020.

⁽²⁾ Return on average tangible equity and the efficiency ratio are non-GAAP financial measures. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" elsewhere in this MD&A.

⁽³⁾ For the fourth quarter of the corresponding year.

Summary Financial Data (continued)

As of December 31,				
2020		2019		2018
\$ 361,932	\$	208,177	\$	77,324
5,179,886		5,072,784		5,075,371
64,294		41,772 943,150		41,470
1,076,364				923,253
7,237,091		6,812,435		7,042,221
5,821,559		5,339,959		4,888,558
322,800		471,590		951,590
125,838		125,650		125,462
717,750		679,723		739,520
32.93		28.45		27.39 26.36
31.42	31.42		27.02	
9.9%	9.9%		10.0%	
9.5%		9.5%		10.1%
21,796,904		23,890,855		26,995,348
96.3%	Ó	99.7%)	106.3%
				0.81%
310.3%		324.8%		356.9%
0.40%		0.25%		0.23%
0.31%		0.21%		0.17%
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⁽¹⁾ Tangible book value per share and tangible common equity to tangible assets are non-GAAP financial measures. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" elsewhere in this MD&A.

Results of Operations

2020 Compared to 2019

General: Our income from continuing operations and income from continuing operations before income taxes were \$80.0 million and \$101.9 million, respectively, in 2020, as compared to \$40.7 million and \$48.7 million, respectively, in 2019. The \$53.2 million increase in income from continuing operations before income taxes was due to higher net interest income and noninterest income, which was partially offset by a higher provision for credit losses and higher noninterest expenses.

⁽²⁾ This ratio excludes balances insured by the FHA or guaranteed by the VA or SBA, including PPP loans.

⁽³⁾ Prior to January 1, 2020 and the adoption of ASU 2016-13 CECL, the allowance for loan losses was used in this calculation in place of ACL.

Income Taxes: Our effective tax rate during 2020 was 21.5% as compared to 16.4% in 2019 for continuing operations and a statutory rate of 23.5%. Our effective tax rate was lower than our statutory rate due primarily to the benefits of tax advantaged investments. In 2019, the benefits of tax advantaged investments were a higher proportion of total earnings, resulting in a lower effective tax rate.

Net Interest Income: The following table presents, for the periods indicated, information regarding (i) the total dollar amount of interest income from interest-earning assets and the resulting average yields on those assets; (ii) the total dollar amount of interest expense and the average rate of interest on our interest-bearing liabilities; (iii) net interest income; (iv) net interest rate spread; and (v) net yield on interest-earning assets:

		7	Years Ended	December 31,		
		2020			2019	
(dollars in thousands)	Average Balance	Interest	Average Yield/Cost	Average Balance	Interest	Average Yield/Cost
Assets:		Interest	1 iciu/Cost	Datance	Interest	1 iciu/Cust
Interest-earning assets: Loans ⁽²⁾	\$5,544,847	\$ 229,813	4 100/	\$5,366,839	\$256,752	4.78%
Investment securities ⁽²⁾						
	1,086,415	24,507	2.26%	840,493	22,027	2.62%
FHLB Stock, Fed Funds and other	63,443	1,227	1.90%	75,436	1,032	1.37%
Total interest-earning assets	6,694,705	255,547	3.78%	6,282,768	279,811	4.45%
ē		233,347	3./8%		279,811	4.43%
Noninterest-earning assets	555,929			502,603		
Discontinued operations, net	<u> </u>			105,347		
Total assets	<u>\$7,250,634</u>			\$6,890,718		
Interest-bearing liabilities						
Deposits:(1)						
Demand deposits		929	0.21%		\$ 1,414	0.37%
Money market and savings	2,661,996	12,086	0.45%	2,280,455	27,785	1.22%
Certificates of deposit	1,245,513	20,782	1.67%	1,846,709	41,190	2.23%
Total deposits	4,343,339	33,797	0.78%	4,509,497	70,389	1.56%
Borrowings:						
Borrowings	604,278	3,773	0.62%	461,244	11,005	2.39%
Long-term debt	125,737	5,780	4.58%	125,550	6,822	5.41%
Total interest-bearing						
liabilities	5,073,354	43,350	0.85%	5,096,291	88,216	1.73%
Noninterest-bearing liabilities						
Demand deposits (1)	1,276,780			891,529		
Other liabilities	194,340			207,995		
Total liabilities	6,544,474			6,195,815		
Shareholders' equity	706,160			694,903		
Total liabilities and shareholders'						
equity	\$7,250,634			\$6,890,718		
Net interest income		\$ 212,197			\$191,595	
Net interest rate spread			2.93%			2.72%
Net yield on interest earning assets			3.13%			3.05%

⁽¹⁾ Cost of deposits, including noninterest bearing demand deposits, was 0.60% and 1.30% for 2020 and 2019, respectively.

⁽²⁾ Includes taxable-equivalent adjustments primarily related to tax-exempt income on certain loans and securities of \$3.5 million and \$2.2 million for 2020 and 2019, respectively. The estimated tax rate used was 21% for both 2020 and 2019.

Rate and Volume Analysis

The following table presents the extent to which changes in interest rates and changes in the volume of our interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities have affected our interest income and interest expense, excluding interest income from nonaccrual loans. Information is provided in each category with respect to: (1) changes attributable to changes in volume, (2) changes attributable to changes in rate and (3) the net change.

	2020 vs. 2019						
		Increase (Decrease) Due to					
(in thousands)		Rate		Volume	Total Change		
Assets:							
Interest-earning assets							
Loans	\$	(35,716)	\$	8,777	\$	(26,939)	
Investment securities		(3,357)		5,837		2,480	
FHLB stock, Fed Funds and other		371		(176)		195	
Total interest-earning assets		(38,702)		14,438		(24,264)	
Liabilities:							
Deposits							
Demand deposits		(662)		177		(485)	
Money market and savings		(19,741)		4,042		(15,699)	
Certificates of deposit		(8,903)		(11,505)		(20,408)	
Total interest-bearing deposits		(29,306)		(7,286)		(36,592)	
Borrowings:							
Borrowings		(9,913)		2,681		(7,232)	
Long-term debt		(1,052)		10		(1,042)	
Total interest-bearing liabilities		(40,271)		(4,595)		(44,866)	
Total changes in net interest income	\$	1,569	\$	19,033	\$	20,602	

Net interest income was higher in 2020 as compared to 2019 due to a \$412 million increase in interest earning assets and an increase in our net interest margin from 3.05% in 2019 to 3.13% in 2020. The increase in interest earning assets was primarily due to higher levels of loan originations and purchases of investment securities in 2020. The increase in our net interest margin was due to a 21 basis point increase in our net interest rate spread which was partially offset by the reduced benefit of noninterest bearing deposits in a lower interest rate environment. Our net interest rate spread increased because decreases in the rates paid on interest bearing liabilities were greater than the decrease in yields on interest earning assets. The 67 basis point decrease in yield on interest earning assets was due to the origination of loans and purchases of securities at current market rates which were below our portfolio rates, the ongoing repricing down of variable rate loans and the prepayment and paydown of higher yielding loans and investment securities in our portfolios. Our cost of interest-bearing liabilities decreased 88 basis points from 1.73% in 2019 to 0.85% in 2020 due to a decrease in market interest rates which allowed us to reprice our deposits and borrowings at lower rates.

Provision for Credit Losses: The provision for credit losses was \$20.5 million for 2020 as compared to a reversal of \$0.5 million in 2019. Due to adverse economic conditions related to the COVID-19 pandemic, we recorded additional provisions for credit losses in 2020 as an estimate of the potential adverse impact of those conditions on our loan portfolio. The estimate included an evaluation of the credit risk related to the commercial business loans and commercial real estate loans granted COVID-19 modifications during 2020 which we believe will experience a higher probability of default and increased credit losses.

	Years Ended December 31,				
(in thousands)		2020		2019	
Noninterest income					
Gain on loan origination and sale activities(1)					
Single family	\$	100,795	\$	86,686	
Commercial real estate, multifamily and SBA		21,769		17,492	
Less: Amounts attributed to discontinued operations				(60,056)	
Loan servicing income		9,491		9,785	
Deposit fees.		7,083		7,926	
Other		10,226		12,599	
Total noninterest income.	\$	149,364	\$	74,432	

⁽¹⁾ Includes loans originated as held for investment.

Loan servicing income, a component of noninterest income, consisted of the following.

	Years Ended December 3					
(in thousands)		2020		2019		
Single family servicing income, net:						
Servicing fees and other	\$	17,477	\$	28,442		
Changes – amortization ⁽¹⁾		(17,754)		(20,670)		
Net		(277)		7,772		
Risk management, single family MSRs:						
Changes in fair value due to assumptions ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾		(19,955)		(16,224)		
Net gain from derivatives hedging		20,820		14,435		
Subtotal		865		(1,789)		
Single family servicing income	\$	588	\$	5,983		
Commercial loan servicing income:						
Servicing fees and other	\$	14,560	\$	11,119		
Amortization of capitalized MSRs		(5,657)		(5,214)		
Total		8,903		5,905		
Less: Amounts attributed to discontinued operations				(2,103)		
Total loan servicing income	\$	9,491	\$	9,785		

⁽¹⁾ Represents changes due to collection/realization of expected cash flows and curtailments.

The increase in noninterest income for 2020 as compared to 2019, was due to an increase in gain on loan origination and sale activities. This increase was due to higher volumes of single family mortgage rate locks and an increase in related profit margins, an increase in the volumes and profit margins on the sale of CRE loans and the classification of \$18 million of gain on loan sales associated with the legacy mortgage business as discontinued operations in the first quarter of 2019.

⁽²⁾ Principally reflects changes in market inputs, which include current market interest rates and prepayment model updates, both of which affect future prepayment speeds and cash flow projections.

⁽³⁾ Includes pre-tax loss of \$0.9 million in 2019 from sales of single family MSRs.

Noninterest expense consisted of the following.

	Years Ended December 31,				
(in thousands)		2020		2019	
Noninterest expense					
Compensation and benefits	\$	136,826	\$	124,354	
Information services		30,004		31,603	
Occupancy		35,323		27,119	
General, administrative and other		33,510		32,538	
Total noninterest expense	\$	235,663	\$	215,614	

The \$20 million increase in noninterest expense in 2020 as compared to 2019 was due to increases in compensation and benefits, occupancy costs and general, administrative and other costs which were partially offset by lower information services costs. The increase in compensation and benefits costs was due to increased commissions and bonuses paid on higher loan originations levels, including loans made under PPP and the classification of \$7 million of compensation and benefits costs associated with the legacy mortgage business as discontinued operations in the first quarter of 2019 which were partially offset by reduced levels of staffing and lower costs of our self-insured medical benefits. Occupancy expenses in 2020 included \$10.2 million of impairments related to ongoing restructuring of our facilities and staffing. Information services costs decreased as a result of our cost savings initiatives implemented in 2019 and 2020. The increase in general and administrative costs was due primarily to a \$1.5 million charge related to the prepayment of certain FHLB advances in 2020.

2019 Compared to 2018

General: Our income from continuing operations and income from continuing operations before income taxes were \$40.7 million and \$48.7 million, respectively in 2019, as compared to \$26.2 million and \$28.3 million, respectively, for 2018. The \$20.5 million increase in income from continuing operations before income taxes was due to higher noninterest income and a lower provision for credit losses which was partially offset by higher noninterest expense.

Income Taxes: Our effective tax rate during 2019 was 16.4% as compared 7.2% for 2018 for continuing operations and a statutory rate of 23.5%. Our effective income tax rate was lower than our statutory rate due primarily to the benefits of tax advantaged instruments. In addition, in 2018, we recognized a benefit of \$4.9 million for the revaluation our net deferred tax liability position related to a reduction in corporate tax rates.

Net Interest Income: The following table presents, for the periods indicated, information regarding (i) the total dollar amount of interest income from interest-earning assets and the resultant average yields on those assets; (ii) the total dollar amount of interest expense and the average rate of interest on our interest-bearing liabilities; (iii) net interest income; (iv) net interest rate spread; and (v) net yield on interest-earning assets:

		Y	Years Ended I	December 31,		
		2019			2018	
(dollars in thousands)	Average Balance	Interest	Average Yield/Cost	Average Balance	Interest	Average Yield/Cost
Assets:						
Interest-earning assets:						
Loans ⁽²⁾	\$ 5,366,839	\$ 256,752	4.78%	\$4,941,372	\$229,188	4.64%
Investment securities ⁽²⁾	840,493	22,027	2.62	912,279	24,685	2.71
FHLB Stock, Fed Funds and						
other	75,436	1,032	1.37	53,736	467	0.87
Total interest-earning assets	6,282,768	279,811	4.45	5,907,387	254,340	4.31
Noninterest-earning assets	502,603			374,603		
Discontinued operations, net	105,347			333,098		
Total assets	\$6,890,718			\$6,615,088		
Interest-bearing liabilities						
Deposits:(1)						
Demand deposits	\$ 382,333	\$ 1,414	0.37%	\$ 426,610	\$ 1,678	0.39%
Money market and savings	2,280,455	27,785	1.22	2,188,174	18,004	0.82
Certificates of deposit	1,846,709	41,190	2.23	1,436,883	22,313	1.55
Total deposits	4,509,497	70,389	1.56	4,051,667	41,995	1.04
Borrowings:						
Borrowings	461,244	11,005	2.39	882,146	12,858	1.46
Long-term debt	125,550	6,822	5.41	125,362	6,646	5.30
Total interest-bearing						
liabilities	5,096,291	88,216	1.73	5,059,175	61,499	1.22
Noninterest-bearing liabilities						
Demand deposits ⁽¹⁾	891,529			724,509		
Other liabilities	207,995			131,524		
Total liabilities	6,195,815			5,915,208		
Shareholders' equity	694,903			699,880		
Total liabilities and shareholders'						
equity	\$6,890,718			\$6,615,088		
Net interest income		<u>\$ 191,595</u>			\$192,841	_
Net interest rate spread			2.72%			3.09%
Net yield on interest-earning			2.050/			2.2684
assets			3.05%			3.26%

⁽¹⁾ Cost of deposits, including noninterest-bearing deposits, was 1.30% and 0.88% in 2019 and 2018, respectively.

⁽²⁾ Includes taxable-equivalent adjustments primarily related to tax-exempt income on certain loans and securities of \$2.2 million and \$2.9 million for 2019 and 2018, respectively. The estimated tax rate used was 21% for both 2019 and 2018.

<u>Rate and Volume Analysis</u>. The following table presents the extent to which changes in interest rates and changes in the volume of our interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities have affected our interest income and interest expense, excluding interest income from nonaccrual loans. Information is provided in each category with respect to: (1) changes attributable to changes in volume, (2) changes attributable to changes in rate and (3) the net change.

	2019 vs. 2018						
	I	ncrease (Dec	rease) Due t	0			
(in thousands)		Rate	Volume		Total Change		
Assets:							
Interest-earning assets							
Loans	\$	7,378	\$ 20	0,186	\$	27,564	
Investment securities		(759)	(1,899)		(2,658)	
FHLB stock, Fed Funds and other		333		232		565	
Total interest-earning assets		6,952	18	8,519		25,471	
Liabilities:							
Deposits							
Demand deposits		(96)		(168)		(264)	
Money market and savings		8,992		789		9,781	
Certificate of deposit		11,415		7,462		18,877	
Total interest-bearing deposits		20,311		8,083		28,394	
Borrowings:							
Borrowings		5,955	(7,808)		(1,853)	
Long-term debt		166		10		176	
Total interest-bearing liabilities		26,432		285		26,717	
Total changes in net interest income	\$	(19,480)	\$ 18	8,234	\$	(1,246)	

Net interest income was lower in 2019 as compared to 2018 as a decrease in the net interest margin was partially offset by an increase in interest-earnings assets. The increase in interest-earning assets was due to higher levels of average loan balances. The decrease in the net interest margin was due to a 37 basis point decrease in the net interest rate spread which was partially offset by an increase in the average balance of noninterest-bearing deposits. The decrease in our net interest rate spread was due to an increase in our cost of interest-bearing liabilities which was only partially offset by an increase in the yield on interest-earning loans. The 14 basis point increase in our yield on loans was due to an increase in market interest rates which resulted in the origination of loans with rates above our current portfolio rates and the ongoing repricing of variable rate loans. The 52 basis point increase in our deposit costs was due to increases in the average balances of higher costing money market, savings and certificate of deposit accounts as rates on these types of deposit accounts were increased to attract new deposits and to respond to increases in market interest rates.

Provision for Credit Losses: The provision for credit losses in 2019 was a reversal of \$0.5 million as compared to a provision of \$3.0 million 2018. In 2019 and 2018, we realized net recoveries of \$0.4 million and \$0.8 million, respectively. While no additional provision was needed in 2019 because loans held for investment remained stable, the provision in 2018 was due to an increase in loans held for investment.

Noninterest income consisted of the following.

		Years Ended	nber 31,	
(in thousands)		2019		2018
Noninterest income				
Gain on loan origination and sale activities(1)				
Single family	\$	86,686	\$	174,473
Commercial		17,492		11,776
Less: Amounts attributed to discontinued operations		(60,056)		(174,383)
Loan servicing income		9,785		4,823
Deposit fees.		7,926		8,019
Other		12,599		11,825
Total noninterest income.	\$	74,432	\$	36,533

⁽¹⁾ Includes loans originated as held for investment.

Loan servicing income, a component of noninterest income, consisted of the following.

	Years Ended December 31,						
(in thousands)		2019		2018			
Single family servicing income, net:							
Servicing fees and other	\$	28,442	\$	60,885			
Changes – amortization ⁽¹⁾		(20,670)		(34,705)			
Net		7,772		26,180			
Risk management, single family MSRs:							
Changes in fair value due to assumptions ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾		(16,224)		39,348			
Net gain (loss) from derivatives hedging		14,435		(40,474)			
Subtotal		(1,789)		(1,126)			
Single family servicing income	\$	5,983	\$	25,054			
Commercial loan servicing income:							
Servicing fees and other	\$	11,119	\$	9,206			
Amortization of capitalized MSRs		(5,214)		(4,383)			
Total		5,905		4,823			
Less: Amounts attributed to discontinued operations		(2,103)		(25,054)			
Total loan servicing income	\$	9,785	\$	4,823			

⁽¹⁾ Represents changes due to collection/realization of expected cash flows and curtailments.

⁽²⁾ Principally reflects changes in market inputs, which include current market interest rates and prepayment model updates, both of which affect future prepayment speeds and cash flow projections.

⁽³⁾ Includes pre-tax loss of \$0.9 million and pre-tax gain of \$0.6 million resulting from the sales of single family MSRs for 2019 and 2018, respectively.

The \$37.9 million increase in noninterest income in 2019 as compared to 2018 was due to \$31.0 million of noninterest income related to the Retained MB Business, all of which was classified as discontinued operations in 2018, and a \$5.7 million increase in gains on loans sales of multifamily loans resulting from increases in the volume of loans sold and the profit margin on loans sold.

Noninterest expense from continuing operations consisted of the following.

		Years Ended December 31,					
(in thousands)		2019		2018			
Noninterest expense							
Compensation and benefits	\$	124,354	\$	106,741			
Information services		31,603		31,846			
Occupancy		27,119		22,352			
General, administrative and other		32,538		34,302			
Total noninterest expense	\$	215,614	\$	195,241			

The \$20.4 million increase in noninterest expense in 2019 compared to 2018 was due to \$26.3 million of expenses related to the Retained MB Business, all of which was classified as discontinued operations in 2018, and \$4.5 million in restructuring costs which were partially offset by reductions in compensation and benefits and general, administrative and other costs due to cost saving initiatives which reduced our staff levels and other costs.

Review of Financial Condition — December 31, 2020 compared to December 31, 2019

During 2020, total assets increased by \$425 million primarily due to increases in our investment securities and loan portfolios. Loans held for sale increased due to high levels of activity in both our single family and multifamily loans originated for sale. Loans held for investment increased due to \$2.8 billion of originations and advances, including the origination of \$298 million of loans under PPP, which was partially offset by sales of \$569 million and prepayments and scheduled payments of \$2.1 billion. Total liabilities increased by \$387 million primarily due to a \$482 million increase in deposits which was partially offset by a \$149 million decrease in borrowings. The increase in deposits was due to a \$544 million increase in business and consumer accounts, due in part to the funding of PPP loans to customer accounts and the addition of new customers through PPP, which was partially offset by a \$62 million decrease in wholesale deposits. The decreases in wholesale deposits and borrowings reflect the reduced need for wholesale funding resulting from the increase in deposits.

Investment Securities

The fair values of our investment securities available for sale ("AFS") are as follows.

	At December 31,				
	2020			2019	
(in thousands)		Fair Value		Fair Value	
Investment securities AFS:					
Mortgage-backed securities:					
Residential	\$	51,046	\$	91,695	
Commercial		45,184		38,025	
Collateralized mortgage obligations:					
Residential		234,909		291,618	
Commercial		159,183		156,154	
Municipal bonds		564,703		341,318	
Corporate debt securities		15,222		18,661	
U.S. Treasury securities.				1,307	
Agency debentures		1,846		<u> </u>	
Total	\$	1,072,093	\$	938,778	

Loans

The following table details the composition of our loans held for investment ("LHFI") portfolio by dollar amount.

		At Dece	mbe	ber 31,		
(in thousands)		2020		2019(2)		
Commercial real estate loans:						
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate	\$	829,538	\$	895,546		
Multifamily		1,428,092		999,140		
Construction/land development		553,695		701,762		
Total commercial real estate loans		2,811,325		2,596,448		
Commercial and industrial loans:						
Owner occupied commercial real estate		467,256		477,316		
Commercial business		645,723		414,710		
Total commercial and industrial loans		1,112,979		892,026		
Consumer loans:						
Single family ⁽¹⁾		915,123		1,072,706		
Home equity and other		404,753		553,376		
Total consumer loans		1,319,876		1,626,082		
Total		5,244,180		5,114,556		
ACL		(64,294)		(41,772)		
<u>Net</u>	\$	5,179,886	\$	5,072,784		

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$7.1 million and \$3.5 million of loans at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively, where a fair value option election was made at the time of origination and; therefore, are carried at fair value with changes recognized in the consolidated income statements.

⁽²⁾ Net deferred loans fees and costs of \$24.5 million are now included within the carrying amounts of the loan balances as of December 31, 2019, to conform with the current period presentation.

The following tables show the contractual maturity of our loan portfolio by loan type.

			Decemb	er :	31, 2020			Ι	oans due a		
(in thousands)	Within on year	e	After one year through five years		After five years		Total		Fixed- rate	A	Adjustable- rate
Commercial real estate loans:		_									
Non-owner occupied											
commercial real estate			\$ 160,614	\$	659,324	\$	829,538	\$	119,032	\$	700,906
Multifamily	8,03	5	42,416		1,377,641		1,428,092		14,416		1,405,641
Construction/land											
development	505,21	8	47,877	_	600		553,695		17,917	_	30,560
Total commercial real	522.05	2	250.007		2.027.565		2.011.225		151 265		2 127 107
estate	522,85	3	250,907		2,037,565		2,811,325		151,365		2,137,107
loans:											
Owner occupied commercial	2.00		52.265		411.007		467.256		105 111		220.241
real estate	2,90		53,265		411,087		467,256		135,111		329,241
Commercial business	59,78	0	408,029	_	177,914	_	645,723		371,123	_	214,820
Total commercial and industrial	62,68	1	461,294		589,001		1,112,979		506,234		544,061
Consumer:	02,00	_	401,294	_	389,001		1,112,979		300,234	_	344,001
Single family	2,23	R	1,235		911,650		915,123		256,515		656,370
Home equity and other	2,23		65		404,660		404,753		26,349		378,376
Total consumer	2,26	_	1,300	_	1,316,310	_	1,319,876	_	282,864	_	1,034,746
Total loans held for		<u> </u>		_	1,010,010	_	1,017,070			_	1,00 1,7 10
investment	\$ 587,80	3	\$ 713,501	\$	3,942,876	\$	5,244,180	\$	940,463	\$	3,715,914
			ъ.		21 2010]			er one year
			After one	ber	er 31, 2019 After				by rate characteristic		
(in thousands)	Within on year	e	year through	ı	five		Total		Fixed- rate		Adjustable- rate
Commercial real estate:		_		-		-		-		-	
Non-owner occupied											
commercial real estate	\$ 5,55	51	\$ 106,457	7	\$ 783,538	9	\$ 895,546	\$	133,399	\$	756,596
Multifamily	6,19	92	34,610)	958,338		999,140		21,996		970,952
Construction/land											
development	601,41	1	97,810)	2,541	_	701,762		77,022	_	23,329
Total commercial real											
estate	613,15	54	238,877	7	1,744,417		2,596,448		232,417		1,750,877
Commercial and industrial:											
Owner occupied commercial	11.05		45.51/		410.006		477.216		122 105		222.226
real estate	11,97		45,515		419,826		477,316		133,105		332,236
Commercial business	83,21		152,416)	179,082	-	414,710	_	70,771	_	260,727
Total commercial and industrial	95,18	27	197,931	ı	598,908		802 026		203,876		592,963
Consumer:	93,10		197,931	_	396,906	-	892,026	_	203,670	-	392,903
	4,06	SQ.	1,880)	1,066,758		1,072,706		286,208		782,430
Single family	2,63		1,000		550,646		553,376		42,787		
Total consumer	6,69	_	1,980	_	1,617,404	_	1,626,082	-	328,995	-	507,959
Total loans held for	0,05	/0	1,980	_	1,017,404	-	1,020,082	_	340,333	_	1,270,369
investment	\$ 715,03	<u>89</u>	\$ 438,788	3	\$ 3,960,729	=	\$ 5,114,556	\$	765,288	\$	3,634,229

Loan Roll-forward

(in thousands)	2020	2019(1)
Loans – beginning balance January 1,	\$ 5,114,556	\$ 5,116,841
Originations and advances	2,846,270	2,876,829
Sales	(569,214)	(761,002)
Payoffs, paydowns and other	(2,146,213)	(2,116,117)
Charge-offs and transfers to OREO	 (1,219)	 (1,995)
Loans – ending balance December 31,	\$ 5,244,180	\$ 5,114,556

⁽¹⁾ Net deferred loans fees and costs of \$24.5 million and \$23.1 million are included within the carrying amounts of the respective loan balances as of December 31, 2019 and January 1, 2019, respectively to conform with the current period presentation.

Loan Originations and Advances

	Years End	Years Ended December 31,				
(in thousands)	2020			2019		
Commercial real estate loans						
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate	\$ 82,9	75	\$	280,490		
Multifamily	1,097,5	55		849,867		
Construction/land development	621,5	91		772,276		
Total commercial real estate loans	1,802,1	21		1,902,633		
Commercial and industrial loans						
Owner occupied commercial real estate	58,6	89		128,890		
Commercial business	484,9	03		301,120		
Total commercial and industrial loans	543,5	92		430,010		
Consumer loans						
Single family	371,4	84		292,780		
Home equity and other	129,0	73		251,406		
Total consumer loans	500,5	57		544,186		
Total	\$ 2,846,2	70	\$	2,876,829		

Production Volumes for Sale to the Secondary Market

	Years Ended December 31,				
(in thousands)	2020 2019				
Loan originations					
Single family loans	\$ 2,079,094	\$	3,599,527(2)		
Commercial and industrial and CRE loans	414,550		197,090		
Loans sold					
Single family loans	1,985,944		$3,925,302^{(2)}$		
Commercial and industrial and CRE loans ⁽¹⁾	908,776		843,864		
Net gain on loan origination and sale activities					
Single family loans	100,795		86,686(2)		
Commercial and industrial and CRE loans ⁽¹⁾	21,769		17,492		
Less: Amounts attributed to discontinued operations			(60,056)		
Total	\$ 122,564	\$	44,122		

⁽¹⁾ May include loans originated as held for investment.

⁽²⁾ Includes both continuing and discontinued operations.

Capitalized Mortgage Servicing Rights ("MSRs")

	Years Ended December 31,					
(in thousands)	2020	2019				
Single Family MSRs						
Beginning balance	\$ 68,109	\$	252,168			
Additions and amortization:						
Originations	19,424		28,788			
Changes – amortization ⁽¹⁾	(17,754)		(20,670)			
Net additions and amortization	1,670		8,118			
Change in fair value due to assumptions ⁽²⁾	(19,813)		(15,233)			
Sale of servicing rights	 <u> </u>		(176,944)			
Ending balance	\$ 49,966	\$	68,109			
Ratio to related loans serviced for others	0.85%		0.98%			
CRE MSRs						
Beginning balance	\$ 29,494	\$	28,328			
Originations	11,587		5,832			
Amortization	(5,307)		(4,666)			
Ending balance	\$ 35,774	\$	29,494			
Ratio to related loans serviced for others.	1.99%		1.90%			

⁽¹⁾ Represents changes due to collection/realization of expected cash flows and curtailments.

Deposits

Deposit balances and weighted average rates were as follows for the periods indicated:

	At December 31,										
	2020 2019										
(in thousands)		Amount	Weighted Average Rate	Amount		Weighted Average Rate					
Deposits by product:											
Noninterest-bearing demand deposits	\$	1,092,735	%	\$	704,743						
Interest-bearing transaction and savings deposits:											
Interest-bearing demand deposits		484,265	0.10%		373,832	0.38%					
Savings accounts		264,024	0.07%		219,182	0.21%					
Money market accounts		2,596,453	0.21%		2,224,494	1.25%					
Total interest-bearing transaction and											
savings deposits		3,344,742	0.10%		2,817,508	0.56%					
Total transaction and savings deposits		4,437,477			3,522,251						
Certificates of deposit		1,139,807	0.93%		1,614,533	2.24%					
Noninterest-bearing accounts – other		244,275	%		203,175						
Total deposits	\$	5,821,559	0.29%	\$	5,339,959	1.23%					

Credit Risk Management: Delinquent Loans, Nonperforming Assets and Provision for Credit Losses

As of December 31, 2020, our ratio of nonperforming assets to total assets remained low at 0.31% while our ratio of total loans delinquent over 30 days to total loans was 0.67%. The Company recorded provision for credit losses of \$20.5 million in 2020, and the ACL for loans increased by \$22.5 million. Due to adverse economic conditions related to the COVID-19 pandemic, we recorded additional provisions for credit losses in 2020 as an estimate of the potential impact of those conditions on our loan portfolio, including an evaluation of the credit risk related to the commercial business loans and commercial real estate loans granted COVID-19 modifications during 2020 which we believe have a higher probability of default and increased credit losses.

⁽²⁾ Principally reflects changes in model assumptions, including prepayment speed assumptions, which are primarily affected by changes in mortgage interest rates.

Delinquent loans by loan type consisted of the following:

At	Dec	ember	31.	2020

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(in thousands)	30-	-59 days		a Still Ac		0 days or more	No	onaccrual	Total past due and nonaccrual ⁽³⁾		Current	Total loans	
Commercial real estate													
loans													
Non-owner occupied commercial real													
estate	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$ 829,538	\$ 829,538	
Multifamily		_		_		_				_	1,428,092	1,428,092	
Construction and land													
development													
Multifamily													
construction		_		_		_				_	115,329	115,329	
Commercial real estate													
construction		_		_		_		_		_	27,285	27,285	
Single family													
construction		_		_		_				_	259,170	259,170	
Single family													
construction to													
permanent											151,911	151,911	
Total											2,811,325	2,811,325	
Commercial and													
industrial loans													
Owner occupied													
commercial real													
estate		_		_		_		4,922		4,922	462,334	467,256	
Commercial													
business								9,183		9,183	636,540	645,723	
Total								14,105		14,105	1,098,874	1,112,979	
Consumer loans													
Single family		2,161		418		11,476(2)		4,883		18,938	896,185	915,123(1)	
Home equity and													
other		228		135		_		1,734		2,097	402,656	404,753	
Total		2,389		553		11,476		6,617		21,035	1,298,841	1,319,876	
Total loans	\$	2,389	\$	553	\$	11,476	\$	20,722	\$	35,140	\$ 5,209,040	\$ 5,244,180	
%		0.05%		0.01%		0.22%		0.40%		0.67 %	99.33%	100.00%	

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$7.1 million of loans where a fair value option election was made at the time of origination and, therefore, are carried at fair value with changes recognized in our consolidated income statements.

⁽²⁾ FHA-insured and VA-guaranteed single family loans that are 90 days or more past due are maintained on accrual status if they are determined to have little to no risk of loss.

⁽³⁾ Includes loans whose repayments are insured by the FHA or guaranteed by the VA or SBA of \$14.7 million.

At December 31, 2019

	Past D	ue and Still A	ccruing					
(in thousands)	30-59 days	60-89 days	90 days or more	Nonaccrual	Total past due and nonaccrual ⁽⁴⁾	Current	Total loans	
Commercial real estate loans								
Non- owner occupied commercial real								
estate	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 895,546	\$ 895,546	
Multifamily	_		_		_	999,140	999,140	
Construction and land development						701,762	701,762	
Total	_	_	_	_	_	2,596,448	2,596,448	
Commercial and industrial loans								
Owner occupied commercial real								
estate	_	_	_	2,891	2,891	474,425	477,316	
Commercial business	44			3,446	3,490	411,220	414,710	
Total	44	_	_	6,337	6,381	885,645	892,026	
Consumer loans								
Single family	5,694	4,261	19,702(2)	5,364	35,021	1,037,685	$1,072,706^{(1)}$	
Home equity and								
other	837	372		1,160	2,369	551,007	553,376	
Total	6,531	4,633	19,702	6,524	37,390	1,588,692	1,626,082	
Total loans	\$ 6,575	\$ 4,633	\$ 19,702	\$ 12,861	\$ 43,771	\$ 5,070,785	\$ 5,114,556(3)	
%	0.13%	0.09%	0.39%	0.25%	0.86%	99.14%	100.00%	

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$3.5 million of loans where a fair value option election was made at the time of origination and, therefore, are carried at fair value with changes recognized in our consolidated income statements.

⁽²⁾ FHA-insured and VA-guaranteed single family loans that are 90 days or more past due are maintained on accrual status if they are determined to have little to no risk of loss.

⁽³⁾ Net deferred loans fees and costs of \$24.5 million were included within the carrying amounts of the loan balances in order to conform with the current period presentation.

⁽⁴⁾ Includes loans whose repayments are insured by the FHA or guaranteed by the VA or SBA of \$28.4 million.

As a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Company has approved forbearances for some of its borrowers. The status of these forbearances as of December 31, 2020 is as follows:

	Forbearances Approved ⁽²⁾											
	Initiated in the Fourth Quarter 2020			Second	Re	equest	To	tal	Outstanding			
(in thousands)	Number of loans	A	mount	Number of loans	A	Amount	Number of loans	Amount	Number of loans	Amount		
Loan type:(1)												
Commercial and CRE:												
Commercial												
business	8	\$	798	19	\$	29,532	125	\$ 77,998	15	\$ 22,535		
CRE owner												
occupied	1		412	5		38,333	30	73,773	2	544		
CRE nonowner												
occupied	_		_	2		2,231	14	58,497	5	12,202		
Multifamily	1	_	5,734				1	5,734	1	5,734		
Total	10	\$	6,944	26	\$	70,096	170	\$ 216,002	\$ 23	\$ 41,015		
Single family and consumer:												
Single family									150	\$ 70,027		
HELOCs and												
consumer									53	6,116		
Total									203	\$ 76,143		

⁽¹⁾ Does not include any SBA guaranteed loans for which the government made payments as provided for under the CARES Act, or single family loans that are guaranteed by Ginnie Mae.

The forbearances approved for commercial and industrial loans and CRE nonowner occupied loans were generally for a period of three months while the forbearances for single family, HELOCs and consumer loans were generally for a period of three to six months. During the third and fourth quarters of 2020, second forbearances were approved for \$70 million of loans. These second forbearances were to borrowers whose businesses continue to be impacted by the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic.

As of December 31, 2020, excluding the loans with forbearances still in place, 98% of the commercial and CRE loans approved for a forbearance have completed their forbearance period and have resumed payments. Based on information obtained through discussions with these borrowers, we believe almost all of them are able to conduct their businesses as a going concern, and they have advised us that they do not currently foresee the need for additional forbearances.

The forbearance periods for the majority of single family and consumer loans granted forbearance that were not complete as of December 31, 2020 are scheduled to be completed in the first quarter of 2021. In light of the recently passed Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, we anticipate that some single family loans may request an additional forbearance in 2021.

⁽²⁾ This schedule does not include \$18 million of constructions loans (5 loans) that were modified as a result of COVID-19 related construction delays to extend the construction or lease-up periods. Each of these loans continued to perform under the existing or modified payment terms.

The following table presents the ACL by product type at the dates indicated:

	December	31, 2020	January 1, 2020 ⁽²⁾			
(in thousands except reserve rate)	Amount	Reserve Rate ⁽¹⁾	Amount	Reserve Rate ⁽¹⁾		
Commercial real estate loans						
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate	\$ 8,845	1.07%	\$ 3,853	0.43%		
Multifamily	6,072	0.43%	4,038	0.40%		
Construction/land development						
Multifamily construction	4,903	4.25%	3,541	1.88%		
Commercial real estate construction	1,670	6.12%	509	0.92%		
Single family construction	5,130	1.98%	8,080	2.84%		
Single family construction to permanent	1,315	0.87%	1,203	0.70%		
Total	27,935	0.99%	21,224	0.82%		
Commercial and industrial loans						
Owner occupied commercial real estate	4,994	1.08%	1,180	0.25%		
Commercial business	17,043	4.72%	3,425	0.83%		
Total	22,037	2.67%	4,605	0.52%		
Consumer loans						
Single family	6,906	0.85%	6,918	0.70%		
Home equity and other	7,416	1.83%	10,868	1.96%		
Total	14,322	1.18%	17,786	1.16%		
Total ACL	\$ 64,294	1.33%	\$ 43,615	0.87%		

⁽¹⁾ The reserve rate is calculated excluding balances related to loans that are insured by the FHA or guaranteed by the VA or SBA, including PPP loans.

The following table presents the allowance for credit losses, including reserves for unfunded commitments, by loan class.

	At December 31, 2019			
(in thousands except reserve rate)	Amount	Reserve Rate(1)		
Commercial real estate loans				
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate	\$ 7,249	0.81%		
Multifamily	7,015	0.70%		
Construction/land development	8,679	1.24%		
Total	22,943	0.89%		
Commercial and industrial loans				
Owner occupied commercial real estate	3,640	0.77%		
Commercial business	2,961	0.72%		
Total	6,601	0.74%		
Consumer loans				
Single family	6,450	0.66%		
Home equity and other	6,843	1.24%		
Total	13,293	0.87%		
Total allowance for credit losses	\$ 42,837	0.86%		

⁽¹⁾ The reserve rate is calculated excluding balances related to loans that are insured by the FHA or guaranteed by the VA or SBA, including PPP loans.

⁽²⁾ On January 1, 2020 we adopted ASC 326 ("CECL"). As a result, the ACL as of January 1, 2020 is presented.

Liquidity and Sources of Funds

Liquidity risk management is primarily intended to ensure we are able to maintain sources of cash to adequately fund operations and meet our obligations, including demands from depositors, draws on lines of credit and paying any creditors, on a timely and cost-effective basis, in various market conditions. Our liquidity profile is influenced by changes in market conditions, the composition of the balance sheet and risk tolerance levels. The Company has established liquidity guidelines and operating plans that detail the sources and uses of cash and liquidity.

The Company's primary sources of liquidity include deposits, loan payments and investment securities payments, both principal and interest, borrowings, and proceeds from the sale of loans and investment securities. Borrowings include advances from the FHLB, federal funds purchased and borrowing from other financial institutions. Additionally, the Company may sell stock or issue long-term debt to raise funds. While scheduled principal repayments on loans and investment securities are a relatively predictable source of funds, deposit inflows and outflows and prepayments of loans and investment securities are greatly influenced by interest rates, economic conditions and competition.

The Company's contractual cash flow obligations include the maturity of certificates of deposit, short term and long term borrowings, interest on certificates of deposit and borrowings, operating leases and fees for information technology related services and professional services. Obligations for certificates of deposit and short term borrowings are typically satisfied through the renewal of these instruments or the generation of new deposits or use of available short term borrowings. Interest payments and obligations related to leases and services are typically met by cash generated from our operations. The Company does not have any obligation to repay long term debt within the next five years.

At December 31, 2020, the Bank had available borrowing capacity of \$550 million from the FHLB, \$406 million from the FRBSF and \$1.2 billion under borrowing lines established with other financial institutions.

Cash Flows

For 2020, 2019 and 2018, cash and cash equivalents increased \$0.2 million, decreased \$0.7 million and decreased \$15 million, respectively. As a banking institution, the Company has extensive access to liquidity. As excess liquidity can reduce the Company's earnings and returns, the Company manages its cash positions to minimize the level of excess liquidity and does not attempt to maximize the level of cash and cash equivalents. The following discussion highlights the major activities and transactions that affected our cash flows during these periods.

Cash flows from operating activities

The Company's operating assets and liabilities are used to support our lending activities, including the origination and sale of mortgage loans. For 2020, \$26 million of cash was used in operating activities, primarily to fund an increase in our LHFS which was partially offset by cash generated from our operations. For 2019, cash of \$259 million was provided by operating activities, primarily from proceeds from the sale of LHFS and cash generated from our operations which were partially offset by the payment of deferred taxes from the sale of mortgage servicing rights. For 2018, cash of \$286 million was provided by operating activities primarily from proceeds from the sale of LHFS and cash generated from our operations.

Cash flows from investing activities

The Company's investing activities are primarily related to AFS securities and LHFI. For 2020, cash of \$233 million was used in investing activities for the origination of LHFI and the purchase of AFS securities, which were partially offset by principal payments and the proceeds from sale of LHFI and AFS securities. For 2019, cash of \$107 million was provided by investing activities from principal payments and the proceeds from sale of LHFI and AFS securities and the proceeds from our disposal of discontinued operations which were partially offset by the use of cash for the origination of LHFI and the purchase of AFS securities. For 2018, cash of \$564 million was used in investing activities for the origination of LHFI and the purchase of AFS securities and premises and equipment, which were partially offset by principal payments and the proceeds from sale of LHFI and AFS securities.

Cash flows from financing activities

The Company's financing activities are primarily related to customer deposits, borrowings and equity transactions. For 2020, cash of \$258 million was provided by financing activities from growth in deposits, which was partially offset by net repayment of short term borrowings, repurchases of our common stock and the payment of dividends on our common stock. For 2019, cash of \$367 million was used in financing activities as the net repayment of short term borrowings and repurchases of our common stock were partially offset by growth in deposits. For 2018, cash of \$263 million was provided by financing activities from the growth in deposits which was partially offset by net repayment of short term borrowings.

Capital Resources and Dividends

The capital rules applicable to United States based bank holding companies and federally insured depository institutions ("Capital Rules") require the Company (on a consolidated basis) and the Bank (on a stand-alone basis) to meet specific capital adequacy requirements that, for the most part, involve quantitative measures, primarily in terms of the ratios of their capital to their assets, liabilities, and certain off-balance sheet items, calculated under regulatory accounting practices. In addition, prompt corrective action regulations place a federally insured depository institution, such as the Bank, into one of five capital categories on the basis of its capital ratios: (i) well capitalized; (ii) adequately capitalized; (iii) undercapitalized; (iv) significantly undercapitalized; or (v) critically undercapitalized. A depository institution's primary federal regulatory agency may determine that, based on certain qualitative assessments, the depository institution should be assigned to a lower capital category than the one indicated by its capital ratios. At each successive lower capital category, a depository institution is subject to greater operating restrictions and increased regulatory supervision by its federal bank regulatory agency.

The following tables set forth the capital and capital ratios of HomeStreet Inc. (on a consolidated basis) and HomeStreet Bank as of the dates indicated below, as compared to the respective regulatory requirements applicable to them:

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					At Decembe	er 31, 2020			
(in thousands except ratios)		Actua	ıl	I	For Minimun Adequacy P			rized As ed" Under tive Action ons	
		Amount Ratio			Amount Ratio			Amount	Ratio
HomeStreet, Inc.									
Tier 1 leverage capital (to average assets)	\$	709,655	9.65%	\$	294,211	4.0%		NA	NA
Common equity tier 1 capital									
(to risk-weighted assets)		649,655	11.67%		250,537	4.5%		NA	NA
Tier 1 risk-based capital (to risk-weighted									
assets)		709,655	12.75%		334,050	6.0%		NA	NA
Total risk-based capital (to risk-weighted									
assets)		779,254	14.00%		445,400	8.0%		NA	NA
HomeStreet Bank									
Tier 1 leverage capital (to average assets)	\$	712,533	9.79%	\$	291,114	4.0%	\$	363,893	5.0%
Common equity tier 1 capital									
(to risk-weighted assets)		712,533	13.51%		237,307	4.5%		342,777	6.5%
Tier 1 risk-based capital (to risk-weighted									
assets)		712,533	13.51%		316,410	6.0%		421,880	8.0%
Total risk-based capital (to risk-weighted									
assets)		778,479	14.76%		421,880	8.0%		527,350	10.0%

	Actual			For Minimun Adequacy P		To Be Categorized As "Well Capitalized" Under Prompt Corrective Action Provisions		
(in thousands except ratios)	Amount	Ratio		Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio	
HomeStreet, Inc.								
Tier 1 leverage capital (to average assets) \$	691,323	10.16%	\$	272,253	4.0%	N	A NA	
Common equity tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)	631,323	11.43%		248,523	4.5%	N	A NA	
Tier 1 risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	691,323	12.52%		331,364	6.0%	N	A NA	
Total risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	739,812	13.40%		441,818	8.0%	N	A NA	
HomeStreet Bank								
Tier 1 leverage capital (to average assets) \$	712,596	10.56%	\$	269,930	4.0%	\$ 337,41	3 5.0%	
Common equity tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)	712,596	13.50%		237,451	4.5%	342,98	35 6.5%	
Tier 1 risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	712,596	13.50%		316,602	6.0%	422,13	86 8.0%	
Total risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	758,303	14.37%		422,136	8.0%	527,66	59 10.0%	

As of each of the dates set forth in the above table, the Company exceeded the minimum required capital ratios applicable to it and the Bank's capital ratios exceeded the minimums necessary to qualify as a well-capitalized depository institution under the prompt corrective action regulations. In addition to the minimum capital ratios, both the Company and the Bank are required to maintain a "conservation buffer" consisting of additional Common Equity Tier 1 Capital which is at least 2.5% above the required minimum levels in order to avoid limitations on paying dividends, engaging in share repurchases, and paying discretionary bonuses. The required ratios for capital adequacy set forth in the above table do not include the Capital Rules' additional capital conservation buffer, though each of the Company and the Bank maintained capital ratios necessary to satisfy the capital conservation buffer requirements as of the dates indicated. At December 31, 2020, capital conservation buffers for the Company and the Bank were 6.00% and 6.76%, respectively.

The Company paid a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.15 per common share in each of the four quarters of 2020. It is our current intention to continue to pay quarterly dividends and the Company has declared a cash dividend of \$0.25 per common share payable on February 24, 2021. The amount and declaration of future cash dividends are subject to approval by our Board of Directors and certain statutory requirements and regulatory restrictions.

We had no material commitments for capital expenditures as of December 31, 2020. However, we intend to take advantage of opportunities that may arise in the future to grow our businesses, which may include opening additional offices or acquiring complementary businesses that we believe will provide us with attractive risk-adjusted returns. As a result, we may seek to obtain additional borrowings and to sell additional shares of our common stock to raise funds which we might need for these purposes. There is no assurance, however, that, if required, we will succeed in obtaining additional borrowings or selling additional shares of our common stock on terms that are acceptable to us, if at all, as this will depend on market conditions and other factors outside of our control, as well as our future results of operations.

Accounting Developments

See Financial Statements and Supplementary Data - Note 1, Summary of Significant Accounting Policies for a discussion of accounting developments.

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

To supplement our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements presented in accordance with GAAP, we use certain non-GAAP measures of financial performance. These supplemental performance measures may vary from, and may not be comparable to, similarly titled measures provided by other companies in our industry. Non-GAAP financial measures are not in accordance with, or an alternative for, GAAP. Generally, a non-GAAP financial measure is a numerical measure of a company's performance that either excludes or includes amounts that are not normally excluded or included in the most directly comparable measure calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP. A non-GAAP financial measure may also be a financial metric that is not required by GAAP or other applicable requirement.

We believe that these non-GAAP financial measures, when taken together with the corresponding GAAP financial measures, provide meaningful supplemental information regarding our performance by providing additional information used by management that is not otherwise required by GAAP or other applicable requirements. Our management uses, and believes that investors benefit from referring to, these non-GAAP financial measures in assessing our operating results and when planning, forecasting and analyzing future periods. These non-GAAP financial measures are frequently used by securities analysts, investors and other interested parties in the evaluation of companies in our industry. However, these non-GAAP financial measures should be considered in addition to, not as a substitute for or superior to, financial measures prepared in accordance with GAAP. In the information below, we have provided a reconciliation of, where applicable, the most comparable GAAP financial measures to the non-GAAP measures used in this annual report on Form 10-K, or a reconciliation of the non-GAAP calculation of the financial measure.

In this annual report on Form 10-K, we use (i) tangible common equity and tangible assets as we believe this information is consistent with the treatment by bank regulatory agencies, which exclude intangible assets from the calculation of capital ratios; and (ii) an efficiency ratio which is the ratio of noninterest expense to the sum of net interest income and noninterest income, excluding certain items of income or expense and excluding taxes incurred and payable to the state of Washington as such taxes are not classified as income taxes and we believe including them in noninterest expense impacts the comparability of our results to those companies whose operations are in states where assessed taxes on business are classified as income taxes. For the purposes of computing returns on tangible common equity, we exclude from earnings the amortization of intangible assets.

Reconciliations of non-GAAP results of operations to the nearest comparable GAAP measures:

	As of or for the Year Ended					d
(in thousands, except share data)		2020	2019			2018
Return on average tangible equity (annualized)						
Average shareholders' equity	\$	706,160	\$	694,903	\$	699,880
Less: Average goodwill and other intangibles		(33,613)		(34,245)		(28,892)
Average tangible equity	_	672,547		660,658		670,988
Net income.	\$	79,990	\$	17,512	\$	40,027
Adjustments (tax effected):						
Amortization on core deposit intangibles		1,082		1,367		1,284
Tangible income applicable to shareholders	\$	81,072	\$	18,879	\$	41,311
Ratio		12.1%		2.9%		6.2%
Net income from continuing operations	\$	79,990	\$	40,720	\$	26,223
Adjustments (tax effected):						
Amortization on core deposit intangibles (per above)		1,082		1,367		1,284
Tangible income applicable to shareholders	\$	81,072	\$	42,087	\$	27,507
Ratio		12.1%		6.4%		4.1%
Efficiency ratio						
Noninterest expense						
Total	\$	235,663	\$	215,614	\$	195,241
Adjustments:						
Restructuring related charges		(11,837)		(4,489)		(22)
Prepayment fee on FHLB advances		(1,492)				<u> </u>
State of Washington taxes		(2,920)		(1,782)		2,372
Adjusted total	\$	219,414	\$	209,343	\$	197,591
Total revenues						
Net interest income	\$	208,662	\$	189,390	\$	189,963
Noninterest income		149,364		74,432		36,533
Adjustments:						
Contingent payout		(566)		_		_
Adjusted total	\$	357,460	\$	263,822	\$	226,496
Ratio		61.4%		79.4%		87.2%

	As of					
	D	December 31, December				
(in thousands, except share data)	2020			2019		
Tangible book value per share						
Shareholders' equity	\$	717,750	\$	679,723		
Less: goodwill and other intangibles		(32,880)		(34,252)		
Tangible shareholder's equity		684,870		645,471		
Common shares outstanding		21,796,904		23,890,855		
Computed amount	\$	31.42	\$	27.02		
Tangible common equity to tangible assets						
Tangible shareholder's equity (per above)	\$	684,870	\$	645,471		
Tangible assets						
Total assets		7,237,091		6,812,435		
Less: Goodwill and other intangibles		(32,880)		(34,252)		
Net	\$	7,204,211	\$	6,778,183		
Ratio		9.5%		9.5%		

ITEM 7A QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

Market Risk Management

Market risk is defined as the sensitivity of income, fair value measurements and capital to changes in interest rates, foreign currency exchange rates, commodity prices and other relevant market rates or prices. The primary market risks to which we are exposed are price and interest rate risks. Price risk is defined as the risk to current or anticipated earnings or capital arising from changes in the value of either assets or liabilities that are entered into as part of distributing or managing risk. Interest rate risk is defined as risk to current or anticipated earnings or capital arising from movements in interest rates.

For the Company, price and interest rate risks arise from the financial instruments and positions we hold. This includes loans, mortgage servicing rights, investment securities, deposits, borrowings, long-term debt and derivative financial instruments. Due to the nature of our current operations, we are not subject to foreign currency exchange or commodity price risk. Our real estate loan portfolio is subject to risks associated with the local economies of our various markets and, in particular, the regional economy of the western United States, including Hawaii.

The spread between the yield on interest-earning assets and the cost of interest-bearing liabilities and the relative dollar amounts of these assets and liabilities are the principal items affecting net interest income. Changes in net interest rates (interest rate risk) are influenced to a significant degree by the repricing characteristics of assets and liabilities (timing risk), the relationship between various rates (basis risk), customer options (option risk) and changes in the shape of the yield curve (time-sensitive risk). We manage the available-for-sale investment securities portfolio while maintaining a balance between risk and return. The Company's funding strategy is to grow core deposits while we efficiently supplement using wholesale borrowings.

We estimate the sensitivity of our net interest income to changes in market interest rates using an interest rate simulation model that includes assumptions related to the level of balance sheet growth, deposit repricing characteristics and the rate of prepayments for multiple interest rate change scenarios. Interest rate sensitivity depends on certain repricing characteristics in our interest-earnings assets and interest-bearing liabilities, including the maturity structure of assets and liabilities and their repricing characteristics during the periods of changes in market interest rates. Effective interest rate risk management seeks to ensure both assets and liabilities respond to changes in interest rates within an acceptable timeframe, minimizing the impact of interest rate changes on net interest income and capital. Interest rate sensitivity is measured as the difference between the volume of assets and liabilities, at a point in time, that are subject to repricing at various time horizons, known as interest rate sensitivity gaps.

The following table presents sensitivity gaps for these different intervals.

				Dec	cember 31, 2020)			
	3 Mos.	More Than 3 Mos.	More Than 6 Mos.	More Than 12 Mos.	More Than 3 Yrs.	More Than	More Than	Non-Rate-	T
(dollars in thousands)	or Less	to 6 Mos.	to 12 Mos.	to 3 Yrs.	to 5 Yrs.	5 to 15 Yrs.	15 Yrs.	Sensitive	Total
Interest-earning assets:									
Cash & cash equivalents	\$ 58,049	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	s —	s —	\$ —	\$ 58,049
FHLB Stock	12,194	_	_	_	_	_	8,125	_	20,319
Investment securities ⁽¹⁾	155,923	40,709	59,336	108,561	122,164	382,392	207,279	_	1,076,364
LHFS	361,932	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	361,932
LHFI ⁽¹⁾	1,178,948	529,803	633,289	1,202,465	1,046,377	642,047	11,251	_	5,244,180
Total	1,767,046	570,512	692,625	1,311,026	1,168,541	1,024,439	226,655		6,760,844
Non-interest-earning	,,.	, .	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	9 - 9	, , .	,, , , , ,	.,		-,,-
assets	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	476,247	476,247
Total assets	\$ 1,767,046	\$ 570,512	\$ 692,625	\$1,311,026	\$ 1,168,541	\$ 1,024,439	\$ 226,655	\$ 476,247	\$ 7,237,091
Interest-bearing liabilities:									
Demand deposit accounts ⁽²⁾	\$ 484,265	\$ —	\$ —	s —	\$ —	s —	s —	s —	\$ 484,265
Savings accounts(2)	264,024	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	264,024
Money market accounts ⁽²⁾	2,596,453	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	2,596,453
Certificates of deposit	421,631	385,476	175,716	138,029	18,706	_	249		1,139,807
FHLB advances	302,000	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	302,000
Borrowings	20,755	45	_	_	_	_	_	_	20,800
Long-term debt(3)	60,838	_	_	_	_	65,000	_	_	125,838
Total	4,149,966	385,521	175,716	138,029	18,706	65,000	249		4,933,187
Non-interest bearing liabilities	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	1,586,154	1,586,154
Shareholders' Equity			_					717,750	717,750
Total liabilities and shareholders'		0 005 501	0 155516	d 120.020	0 10 500	d (5.000	*		A = 22= 001
equity	\$ 4,149,966	\$ 385,521	\$ 175,716	\$ 138,029	\$ 18,706	\$ 65,000	\$ 249	\$ 2,303,904	\$ 7,237,091
Interest sensitivity gap	\$(2,382,920)	\$ 184,991	\$ 516,909	\$1,172,997	\$ 1,149,835	\$ 959,439	\$ 226,406		
Cumulative interest rate	\$(2,362,720)	Ψ 104,771	310,707	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	ψ <i>737</i> ,437	3 220,400		
sensitivity gap									
Total	\$ (2,382,920)	\$ (2,197,929)	\$ (1,681,020)	\$ (508,023)	\$ 641,812	\$ 1,601,251	\$ 1,827,658		
As a % of total assets	(33)%	(30)%	(23) ⁹ /	(7)%	6 9%	6 22%	25%	, 0	
As a % of cumulative interest-bearing liabilities	43%	52%	64%	90%	113%	6 132%	6 137%	ó	

Based on contractual maturities, repricing dates and forecasted principal payments assuming normal amortization and, where applicable, prepayments.

As of December 31, 2020, the Company is considered liability-sensitive as exhibited by the gap table but our net interest income sensitivity analysis shows positive results in the increasing interest rate scenarios. This is because of the impact of our historical deposit repricing betas which result in an assumed delay in repricing of deposits in an increasing interest rate scenario and a lower magnitude of repricing compared to the repricing of loans and other interest-earning assets. Net interest income would be expected to rise in the long term if interest rates were to rise due to the Bank's cumulative asset-sensitive position.

Changes in the mix of interest-earning assets or interest-bearing liabilities can either increase or decrease the net interest margin, without affecting interest rate sensitivity. In addition, the interest rate spread between an earning asset and its funding liability can vary significantly, while the timing of repricing for both the asset and the liability remains the same, thereby impacting net interest income. This characteristic is referred to as basis risk. Varying

⁽²⁾ Assumes 100% of interest-bearing non-maturity deposits are subject to repricing in three months or less.

⁽³⁾ Based on contractual maturity.

interest rate environments can create unexpected changes in prepayment levels of assets and liabilities that are not reflected in the interest rate sensitivity analysis. These prepayments may have a significant impact on our net interest margin. Because of these factors, an interest sensitivity gap analysis may not provide an accurate assessment of our actual exposure to changes in interest rates.

The estimated impact on our net interest income over a time horizon of one year and the change in net portfolio value as of December 31, 2020 and 2019 are provided in the table below. For the scenarios shown, the interest rate simulation assumes an instantaneous and sustained shift in market interest rates and no change in the composition or size of the balance sheet.

	December 3	31, 2020	December 31, 2019							
	Percentage Change									
Change in Interest Rates (basis points) ⁽¹⁾	Net Interest Income ⁽²⁾	Net Portfolio Value ⁽³⁾	Net Interest Income ⁽²⁾	Net Portfolio Value ⁽³⁾						
+200	3.5%	(9.3)%	1.0%	(11.6)%						
+100	1.2%	(4.3)%	0.6	(5.4)%						
-100	(3.8)%	(3.7)%	(0.9)	4.1%						
-200	(4.7)%	(5.7)%	(2.4)%	6.5%						

⁽¹⁾ For purposes of our model, we assume interest rates will not go below zero. This "floor" limits the effect of a potential negative interest rate shock in a low rate environment like the one we are currently experiencing.

At December 31, 2020 and 2019 we believe our net interest income sensitivity did not exhibit a strong bias to either an increase in interest rates or a decline in interest rates. The changes in interest rate sensitivity between December 31, 2020 and 2019 reflected the impact of lower market interest rates, a flatter yield curve and changes to overall balance sheet composition. Some of the assumptions made in the simulation model may not materialize and unanticipated events and circumstances will occur. We do not allow for negative rate assumptions in our model, but actual results in extreme interest rate decline scenarios may result in negative rates that may cause the modeling results to be inherently unreliable. In addition, the simulation model does not take into account any future actions that we could undertake to mitigate an adverse impact due to changes in interest rates from those expected, in the actual level of market interest rates or competitive influences on our deposits.

⁽²⁾ This percentage change represents the impact to net interest income for a one-year period, assuming there is no change in the structure of the balance sheet.

⁽³⁾ This percentage change represents the impact to the net present value of equity, assuming there is no change in the structure of the balance sheet.

ITEM 8 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the shareholders and the Board of Directors of HomeStreet, Inc.

Opinion on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of HomeStreet, Inc. and subsidiaries (the "Company") as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, and the related consolidated income statements, statements of comprehensive income, shareholders' equity, and cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2020, and the related notes (collectively referred to as the "financial statements"). In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, and the results of its operations and its cashflows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2020, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

We have also audited, in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) (PCAOB), the Company's internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2020, based on criteria established in *Internal Control* — *Integrated Framework (2013)* issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission and our report dated March 12, 2021, expressed an unqualified opinion on the Company's internal control overfinancial reporting.

Change in Accounting Principle

As discussed in Note 1 to the financial statements, the Company changed its method for accounting for credit losses effective January 1, 2020, due to the adoption of Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards Codification No.326, *Financial Instruments* — *Credit Losses* (ASC 326). The Company adopted the new credit loss standard using the modified retrospective method provided in Accounting Standards Update No. 2016-13 such that prior period amounts are not adjusted and continue to be reported in accordance with previously applicable generally accepted accounting principles.

Basis for Opinion

These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's financial statements based on our audits. We are a public accounting firm registered with the PCAOB and are required to be independent with respect to the Company in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform theaudit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. Our audits included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Our audits also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Critical Audit Matters

The critical audit matters communicated below are matters arising from the current-period audit of the financial statements thatwere communicated or required to be communicated to the audit committee and that (1) relate to accounts or disclosures that are material to the financial statements and (2) involved our especially challenging, subjective, or complex judgments. The communication of critical audit matters does not alter in any way our opinion on the financial statements, taken as a whole, and we are not, by communicating the critical audit matters below, providing separate opinions on the critical audit matters or on the accounts or disclosures to which they relate.

Allowance for Credit Losses for Loans Held for Investment — Economic and Collateral Values Qualitative Factors — Refer to Notes 1 and 3 to the financial statements

Critical Audit Matter Description

The Company accounts for its allowance for credit losses ("ACL") for loans held for investment in accordance with Accounting Standards Update No. 2016-13, Financial Instruments — Credit Losses (Topic 326): Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments, which requires the measurement of the current expected credit losses for financial assets held at the reporting date. The ACL is a valuation account that is deducted from the amortized cost basis to present the net amount expected to be collected on the loans. Management estimates the ACL balance using relevant available information from internal and external sources relating to past events, current conditions and reasonable and supportable forecasts. Historical credit loss experience provides the basis for the estimation of expected credit losses.

The Company's ACL model uses statistical analysis to determine life of loan default rates for the quantitative component and analyzes qualitative factors ("Q-Factors") that assess the current loan portfolio and forecasted economic environment and collateral values. The Q-Factors adjust the expected historic loss rates for current and forecasted conditions that are not provided for in the historical loss information. The significant qualitative adjustments relate to the economic and collateral values Q-Factors.

We identified the estimate of the current conditions and reasonable and supportable forecasts within the economic and collateral value Q-Factors as a critical audit matter because of the significant judgment applied by management in determining the respective qualitative adjustment. Auditing the Company's qualitative adjustment for economic and collateral values Q-Factors required a high degree of auditor judgment and an increased extent of effort.

How the Critical Audit Matter Was Addressed in the Audit

Our audit procedures related to the portion of the ACL attributable to the economic and collateral values Q-Factors included the following:

- We tested the effectiveness of controls over Q-Factor adjustments within the ACL model, including management's review of current conditions and reasonable and supportable forecasts used in determining theeconomic and collateral value Q-Factors.
- We assessed the appropriateness of the framework for the Q-Factor adjustments.
- We tested the mathematical accuracy of Q-Factor adjustments within the ACL model.
- We evaluated management's forecasts used in its qualitative adjustments by comparing the forecasts to relevant external data.
- We tested management's process to evaluate the relationship between changes in economic and collateral
 value data and historical credit losses and to determine qualitative adjustments attributable to the
 economic and collateral values Q-Factors by evaluating whether, and to what extent, the current and
 forecasted conditions warranted a qualitative adjustment.

Single Family Mortgage Servicing Rights ("MSRs") — Projected Prepayment Speed and Discount Rate Assumptions — Refer to Notes 1, 9, and 14 to the financial statements

Critical Audit Matter Description

The Company initially records, and subsequently measures, single family MSRs at fair value and categorizes its single family MSRs as "Level 3" financial instruments. Management uses a valuation model that calculates the present value of estimated future net servicing cash flows to estimate the fair value of single family MSRs. Changes in the fair value of single family MSRs result from changes in (1) model inputs and assumptions and (2) modeled amortization, representing the collection andrealization of expected cash flows and curtailments over time. The significant model inputs used to estimate the fair value of single family MSRs include assumptions regarding projected prepayment speeds and discount rates. The Company's methodology for estimating the fair value of single family MSRs is highly sensitive to changes in these assumptions.

We identified the prepayment speed and discount rate assumptions used in the single family MSRs valuation as a critical auditmatter because of the significant judgment applied by management in determining these assumptions. Auditing the Company's single family MSRs valuation required a high degree of auditor judgment and an increased extent of effort, including the need to involve our fair value specialists to evaluate the reasonableness of management's assumptions related to the selection of prepayment speeds and discount rates used in the valuation of the single family MSRs.

How the Critical Audit Matter Was Addressed in the Audit

Our audit procedures related to the reasonableness of prepayment speed and discount rate assumptions used in the valuation of the single family MSRs included the following:

- We tested the effectiveness of controls over the fair value of single family MSRs, including controls over management's review of the prepayment speeds and discount rates.
- We compared management's estimate of fair value for selected pools of single family MSRs to a fair value estimate independently determined by our fair value specialists using prepayment speeds and discount rates obtained from market survey data
- We compared management's single-family MSR fair value estimate and prepayment speed and discount rateassumptions to a third-party valuation report for the same portfolio.
- We performed analytical procedures to compare changes in certain interest and mortgage rates to changes in singlefamily MSR values and prepayment speeds

/s/ Deloitte & Touche LLP

Seattle, Washington March 12, 2021

We have served as the Company's auditor since 2013.

HOMESTREET, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	At December 31,					
(in thousands, except share data)		2020		2019		
<u>ASSETS</u>						
Cash and cash equivalents.	\$	58,049	\$	57,880		
Investment securities.		1,076,364		943,150		
Loans held for sale ("LHFS")		361,932		208,177		
Loans held for investment ("LHFI") (net of allowance for credit losses of						
\$64,294 and \$41,772)		5,179,886		5,072,784		
Mortgage servicing rights		85,740		97,603		
Premises and equipment, net.		65,102		76,973		
Other real estate owned ("OREO")		1,375		1,393		
Goodwill and other intangible assets		32,880		34,252		
Other assets		375,763		291,595		
Assets of discontinued operations				28,628		
Total assets	\$	7,237,091	\$	6,812,435		
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Liabilities:	Ф	5 021 550	Φ	£ 220.050		
Deposits	\$	5,821,559	\$	5,339,959		
Borrowings		322,800		471,590		
Long-term debt		125,838		125,650		
Accounts payable and other liabilities		249,144		192,910		
Liabilities of discontinued operations		<u> </u>		2,603		
Total liabilities.		6,519,341		6,132,712		
Commitments and contingencies (Note 10)						
Shareholders' equity:						
Common stock, no par value, authorized 160,000,000 shares, issued and						
outstanding, 21,796,904 shares and 23,890,855 shares		278,505		300,729		
Retained earnings		403,888		374,673		
Accumulated other comprehensive income		35,357		4,321		
Total shareholders' equity		717,750		679,723		
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$	7,237,091	\$	6,812,435		

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

HOMESTREET, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENTS

	Yea	31,	,		
(in thousands, except share and per share data)	2020	2019		2018	
Interest income:		_			
Loans	\$ 228,999	\$ 256,043	\$	228,350	
Investment securities	21,786	20,531		22,645	
Cash, Fed Funds and other	1,227	1,032		467	
Total interest income	252,012	 277,606		251,462	
Interest expense:					
Deposits	33,797	70,389		41,995	
Borrowings	9,553	 17,827		19,504	
Total interest expense	43,350	88,216		61,499	
Net interest income	208,662	189,390		189,963	
Provision for credit losses	20,469	(500)		3,000	
Net interest income after provision for credit losses	188,193	 189,890		186,963	
Noninterest income:					
Net gain on loan origination and sale activities	122,564	44,122		11,866	
Loan servicing income	9,491	9,785		4,823	
Deposit fees	7,083	7,926		8,019	
Other	10,226	12,599		11,825	
Total noninterest income	149,364	74,432		36,533	
Noninterest expense:		 			
Compensation and benefits	136,826	124,354		106,741	
Information services	30,004	31,603		31,846	
Occupancy	35,323	27,119		22,352	
General, administrative and other	33,510	32,538		34,302	
Total noninterest expense	 235,663	 215,614		195,241	
Income from continuing operations before income taxes	 101,894	48,708		28,255	
Income taxes from continuing operations		7,988		2,032	
Income from continuing operations	79,990	40,720		26,223	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations before income	ŕ	ŕ		ŕ	
taxes		(28,285)		17,610	
Income taxes (tax benefit) for discontinued operations	_	(5,077)		3,806	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations		(23,208)		13,804	
Net income	\$ 79,990	\$ 17,512	\$	40,027	
Net income (loss) per share					
Basic:					
Income from continuing operations	\$ 3.50	\$ 1.57	\$	0.97	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations		(0.91)		0.51	
Total	\$ 3.50	\$ 0.66	\$	1.48	
Diluted:					
Income from continuing operations	\$ 3.47	\$ 1.55	\$	0.97	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations		(0.90)		0.51	
Total	\$ 3.47	\$ 0.65	\$	1.47	
Weighted average shares outstanding:					
Basic	22,867,268	25,573,488		26,970,916	
Diluted	23,076,822	25,770,783		27,168,135	

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

HOMESTREET, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

	Years Ended December 31,								
(in thousands)		2020		2019	2018				
Net income	\$	79,990	\$	17,512	\$	40,027			
Other comprehensive income:									
Unrealized gain (loss) on investment securities available for sale ("AFS")		39,627		27,490		(10,295)			
Reclassification for net (gains) losses included in income		(341)		7		(235)			
Other comprehensive income (loss) before tax		39,286		27,497		(10,530)			
Income tax impact of:									
Unrealized gain (loss) on investment securities AFS		8,322		5,656		(2,163)			
Reclassification for net (gains) losses included in income		(72)		1		(50)			
Total		8,250		5,657		(2,213)			
Other comprehensive income		31,036		21,840		(8,317)			
Total comprehensive income	\$	111,026	\$	39,352	\$	31,710			

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements

HOMESTREET, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

				Accumulated other	Total	Total
(in thousands, except share data)	Number of shares	Common stock	Retained earnings	comprehensive income (loss)	temporary equity	permanent equity
Balance, December 31,						
2017	26,888,288	\$ 339,520	\$ 371,982	\$ (7,122)	\$ —	\$ 704,380
Net income			40,027	_		40,027
Share-based compensation						
expense	_	3,012	_	_		3,012
Common stock issued	107,060	418	_	_		418
Other comprehensive loss				(8,317)		(8,317)
Balance, December 31, 2018	26,995,348	342,950	412,009	(15,439)		739,520
Net income		_	17,512	_		17,512
Share-based compensation						
expense		(434)	_			(434)
Cumulative effect of						
adoption of newaccounting						
standards			1,532	(2,080)		(548)
Common stock issued	104,080	376	_	_		376
Other comprehensive income	_		_	21,840		21,840
Common stock repurchased	(3,208,573)	(20,287)	(25,521)		(52,735)	(98,543)
Reclassification to temporary						
equity		(21,876)	(30,859)		52,735	
Balance, December 31, 2019	23,890,855	300,729	374,673	4,321		679,723
Net income			79,990			79,990
Share-based compensation						
expense	_	2,376				2,376
Common stock issued	140,386	1,099	_			1,099
Cumulative effect of adoption of new accounting						
standards	_		(3,740)			(3,740)
Other comprehensive income			_	31,036		31,036
Dividends declared on common						
stock (\$0.60 per share)		_	(13,865)		_	(13,865)
Common stock repurchased	(2,234,337)	(25,699)	(33,170)			(58,869)
Balance, December 31, 2020	21,796,904	\$ 278,505	\$ 403,888	\$ 35,357	<u>\$</u>	\$ 717,750

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

HOMESTREET, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	Years Ended December 31,		
(in thousands)	2020	2019	2018
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:	<u> </u>		<u> </u>
Net income	\$ 79,990	\$ 17,512	\$ 40,027
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by (used in)operating activities:			
Provision (reversal of provision) for credit losses	20,469	(500)	3,000
Depreciation and amortization, premises and equipment	9,438	10,769	12,954
Amortization of premiums, discounts: AFS securities, deposits,			
debt	9,013	7,655	7,914
Operating leases: excess of payments over amortization	(3,488)	(2,597)	_
Amortization of finance leases	1,277	2,029	_
Amortization of core deposit intangibles	1,372	1,636	1,626
Amortization of deferred loan fees and costs	1,195	1,643	(1,984)
Share-based compensation expense	2,693	(163)	3,361
Net (gain) loss on sale of investment securities	(341)	7	(235)
Loss on lease abandonment and exit costs	10,873	16,619	5,096
Deferred income tax expense (benefit)	(10,065)	(29,903)	12,777
Loss on debt extinguishment.	1,492		_
Origination of LHFS	(2,453,110)	(3,757,549)	(6,075,290)
Proceeds from sale of LHFS	2,407,287	4,097,511	6,448,808
Net fair value adjustment and gain on sale of LHFS	(81,439)	(78,994)	(93,766)
Origination of mortgage servicing rights	(31,012)	(34,606)	(61,871)
Net gain on sale of LHFI.	(6,895)	(9,534)	(1,956)
Change in fair value of mortgage servicing rights	37,567	35,902	(6,711)
Amortization of MSRs	5,657	5,214	4,383
Gain on sale of mortgage servicing rights		(6,206)	
(Increase) decrease in other assets	(38,728)	14,932	(8,064)
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable and other liabilities	11,210	(32,547)	(4,058)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(25,545)	258,830	286,011
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		/a.c ·	
Purchase of investment securities	(373,264)	(330,532)	(189,660)
Proceeds from sale of investment securities	62,378	184,871	46,081
Principal payments on investment securities	208,610	145,771	106,798
Proceeds from sale of OREO	650	1,138	836
Proceeds from sale of LHFI	576,388	769,354	548,770
Purchase of LHFI	(20,124)		(1,953)
Proceeds from sale of mortgage servicing rights		3,255	65,369
Net cash provided by disposal of discontinued operations	2,800	182,189	
Net increase in LHFI.	(690,302)	(822,474)	(1,132,521)
Proceeds from sale of premises and equipment	1,460		808
Purchases of premises and equipment	(3,298)	(2,257)	(9,724)
Net cash used for acquisitions.		(47,389)	
Proceeds from sale of Federal Home Loan Bank stock	145,801	161,254	179,789
Purchases of Federal Home Loan Bank stock.	(143,721)	(138,156)	(178,647)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(232,622)	107,024	(564,054)

HOMESTREET, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS — (Continued)

	Years Ended December					er 31,		
(in thousands)		2020		2019		2018		
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:								
Increase in deposits, net	\$	481,464	\$	213,572	\$	290,152		
Repayment of long term borrowings		(7,082)		(56,000)		(31,500)		
Changes in short term borrowings, net		(143,200)		(424,000)		4,000		
Repayment of finance lease principal		(1,209)		(1,694)		_		
Repurchases of common stock		(58,009)		(98,543)		_		
Proceeds from stock issuance, net		237		105		68		
Dividends paid on common stock		(13,865)						
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		258,336		(366,560)		262,720		
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		169		(706)		(15,323)		
CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND RESTRICTED CASH:								
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash, beginning of year		57,880		58,586		73,909		
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash, end of year		58,049		57,880		58,586		
Less restricted cash included in other assets						604		
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR	\$	58,049	\$	57,880	\$	57,982		
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:								
Cash paid (received) during the period for:								
Interest	\$	44,466	\$	93,325	\$	67,552		
Federal and state income taxes		20,992		33,625		(5,785)		
Non-cash activities:								
LHFI foreclosed and transferred to OREO		370		915		455		
Loans transferred from HFI to HFS		595,529		916,483		634,205		
Loans transferred from HFS to HFI		25,995		8,705		71,584		
Ginnie Mae loans recognized with the right to repurchase, net		92,366		_		_		
Ginnie Mae loans derecognized with the right to repurchase,								
net		_		28,281		1,674		
Repurchase of common stock – award settlement		860		_		_		
Receivable from sale of mortgage servicing rights		_		2,117		3,337		
Acquisition:								
Assets acquired				116,402		_		
Liabilities assumed		_		74,941		_		
Goodwill		_		5,928		_		

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements

HOMESTREET, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 — SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

Business

HomeStreet, Inc., a State of Washington corporation organized in 1921, (the "Corporation") is a Washington-based diversified financial services holding company whose operations are primarily conducted through its wholly owned subsidiaries (collectively the "Company") HomeStreet Capital Corporation, HomeStreet Statutory Trusts and HomeStreet Bank (the "Bank"), and the Bank's subsidiaries, HomeStreet Reinsurance, Ltd., Continental Escrow Company, HomeStreet Foundation, HS Properties, Inc., HS Evergreen Corporate Center LLC, Union Street Holdings LLC and HS Cascadia Holdings LLC. The Company is principally engaged in commercial banking, mortgage banking and consumer/retail banking activities serving customers primarily in the Western United States.

The Bank, the Company's principal operating subsidiary, is engaged in commercial banking, mortgage banking and consumer/retail banking activities. The Bank was incorporated in the State of Washington in 1986, and as a state-chartered non-member commercial bank is subject to examination by the State of Washington Department of Financial Institutions and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC").

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying consolidated financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries. All significant inter-company accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation. The Company allocates resources and assesses financial performance on a consolidated basis and therefore has one reporting segment. In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities as of the date of the of the financial statements, as well as the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting periods. Actual results could differ significantly from those estimates.

Reclassifications

Certain amounts in the financial statements from prior periods have been reclassified to conform to the current financial statement presentation. These reclassifications had no effect on prior years' net income or stockholders' equity.

Immaterial Restatement: Subsequent to the issuance of the June 30, 2020 financial statements, management concluded that purchases of and proceeds from the sale of Federal Home Loan Bank stock were incorrectly classified as financing activities, rather than investing activities, in the consolidated statements of cash flows. To correct this classification error, amounts previously reported for the purchases of and proceeds from the sale of Federal Home Loan Bank stock for 2019 and 2018 as financing activities are reported as investing activities in the consolidated statement of cash flows.

Discontinued Operations

During 2019, the Company's Board of Directors (the "Board") adopted a Resolution of Exit or Disposal of Home Loan Center ("HLC") Based Mortgage Banking Operations to sell or abandon the assets and transfer or terminate the personnel associated with the Company's high-volume HLC-based mortgage origination business and related servicing. The Company also successfully closed and settled two separate sales of the rights to service \$14.3 billion in total unpaid principal balance of single family mortgage loans serviced for others. At the end of the second quarter 2019, we also entered into a non-binding letter of interest to sell our ownership interest in WMS LLC. In accordance with Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 205-20, the Company determined that the Board's decision to sell or abandon the assets and personnel associated with the Company's HLC-based mortgage business, the related mortgage servicing rights ("MSR") sales and the sale of WMS LLC met the criteria to be classified as discontinued operations and its operating results and financial condition are presented as discontinued operations in the consolidated financial statements for 2019 and prior periods. These discontinued operations activities,

including the exit or disposal of the former Mortgage Banking Segment, were concluded by December 31, 2019. Consequently, we ceased discontinued operations accounting effective January 1, 2020. Unless otherwise indicated, information included in these notes to the consolidated financial statements for 2019 and 2018 are presented on a consolidated operations basis, which includes results from both continuing and discontinued operations.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of reporting cash flows, cash and cash equivalents include cash, due from banks, certificates of deposits with maturities of less than ninety days, investment securities with original maturities of less than ninety days and federal funds sold. The Bank maintains most of its excess cash at the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco ("FRBSF"), with well-capitalized correspondent banks or with other depository institutions at amounts less than the FDIC insured limits. Restricted cash of \$6.6 million and \$5.1 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively, is included in cash and cash equivalents.

Investment Securities

Investment securities for which the Company has the positive intent and ability to hold to maturity are reported at cost, adjusted for premiums and discounts that are recognized in interest income using the interest method over the period to maturity. Investments not classified as trading securities nor as held-to-maturity ("HTM") securities are classified as AFS securities and recorded at fair value. Unrealized gains or losses on AFS securities are excluded from net income and reported net of taxes as a separate component of other comprehensive income included in shareholders' equity. Purchase premiums and discounts are recognized in interest income using the effective interest method over the life of the securities. Purchase premiums or discounts related to mortgage-backed securities are amortized or accreted using projected prepayment speeds. Gains and losses on the sale of AFS securities are recorded on the trade date and are determined using the specific identification method.

The Company evaluates AFS securities in an unrealized loss position, using a qualitative approach, at the end of each quarter to determine whether the decline in value is temporary or permanent. An unrealized loss exists when the fair value of an individual security is less than its amortized cost basis. When qualitative factors indicate that a credit loss may exist, the Company compares the present value of cash flows expected to be collected from the security with the amortized cost basis of the security. The Company recognizes an ACL if a loss is considered to exist, measured as the difference between the present value of expected cash flows and the amortized cost basis of the security, limited by the amount that the security's fair value is less than its amortized cost basis. The Company does not believe any of these securities that were in an unrealized loss position at December 31, 2020 represent a credit loss impairment.

The Company evaluates HTM securities at the end of each quarter to determine if any expected credit losses exist. No ACL for HTM securities was recorded as of December 31, 2020.

Federal Home Loan Bank Stock

The Bank is a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Des Moines ("FHLB"), and as such, is required to own a certain amount of FHLB stock based on the level of borrowings and other factors. FHLB stock is carried at cost and periodically evaluated for impairment based on ultimate recovery of par value. Both cash and stock dividends are recorded as a component of interest income.

Loans Held for Sale

Loans originated for sale in the secondary market or designated for whole loan sales are classified as loans held for sale. Management has elected the fair value option for all single family loans held for sale (originated with the intent to market for sale) and records these loans at fair value. Gains and losses from changes in fair value on loans held for sale are recognized in net gain on mortgage loan origination and sale activities within noninterest income. Direct loan origination costs and fees for single family loans originated as held for sale are recognized in earnings.

Multifamily and Small Business Administration ("SBA") loans held for sale are accounted for at the lower of amortized cost or fair value ("LOCOM"). LOCOM valuations are performed quarterly or at the time of transfer to or from loans held for sale. Related gains and losses are recognized in net gain on mortgage loan origination and sale activities. Direct loan origination costs and fees for multifamily and SBA loans classified as held for sale are deferred at origination and recognized in earnings at the time of sale.

Loans Held for Investment

Loans held for investment are reported at the principal amount outstanding, net of cumulative charge-offs, interest applied to principal (for loans accounted for using the cost recovery method), unamortized net deferred loan origination fees and costs and unamortized premiums or discounts on purchased loans. When a loan is designated as held for investment, the intent is to hold these loans for the foreseeable future or until maturity or pay-off. If subsequent changes occur as part of the balance sheet management process, the Company may change its intent to hold these loans. Once a determination has been made to sell such loans, they are transferred to loans held for sale and carried at the lower of cost or fair value. Interest on loans is recognized at the contractual rate of interest and is only accrued if deemed collectible. Deferred fees and costs and premiums and discounts are amortized over the contractual terms of the underlying loans using the constant effective yield (the interest method) or straight-line method.

Nonaccrual Loans

Loans for which the accrual of interest has been discontinued are designated as nonaccrual loans. Loans are placed on nonaccrual status when the full and timely collection of principal and interest is doubtful, generally when the loan becomes 90 days or more past due for principal or interest payment or if part of the principal balance has been charged off. When loans are placed on nonaccrual status, all interest previously accrued but not collected is reversed against current period interest income. All payments received on nonaccrual loans are accounted for using the cost recovery method. Under the cost recovery method, all cash collected is applied first to reduce the outstanding principal balance. A loan may be returned to accrual status if all delinquent principal and interest payments are brought current and the collectability of the remaining principal and interest payments in accordance with the loan agreement is reasonably assured. Loans whose repayments are insured by the Federal Housing Administration ("FHA") or guaranteed by the Department of Veterans' Affairs ("VA") are maintained on accrual status even if 90 days or more past due.

Troubled Debt Restructurings

We sometimes modify or restructure loans when the borrower is experiencing financial difficulties by making a concession to the borrower in the form of changes in the amortization terms, reductions in the interest rates, the acceptance of interest only payments and, in limited cases, concessions to the outstanding loan balances. These loans are classified as TDRs. TDRs are loans modified for the purpose of alleviating temporary impairments to the borrower's financial condition or cash flows. A workout plan between us and the borrower is designed to provide a bridge for borrower cash flow shortfalls in the near term. A TDR loan may be returned to accrual status when the loan is brought current, has performed in accordance with the contractual restructured terms for a time frame of at least six months, and the ultimate collectability of the total contractual restructured principal and interest is reasonably assured.

ACL for LHFI

The ACL for LHFI is a valuation account that is deducted from the loans amortized cost basis to present the net amount expected to be collected on the loans. Loan balances are charged off against the ACL when management believes the non-collectability of a loan balance is confirmed. Expected recoveries may not exceed the aggregate of amounts previously charged-off and expected to be charged-off. The ACL for LHFI, as reported in our consolidated balance sheets, is adjusted by a provision for credit losses and reduced by the charge-offs of loan amounts, net of recoveries.

Management estimates the ACL balance using relevant available information from internal and external sources relating to past events, current conditions and reasonable and supportable forecasts. Historical credit loss experience provides the basis for the estimation of expected credit losses. Adjustments to historical loss information are made for differences in current loan-specific risk characteristics such as differences in underwriting standards, portfolio mix or delinquency levels or other relevant factors.

The credit loss estimation process involves procedures to appropriately consider the unique characteristics of its two loan portfolios, the consumer loan portfolio and the commercial loan portfolio. These two portfolios are further disaggregated into loan pools, the level at which credit risk is monitored. When computing ACL levels, credit loss assumptions are estimated using a model that categorizes loan pools based on loss history, delinquency status and

other credit trends and risk characteristics, including current conditions and reasonable and supportable forecasts about the future. Determining the appropriateness of the ACL is complex and requires judgment by management about the effect of matters that are inherently uncertain. In future periods, evaluations of the overall loan portfolio, based on the factors and forecasts then prevailing, may result in material changes in the ACL and provision for credit losses in those future periods.

Credit Loss Measurement

The ACL level is influenced by current conditions related to loan volumes, loan asset quality ratings ("AQR") migration or delinquency status, historic loss experience and other conditions influencing loss expectations, such as reasonable and supportable forecasts of economic conditions. The methodology for estimating the amount of expected credit losses has two basic components: first, a pooled component for estimated expected credit losses for pools of loans that share similar risk characteristics and second an asset-specific component involving individual loans that do not share risk characteristics with other loans and the measurement of expected credit losses for such individual loans.

Loans that Share Similar Risk Characteristics with Other Loans

For loans that share similar risk characteristics, loans are segregated into loan pools based on similar risk characteristics, like product types or areas of risk concentration to estimate the ACL.

The Company's ACL model methodology is to build a reserve rate using historical life of loan default rates combined with assessments of current loan portfolio information and current and forecasted economic environment and business cycle information. The model uses statistical analysis to determine the life of loan default rates for the quantitative component and analyzes qualitative factors (Q-Factors) that assess the current loan portfolio conditions and forecasted economic environment and collateral values. Below is the general overview our ACL model.

Historical Loss Rate

The Company chose to analyze loan data from a full economic cycle, to the extent that data was available, to calculate life of loan loss rates. Based on the current economic environment and available loan level data, it was determined the Loss Horizon Period (LHP) should begin prior to the economic recession that began in 2007. The Company plans to monitor and review the LHP on an annual basis to determine appropriate time frames to be included based on economic indicators.

Under current expected credit losses methodology ("CECL"), the Company groups pools of loans by similar risk characteristics. Using these pools, sub-pools are established at a more granular level incorporating delinquency status and original FICO or original LTV (for consumer loans) and risk ratings (for commercial loans). Using the pool and sub-pool structure, cohorts are established historically on a quarterly basis containing the population in these sets as of that point in time. After the establishment of these cohorts, the loans within the cohorts are then tracked from that point forward to establish long-term Probability of Default ("PD") at the sub-pool level and Loss Given Default ("LGD") for the pool level. These historical cohorts and their PD/LGD outcomes are then averaged together to establish expected PDs and LGDs for each sub-pool.

Once historical cohorts are established, the loans in the cohort are tracked moving forward for default events. The Company has defined default events as the first dollar of loss. If a loan in the cohort has experienced a default event over the LHP then the balance of the loan at the time of cohort establishment becomes part of the numerator of the PD calculation. The Loss Given Probability of Default ("LGPD") or Expected Loss ("EL") is the weighted average PD for each sub-pool cohort times the average LGD for each pool. The output from the model then is a series of EL rates for each loan sub-pool, which are applied to the related outstanding balances for each loan sub-pool to determine the ACL reserve based on historical loss rates.

O-Factors

The Q-Factors adjust the expected historic loss rates for current and forecasted conditions that are not provided for in the historical loss information. The Company has established a methodology for adjusting historical expected loss rates based on these more recent or forecasted changes. The Q-Factor methodology is based on a blend of quantitative analysis and management judgment and reviewed on a quarterly basis.

Each of the thirteen factors in the FASB standard were analyzed for common risk characteristics and grouped into seven consolidated Q-Factors as listed below.

Qualitative Factor	Financial Instruments – Credit Losses
	The borrower's financial condition, credit rating, credit score, asset quality or business prospects
Portfolio Credit Quality	The borrower's ability to make scheduled interest or principal payments
	The volume and severity of past due financial assets and the volume and severity of adversely classified or rated financial assets
	The remaining payment terms of the financial assets
Remaining Payments	The remaining time to maturity and the timing and extent of prepayments on the financial assets
Volume & Nature	The nature and volume of the entity's financial assets
Collateral Values	The value of underlying collateral on financial assets in which the collateral-dependent practical expedient has not been utilized
Economic	The environmental factors of a borrower and the areas in which the entity's credit is concentrated, such as: changes and expected changes in national, regional and local economic and business conditions and developments in which the entity operates, including the condition and expected condition of various market segments
Credit Culture	The entity's lending policies and procedures, including changes in lending strategies, underwriting standards, collection, write-off and recovery practices, as well as knowledge of the borrower's operations or the borrower's standing in the community. The quality of the entity's credit review system
	The experience, ability and depth of the entity's management, lending staff, and other relevant staff
Business Environment	The environmental factors of a borrower and the areas in which the entity's credit is concentrated, such as: regulatory, legal, or technological environment to which the entity has exposure
	The environmental factors of a borrower and the areas in which the entity's credit is concentrated, such as: changes and expected changes in the general market condition of either the geographical area or the industry to which the entity has exposure

An eighth Q-Factor, Management Overlay, allows the Bank to adjust specific pools when conditions exist that were not contemplated in the model design that warrant an adjustment. The economic downturn caused by the COVID-19 pandemic and resulting accounting treatment of forbearances is an example of such a condition.

The Company has chosen two years as the forecast period based on management judgment and has determined that reasonable and supportable forecasts should be made for two of the Q-Factors: Economic and Collateral values.

Management has assigned weightings for each qualitative factor as well as individual metrics within each qualitative factor as to the relative importance of that factor or metric specific to each portfolio type. The Q-Factors above are evaluated using a seven-point scale ranging from significant improvement to significant deterioration.

The CECL Q-Factor methodology bounds the Q-Factor adjustments by a minimum and maximum range, based on the Bank's own historical expected loss rates for each respective pool. The rating of the Q-Factor on the seven-point scale, along with the allocated weight, determines the final expected loss adjustment. The model is constructed so that the total of the Q-Factor adjustments plus the current expected loss rate cannot exceed the maximum or minimum two-year loss rate for that pool, which is aligned with the Bank's chosen forecast period. Loss rates beyond two years are not adjusted in the Q-Factor process and the model reverts to the historical mean loss rates. Management Overlays are not bounded by the historical maximums.

Quarterly, loan data is gathered to update the portfolio metrics analyzed in the Q-Factor model. The model is updated with current data and applicable forecasts, then the results are reviewed by management. After consensus is reached on all Q-Factor ratings, the results are input into the Q-Factor model and applied to the pooled loans which are reviewed to determine the adequacy of the reserve.

Additional details describing the model by portfolio are below:

Consumer Loan Portfolio

The consumer loan portfolio is comprised of the single family and home equity loan classes, which are underwritten after evaluating a borrower's capacity, credit and collateral. Other consumer loans are grouped with home equity loans. Capacity refers to a borrower's ability to make payments on the loan. Several factors are considered when assessing a borrower's capacity, including the borrower's employment, income, current debt, assets and level of equity in the property. Credit refers to how well a borrower manages current and prior debts as documented by a credit report that provides credit scores and current and past information about the borrower's credit history. Collateral refers to the type and use of property, occupancy and market value. Property appraisals are obtained to assist in evaluating collateral. Loan-to-property value and debt-to-income ratios, loan amount and lien position are considered in assessing whether to originate a loan. These borrowers are particularly susceptible to downturns in economic trends such as conditions that negatively affect housing prices, demand for housing and levels of unemployment.

Consumer Loan Portfolio Estimated Loss Rate Model

Under CECL, the Bank utilizes pools of loans that are grouped by similar risk characteristics: Single Family and Home Equity Loans which includes Consumer loans. Sub-Pools are established at a more granular level for the calculation of PDs, incorporating delinquency status, original FICO and original LTV.

Consumer portfolio cohorts are established by grouping each ACL sub-pool at a point in time. Once historical cohorts are established, the loans in the cohort are tracked moving forward for default events.

The Q-Factors adjust the expected historic loss rates for current and forecasted conditions that are not provided for in the historical loss information. For Single Family loans all Q-Factors noted above are evaluated. For the Home Equity and Consumer loans, collateral values are not evaluated as the Bank has determined the FICO score trends are a more relevant predictor of default than current collateral value for those types of loans. These factors are evaluated based on current conditions and forecasts (as applicable), using a seven-point scale ranging from significant improvement to significant deterioration.

Commercial Loan Portfolio

The commercial loan portfolio is comprised of the non-owner occupied commercial real estate, multifamily, construction and land development, owner occupied commercial real estate and commercial business loan classes, whose underwriting standards consider the factors described for single family and home equity loan classes as well as others when assessing the borrower's and associated guarantors or other related party's financial position. These other factors include assessing liquidity, net worth, leverage, other outstanding indebtedness of the borrower, the quality and reliability of cash expected to flow through the borrower (including the outflow to other lenders) and prior known experiences with the borrower.

This information is used to assess financial capacity, profitability and experience. Ultimate repayment of these loans is sensitive to interest rate changes, general economic conditions, liquidity and availability of long-term financing.

Commercial Loan Portfolio Loss Rate Model

The Bank maintained loan classes above but has subdivided the construction and land development, which includes lot, land and acquisition and development loans, into the following ACL reporting pools to more accurately group risk characteristics: Multifamily, Commercial Real Estate, Single Family and Single Family construction to permanent. ACL sub-pools are established at a more granular level for the calculation of PDs, utilizing risk rating.

As outlined in the Bank's policies, commercial loans pools are non-homogenous and are regularly assessed for credit quality. For purposes of CECL, loans are sub-pooled according to the following AQR Ratings:

- 1-6: These loans meet the definition of "Pass" assets. They are well protected by the current net worth and paying capacity of the obligor (or guarantors, if any) or by the fair value, less costs to acquire and sell in a timely manner, of any underlying collateral. The Bank further uses the available AQR ratings for components of the sub-pools.
- 7: These loans meet the regulatory definition of "Special Mention." They contain potential weaknesses, that if uncorrected may result in deterioration of the likelihood of repayment or in the Bank's credit position.
- 8: These loans meet the regulatory definition of "Substandard". They are inadequately protected by the current sound worth and paying capacity of the borrower or of the collateral pledged, if any. They have well-defined weaknesses and have unsatisfactory characteristics causing unacceptable levels of risk.

Commercial portfolio cohorts are established by grouping each ACL sub-pool at a point in time. Once historical cohorts are established, the loans in the cohort are tracked moving forward for default events. The Q-Factors adjust the expected historic loss rates for current and forecasted conditions that are not provided for in the historical loss information. All the Q-Factors noted above are evaluated for Commercial portfolio loans except for Commercial Business and Owner Occupied Commercial Real Estate ("CRE") loans which exclude the collateral values Q-Factor. The Company has determined that these loans are primarily underwritten by evaluating the cash flow of the business and not the underlying collateral. Factors above are evaluated based on current conditions and forecasts (as applicable), using a seven-point scale ranging from significant improvement to significant deterioration.

Loans That Do Not Share Risk Characteristics with Other Loans

For a loan that does not share risk characteristics with other loans, expected credit loss is measured on net realizable value that is the difference between the discounted value of the expected future cash flows, based on the original effective interest rate and the amortized cost basis of the loan. For these loans, we recognize expected credit loss equal to the amount by which the net realizable value of the loan is less than the amortized cost basis of the loan (which is net of previous charge-offs and deferred loan fees and costs), except when the loan is collateral dependent, which is when the borrower is experiencing financial difficulty and repayment is expected to be provided substantially through the operation or sale of the collateral. In these cases, expected credit loss is measured as the difference between the amortized cost basis of the loan and the fair value of the collateral. The fair value of the collateral is adjusted for the estimated costs to sell if repayment or satisfaction of a loan is dependent on the sale (rather than only on the operation) of the collateral.

The starting point for determining the fair value of collateral is through obtaining external appraisals. Generally, collateral values for collateral dependent loans are updated every twelve months, either from external third parties or in-house certified appraisers. A third-party appraisal is required at least annually for substandard loans and OREO. For performing consumer loans secured by real estate that are classified as collateral dependent, the Bank determines the fair value estimates quarterly using automated valuation services. Once the expected loss amount is determined, an ACL is recorded equal to the calculated expected credit loss and included in the ACL. If the calculated expected loss is determined to be permanent or not recoverable, the expected credit loss will be charged off. Factors considered by management in determining if the expected credit loss is permanent or not recoverable include whether management judges the loan to be uncollectible, repayment is deemed to be protracted beyond reasonable time frames, or the loss becomes evident owing to the borrower's lack of assets or, for single family loans, the loan is 180 days or more past due unless both well-secured and in the process of collection.

ACL for Off-Balance Sheet Credit Exposures

The Bank estimates expected credit losses over the contractual period in which the Bank is exposed to risk via a contractual obligation to extend credit, unless that obligation is unconditionally cancellable by the Bank. Reserves are required for off-balance sheet credit exposures that are not unconditionally cancellable. The ACL on unfunded loan commitments is based on an estimate of unfunded commitment utilization over the life of the loan, applying the EL to the estimated utilization balance as of the reporting period end date. As these estimated credit loss calculations are similar to the funded LHFI they share similar risks plus the additional risk from estimating commitment utilization.

Other Real Estate Owned

Real estate properties acquired through, or in lieu of, loan foreclosure are recorded at net realizable value (fair value of collateral less estimated costs to sell). At the time of possession, an appraisal is obtained and any excess of the loan balance over the net realizable value is charged against the ACL. After foreclosure, valuations are periodically performed by management. Any subsequent declines in fair value are recorded as a charge to current period earnings with a corresponding write-down to the asset. All legal fees and direct costs, including foreclosure and other related costs are expensed as incurred.

Mortgage Servicing Rights

MSRs are recognized as separate assets on our consolidated balance sheets upon purchase of the rights or when we retain the right to service loans that we have sold. We initially record all MSRs at fair value. For subsequent measurements, single family MSRs are accounted for at fair value during the life of the MSR, with changes in fair value recorded through current period earnings, while multifamily and SBA MSRs are accounted for at the lower of amortized cost or fair value.

Subsequent fair value measurements of MSRs are determined by considering the present value of estimated future net servicing cash flows. Changes in the fair value of MSRs result from changes in (1) model inputs and assumptions and (2) modeled amortization, representing the collection and realization of expected cash flows and curtailments over time. The significant model inputs used to measure the fair value of MSRs include assumptions regarding market interest rates, projected prepayment speeds, discount rates, estimated costs of servicing and other income and additional expenses associated with the collection of delinquent loans.

For single family MSRs, loan servicing income includes fees earned for servicing the loans and the changes in fair value over the reporting period of both our MSRs and the derivatives used to economically hedge our MSRs. For other MSRs, loan servicing income includes fees earned for servicing the loans less the amortization of the related MSRs and any impairment adjustments.

Revenues

Descriptions of our primary revenue-generating activities that fall within the scope of ASC Topic 606 and are presented in our consolidated income statements as follows:

Depositor and other retail and business banking fees

Depositor and other retail banking fees consist of monthly service fees, check orders, and other deposit account related fees. The Company's performance obligation for these fees is generally satisfied, and the related revenue recognized, over the period in which the service is provided.

Commission Income

Commission income primarily consists of revenue received on insurance policies and monthly investment management fees earned where the Company has acted as an intermediary between customers and the insurance carriers or investment advisers.

The Company's performance obligation for commissions is generally satisfied, and the related revenue generally recognized, over the course of the policy or over the period in which the services are provided, generally monthly.

Credit Card Fees

The Company offers credit cards to its customers through a third party and earns a fee on each transaction and a fee for each new account activation on a net basis. Revenue is recognized on a one-month lag when cash is received for these fees which does not vary materially from recognizing revenue over the period the services are performed.

Sale of Other Real Estate Owned

A gain or loss, the difference between the cost basis of the property and its sale price, on other real estate owned is recognized when the performance obligation is met, which is at the time the property title is transferred to the buyer. To record a sale of REO, the Company evaluates if: (a) a commitment on the buyer's part exists, (b) collection

is probable in circumstances where the initial investment is minimal and (c) the buyer has obtained control of the asset, including the significant risks and rewards of the ownership. If there is no commitment on the buyer's part, collection is not probable or the buyer has not obtained control of the asset, then a gain cannot be recognized.

Other non-interest income includes revenue related to mortgage servicing activities and gains on sales of loans, which are not subject to the requirements of ASU Topic 606.

Premises and Equipment

Premises and equipment are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and amortization. Depreciation and amortization are computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets, which range from 2 to 27 years. The cost of leasehold improvements is amortized using the straight-line method over the shorter of the estimated useful life of the asset or the term of the related leases. The Company periodically evaluates premises and equipment for impairment.

Leases

We determine if an arrangement is a lease at inception. Operating and finance leases are included in lease right-of-use ("ROU") assets, and lease liabilities in our consolidated balance sheets. ROU assets represent our right to use an underlying asset for the lease term and lease liabilities represent our obligation to make lease payments arising from the lease. The lease liability is recognized at commencement date based on the present value of lease payments over the lease term. The right-of-use asset is based on the lease liability adjusted for the reclassification of certain balance sheet amounts such as prepaid rent, lease incentives and deferred rent. As the rate implicit in most of our leases are not readily determinable, we generally use our incremental borrowing rate based on the estimated rate of interest for collateralized borrowing over a similar term of the lease contract at commencement date. Our lease terms may include options to extend or terminate the lease when it is reasonably certain that we will exercise that option. We have lease agreements with lease and non-lease components, which are generally accounted for separately for real estate leases.

Certain of our lease agreements include rental payments that adjust periodically based on changes in the CPI. We initially measure the present value of the lease payments using the index at the lease commencement date. Subsequent increases in the CPI are treated as variable lease payments and recognized in the period in which the obligation for those payments is incurred. The ROU assets and lease liabilities are not re-measured as a result of changes in the CPI.

Lease expense for operating leases is recognized on a straight-line basis over the lease term. Lease expense for our financing leases is comprised of the amortization of the right-of-use asset and interest expense recognized based on the effective interest method.

We use the long-lived assets impairment guidance under ASC Topic 360-10-35, "Property, Plant and Equipment," to determine whether an ROU asset is impaired, and if impaired, the amount of loss to recognize. Long-lived assets are tested for recoverability whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that their carrying amounts may not be recoverable. These could include vacating the leased space, obsolescence, or physical damage to a facility. If an impairment loss is recognized for a ROU asset, the adjusted carrying amount of the ROU asset would be its new accounting basis. The remaining ROU asset (after the impairment write-down) is amortized on a straight-line basis over the remaining lease term.

Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets

Goodwill is recorded upon completion of a business combination as the excess of the fair value of the consideration transferred, plus the fair value of any noncontrolling interests in the acquiree, over the fair value of the net assets acquired and liabilities assumed as of the acquisition date. Goodwill has been determined to have an indefinite useful life and is not amortized, but tested for impairment at least annually or more frequently if events and circumstances exist that indicate the necessity for such impairment tests to be performed. The Company typically performs its annual impairment testing in the second quarter.

Intangible assets with definite useful lives, such as core deposit intangible assets arising from bank acquisitions, are amortized over their estimated useful lives.

On March 25, 2019, the Company completed its acquisition of a branch and its related deposits and loans in San Diego County from Silvergate Bank, along with its business lending team. The application of the acquisition method of accounting resulted in recording goodwill of \$5.9 million and core deposit intangibles of \$1.9 million.

Securities Sold Under Agreements to Repurchase

From time to time, the Company may enter into sales of securities under agreements to repurchase ("repurchase agreements"). Repurchase agreements are accounted for as financing arrangements with the obligation to repurchase securities sold reflected as a liability on the consolidated balance sheets. The securities underlying the repurchase agreements continue to be recognized as AFS securities in the consolidated balance sheet.

Income Taxes

Our income tax expense is the total of current year income tax due or refundable and the change in deferred tax assets and liabilities.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities arise from temporary differences between the tax basis of assets and liabilities and their reported amounts in the financial statements, which will result in taxable or deductible amounts in the future. Deferred tax assets and tax carryforwards are only recognized if, in the opinion of management, it is more likely than not that the deferred tax assets will be realized. The effect on deferred taxes of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period that includes the enactment date. We are subject to federal income tax and also state income taxes in a number of different states.

A tax position is recognized as a benefit only if it is "more likely than not" that the tax position would be sustained in a tax examination, with a tax examination being presumed to occur. The amount recognized is the largest amount of tax benefit that is greater than 50% likely of being realized on examination. For tax positions not meeting the "more likely than not" test, no tax benefit is recorded. The Company recognizes interest and/or penalties related to income tax matters in income tax expense.

Derivatives and Hedging Activities

In the ordinary course of business, the Company enters into derivative transactions to manage various risks and to accommodate the business requirements of its customers. The fair value of derivative instruments are recognized as either assets or liabilities on the consolidated balance sheet. All derivatives are evaluated at inception as to whether or not they are hedging or non-hedging activities. For derivative instruments designated as non-hedging activities (also referred to as economic hedges), the change in fair value is recognized currently in earnings. Gains and losses on derivative contracts utilized for economically hedging the mortgage pipeline are recognized as part of the net gain on mortgage loan origination and sale activities within noninterest income. Gains and losses on derivative contracts utilized for economically hedging our single family MSRs are recognized as part of loan servicing income within noninterest income.

For derivative instruments designated as hedging activities, a qualitative analysis is performed at inception to determine if the derivative instrument is highly effective in achieving offsetting changes in fair value or cash flows attributable to the hedged risk during the period that the hedge is designated. Subsequently, a qualitative assessment of a hedge's effectiveness is performed on a quarterly basis. All derivative instruments that qualify and are designated for hedge accounting are recorded at fair value and classified as either a hedge of the fair value of a recognized asset or liability ("fair value hedge") or a hedge of a forecasted transaction or the variability of cash flows to be received or paid related to a recognized asset or liability ("cash flow hedge"). Changes in the fair value of a derivative that is highly effective and designated as a fair value hedge is recognized in earnings and the change in fair value on the hedged item attributable to the hedged risk adjusts the carrying amount of the hedged item and is recognized currently in earnings. Changes in the fair value of a derivative that is highly effective and designated as a cash flow hedge are recorded in other comprehensive income (loss) until cash flows of the hedged item are realized. All amounts recognized in earnings are presented in the same income statement line item as the earnings effect of the hedged item.

If a derivative designated as a cash flow hedge is terminated or ceases to be highly effective, the gain or loss in other comprehensive income (loss) is amortized to earnings over the period the forecasted hedged transactions impact earnings. If a hedged forecasted transaction is no longer probable, hedge accounting is ceased and any gain or loss included in other comprehensive income (loss) is reported in earnings immediately, unless the forecasted transaction is at least reasonably possible of occurring, whereby the amounts remain within other comprehensive income (loss).

Derivative instruments expose us to credit risk in the event of nonperformance by counterparties. This risk consists primarily of the termination value of agreements where the Company is in a favorable position. The Company minimizes counterparty credit risk through credit approvals, limits, monitoring procedures, and obtaining collateral, as appropriate.

The Company also executes interest rate swaps with commercial banking customers to facilitate their respective risk management strategies. Those interest rate swaps are hedged by simultaneously entering into an offsetting interest rate swap that the Company executes with a third party, such that the Company minimizes its net risk exposure.

Share-Based Compensation

The Company issues various forms of stock-based compensation awards annually, including restricted stock units ("RSUs") and performance stock units ("PSUs"). The Company has issued stock options in prior years. Compensation expense related to RSUs is based on the fair value of the underlying stock on the award date and is recognized over the period in which an employee is required to provide services in exchange for the award, generally the vesting period. PSUs are subject to performance-based and market-based vesting criteria in addition to a requisite service period and cliff vest based on those conditions at the end of three years. The grant date fair value of PSUs is determined through the use of an independent third party which employs the use of a Monte Carlo simulation. The Monte Carlo simulation estimates grant date fair value using input assumptions similar to those used in the Black-Scholes model, however, it also incorporates into the grant date fair value calculation the probability that the performance targets will be achieved. The Black-Scholes model, which is utilized to estimate the fair value of stock options, uses certain assumptions to determine grant-date fair value such as: expected volatility, expected term of the option, expected risk-free rate of interest and expected dividend yield on the Company's common stock. Forfeitures of stock-based awards are recognized when they occur.

Fair Value Measurement

Fair values of financial instruments are estimated using relevant market information and other assumptions, as more fully disclosed in a separate note. Fair value is an exit price, representing the amount that would be received to sell an asset or transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants. Fair value estimates involve uncertainties and matters of significant judgment regarding interest rates, credit risk, prepayments, and other factors, especially in the absence of broad markets for particular items. Fair value measures are classified according to a three-tier fair value hierarchy, which is based on the observability of inputs used to measure fair value. GAAP requires the Company to maximize the use of observable inputs when measuring fair value. Changes in assumptions or in market conditions could significantly affect these estimates.

Transfers of Financial Assets

Transfers of financial assets are accounted for as sales, when control over the assets has been relinquished. Control over transferred assets is deemed to be surrendered when the assets have been isolated from the Company, the transferee obtains the right (free of conditions that constrain it from taking advantage of that right) to pledge or exchange the transferred assets, and the Company does not maintain effective control over the transferred assets through an agreement to repurchase them before their maturity.

Contingencies

Contingent liabilities, including those that exist as a result of a guarantee or indemnification, are recognized when it becomes probable that a loss has been incurred and the amount of the loss is reasonably estimable. For indemnifications provided in sales agreements, a portion of the sale proceeds is allocated to the guarantee, which adjusts the gain or loss that would otherwise result from the transaction. For these indemnifications, the initial liability is amortized to income as the Company's risk is reduced or when the indemnification expires.

Earnings per Share

Earnings per share of common stock is calculated on both a basic and diluted basis, based on the weighted average number of common and common equivalent shares outstanding. Basic earnings per share excludes potential dilution from common equivalent shares, such as those associated with stock-based compensation awards, and is computed by dividing net income allocated to common stockholders by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding for the period. Diluted earnings per share reflects the potential dilution that could occur if securities or other contracts to issue common stock, such as common equivalent shares associated with stock-based compensation awards, were exercised or converted into common stock that would then share in the net earnings of the Company. Potential dilution from common equivalent shares is determined using the treasury stock method, reflecting the potential settlement of stock-based compensation awards resulting in the issuance of additional shares of the Company's common stock. Stock-based compensation awards that would have an anti-dilutive effect have been excluded from the determination of diluted earnings per share.

Marketing Costs

The Company expenses marketing costs, including advertising, in the period incurred. We incurred \$2.3 million, \$5.9 million and \$6.9 million in marketing costs during 2020, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

Recently Adopted Accounting Pronouncements

In August 2018, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued ASU No. 2018-13, *Fair Value Measurement (Topic 820): Disclosure Framework*—*Changes to the Disclosure Requirements for Fair Value Measurement.* This ASU adds, eliminates, and modifies certain disclosure requirements for fair value measurements. Among the changes, entities will no longer be required to disclose the amount of and reasons for transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy, but will be required to disclose the range and weighted average assumptions used to develop significant unobservable inputs for Level 3 fair value measurements. The Company adopted ASU No. 2018-13 on January 1, 2020 and it did not impact the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In January 2017, the FASB issued ASU No. 2017-04, *Intangibles — Goodwill and Other (Topic 350): Simplifying the Test for Goodwill Impairment*, or ASU 2017-04, which eliminates Step 2 from the goodwill impairment test. ASU 2017-04 also eliminates the requirements for any reporting unit with a zero or negative carrying amount to perform a qualitative assessment. An entity still has the option to perform the qualitative assessment for a reporting unit to determine if the quantitative impairment test is necessary. The Company adopted ASU 2017-04 on January 1, 2020 and it did not impact our consolidated financial statements.

On January 1, 2020, the Company adopted ASU 2016-13 Financial Instruments — Credit Losses (Topic 326): Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments, which replaces the incurred loss methodology ("ALLL") with an expected loss methodology that is referred to as CECL. The measurement of the expected credit losses under CECL is applicable to financial assets measured at amortized cost, including loan receivables and held-to-maturity debt securities. It also applies to off-balance sheet credit exposures such as loan commitments. In addition, ASC 326 made changes to the accounting for credit losses for AFS securities.

The Company adopted CECL using the modified retrospective method for all financial assets measured at amortized cost and off-balance sheet credit exposure. Results for reporting periods beginning after January 1, 2020 are presented under ASC 326 while prior period amounts continue to be reported in accordance with previously applicable GAAP. The Company recorded a decrease of \$3.7 million to the beginning balance of retained earnings on January 1, 2020 for the cumulative effect of adopting this guidance.

The Company adopted ASC 326 using the prospective transition approach for debt securities for which other-than-temporary impairment had been recognized prior to January 1, 2020. As a result, the amortized cost basis remains the same before and after the effective date of this guidance.

The following table illustrates the impact of the adoption of CECL on January 1, 2020.

(in thousands)	As reported under ASC 450-20	Impact of ASC 326 adoption	As reported under ASC 326
Assets ⁽¹⁾			
LHFI			
Commercial real estate loans			
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate	\$ 7,245	\$ (3,392)	\$ 3,853
Multifamily	7,015	(2,977)	4,038
Construction/land development			
Multifamily construction	2,848	693	3,541
Commercial real estate construction	624	(115)	509
Single family construction	3,800	4,280	8,080
Single family construction to permanent	1,003	200	1,203
Total	22,535	(1,311)	21,224
Commercial and industrial loans			
Owner occupied commercial real estate	3,639	(2,459)	1,180
Commercial business	2,915	510	3,425
Total	6,554	(1,949)	4,605
Consumer loans			
Single family	6,450	468	6,918
Home equity and other	6,233	4,635	10,868
Total	12,683	5,103	17,786
Total ACL	41,772	1,843	43,615
Liabilities			
ACL on unfunded loan commitments	1,065	1,897	2,962
Total	\$ 42,837	\$ 3,740	\$ 46,577

⁽¹⁾ There was no impact from the adoption of this standard to our investment securities.

Recent Accounting Pronouncements — Issued Not Yet Adopted

In December 2019, the FASB issued ASU No 2019-12, "Income Taxes (Topic 740): Simplifying the Accounting for Income Taxes" ("ASU 2019-12"). ASU 2019-12 removes certain exceptions to the general principles in Topic 740 in GAAP. ASU 2019-12 is effective for public entities for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2020, with early adoption permitted. The Company does not expect ASU 2019-12 to have a material effect on the Company's current balance sheet, income statement or financial statement disclosures.

In March 2020, the FASB issued ASU No. 2020-04, Reference Rate Reform (Topic 848): This ASU provides optional expedients and exceptions for contracts, hedging relationship, and other transactions that reference LIBOR or other reference rates expected to be discontinued because of reference rate reform. In January 2021, the FASB issued ASU 2021-01, "Reference Rate Reform (Topic 848), which clarifies certain optional expedients and exceptions in Topic 848 for contract modifications and hedge accounting apply to derivatives that are affected by the transition to alternative rates. The ASUs are effective for all entities as of March 12, 2020 through December 31, 2022. The Company is in the process of evaluating the provisions of these ASUs, but does not expect them to have a material impact on the Company's current balance sheet, income statement or financial statement disclosures.

NOTE 2 — INVESTMENT SECURITIES:

The following tables set forth certain information regarding the amortized cost and fair values of our investment securities AFS and HTM.

				At Decemb	er 3	1, 2020		
(in thousands)	A	Amortized cost	u	Gross inrealized gains	Gross unrealized losses			Fair value
AFS								
Mortgage-backed securities ("MBS"):								
Residential	\$	50,001	\$	1,237	\$	(192)	\$	51,046
Commercial		43,061		2,131		(8)		45,184
Collateralized mortgage obligations ("CMOs")								
Residential		228,685		6,319		(95)		234,909
Commercial		155,645		3,719		(181)		159,183
Municipal bonds		533,719		31,321		(337)		564,703
Corporate debt securities		14,381		841		_		15,222
Agency debentures		1,846		_		_		1,846
	\$	1,027,338	\$	45,568	\$	(813)	\$	1,072,093
HTM								
Municipal bonds	\$	4,271	\$	236	\$		\$	4,507
				At Decemb	er 3	1, 2019		
	_			Gross		Gross		
	A	Amortized	u	ınrealized	ι	ınrealized		Fair
(in thousands)	_	cost		gains	_	losses	_	value
AFS								
MBS:	Ф	02.202	Φ	120	Φ	(1.700)	Φ	01.605
Residential	2	93,283	\$	120	\$	(1,708)	Э	91,695
Commercial		37,972		411		(358)		38,025
CMOs:		202.270		025		(1.607)		201 (10
Residential		292,370		935		(1,687)		291,618
Commercial		156,693		684		(1,223)		156,154
Municipal bonds		333,303		8,997		(982)		341,318
Corporate debt securities		18,391		313		(43)		18,661
U.S. Treasury securities		1,296		11 471		(6,001)		1,307
IITM	\$	933,308	\$	11,471	\$	(6,001)	\$	938,778
HTM		4 2 5 2	Φ.	100	Φ.			

MBS and CMOs represent securities primarily issued by government sponsored enterprises ("GSEs"). Most of the MBS and CMO securities are guaranteed by Fannie Mae, Ginnie Mae or Freddie Mac. Municipal bonds are comprised of general obligation bonds (i.e., backed by the general credit of the issuer) and revenue bonds (i.e., backed by either collateral or revenues from the specific project being financed) issued by various municipal corporations. As of December 31, 2020 and 2019, substantially all securities held, including municipal bonds and corporate debt securities, were rated investment grade based upon external ratings where available and, where not available, based upon internal ratings which correspond to ratings as defined by Standard and Poor's Rating Services or Moody's Investors Services.

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Investment securities AFS that were in an unrealized loss position are presented in the following tables based on the length of time the individual securities have been in an unrealized loss position.

	At December 31, 2020													
	Le	ss than	12 ı	nonths		12 months	or	more	Total					
(in thousands)	Gross unrealized losses			Fair value	u	Gross nrealized losses		Fair value	un	Gross realized losses		Fair value		
MBS:														
Residential	\$	(7)	\$	1,196	\$	(185)	\$	1,432	\$	(192)	\$	2,628		
Commercial		(8)		925		_		_		(8)		925		
CMOs:														
Residential		(95)		7,391		_		_		(95)		7,391		
Commercial		(39)		6,687		(142)		15,358		(181)		22,045		
Municipal bonds		(337)		10,512						(337)		10,512		
Total	\$	(486)	\$	26,711	\$	(327)	\$	16,790	\$	(813)	\$	43,501		

	At December 31, 2019													
	I	Less than	12 ı	nonths		12 months	or	more		Tot	tal			
(in thousands)	Gross unrealized losses			Fair value		Gross unrealized losses		Fair value	Gross unrealized losses			Fair value		
MBS:														
Residential	\$	(409)	\$	18,440	\$	(1,299)	\$	68,362	\$	(1,708)	\$	86,802		
Commercial		(352)		21,494		(6)		2,483		(358)		23,977		
CMOs:														
Residential		(965)		171,708		(722)		29,264		(1,687)		200,972		
Commercial		(680)		67,160		(543)		41,605		(1,223)		108,765		
Municipal bonds		(334)		39,127		(648)		45,869		(982)		84,996		
Corporate debt securities		(5)		3,689		(38)		1,743		(43)		5,432		
Total	\$	(2,745)	\$	321,618	\$	(3,256)	\$	189,326	\$	(6,001)	\$	510,944		

There were no HTM securities in an unrealized loss position at December 31, 2020 and 2019.

The Company has evaluated AFS securities that are in an unrealized loss position and has determined that the decline in value is temporary and is related to the change in market interest rates since purchase. The decline in value is not related to any issuer- or industry-specific credit event. The Company has not identified any expected credit losses on its debt securities as of December 31, 2020 and 2019. In addition, as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Company had not made a decision to sell any of its debt securities held, nor did the Company consider it more likely than not that it would be required to sell such securities before recovery of their amortized cost basis.

The following tables present the fair value of investment securities AFS and HTM by contractual maturity along with the associated contractual yield for the periods indicated below. The weighted-average yield is computed using the contractual coupon of each security weighted based on the fair value of each security and does not include adjustments to a tax equivalent basis.

					At Decen	nber 31, 2020	0			
	Within	one vear		ne year five years		ve years ten vears	Aft ten v		Tot	
(dollars in thousands)	Fair Value	Weighted Average Yield								
AFS										
Municipal bonds	\$ 4,024	3.19%	\$ 14,978	3.82%	\$ 59,496	3.26%	\$ 486,205	3.29%	\$ 564,703	3.30%
Corporate debt securities	183	4.27%	7,059	3.74%	7,980	4.78%	_		15,222	4.30%
Agency debentures		%		%		%	1,846	2.68%	1,846	2.68%
Total	\$ 4,207	3.24%	\$ 22,037	3.80%	\$ 67,476	3.45%	\$ 488,051	3.29%	\$ 581,771	3.33%
HTM										
Municipal bonds	<u>\$</u>	%	\$ 4,507	2.47%	<u> </u>	%	<u>\$</u>	%	\$ 4,507	2.47%

					At Dece	mber 31, 201	9				
	Within	one year		ne year five years		ve years ten years		Aft ten y		Tot	tal
(dollars in thousands)	Fair Value	Weighted Average Yield	Fair Value	Weighted Average Yield	Fair Value	Weighted Average Yield		Fair Value	Weighted Average Yield	Fair Value	Weighted Average Yield
AFS											
Municipal bonds	\$ 5,337	3.41%	\$ 555	3.90%	\$ 13,000	3.01%	\$	322,426	3.61%	\$ 341,318	3.59%
Corporate debt securities	1,007	3.40%	7,544	3.64%	10,022	3.70%		88	6.10%	18,661	3.67%
U.S. Treasury securities	1,307	2.82%	_	%	_	%		_		1,307	2.82%
Total	\$ 7,651	3.31%	\$ 8,099	3.66%	\$ 23,022	3.31%	\$	322,514	3.62%	\$ 361,286	3.59%
HTM											
Municipal bonds	<u>\$</u>	%	\$ 1,787	2.90%	\$ 2,714	2.09%	\$		%	\$ 4,501	2.41%

MBS and CMOs are excluded from the tables above because such securities are not due on a single maturity date. The weighted average yield of MBS and CMOs as of December 31, 2020 and 2019 was 1.92% and 2.34%, respectively.

Sales of investment securities were as follows for the periods indicated:

	Year	rs En	ded Decembe	r 31,	
Gross gains	2020		2019		2018
Proceeds	\$ 62,378	\$	184,871	\$	46,081
Gross gains	1,334		894		310
Gross losses.	(993)		(901)		(75)

The following table summarizes the carrying value of securities pledged as collateral to secure public deposits, borrowings and other purposes as permitted or required by law.

	At Dece	mber	31,
(in thousands)	2020		2019
Washington, Oregon and California State to secure public deposits	\$ 171,471	\$	200,571
Other securities pledged	3,391		4,332
Total securities pledged as collateral	\$ 174,862	\$	204,903

The Company assesses the creditworthiness of the counterparties that hold the pledged collateral and has determined that these arrangements have little credit risk. There were no securities pledged under repurchase agreements at December 31, 2020 and 2019.

Tax-exempt interest income on AFS securities was \$10.7 million, \$10.2 million and \$8.5 million for 2020, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

NOTE 3 — LOANS AND CREDIT QUALITY:

As a result of the adoption of CECL on January 1, 2020, there is a lack of comparability in both the reserves and provisions for credit losses for the periods presented. Results for reporting periods beginning after January 1, 2020 are presented using the CECL methodology, while comparative period information continues to be reported in accordance with the incurred loss methodology in effect for prior periods.

The Company's LHFI is divided into two portfolios, consumer loans and commercial loans. Within each portfolio, the Company monitors and assesses credit risk based on the risk characteristics of each of the following loan classes: single family and home equity and other loans within the consumer loan portfolio and non-owner occupied commercial real estate, multifamily, construction and land development, owner occupied commercial real estate and commercial business loans within the commercial loan portfolio.

LHFI consist of the following.

	1,428,092 999,14 553,695 701,76 2,811,325 2,596,44 467,256 477,31 645,723 414,71 1,112,979 892,02 915,123 1,072,70 404,753 553,37 1,319,876 1,626,08 5,244,180 5,114,55			· 31,
(in thousands)		2020		2019
Commercial real estate loans				
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate	\$	829,538	\$	895,546
Multifamily		1,428,092		999,140
Construction/land development		553,695		701,762
Total		2,811,325		2,596,448
Commercial and industrial loans				
Owner occupied commercial real estate		467,256		477,316
Commercial business		645,723		414,710
Total		1,112,979		892,026
Consumer loans				
Single family ⁽¹⁾		915,123		1,072,706
Home equity and other		404,753		553,376
Total		1,319,876		1,626,082
Total LHFI		5,244,180		5,114,556
ACL		(64,294)		(41,772)
Total LHFI less ACL	\$	5,179,886	\$	5,072,784(2)

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$7.1 million and \$3.5 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively, of loans where a fair value option election was made at the time of origination and, therefore, are carried at fair value with changes recognized in the consolidated income statements.

⁽²⁾ Net deferred loans fees and costs of \$24.5 million are now included within the carrying amounts of the loan balances as of December 31, 2019, in order to conform to the current period presentation.

Loans totaling \$1.4 billion and \$2.0 billion at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively, were pledged to secure borrowings from the FHLB and loans totaling \$569 million and \$491 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively, were pledged to secure borrowings from the FRBSF.

Credit Risk Concentrations

Concentrations of credit risk arise when a number of customers are engaged in similar business activities or activities in the same geographic region, or when they have similar economic features that would cause their ability to meet contractual obligations to be similarly affected by changes in economic conditions.

LHFI are primarily secured by real estate located in the Pacific Northwest, California and Hawaii. At December 31, 2020 multifamily loans in the state of California represented 18.5% of the total portfolio. At December 31, 2019 single family loans in Washington and multifamily loans in California represented 10.7% and 12.2% of the total portfolio, respectively.

Credit Quality

Management considers the level of ACL to be appropriate to cover credit losses expected over the life of the loans for the LHFI portfolio as of December 31, 2020. The cumulative loss rate used as the basis for the estimate of credit losses is comprised of the Bank's historical loss experience and eight qualitative factors for current and forecasted periods.

During 2020, the historical expected loss rates decreased from January 1, 2020 implementation due to minimal losses and our stable portfolio credit composition. During 2020, the Qualitative Factors increased significantly due to the forecasted impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. As of December 31, 2020, the Bank expects that the markets in which it operates will have deterioration in collateral values and economic outlook over the two-year forecast period, with negative risk factors peaking in the first year and modestly improving in the second year.

In addition to the ACL for LHFI, the Company maintains a separate ACL on unfunded loan commitments which is included in accounts payable and other liabilities on our consolidated balance sheets. The ACL on unfunded commitments was \$1.6 million and \$1.1 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

The Bank has elected to exclude accrued interest receivable from the evaluation of the ACL. Accrued interest on LHFI was \$21.2 million at December 31, 2020 and was reported in other assets in the consolidated balance sheets.

Activity in the ACL was as follows.

	Years Ended December 31,									
(in thousands)		2020		2019		2018				
ACL for LHFI										
Beginning balance	\$	41,772	\$	41,470	\$	37,847				
Provision for credit losses		21,843		(122)		2,826				
Net (charge-offs) recoveries		(1,164)		424		797				
Impact of ASC 326 adoption		1,843				<u> </u>				
Ending balance	\$	64,294	\$	41,772	\$	41,470				
ACL for unfunded commitments:										
Beginning balance	\$	1,065	\$	1,443	\$	1,269				
Provision for credit losses		(1,374)		(378)		174				
Impact of ASC 326 adoption		1,897				_				
Ending balance	\$	1,588	\$	1,065	\$	1,443				
Provision for credit losses:										
Loans	\$	21,843	\$	(122)	\$	2,826				
Unfunded commitments		(1,374)		(378)		174				
Total	\$	20,469	\$	(500)	\$	3,000				

Activity in the ACL by loan portfolio and loan sub-class was as follows.

	Year Ended December 31, 2020												
(in thousands)	ad	Prior to option of SC 326	A	Impact of ASC 326 adoption		harge-offs	Recoveries		Provision		Ending alance		
Commercial real estate loans													
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate	\$	7,245	\$	(3,392)	\$	_	\$		\$ 4,992	\$	8,845		
Multifamily		7,015		(2,977)		_			2,034		6,072		
Construction/land development													
Multifamily construction		2,848		693					1,362		4,903		
Commercial real estate construction		624		(115)		_			1,161		1,670		
Single family construction		3,800		4,280		_		163	(3,113)		5,130		
Single family construction to permanent		1,003		200		_			112		1,315		
Total		22,535		(1,311)				163	6,548		27,935		
Commercial and industrial loans													
Owner occupied commercial real estate		3,639		(2,459)		(896)			4,710		4,994		
Commercial business		2,915		510		(640)		110	14,148		17,043		
Total		6,554		(1,949)		(1,536)		110	18,858		22,037		
Consumer loans													
Single family		6,450		468		(17)		187	(182)		6,906		
Home equity and other		6,233		4,635		(456)		385	(3,381)		7,416		
Total		12,683		5,103		(473)		572	(3,563)		14,322		
Total ACL	\$	41,772	\$	1,843	\$	(2,009)	\$	845	\$ 21,843	\$	64,294		

	Year Ended December 31, 2019										
(in thousands)	Beginning balance	Charge-offs	Recoveries	Provision	Ending balance						
Commercial real estate loans											
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate	\$ 5,495	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 1,750	\$ 7,245						
Multifamily	5,754			1,261	7,015						
Construction/land development	9,001		215	(941)	8,275						
Total	20,250	_	215	2,070	22,535						
Commercial and industrial loans											
Owner occupied commercial real estate	3,278	_		361	3,639						
Commercial business	2,875	(315)	147	208	2,915						
Total	6,153	(315)	147	569	6,554						
Consumer loans											
Single family	8,217		145	(1,912)	6,450						
Home equity and other	6,850	(272)	504	(849)	6,233						
Total	15,067	(272)	649	(2,761)	12,683						
Total ACL	\$ 41,470	\$ (587)	\$ 1,011	\$ (122)	\$ 41,772						

Credit Quality Indicators

Management regularly reviews loans in the portfolio to assess credit quality indicators and to determine appropriate loan classification and grading in accordance with applicable bank regulations. The Company's risk rating methodology assigns risk ratings ranging from 1 to 10, where a higher rating represents higher risk. The risk rating of 9 is not used.

Per the Company's policies, most commercial loans pools are non-homogenous and are regularly assessed for credit quality. The rating categories can be generally described by the following groupings for non-homogeneous loans:

- 1-6: These loans meet the definition of "Pass" assets. They are well protected by the current net worth and paying capacity of the obligor (or guarantors, if any) or by the fair value, less costs to acquire and sell in a timely manner, of any underlying collateral.
- 7: These loans meet the regulatory definition of "Special Mention." They contain potential weaknesses, that if uncorrected may result in deterioration of the likelihood of repayment or in the Bank's credit position.
- 8: These loans meet the regulatory definition of "Substandard". They are inadequately protected by the current sound worth and paying capacity of the borrower or of the collateral pledged, if any. They have well-defined weaknesses and have unsatisfactory characteristics causing unacceptable levels of risk.
- 10: A loan, or the portion of a loan determined to meet the regulatory definition of "Loss." The amounts classified as loss have been charged-off.

The risk rating categories can be generally described by the following groupings for homogeneous loans:

- 1-6: These loans meet the definition of "Pass" assets. A homogenous "Pass" loan is typically risk rated based on payment performance.
- 7: These loans meet the regulatory definition of "Special Mention." A homogeneous special mention loan, risk rated 7, is less than 90 days past due from the required payment date at month-end.
- 8: These loans meet the regulatory definition of "Substandard". A homogeneous substandard loan, risk rated 8, is 90 days or more past due from the required payment date at month-end.
- 10: These loans meet the regulatory definition of "Loss". A closed-end homogeneous loan not secured by real estate is risk rated 10 when past due 120 cumulative days or more from the contractual due date. Closed-end homogenous loans secured by real estate and all open-end homogenous loans are risk rated 10 when past due 180 cumulative days or more from the contractual due date. These loans, or the portion of these loans classified as loss, are generally charged-off in the month in which the applicable past due period elapses.

Small balance commercial loans are generally considered homogenous unless 30 days or more past due or modified in a troubled debt restructuring that was an interest rate concession or payment modification with a significant balloon and the concession period has not been completed. The risk rating classification for such loans are based on the non-homogenous definitions noted above.

Residential, home equity and consumer loans modified in a troubled debt restructuring are considered homogeneous unless the modification was an interest rate concession or payment modification with a significant balloon and the concession modification period has not been completed. The risk rating classification for such loans are based on the non-homogeneous definitions noted above.

The following table presents a vintage analysis of the commercial portfolio by loan sub-class, risk rating and delinquency status.

	At December 31, 2020									
		2010	2010	****	***	2015 and		Revolving-		
(in thousands) COMMERCIAL PORTFO	2020	2019				prior	Revolving	term	Total	
Non-owner occupied com		atata								
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1-6 Pass	\$ 53,782	\$ 176,556	\$ 165,268	\$ 147,719	\$ 150,221	\$ 131,935	\$ 796	\$ 1,031	\$ 827,308	
7- Special Mention	_	_	_	_	_	2,230	_	_	2,230	
8 – Substandard										
Total	53,782	176,556	165,268	147,719	150,221	134,165	796	1,031	829,538	
Multifamily										
1-6 Pass	711,009	324,246	100,572	32,693	166,937	92,255	380	_	1,428,092	
7- Special Mention	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
8 – Substandard										
Total	711,009	324,246	100,572	32,693	166,937	92,255	380		1,428,092	
Multifamily construction										
1-6 Pass	12,182	21,366	45,256	11,823	_	_	_	_	90,627	
7- Special Mention	_	_	_	_	24,702	_	_	_	24,702	
8 – Substandard	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Total	12,182	21,366	45,256	11,823	24,702				115,329	
Commercial real estate co	onstruction									
1-6 Pass	3,963	_	2,104	14,721	_	614	5,883	_	27,285	
7- Special Mention	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
8 – Substandard										
Total	3,963	_	2,104	14,721		614	5,883		27,285	
Single family construction										
1-6 Pass	121,233	47,539	14,055	_	_	600	75,743	_	259,170	
7- Special Mention	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
8 – Substandard	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Total	121,233	47,539	14,055			600	75,743		259,170	
Single family construction	n to permanen	t								
Current	62,955	72,825	15,443	688	_	_	_	_	151,911	
Past due:	,,,,,,,	, ,,	, ,						- ,-	
30-59 days	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
60-89 days	_	_	_		_			_	_	
90+ days										
Total	62,955	72,825	15,443	688					151,911	

At December 31, 2020

(in thousands)	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015 and prior	Revolving	Revolving- term	Total
Owner occupied commer	cial real estate								
1-6 Pass	48,647	60,872	58,582	85,275	98,046	50,596	_	4,354	406,372
7- Special Mention	_	_	5,977	3,529	_	_	_	69	9,575
8 – Substandard		19,407	1,111	10,750	17,122	2,919			51,309
Total	48,647	80,279	65,670	99,554	115,168	53,515		4,423	467,256
Commercial business									
1-6 Pass	345,540	63,020	47,710	22,556	18,411	14,972	76,218	2,577	591,004
7- Special Mention	_	10,837	2,058	6,653	_	_	3,975	166	23,689
8 – Substandard		5,923	11,327	2,338	1,891	1,001	8,438	112	31,030
Total	345,540	79,780	61,095	31,547	20,302	15,973	88,631	2,855	645,723
Total commercial portfolio	\$.1,359,311	\$. 802,591	\$. 469,463	\$ 338,745	\$ 477,330	\$ 297,122	\$ 171,433	\$ 8,309	\$ 3,924,304

The following table presents a vintage analysis of the consumer portfolio by loan sub-class and delinquency status.

	At December 31, 2020										
(in thousands)	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015 and prior	Revolving	Revolving- term	Total		
CONSUMER PORTFOL	IO										
Single family											
Current	\$ 174,994	\$ 111,143	\$ 154,757	\$168,412	\$ 59,161	\$ 242,444	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 910,911		
Past due:											
30-59 days	_	570	_	318	_	390			1,278		
60-89 days		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_		
90+ days	824	335	405	386	_	984	_	_	2,934		
$Total^{(1)}\dots\dots\dots$	175,818	112,048	155,162	169,116	59,161	243,818			915,123		
Home equity and other											
Current	1,878	1,230	1,311	1,363	431	5,126	384,005	8,147	403,491		
Past due:											
30-59 days	98	22	_	_	_	11	66	31	228		
60-89 days	_	13	_	_	_	_	129	_	142		
90+ days		9	_	_	275	24	584	_	892		
Total	1,976	1,274	1,311	1,363	706	5,161	384,784	8,178	404,753		
Total consumer portfolio	\$ 177,794	\$ 113,322	\$ 156,473	\$170,479	\$ 59,867	\$ 248,979	\$ 384,784	\$ 8,178	\$1,319,876		
Total LHFI	\$ 1,537,105	\$ 915,913	\$ 625,936	\$509,224	\$ 537,197	\$ 546,101	\$ 556,217	\$ 16,487	\$5,244,180		

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$7.1 million of loans where a fair value option election was made at the time of origination and, therefore, are carried at fair value with changes recognized in the consolidated income statements.

The following tables present a vintage analysis of year-to-date charge-offs and year-to-date recoveries of the commercial portfolio and consumer portfolio by loan sub-class.

	At December 31, 2020								
		2010	****	****	2015	2015 and		Revolving-	
(in thousands)		2019	2018		2016	<u>prior</u>	Revolving	term	Total
COMMERCIAL PORTFOLIO									
Single family construction									
Charge-offs	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Recoveries						163			163
Net						163			163
Owner occupied commercial real	estate								
Charge-offs		_			_	(896)	_		(896)
Recoveries									
Net						(896)			(896)
Commercial business									
Charge-offs	_	_		(42)	(102)	(496)			(640)
Recoveries						110			110
Net				(42)	(102)	(386)			(530)
Commercial portfolio									
Charge-offs	_	_		(42)	(102)	(1,392)	_		(1,536)
Recoveries						273			273
Total net	\$	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>	\$ (42)	\$ (102)	\$ (1,119)	<u>\$</u>	\$	\$(1,263)
				Δ1	Decembe	r 31 2020			
				At	Decembe	r 31, 2020 2015 and		Revolving-	
(in thousands)	2020	2019	2018	A1	December 2016		Revolving	Revolving- term	Total
(in thousands) CONSUMER PORTFOLIO	2020	2019	2018			2015 and	Revolving	_	Total
	2020		2018			2015 and	Revolving	_	Total
CONSUMER PORTFOLIO				2017		2015 and	Revolving \$ —	_	
CONSUMER PORTFOLIO Single family				2017	2016	2015 and prior		term	
CONSUMER PORTFOLIO Single family Charge-offs				2017	2016	2015 and prior \$ —		term	\$ (17)
CONSUMER PORTFOLIO Single family Charge-offs		\$ (3) 	\$ (14) 	2017	2016	2015 and prior \$		term	\$ (17) 187
CONSUMER PORTFOLIO Single family Charge-offs Recoveries Net		\$ (3) 	\$ (14) 	2017	2016	2015 and prior \$		\$ —	\$ (17) 187
CONSUMER PORTFOLIO Single family Charge-offs		\$ (3) — (3)	\$ (14) ————————————————————————————————————	\$ — —	2016	2015 and prior \$	\$ — ———	\$ —	\$ (17) 187 170
CONSUMER PORTFOLIO Single family Charge-offs. Recoveries Net Home equity and other Charge-offs. Recoveries		\$ (3) ————————————————————————————————————	\$ (14) 	\$ — ———————————————————————————————————	\$ — ———————————————————————————————————	2015 and prior \$ — 187 187	\$ — ———————————————————————————————————	\$ —	\$ (17)
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CONSUMER PORTFOLIO Single family Charge-offs. Recoveries Net Home equity and other Charge-offs. Recoveries Net Consumer Portfolio		\$ (3) — (3) (73) 14 (59)	\$ (14) — (14) (33) 4 (29)	\$ — (1) 7 6	\$ — ———————————————————————————————————	\$ — 187 — 168	\$	\$ — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —	\$ (17) 187 170 (456) 385 (71)
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Collateral Dependent Loans

The following table presents the amortized cost basis of collateral-dependent loans by loan sub-class and collateral type.

	At December 31, 2020											
(in thousands)	Land		1-4 Family		Multifamily			n-residential real estate	Other non-real estate		Total	
Commercial and industrial loans												
Owner occupied commercial real estate	\$	1,789	\$		\$		\$	3,133	\$		\$	4,922
Commercial business		1,787		545						2,882		5,214
Total		3,576		545				3,133		2,882		10,136
Consumer loans												
Single family				2,457				<u> </u>				2,457
Total				2,457								2,457
Total collateral-dependent loans	\$	3,576	\$	3,002	\$		\$	3,133	\$ 2	2,882	\$	12,593

Nonaccrual and Past Due Loans

The following table presents nonaccrual status for loans as of the dates indicated:

	At	December	31, 2	2020	At December	31, 2019			
(in thousands)		Nonaccrual with no related ACL		Total naccrual	accrual with related ACL	Total Nonaccrual			
Commercial and industrial loans									
Owner occupied commercial real estate	\$	4,922	\$	4,922	\$ 2,891	\$	2,891		
Commercial business		3,100		9,183	2,954		3,446		
Total		8,022		14,105	5,845		6,337		
Consumer loans									
Single family		2,173		4,883	1,652		5,364		
Home equity and other		2		1,734	10		1,160		
Total		2,175		6,617	1,662		6,524		
Total nonaccrual loans	\$	10,197	\$	20,722	\$ 7,507	\$	12,861		

The following tables present an aging analysis of our portfolio as of the dates indicated:

	At December 31, 2020										
	Past Du	e and Stil	l Accı				otal past				
C. d	20.50 1	(0.00.1.		90 days or	NI 1		due and	G	Total		
(in thousands)	30-59 days	60-89 da	<u>ys</u> -	more	Nonaccrual	no	naccrual ⁽⁴⁾	Current	loans		
Commercial real estate loans											
Non-owner occupied											
commercial real estate	\$ —	\$ —	- 5	\$ —	\$ —	\$		\$ 829,538	\$ 829,538		
Multifamily		_	_	_			_	1,428,092	1,428,092		
Construction/land											
development											
Multifamily construction		_	_					115,329	115,329		
Commercial real estate											
construction		_	_					27,285	27,285		
Single family											
construction		_	_					259,170	259,170		
Single family construction											
to permanent								151,911	151,911		
Total		_	_	_			_	2,811,325	2,811,325		
Commercial and industrial loans											
Owner occupied commercial											
real estate		_	_		4,922		4,922	462,334	467,256		
Commercial business		_	_		9,183		9,183	636,540	645,723		
Total		_			14,105		14,105	1,098,874	1,112,979		
Consumer loans											
Single family	2,161	418	3	11,476(2)	4,883		18,938	896,185	915,123(1)		
Home equity and other	228	133	5		1,734		2,097	402,656	404,753		
Total	2,389	553	3	11,476	6,617		21,035	1,298,841	1,319,876		
Total loans	\$ 2,389	\$ 553	3 5	\$11,476	\$ 20,722	\$	35,140	\$5,209,040	\$ 5,244,180		
%	0.05%	0.0	1%	0.22%	0.40%		0.67%	99.33%	100.00%		

At December 31, 2019

		Past D	ue a	nd Still Ac	cru	ing		Total past								
(in thousands)	30-59 days		60-89 days		9	00 days or more	N	onaccrual	due and nonaccrual ⁽⁴⁾		Current		Total loans			
Commercial real estate loans																
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	895,546	\$	895,546		
Multifamily		_		_		_		_		_		999,140		999,140		
Construction and land development												701,762		701,762		
Total				_		_		_		_		2,596,448		2,596,448		
Commercial and industrial loans																
Owner occupied commercial real estate		_		_		_		2,891		2,891		474,425		477,316		
Commercial business		44		_		_		3,446		3,490		411,220		414,710		
Total		44						6,337		6,381		885,645		892,026		
Consumer loans																
Single family		5,694		4,261		19,702(2)		5,364		35,021		1,037,685		1,072,706(1)		
Home equity and other		837		372		_		1,160		2,369		551,007		553,376		
Total		6,531		4,633		19,702		6,524		37,390		1,588,692		1,626,082		
Total loans	\$	6,575	\$	4,633	\$	19,702	\$	12,861	\$	43,771	\$	5,070,785	\$	5,114,556(3)		
%		0.13%		0.09%	_	0.39%		0.25%		0.86%		99.14%		100.00%		

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$7.1 million and \$3.5 million of loans at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively, where a fair value option election was made at the time of origination and, therefore, are carried at fair value with changes recognized in our consolidated income statements.

⁽²⁾ FHA-insured and VA-guaranteed single family loans that are 90 days or more past due are maintained on accrual status if they are determined to have little to no risk of loss.

⁽³⁾ Net deferred loans fees and costs of \$24.5 million were included within the carrying amounts of the loan balances as of December 31, 2019, in order to conform with the current period presentation.

⁽⁴⁾ Includes loans whose repayments are insured by the FHA or guaranteed by the VA or SBA of \$14.7 million and \$28.4 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

The following tables present information about troubled debt restructuring ("TDR") activity by concession type during the periods indicated.

	Year Ended December 31, 2020								
(dollars in thousands)	Number of loan modifications	Recorded investment	Related charge-offs						
Commercial and industrial									
Owner occupied commercial real estate									
Payment restructure	1	\$ 678	\$ —						
Commercial business									
Payment restructure	1	1,125	_						
Total commercial and industrial									
Payment restructure	2	1,803	_						
Total		1,803							
Consumer loans									
Single family									
Interest rate reduction	27	5,979	_						
Payment restructure	14	2,695	_						
Total	41	8,674							
Total loans									
Interest rate reduction	27	5,979	_						
Payment restructure	16	4,498							
Total	43	\$ 10,477	\$ —						
	Year l Number of loan	Ended December 31 Recorded	1, 2019 Related						
(dollars in thousands)	modifications	investment	charge-offs						
Commercial real estate loans									
Construction and land development									
Payment restructure	1	\$ 4,675	s —						
Total		4,675							
Commercial and industrial loans									
Owner occupied commercial real estate									
Payment restructure	1	5,840	_						
Commercial business		,							
Payment restructure	1	259	_						
Total commercial and industrial									
Payment restructure	2	6,099							

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	Year l	Ended December 31	1, 2019
(dollars in thousands)	Number of loan modifications	Recorded investment	Related charge-offs
Consumer loans			
Single family			
Interest rate reduction	21	3,925	_
Payment restructure	118	25,795	_
Home equity and other			
Payment restructure	1	116	_
Total consumer			
Interest rate reduction	21	3,925	_
Payment restructure	119	25,911	_
Total	140	29,836	_
Total loans			
Interest rate reduction	21	3,925	_
Payment restructure	122	36,685	
Total	143	\$ 40,610	\$
	Year l	Ended December 31	1, 2018
(dollars in thousands)	Number of loan modifications	Recorded investment	Related charge-offs
Commercial and industrial loans			
Commercial business			
Payment restructure	2	\$ 267	\$ —
Total	2	267	
Consumer loans			
Single family			
Interest rate reduction	17	3,174	_
Payment restructure	153	31,626	_
Total	170	34,800	_
Total loans			
Interest rate reduction	17	3,174	_
Payment restructure	155	31,893	_

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The following table presents loans that were modified as TDRs within the previous 12 months and subsequently re-defaulted during 2020 and 2019, respectively. A TDR loan is considered re-defaulted when it becomes doubtful that the objectives of the modifications will be met, generally when a consumer loan TDR becomes 60 days or more past due on principal or interest payments or when a commercial loan TDR becomes 90 days or more past due on principal or interest payments.

	Years Ended December 31,									
	20		20	19						
	Number of loan relationships that		Recorded	Number of loan relationships that		Recorded				
(dollars in thousands)	re-defaulted		investment	re-defaulted		investment				
Consumer loans – single family	20	3,809	13	\$	3,059					

The Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security ("CARES") Act provides temporary relief from the accounting and disclosure requirements for TDRs for certain loan modifications that are the result of a hardship that is related, either directly or indirectly, to the COVID-19 pandemic. In addition, interagency guidance issued by federal banking regulators and endorsed by the FASB staff has indicated that borrowers who receive relief are not experiencing financial difficulty if they meet the following qualifying criteria:

- The modification is in response to the National Emergency related to the COVID pandemic;
- The borrower was current at the time the modification program was implemented; and
- The modification is short-term

We have elected to apply temporary relief under Section 4013 of the CARES Act to certain eligible short-term modifications and will not treat qualifying loan modifications as TDRs for accounting or disclosure purposes. Additionally, eligible short-term loan modifications subject to the practical expedient in the interagency guidance will not be treated as TDRs for accounting or disclosure purposes if they qualify.

As of December 31, 2020, excluding any SBA guaranteed loans for which the government was making payments as provided for under the CARES Act, or single family loans that are guaranteed by FHA or VA, the Company has outstanding balances of \$117 million on 226 loans that were approved for forbearance under this program.

The Bank will exercise judgment in determining the risk rating for impacted borrowers and will not automatically adversely classify credits that are affected by COVID-19. The Bank also will not designate loans with deferrals granted due to COVID-19 as past due because of the deferral. Due to the short-term nature of the forbearance and other relief programs we are offering as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, we expect that borrowers granted relief under these programs will generally not be reported as nonaccrual.

This section reports results prior to the January 1, 2020 adoption of ASC 326 and is presented in accordance with previously applicable GAAP.

The following table summarizes designated loan grades by loan portfolio and loan class.

At December 31, 2019 (in thousands) Substandard **Total Pass Special mention** Commercial real estate loans Non-owner occupied commercial real estate \$ 894,896 \$ \$ 894,896 996,498 996,498 20,954 681,445 702,399 Total 2,572,839 20,954 2,593,793 Commercial and industrial loans Owner occupied commercial real estate 460,319 12,709 5,144 478,172 Commercial business 402,060 9,405 3,415 414,880 862,379 22,114 8,559 893,052 Consumer loans $1,056,166^{(1)}$ 8,802 5,364 1,070,332 Single family..... 531,102 664 1,160 532,926 Total 1,587,268 9,466 6,524 1,603,258 5,022,486 Total LHFI..... 52,534 15,083 5,090,103

The following tables disaggregate our ACL and recorded investment in loans by impairment methodology.

	At December 31, 2019										
(in thousands)	Allowance: collectively evaluated for impairment	Allowance: individually evaluated for impairment	Total	Loans: collectively evaluated for impairment	Loans: individually evaluated for impairment	Total					
Commercial real estate loans											
Non-owner occupied commercial											
real estate	\$ 7,249	\$ —	\$ 7,249	\$ 894,896	\$ —	\$ 894,896					
Multifamily	7,015	_	7,015	996,498		996,498					
Construction/land development	8,679		8,679	702,399		702,399					
Total	22,943	_	22,943	2,593,793	_	2,593,793					
Commercial and industrial loans											
Owner occupied commercial real											
estate	3,640		3,640	475,281	2,891	478,172					
Commercial business	2,953	8	2,961	411,386	3,494	414,880					
Total	6,593	8	6,601	886,667	6,385	893,052					
Consumer loans											
Single family	6,333	117	6,450	1,005,386	61,503	1,066,889					
Home equity and other	6,815	28	6,843	532,038	863	532,901					
Total	13,148	145	13,293	1,537,424	62,366	1,599,790					
Total loans evaluated for											
impairment	42,684	153	42,837	5,017,884	68,751	5,086,635					
Loans carried at fair value ⁽¹⁾						3,468					
Total LHFI	\$ 42,684	\$ 153	\$ 42,837	\$ 5,017,884	\$ 68,751	\$ 5,090,103					

⁽¹⁾ Comprised of single family loans where a fair value option election was made at the time of origination and, therefore, are carried at fair value with changes recognized in the consolidated income statements.

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$3.5 million of loans where a fair value option election was made at the time of origination and, therefore, are carried at fair value with changes recognized in the consolidated income statements.

The following tables present impaired loans by loan portfolio and loan class.

	At December 31, 2019					
(in thousands)	Recorded investment(1)	Unpaid principal balance ⁽²⁾	Related allowance			
With no related allowance recorded:						
Commercial and industrial loans						
Owner occupied commercial real estate	\$ 2,891	\$ 3,013	\$ —			
Commercial business	2,954	3,267				
Total	5,845	6,280				
Consumer loans						
Single family ⁽³⁾	60,009	60,448				
Home equity and other	472	472				
Total	60,481	60,920				
Total	66,326	67,200				
With an allowance recorded:						
Commercial and industrial loans						
Commercial business	540	919	8			
Total	540	919	8			
Consumer loans						
Single family	1,494	1,494	117			
Home equity and other	391	391	28			
Total	1,885	1,885	145			
Total	2,425	2,804	153			
Combined:						
Commercial and industrial loans						
Owner occupied commercial real estate	2,891	3,013				
Commercial business	3,494	4,186	8			
Total	6,385	7,199	8			
Consumer loans						
Single family ⁽³⁾	61,503	61,942	117			
Home equity and other	863	863	28			
Total	62,366	62,805	145			
Total impaired loans	\$ 68,751	\$ 70,004	\$ 153			

⁽¹⁾ Includes partial charge-offs and nonaccrual interest paid and purchase discounts and premiums.

⁽²⁾ Unpaid principal balance does not include partial charge-offs, purchase discounts and premiums or nonaccrual interest paid. Related allowance is calculated on net book balances not unpaid principal balances.

⁽³⁾ Includes \$59.8 million in single family performing TDRs.

The following tables provide the average recorded investment and interest income recognized on impaired loans by portfolio and loan class.

	Years Ended December 31,							
	20)19	20	018				
(in thousands)	Average Recorded Investment	Interest Income Recognized	Average Recorded Investment	Interest Income Recognized				
Commercial real estate loans								
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate	\$ 2	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —				
Multifamily	293	14	676	25				
Construction/land development	1,351		625	24				
Total	1,646	14	1,301	49				
Commercial and industrial loans								
Owner occupied commercial real estate	2,927	112	1,912	93				
Commercial business	2,211	37	2,303	104				
Total	5,138	149	4,215	197				
Consumer loans								
Single family	66,845	2,701	69,022	2,636				
Home equity and other	1,062	59	1,261	78				
Total	67,907	2,760	70,283	2,714				
Total impaired loans	\$ 74,691	\$ 2,923	\$ 75,799	\$ 2,960				

NOTE 4 — PREMISES AND EQUIPMENT, NET:

Premises and equipment consisted of the following.

	At Dece	mber	aber 31,		
(in thousands)	2020		2019		
Furniture and equipment	\$ 52,761	\$	56,849		
Leasehold improvements	40,801		46,088		
Land and buildings	35,594		34,558		
Total	129,156		137,495		
Less: accumulated depreciation	(64,054)		(60,522)		
Net	\$ 65,102	\$	76,973		

NOTE 5 — DEPOSITS:

Deposit balances, including their weighted average rates, were as follows.

(dollars in thousands)	At]	December 31, 2020	Weighted Average Rate	A	t December 31, 2019	Weighted Average Rate
Noninterest-bearing demand deposits	\$	1,337,010	%	\$	907,918	%
Interest-bearing demand accounts		484,265	0.10%		373,832	0.38%
Savings		264,024	0.07%		219,182	0.21%
Money market		2,596,453	0.21%		2,224,494	1.25%
Certificates of deposit		1,139,807	0.93%		1,614,533	2.24%
Total	\$	5,821,559	0.29%	\$	5,339,959	1.23%

There were \$331 million and \$330 million in public funds included in deposits at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

Certificates of deposit outstanding mature as follows.

(in thousands)]	December 31, 2020
Within one year	\$	982,823
One to two years		117,040
Two to three years		20,989
Three to four years		14,812
Four to five years		3,894
Thereafter		249
Total	\$	1,139,807

The aggregate amount of time deposits in denominations of more than \$250,000 at December 31, 2020 and 2019 was \$130 million and \$223 million, respectively. There were \$210 million and \$266 million of brokered deposits at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

NOTE 6 — BORROWINGS:

The Company borrows funds through advances from the Des Moines FHLB. FHLB advances totaled \$302 million and \$347 million as of December 31, 2020, and 2019, respectively. The \$302 million of FHLB advances outstanding at December 31, 2020 matured in the first quarter of 2021. Weighted-average interest rates on the advances were 0.32%, 1.86%, and 2.63% at December 31, 2020, 2019 and 2018, respectively. As of December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Company held \$20.3 million and \$22.4 million respectively, of FHLB stock.

At December 31, 2020, there were \$20.8 million of outstanding borrowings from the FRBSF which bore interest at 0.25%. At December 31, 2019, we had \$125 million of federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase.

NOTE 7 — LONG-TERM DEBT:

At December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Company had outstanding \$64 million of Senior Notes and \$62 million of trust preferred securities. The Senior Notes bear interest at a rate of 6.50% and mature in 2026.

The Company issued trust preferred securities during the period from 2005 through 2007, resulting in a debt balance of \$62 million that remains outstanding at December 31, 2020. In connection with the issuance of trust preferred securities, HomeStreet, Inc. issued to HomeStreet Statutory Trust Junior Subordinated Deferrable Interest Debentures. The sole assets of the HomeStreet Statutory Trust are the Subordinated Debt Securities I, II, III, and IV.

The Subordinated Debt Securities are as follows:

	HomeStreet Statutory								
(dollars in thousands)	I	II	III	IV					
Date issued	June 2005	September 2005	February 2006	March 2007					
Amount	\$5,155	\$20,619	\$20,619	\$15,464					
	3 MO LIBOR +	3 MO LIBOR +	3 MO LIBOR +	3 MO LIBOR +					
Interest rate	1.70%	1.50%	1.37%	1.68%					
Maturity date	June 2035	December 2035	March 2036	June 2037					
Call option ⁽¹⁾	Quarterly	Quarterly	Quarterly	Quarterly					

⁽¹⁾ Call options are exercisable at par and are callable, without penalty on a quarterly basis, starting five years after issuance.

NOTE 8 — DERIVATIVES AND HEDGING ACTIVITIES:

To reduce the risk of significant interest rate fluctuations on the value of certain assets and liabilities, such as single family mortgage LHFS and MSRs, the Company utilizes derivatives as economic hedges. The notional amounts and fair values for derivatives consist of the following.

	At December 31, 2020							
				Fair value	deri	ivatives		
(in thousands)	No	tional amount		Asset		Liability		
Forward sale commitments	\$	977,974	\$	1,035	\$	(3,714)		
Interest rate lock commitments		493,873		17,395		(3)		
Interest rate swaps		536,969		17,459		(20,511)		
Eurodollar futures		314,000		<u> </u>		(4)		
Total derivatives before netting	\$	2,322,816		35,889		(24,232)		
Netting adjustment/Cash collateral ⁽¹⁾				(8,250)		21,447		
Carrying value on consolidated balance sheet			\$	27,639	\$	(2,785)		

	At December 31, 2019							
				Fair value	der	ivatives		
(in thousands)		Notional amount		Asset		Liability		
Forward sale commitments	\$	651,838	\$	830	\$	(492)		
Interest rate lock and purchase loan commitments		124,379		2,281		(58)		
Interest rate swaps		688,516		27,097		(10,889)		
Eurodollar futures		2,232,000		3		<u> </u>		
Total derivatives before netting	\$	3,696,733		30,211		(11,439)		
Netting adjustment/Cash collateral ⁽¹⁾				(21,414)		9,101		
Carrying value on consolidated balance sheet			\$	8,797	\$	(2,338)		

At December 31, 2010

The Company nets derivative assets and liabilities when a legally enforceable master netting agreement exists between the Company and the derivative counterparty. Derivatives are reported at their respective fair values in the other assets or accounts payable and other liabilities line items on the consolidated balance sheets, with changes in fair value reflected in current period earnings.

The following tables present gross fair value and net carrying value information about derivative instruments.

(in thousands)		ss fair value	ad	Netting ljustments/Cash collateral ⁽¹⁾	Carrying value	
At December 31, 2020			_			
Derivative assets	\$	35,889	\$	(8,250)	\$	27,639
Derivative liabilities		(24,232)		21,447		(2,785)
At December 31, 2019						
Derivative assets	\$	30,211	\$	(21,414)	\$	8,797
Derivative liabilities		(11,439)		9,101		(2,338)

⁽¹⁾ Includes net cash collateral paid of \$13.2 million and net cash collateral received of \$12.3 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

⁽¹⁾ Includes net cash collateral paid of \$13.2 million and net cash collateral received of \$12.3 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

The collateral used under the Company's master netting agreements is typically cash, but securities may be used under agreements with certain counterparties. Receivables related to cash collateral that has been paid to counterparties is included in other assets. Payables related to cash collateral that has been received from counterparties is included in accounts payable and other liabilities. Interest is owed on amounts received from counterparties and we earn interest on cash paid to counterparties. Any securities pledged to counterparties as collateral remain on the consolidated balance sheets. At December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Company had liabilities of \$3.3 million and \$15.2 million, respectively, in cash collateral received from counterparties and receivables of \$16.5 million and \$2.9 million, respectively, in cash collateral paid to counterparties.

The following table presents the net gain (loss) recognized on economic hedge derivatives, within the respective line items in the consolidated income statements for the periods indicated.

	Years Ended December 31,			
(in thousands)		2020	2019	
Recognized in noninterest income:(1)				
Net gain (loss) on loan origination and sale activities ⁽²⁾	\$	(7,675) \$	(19,394)	
Loan servicing income (loss) ⁽³⁾		20,820	14,435	
Other ⁽⁴⁾		(421)	121	

⁽¹⁾ Includes both continuing and discontinued operations for 2019.

The notional amount of open interest rate swap agreements executed with commercial banking customers at December 31, 2020 and 2019 were \$246 million and \$144 million, respectively.

NOTE 9 — MORTGAGE BANKING OPERATIONS:

LHFS consisted of the following.

	At December 31,					
(in thousands)		2020		2019		
Single family	\$	194,643	\$	105,458		
Commercial real estate, multi-family and SBA		167,289		128,841		
Less: Amounts attributed to discontinued operations				(26,122)		
Total	\$	361,932	\$	208,177		

Loans sold consisted of the following for the periods indicated:

	Years Ended December 31,					
(in thousands)		2020		2019		2018
Single family ⁽¹⁾	\$	1,985,944	\$	3,925,302	\$	6,300,838
Commercial real estate, multi-family and SBA		908,776		843,864		591,121
Total	\$	2,894,720	\$	4,769,166	\$	6,891,959

^{(1) 2019} and 2018 amounts include both continuing and discontinued operations.

⁽²⁾ Comprised of IRLCs and forward contracts used as economic hedges of single family mortgage loans held for sale.

⁽³⁾ Comprised of interest rate swaps, interest rate swaptions, futures and forward contracts used as economic hedges of single family MSRs.

⁽⁴⁾ Comprised of interest rate swaps used as economic hedges of loans held for investment.

Gain on loan origination and sale activities, including the effects of derivative risk management instruments, consisted of the following:

	Years Ended December 31,							
(in thousands)		2020		2019		2018		
Single family	\$	100,795	\$	86,686	\$	174,473		
Commercial real estate, multi-family and SBA		21,769		17,492		11,776		
Less: Amounts attributed to discontinued operations				(60,056)		(174,383)		
Total	\$	122,564	\$	44,122	\$	11,866		

The Company's portfolio of loans serviced for others is primarily comprised of loans held in U.S. government and agency MBS issued by Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac and Ginnie Mae. The unpaid principal balance of loans serviced for others is as follows:

	At December 31,			
(in thousands)		2020		2019
Single family	\$	5,914,592	\$	7,023,441
Commercial real estate, multi-family and SBA		1,844,241		1,618,876
Total	\$	7,758,833	\$	8,642,317

The Company has made representations and warranties that the loans sold meet certain requirements. The Company may be required to repurchase mortgage loans or indemnify loan purchasers due to defects in the origination process of the loan, such as documentation errors, underwriting errors and judgments, appraisal errors, early payment defaults and fraud.

The following is a summary of changes in the Company's liability for estimated mortgage repurchase losses.

	Years Ended December 31,						
(in thousands)		2020		2019			
Balance, beginning of period	\$	2,871	\$	3,120			
Additions, net of adjustments ⁽¹⁾		(281)		226			
Realized losses ⁽²⁾		(468)		(475)			
Balance, end of period	\$	2,122	\$	2,871			

⁽¹⁾ Includes additions for new loan sales and changes in estimated probable future repurchase losses on previously sold loans.

The Company has agreements with investors to advance scheduled principal and interest amounts on delinquent loans. Advances are also made to fund the foreclosure and collection costs of delinquent loans prior to the recovery of reimbursable amounts from investors or borrowers. Advances of \$3.0 million and \$2.5 million were recorded in other assets as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

When the Company has the unilateral right to repurchase Ginnie Mae pool loans it has previously sold (generally loans that are more than 90 days past due), the Company records the balance of the loans as other assets and other liabilities. At December 31, 2020 and 2019, delinquent or defaulted mortgage loans currently in Ginnie Mae pools that the Company has recognized on its consolidated balance sheets totaled \$102 million and \$9 million, respectively. The recognition of previously sold loans does not impact the accounting for the previously recognized MSRs.

⁽²⁾ Includes principal losses and accrued interest on repurchased loans, "make-whole" settlements, settlements with claimants and certain related expenses.

Revenue from mortgage servicing, including the effects of derivative risk management instruments, consisted of the following.

	Years Ended December 31,						
(in thousands)		2020		2019		2018	
Servicing income, net:							
Servicing fees and other	\$	32,037	\$	39,561	\$	70,091	
Amortization of single family MSRs ⁽¹⁾		(17,754)		(20,670)		(34,705)	
Amortization of multifamily and SBA MSRs		(5,657)		(5,214)		(4,383)	
		8,626		13,677		31,003	
Risk management, single family MSRs:							
Changes in fair value of MSRs due to assumptions ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾		(19,955)		(16,224)		39,348	
Net gain (loss) from derivatives hedging		20,820		14,435		(40,474)	
Total		865		(1,789)		(1,126)	
Less: Amounts attributed to discontinued operations		_		(2,103)		(25,054)	
Loan servicing income	\$	9,491	\$	9,785	\$	4,823	

⁽¹⁾ Represents changes due to collection/realization of expected cash flows and curtailments.

The Company determines fair value of single family MSRs using a valuation model that calculates the net present value of estimated future cash flows. Estimates of future cash flows include contractual servicing fees, ancillary income and costs of servicing, the timing of which are impacted by assumptions, primarily expected prepayment speeds and discount rates, which relate to the underlying performance of the loans. The changes in single family MSRs measured at fair value are as follows:

		Years Ended December 31,					
(in thousands)		2020		2019		2018	
Beginning balance	\$	68,109	\$	252,168	\$	258,560	
Additions and amortization:							
Originations		19,424		28,788		55,608	
Sale				(176,944)		(66,902)	
Amortization ⁽¹⁾		(17,754)		(20,670)		(34,705)	
Net additions and amortization		1,670		(168,826)		(45,999)	
Changes in fair value assumptions ⁽²⁾		(19,813)		(15,233)		39,607	
Ending balance	\$	49,966	\$	68,109	\$	252,168	

⁽¹⁾ Represents changes due to collection/realization of expected cash flows and curtailments.

Key economic assumptions used in measuring the initial fair value of capitalized single family MSRs were as follows.

(rates per annum)	Years E	,(2)	
	2020	2019	2018
Constant prepayment rate ("CPR") ⁽¹⁾	11.37%	18.23%	15.86%
Discount rate	7.82%	9.31%	10.29%

⁽¹⁾ Represents the expected lifetime average CPR used in the model.

⁽²⁾ Principally reflects changes in market inputs, which include current market interest rates and prepayment model updates, both of which affect future prepayment speeds and cash flow projections.

⁽³⁾ Includes pre-tax loss of \$919 thousand and pre-tax gain of \$573 thousand, net of transaction costs and prepayment reserves, resulting from the sales of single family MSRs for 2019 and 2018, respectively.

⁽²⁾ Principally reflects changes in market inputs, which include current market interest rates and prepayment model updates, both of which affect future prepayment speeds and cash flow projections.

⁽²⁾ Based on a weighted average.

For single family MSRs, we use a discounted cash flow valuation technique which utilizes CPRs and discount rates as significant unobservable inputs as noted in the table below.

	At December	r 31, 2020	At Decembe	er 31, 2019
	Range of Inputs	Average ⁽¹⁾	Range of Inputs	Average ⁽¹⁾
CPRs	8.13% - 19.70%	12.81%	13.08% - 26.55%	17.67%
Discount Rates	6.50% - 13.14%	8.27%	8.70% - 13.75%	9.18%

⁽¹⁾ The averages for 2020 are averages of all the inputs within the range while the averages for 2019 are weighted averages.

To compute hypothetical sensitivities of the value of our single MSRs to immediate adverse changes in key assumptions, we computed the impact of changes in CPRs and in discount rates as outlined below:

(dollars in thousands)		At December 31, 2020		
Fair value of single family MSRs	\$	49,966		
Expected weighted-average life (in years)		4.59		
CPR				
Impact on fair value of 25 basis points adverse change in interest rates	\$	(3,255)		
Impact on fair value of 50 basis points adverse change in interest rates	\$	(6,163)		
Discount rate				
Impact on fair value of 100 basis points increase	\$	(1,838)		
Impact on fair value of 200 basis points increase	\$	(3,545)		

Generally, increases in the CPR or the discount rate utilized in the fair value measurements of single family MSRs will result in a decrease in fair value. Conversely, decreases in the CPR or the discount rate will result in an increase in fair value. These sensitivities are hypothetical and subject to key assumptions of the underlying valuation model. As the table above demonstrates, the Company's methodology for estimating the fair value of MSRs is highly sensitive to changes in key assumptions. Changes in fair value resulting from changes in assumptions generally cannot be extrapolated because the relationship of the change in assumption to the change in fair value may not be linear. Also, in this table, the effect of a variation in a particular assumption on the fair value of the MSRs is calculated without changing any other assumption; in reality, changes in one factor may be associated with changes in another, which may magnify or counteract the sensitivities. Thus, any measurement of MSR fair value is limited by the conditions existing and assumptions made as of a particular point in time. Those assumptions may not be appropriate if they are applied to a different point in time.

In March 2019, the Company successfully closed and settled two sales of the rights to service an aggregate of \$14.3 billion in total unpaid principal balance of single family mortgage loans serviced for Fannie Mae, Ginnie Mae and Freddie Mac. These sales resulted in a \$0.9 million pre-tax loss which is included in discontinued operations for 2019.

MSRs resulting from the sale of multifamily loans are recorded at fair value and subsequently carried at the lower of amortized cost or fair value. Multifamily MSRs are amortized in proportion to, and over, the estimated period the net servicing income will be collected.

The changes in multifamily MSRs measured at the lower of amortized cost or fair value were as follows.

	Years Ended December 31,							
(in thousands)		2020		2019		2018		
Beginning balance	\$	29,494	\$	28,328	\$	26,093		
Origination		11,587		5,832		6,268		
Amortization		(5,307)		(4,666)		(4,033)		
Ending balance	\$	35,774	\$	29,494	\$	28,328		

At December 31, 2020, the expected weighted-average life of the Company's multifamily MSRs was 10.63 years. Projected amortization expense for the gross carrying value of multifamily MSRs is estimated as follows.

(in thousands)	At Do	ecember 31, 2020
2021	\$	5,009
2022		4,838
2023		4,678
2024		4,436
2025		4,100
2026 and thereafter		12,713
Carrying value of multifamily MSR	\$	35,774

The projected amortization expense of multifamily MSRs is an estimate and subject to key assumptions of the underlying valuation model. The amortization expense for future periods was calculated by applying the same quantitative factors, such as actual MSR prepayment experience and discount rates, which were used to determine amortization expense. These factors are inherently subject to significant fluctuations, primarily due to the effect that changes in interest rates may have on expected loan prepayment experience. Accordingly, any projection of MSR amortization in future periods is limited by the conditions that existed at the time the calculations were performed and may not be indicative of actual amortization expense that will be recorded in future periods.

NOTE 10 — COMMITMENTS, GUARANTEES AND CONTINGENCIES:

Commitments

In the ordinary course of business, the Company extends secured and unsecured open-end loans to meet the financing needs of its customers. In addition, the Company makes certain unfunded loan commitments as part of its lending activities that have not been recognized in the Company's financial statements. These include commitments to extend credit made as part of the Company's lending activities on loans the Company intends to hold in its loans held for investment portfolio.

These commitments include the following.

	At Dece	mber	31,
(in thousands)	2020		2019
Unused consumer portfolio lines	\$ 389,122	\$	485,143
Commercial portfolio lines ⁽¹⁾	656,065		722,242
Commitments to fund loans	68,345		52,762
Total	\$ 1,113,532	\$	1,260,147

⁽¹⁾ Includes undistributed construction loan proceeds, where the Company has an obligation to advance funds for construction progress payments of \$395 million and \$435 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

The total amounts of unused commitments do not necessarily represent future credit exposure or cash requirements in that commitments may expire without being drawn upon. The Company has recorded an ACL on unfunded loan commitments, included in accounts payable and other liabilities on the consolidated balance sheets, of \$1.6 million and \$1.1 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

The Company has entered into certain agreements to invest in qualifying small businesses and small enterprises and a tax exempt bond partnership that have not been recognized in the Company's financial statements. At December 31, 2020 and 2019 we had \$19.2 million and \$20.7 million, respectively, of future commitments to invest in these enterprises.

Guarantees

In the ordinary course of business, the Company sells loans through the Fannie Mae Multifamily Delegated Underwriting and Servicing Program ("DUS"[®]) that are subject to a credit loss sharing arrangement. The Company services the loans for Fannie Mae and shares in the risk of loss with Fannie Mae under the terms of the DUS contracts. Under the DUS program, the Company and Fannie Mae share losses on a pro rata basis, where the Company is responsible for losses incurred up to one-third of principal balance on each loan with two-thirds of the loss covered by Fannie Mae. For loans that have been sold through this program, a liability is recorded for this loss sharing arrangement under the accounting guidance for guarantees. As of December 31, 2020 and 2019, the total unpaid principal balance of loans sold under this program was \$1.8 billion and \$1.5 billion, respectively. The Company's reserve liability related to this arrangement totaled \$2.1 million and \$2.8 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively. There were no losses incurred under this arrangement during 2020, 2019 or 2018.

Mortgage repurchase liability

In the ordinary course of business, the Company sells residential mortgage loans to GSEs and other entities. Under the terms of these sales agreements, the Company has made representations and warranties that the loans sold meet certain requirements. The Company may be required to repurchase mortgage loans or indemnify loan purchasers due to defects in the origination process of the loan, such as documentation errors, underwriting errors and judgments, early payment defaults and fraud.

The total unpaid principal balance of loans sold on a servicing-retained basis that were subject to the terms and conditions of these representations and warranties totaled \$6.0 billion and \$7.1 billion as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively. At December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Company had recorded a mortgage repurchase liability for loans sold on a servicing-retained and servicing-released basis, included in accounts payable and other liabilities, of \$2.1 million and \$2.9 million, respectively.

Contingencies

In the normal course of business, the Company may have various legal claims and other similar contingent matters outstanding for which a loss may be realized. For these claims, the Company establishes a liability for contingent losses when it is probable that a loss has been incurred and the amount of loss can be reasonably estimated. For claims determined to be reasonably possible but not probable of resulting in a loss, there may be a range of possible losses in excess of the established liability. The Company did not have any material amounts reserved for legal claims as of December 31, 2020.

NOTE 11 — INCOME TAXES:

Income tax expense (benefit) from continuing operations consisted of following:

	Years Ended December 31,						
(in thousands)		2020		2019		2018	
Current expense							
Federal	\$	27,166	\$	32,738	\$	(11,205)	
State and local		4,804		5,153		(54)	
Deferred (benefit) expense							
Federal		(11,076)		(28,313)		14,215	
Revaluation of deferred items ⁽¹⁾						(4,899)	
State and local		(1,596)		(4,292)		1,489	
Tax credit investment amortization		2,606		2,702		2,486	
Total	\$	21,904	\$	7,988	\$	2,032	

⁽¹⁾ As a result of a change in corporate tax rates, we recognized a \$4.9 million deferred income tax benefit in 2018 to adjust our outstanding deferred tax balances to the revised tax rates.

Income tax expense (benefit) from continuing operations differed from amounts computed at the federal income tax statutory rate as follows:

Years Ended December 31,												
)		201	9	2018							
Rate A		Amount	Rate		Amount	Rate		Amount				
	\$	101,894		\$	48,708		\$	28,255				
21.00%		21,398	21.00%		10,229	21.00%		5,934				
2.54%		2,587	(0.45)%		(217)	4.08%		1,152				
(1.81)%		(1,849)	(2.85)%		(1,388)	(5.75)%		(1,626)				
(0.16)%		(159)	(0.25)%		(123)	(0.95)%		(268)				
%		_	%			(17.34)%		(4,899)				
%		_	%			4.38%		1,238				
(0.07)%		(73)	(1.05)%		(513)	1.77%		501				
21.50%	\$	21,904	16.40 %	\$	7,988	7.19%	\$	2,032				
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The following is a summary of the Company's deferred tax assets and liabilities:

		At December 31,				
(in thousands)		2020		2019		
Deferred taxes assets		<u>. </u>				
Provision for loan losses	\$	15,957	\$	11,914		
Federal and state net operating loss carryforwards		849		1,361		
Accrued liabilities		2,152		2,653		
Other investments		451		231		
Lease liability		15,290		25,806		
Nonaccrual interest		497		817		
Stock options		820		785		
Loan valuation		454		712		
Other, net		2,262		1,264		
Total		38,732		45,543		
Deferred taxes liabilities						
Mortgage servicing rights		(18,663)		(20,946)		
Deferred loan fees and costs		(10,972)		(12,047)		
Lease right-of-use assets		(10,435)		(25,406)		
Unrealized gain on investment AFS securities		(9,409)		(1,159)		
Premises and equipment		(3,620)		(4,588)		
Intangibles		(829)		(886)		
Other, net		(171)		(300)		
Total		(54,099)		(65,332)		
Net deferred tax liability	\$	(15,367)	\$	(19,789)		

Management assesses the available positive and negative evidence to estimate if sufficient future taxable income will be generated to utilize the existing deferred tax assets. As of December 31, 2020, management determined that sufficient evidence exists to support the future utilization of all of the Company's deferred tax assets.

Utilization of the federal and state net operating loss and tax credit carryforwards may be subject to an annual limitation due to the "change in ownership" provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. At December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Company has federal net operating loss carryforwards totaling \$1.0 million and \$3.4 million, respectively, which are from tax years prior to 2018. As such, they can be carried forward for a

period of 20 years and will begin to expire between 2029 and 2036. The Company also has state net operating loss carryforwards as of December 31, 2020 and 2019 of \$12.1 million and \$12.2 million, respectively, that will expire at various dates from 2021 to 2037.

Retained earnings at December 31, 2020 and 2019 include approximately \$12.7 million in tax basis bad debt reserves for which no income tax liability has been recorded. This represents the balance of bad debt reserves created for tax purposes as of December 31, 1987. These amounts are subject to recapture (i.e., included in taxable income) in certain events, such as in the event HomeStreet Bank ceases to be a bank. In the event of recapture, the Company will incur both federal and state tax liabilities on this pre-1988 bad debt reserve balance at the then prevailing corporate tax rates.

The Company had no recorded unrecognized tax position as of December 31, 2020, 2019 or 2018. During 2018, we settled our only unrecognized tax position and released the \$0.5 million reserve.

We are currently under examination, or subject to examination, by various U.S. federal and state taxing authorities. The Company is no longer subject to federal income tax examinations for tax years prior to 2015 or state income tax examination for tax years prior to 2016, generally.

NOTE 12 — RETIREMENT BENEFIT PLAN:

The Company maintains a 401(k) Savings Plan for the benefit of its employees. Substantially all of the Company's employees are eligible to participate in the HomeStreet, Inc. 401(k) Savings Plan (the "Plan"). The Plan provides for payment of retirement benefits to employees pursuant to the provisions of the plan and in conformity with Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code. Employees may elect to have a portion of their salary contributed to the Plan. Participants receive a vested employer matching contribution equal to 100% of the first 3.0% and 50% of the next 2.0% of eligible compensation deferred by the participant. Employer contributions of \$3.8 million, \$5.5 million and \$7.5 million were incurred in 2020, 2019, and 2018, respectively.

NOTE 13 — SHARE-BASED COMPENSATION PLANS:

In May 2014, the shareholders approved the Company's 2014 Equity Incentive Plan (the "2014 EIP Plan") that provided for the grant of stock options, shares of restricted stock, RSUs, PSUs, stock bonus awards, stock appreciation rights, performance share awards and performance compensation awards and unrestricted stock (collectively, "Equity Incentive Awards") to the Company's executive officers, other key employees and directors up to 900,000 shares of the Company's common stock. For 2020 and 2018, the Company recognized stock-based compensation cost of \$2.4 million and \$3.0 million, respectively. In 2019, the Company recognized a \$3.1 million reversal of previously recognized stock-based compensation costs related to PSUs that did not meet their internal performance metrics, resulting in a net benefit of \$0.4 million in 2019.

Nonqualified Stock Options

A summary of changes in nonqualified stock options granted for 2020 is as follows:

	Weighted Average Number Exercise Price		Average	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Term	Inti	aggregate rinsic Value thousands)
Options outstanding at December 31, 2019	233,001	\$	12.49			
Exercised	(44,820)		11.00			
Options outstanding at December 31, 2020	188,181		12.85	1.3 years	\$	3,933
Options exercisable	188,181		12.85	1.3 years		3,933

There were no options granted or forfeited during 2020.

RSUs generally vest over a three year period with the fair market value of the awards determined at the grant date based on the Company's stock price. PSUs vest at the end of a three year period with the fair market value of the awards determined using a Monte Carlo simulation technique. A summary of the status of the combined RSUs and PSUs is as follows:

		Weighted Average
	Number	Grant Date Fair Value
Outstanding at December 31, 2019	268,706	\$ 28.32
Granted	185,922	20.95
Cancelled or forfeited	(90,110)	26.57
Vested	(68,678)	27.07
Outstanding at December 31, 2020	295,840	\$ 24.52

The assumptions used in the Monte Carlo simulations used to determine fair market value of the PSUs granted in 2020 and 2019 are set forth in the table below:

	2020	2019
Volatility of common stock	33.9%	29.4%
Average volatility of peer companies	34.8%	24.5%
Average correlation coefficient of peer companies	0.7561%	0.7272%
Risk-free interest rate	0.3%	2.3%
Expected term in years	2.76 years	2.69 years

NOTE 14 — FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT:

The term "fair value" is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. A fair value measurement assumes that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability occurs in the principal market for the asset or liability or, in the absence of a principal market, the most advantageous market for the asset or liability. The Company's approach is to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs when developing fair value measurements.

Fair Value Hierarchy

A three-level valuation hierarchy has been established under ASC 820 for disclosure of fair value measurements. The valuation hierarchy is based on the observability of inputs to the valuation of an asset or liability as of the measurement date. A financial instrument's categorization within the valuation hierarchy is based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement. The levels are defined as follows:

- Level 1 Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the reporting entity can access at the measurement date. An active market for the asset or liability is a market in which transactions for the asset or liability take place with sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.
- Level 2 Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. This includes quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets and inputs that are observable for the asset or liability for substantially the full term of the financial instrument.
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability. These inputs reflect the Company's assumptions of what market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability.

The Company's policy regarding transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy is that all transfers are assumed to occur at the end of the reporting period.

Estimation of Fair Value

Fair value is based on quoted market prices, when available. In cases where a quoted price for an asset or liability is not available, the Company uses valuation models to estimate fair value. These models incorporate inputs such as forward yield curves, loan prepayment assumptions, expected loss assumptions, market volatilities and pricing spreads utilizing market-based inputs where readily available. The Company believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with those that would be used by other market participants. However, imprecision in estimating unobservable inputs and other factors may result in these fair value measurements not reflecting the amount realized in an actual sale or transfer of the asset or liability in a current market exchange.

The following table summarizes the fair value measurement methodologies, including significant inputs and assumptions, and classification of the Company's assets and liabilities valued at fair value on a recurring basis.

Asset/Liability class	Valuation methodology, inputs and assumptions	Classification		
Investment securities				
Investment securities AFS	Observable market prices of identical or similar securities are used where available.	Level 2 recurring fair value measurement.		
	If market prices are not readily available, value is based on discounted cash flows using the following significant inputs:	Level 3 recurring fair value measurement.		
	 Expected prepayment speeds 			
	Estimated credit losses			
	Market liquidity adjustments			
LHFS				
Single family loans, excluding loans transferred	Fair value is based on observable market data, including:	Level 2 recurring fair value measurement.		
from held for investment	 Quoted market prices, where available 			
	Dealer quotes for similar loans			
	Forward sale commitments			
	When not derived from observable market inputs, fair value is based on discounted cash flows, which considers the following inputs:	Estimated fair value classified as Level 3.		
	Benchmark yield curve			
	• Estimated discount spread to the benchmark yield curve			
	• Expected prepayment speeds			
Mortgage servicing rights				
Single family MSRs	For information on how the Company measures the fair value of its single family MSRs, including key economic assumptions and the sensitivity of fair value to changes in those assumptions, see Note 9, <i>Mortgage Banking Operations</i> .	Level 3 recurring fair value measurement.		

Asset/Liability class	Valuation methodology, inputs and assumptions	Classification
Derivatives		
Eurodollar futures	Fair value is based on closing exchange prices.	Level 1 recurring fair value measurement.
Interest rate swaps Interest rate swaptions Forward sale commitments	Fair value is based on quoted prices for identical or similar instruments when available. When quoted prices are not available, fair value is based on internally developed modeling techniques, which require the use of multiple observable market inputs, including:	Level 2 recurring fair value measurement.
	 Forward interest rates 	
	• Interest rate volatilities	
Interest rate lock commitments	The fair value considers several factors including:	Level 3 recurring fair value measurement.
communents	• Fair value of the underlying loan based on quoted prices in the secondary market, when available.	value measurement.
	• Value of servicing	
	• Fall-out factor	

The following tables present the levels of the fair value hierarchy for the Company's assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis.

As of December 31, 2020								
(in thousands)	Fair Value			Level 1		Level 2		Level 3
Assets:								
Investment securities AFS								
Mortgage backed securities:								
Residential	\$	51,046	\$	_	\$	48,417	\$	2,629
Commercial		45,184		_		45,184		_
Collateralized mortgage obligations:								
Residential		234,909		_		234,909		_
Commercial		159,183		_		159,183		_
Municipal bonds		564,703		_		564,703		_
Corporate debt securities		15,222		_		15,141		81
Agency debentures		1,846		_		1,846		_
Single family LHFS		194,643		_		194,643		_
Single family LHFI		7,108		_				7,108
Single family mortgage servicing rights		49,966						49,966
Derivatives								
Forward sale commitments		1,035		_		1,035		_
Interest rate lock and purchase loan								
commitments		17,395						17,395
Interest rate swaps		17,459				17,459		
Total assets	\$	1,359,699	\$		\$	1,282,520	\$	77,179
Liabilities:								
Derivatives								
Eurodollar futures	\$	4	\$	4	\$		\$	
Forward sale commitments		3,714				3,714		
Interest rate lock and purchase loan								
commitments		3						3
Interest rate swaps		20,511			_	20,511	_	
Total liabilities	\$	24,232	\$	4	\$	24,225	\$	3

	As of December 31, 2019							
(in thousands)	Fair Value			Level 1	Level 2			Level 3
Assets:								
Investment securities AFS								
Mortgage backed securities:								
Residential	\$	91,695	\$	_	\$	89,831	\$	1,864
Commercial		38,025		_		38,025		
Collateralized mortgage obligations:								
Residential		291,618		_		291,618		
Commercial		156,154		_		156,154		
Municipal bonds		341,318		_		341,318		
Corporate debt securities		18,661		_		18,573		88
U.S. Treasury securities		1,307		_		1,307		
Single family LHFS ⁽¹⁾		105,458				105,458		
Single family LHFI		3,468		_				3,468
Single family mortgage servicing rights		68,109		_				68,109
Derivatives ⁽¹⁾								
Eurodollar futures		3		3				
Forward sale commitments		830				830		_
Interest rate lock commitments		2,281		_				2,281
Interest rate swaps		27,097		_		27,097		_
Total assets	\$	1,146,024	\$	3	\$	1,070,211	\$	75,810
Liabilities:								
Derivatives ⁽¹⁾								
Forward sale commitments	\$	492	\$		\$	492	\$	
Interest rate lock commitments		58						58
Interest rate swaps		10,889				10,889		
Total liabilities	\$	11,439	\$		\$	11,381	\$	58

⁽¹⁾ Includes both continuing and discontinued operations.

There were no transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy during 2020 and 2019.

Level 3 Recurring Fair Value Measurements

The Company's level 3 recurring fair value measurements consist of investment securities AFS, single family MSRs, single family LHFI where fair value option was elected, certain single family loans held for sale, and interest rate lock and purchase loan commitments ("IRCLs"), which are accounted for as derivatives. For information regarding fair value changes and activity for single family MSRs during 2020 and 2019, see Note 9, *Mortgage Banking Operations*.

The fair value of IRLCs considers several factors, including the fair value in the secondary market of the underlying loan resulting from the exercise of the commitment, the expected net future cash flows related to the associated servicing of the loan (referred to as the value of servicing) and the probability that the commitment will not be converted into a funded loan (referred to as a fall-out factor). The fair value of IRLCs on LHFS, while based on interest rates observable in the market, is highly dependent on the ultimate closing of the loans. The significance of the fall-out factor to the fair value measurement of an individual IRLC is generally highest at the time that the rate lock is initiated and declines as closing procedures are performed and the underlying loan gets closer to funding. The fall-out factor applied is based on historical experience. The value of servicing is impacted by a variety of factors, including prepayment assumptions, discount rates, delinquency rates, contractually specified servicing fees, servicing costs and underlying portfolio characteristics. Because these inputs are not observable in market trades, the fall-out factor and value of servicing are considered to be level 3 inputs. The fair value of IRLCs decreases in value upon an increase in the fall-out factor and increases in value upon an increase in the value of servicing. Changes in the fall-out factor and value of servicing do not increase or decrease based on movements in other significant unobservable inputs.

The Company recognizes unrealized gains and losses from the time that an IRLC is initiated until the gain or loss is realized at the time the loan closes, which generally occurs within 30-90 days. For IRLCs that fall out, any unrealized gain or loss is reversed, which generally occurs at the end of the commitment period. The gains and losses recognized on IRLC derivatives generally correlates to volume of single family interest rate lock commitments made during the reporting period (after adjusting for estimated fall-out) while the amount of unrealized gains and losses realized at settlement generally correlates to the volume of single family closed loans during the reporting period.

The Company uses the discounted cash flow model to estimate the fair value of certain loans that have been transferred from held for sale to held for investment and single family LHFS when the fair value of the loans is not derived using observable market inputs. The key assumption in the valuation model is the implied spread to benchmark interest rate curve. The implied spread is not directly observable in the market and is derived from third party pricing which is based on market information from comparable loan pools. The fair value estimate of these certain single family loans that have been transferred from held for sale to held for investment and these certain single family LHFS are sensitive to changes in the benchmark interest rate which might result in a significantly higher or lower fair value measurement.

The Company transferred certain loans from held for sale to held for investment. These loans were originated as held for sale loans where the Company had elected fair value option. The Company determined these loans to be level 3 recurring assets as the valuation technique included a significant unobservable input. The total amount of held for investment loans where fair value option election was made was \$7.1 million and \$3.5 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

The following information presents significant Level 3 unobservable inputs used to measure fair value of certain assets.

(dollars in thousands)	Fair Value		Fair Value		Fair Value		Fair Value		Fair Value		Fair Value		Fair Value		Fair Value		Valuation Technique	Significant Unobservable Input	Low	High	Weighted Average	
December 31, 2020																						
Investment securities AFS	\$	2,710	Income approach	Implied spread to benchmark interest rate curve	2.00%	2.00%	2.00%															
Single family LHFI		7,108	Income approach	Implied spread to benchmark interest rate curve	3.96%	10.64%	6.23%															
Interest rate lock and purchase loan commitments, net	1	7,392	Income approach	Fall-out factor Value of servicing	1.97% 0.41%	38.38% 1.44%	15.53% 0.97%															
December 31, 2019																						
Investment securities AFS	\$	1,952	Income approach	Implied spread to benchmark interest rate curve Implied spread to benchmark	2.00%	2.00%	2.00%															
Single family LHFI Interest rate lock and purchase loan	:	3,468	Income approach	interest rate curve	4.56%	6.87%	5.63%															
commitments, net		2,223	Income approach	Fall-out factor Value of servicing	—% 0.55%	59.69% 1.77%	12.20% 1.14%															

We had no LHFS where the fair value was not derived with significant observable inputs at December 31, 2020 or 2019.

The following table presents fair value changes and activity for certain Level 3 assets.

(in thousands)		ginning alance	A	dditions	Ti	ransfers	Pa	yoffs/Sales	n	nange in nark to narket	Inding alance
Year Ended December 31, 2020											
Investment securities AFS	\$	1,952	\$	985	\$		\$	(435)	\$	208	\$ 2,710
LHFI		3,468		6,088		_		(2,409)		(39)	7,108
Year Ended December 31, 2019											
Investment securities AFS	\$		\$		\$	2,379	\$	(160)	\$	(267)	\$ 1,952
LHFS		2,691		5,859		1,630		(10,060)		(120)	
LHFI		4,057		2,043		(1,630)		(980)		(22)	3,468

The following table presents fair value changes and activity for Level 3 interest rate lock and purchase loan commitments.

	Years Ended December 31,					
(in thousands)	2020		2019			
Beginning balance, net	\$ 2,223	\$	10,284			
Total realized/unrealized gains	55,911		36,487			
Settlements	(40,742)		(44,548)			
Ending balance, net	\$ 17,392	\$	2,223			

Nonrecurring Fair Value Measurements

Certain assets held by the Company are not included in the tables above, but are measured at fair value on a periodic basis. These assets include certain LHFI and OREO that are carried at the lower of cost or fair value of the underlying collateral, less the estimated cost to sell. The estimated fair values of real estate collateral are generally based on internal evaluations and appraisals of such collateral, which use the market approach and income approach methodologies. We have omitted disclosure related to quantitative inputs given the insignificance of assets measured on a nonrecurring basis.

The fair value of commercial properties are generally based on third-party appraisals that consider recent sales of comparable properties, including their income-generating characteristics, adjusted (generally based on unobservable inputs) to reflect the general assumptions that a market participant would make when analyzing the property for purchase. The Company uses a fair value of collateral technique to apply adjustments to the appraisal value of certain commercial LHFI that are collateralized by real estate.

The Company uses a fair value of collateral technique to apply adjustments to the stated value of certain commercial LHFI that are not collateralized by real estate and to the appraisal value of OREO.

Residential properties are generally based on unadjusted third-party appraisals. Factors considered in determining the fair value include geographic sales trends, the value of comparable surrounding properties as well as the condition of the property.

These adjustments include management assumptions that are based on the type of collateral dependent loan and may increase or decrease an appraised value. Management adjustments vary significantly depending on the location, physical characteristics and income producing potential of each individual property. The quality and volume of market information available at the time of the appraisal can vary from period-to-period and cause significant changes to the nature and magnitude of the unobservable inputs used. Given these variations, changes in these unobservable inputs are generally not a reliable indicator for how fair value will increase or decrease from period to period.

The following tables present assets classified as Level 3 assets that had changes in their recorded fair value during 2020 and 2019 and what we still held at the end of the respective reporting period.

(in thousands)	Fair Value	,	Total Gains (Losses)
As of or for the year ended December 31, 2020			
LHFI ⁽¹⁾	\$ 3,651	\$	(1,700)
As of or for the year ended December 31, 2019			
LHFI ⁽¹⁾	\$ 266	\$	316

⁽¹⁾ Represents the carrying value of loans for which adjustments are based on the fair value of the collateral.

Fair Value of Financial Instruments

Long-term debt

The following presents the carrying value, estimated fair value and the levels of the fair value hierarchy for the Company's financial instruments other than assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis.

	At December 31, 2020								
	Carrying	Fair							
(in thousands)	Value	Value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3				
Assets:									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 58,049	\$ 58,049	\$ 58,049	\$ —	\$ —				
Investment securities HTM	4,271	4,507	_	4,507	_				
LHFI	5,172,778	5,327,711			5,327,711				
LHFS – multifamily and other	167,289	167,289		167,289					
Mortgage servicing rights - multifamily	35,774	38,423			38,423				
Federal Home Loan Bank stock	20,319	20,319	_	20,319					
Other assets – GNMA EBO loans	101,750	101,750	_		101,750				
Liabilities:									
Certificates of deposit	\$ 1,139,807	\$ 1,143,747	\$ —	\$1,143,747	\$ —				
Borrowings	322,800	322,876		322,876	_				
Long-term debt	125,838	116,893		116,893	_				
		At D	ecember 31, 2	2019					
	Carrying	Fair							
(in thousands)	Value	Value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3				
Assets:									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 57,880	\$ 57,880	\$ 57,880	\$ —	\$ —				
Investment securities HTM	4,372	4,501		4,501					
LHFI	5,069,316	5,139,078			5,139,078				
LHFS multifamily and other	128,841	130,720		130,720					
Mortgage servicing rights - multifamily	29,494	32,738			32,738				
Federal Home Loan Bank stock	22,399	22,399	_	22,399					
Liabilities:									
Certificates of deposit	\$ 1,614,533	\$ 1,622,879	\$ —	\$1,622,879	\$ —				
Borrowings	471,590	473,050	125,101	347,949	_				

125,650

115,011

115,011

NOTE 15 — REGULATORY CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS:

The Company and 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 material effect on the Company's operations and financial statements. Under capital adequacy guidelines, we must meet specific capital guidelines that involve quantitative measures of our assets, liabilities, and certain off-balance sheet items as calculated under regulatory accounting practices. The Company and Bank's capital amounts and classifications are also subject to qualitative judgments by the regulators about risk components, asset risk weighting, 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 table below) of total and Tier 1 capital (as defined in the regulations) to risk-weighted assets (as defined), and of Tier 1 capital (as defined) to assets (as defined). Management believes, as of December 31, 2020 that the Company and the Bank met all capital adequacy requirements. The following table presents the capital and capital ratios of the Company (on a consolidated basis) and the Bank (on a stand-alone basis) as of the respective dates and as compared to the respective regulatory requirements applicable to them:

			At Decemb	er 31, 2020		
	Actı	ıal	For Minimu Adequacy		To Be Categ "Well Capitali Prompt Co Action Pro	zed" Under orrective
(dollars in thousands)	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio
HomeStreet, Inc.						
Tier 1 leverage capital (to average assets)	\$ 709,655	9.65%	\$ 294,211	4.0%	NA	NA
Common equity tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)	649,655	11.67%	250,537	4.5%	NA	NA
Tier 1 risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	709,655	12.75%	334,050	6.0%	NA	NA
Total risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	779,254	14.00%	445,400	8.0%	NA	NA
HomeStreet Bank						
Tier 1 leverage capital (to average assets)	\$ 712,533	9.79%	\$ 291,114	4.0%	\$ 363,893	5.0%
Common equity tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)	712,533	13.51%	237,307	4.5%	342,777	6.5%
Tier 1 risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	712,533	13.51%	316,410	6.0%	421,880	8.0%
Total risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	778,479	14.76%	421,880	8.0%	527,350	10.0%

At December 31, 2019

	Actı	ıal	For Minimu Adequacy		To Be Categ "Well Capitali Prompt Corre Provisi	zed" Under ctive Action
(dollars in thousands)	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio
HomeStreet, Inc.						
Tier 1 leverage capital (to average assets)	\$ 691,323	10.16%	\$ 272,253	4.0%	NA	NA
Common equity tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)	631,323	11.43%	248,523	4.5%	NA	NA
Tier 1 risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	691,323	12.52%	331,364	6.0%	NA	NA
Total risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	739,812	13.40%	441,818	8.0%	NA	NA
HomeStreet Bank						
Tier 1 leverage capital (to average assets)	\$ 712,596	10.56%	\$ 269,930	4.0%	\$ 337,413	5.0%
Common equity tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)	712,596	13.50%	237,451	4.5%	342,985	6.5%
Tier 1 risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	712,596	13.50%	316,602	6.0%	422,136	8.0%
Total risk-based capital (to risk-weighted assets)	758,303	14.37%	422,136	8.0%	527,669	10.0%

As of each of the dates set forth in the above table, the Company exceeded the minimum required capital ratios applicable to it and Bank's capital ratios exceeded the minimums necessary to qualify as a well-capitalized depository institution under the prompt corrective action regulations. No conditions or events have occurred since December 31, 2020 that we believe have changed the Company's or the Bank's capital adequacy classifications from those set forth in the above table.

In addition to the minimum capital ratios, both the Company and the Bank are required to maintain a "conservation buffer" consisting of additional Common Equity Tier 1 Capital which is at least 2.5% above the required minimum levels in order to avoid limitations on paying dividends, engaging in share repurchases, and paying discretionary bonuses. The required ratios for capital adequacy set forth in the above table do not include the additional capital conservation buffer, though each of the Company and Bank maintained capital ratios necessary to satisfy the capital conservation buffer requirements as of the dates indicated. At December 31, 2020, capital conservation buffers for the Company and the Bank were 6.00% and 6.76%, respectively. The following table sets forth the minimum capital ratios plus the applicable increment of the capital conservation buffer:

CET-1 to risk-weighted assets	7.00%
Tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets	8.50%
Total capital to risk-weighted assets	10.50%

NOTE 16 — EARNINGS PER SHARE:

The following table summarizes the calculation of earnings per share.

	Years Ended December 31,					
(in thousands, except share and per share data)	2020			2019	2018	
EPS numerator:						_
Income from continuing operations	\$	79,990	\$	40,720	\$	26,223
Earnings allocated to share repurchase		<u> </u>		(650)		
Income from continuing operations available to common shareholders		79,990		40,070		26,223
Income (loss) from discontinued operations				(23,208)		13,804
Net income available to common shareholders	\$	79,990	\$	16,862	\$	40,027
EPS denominator:						
Weighted average shares:						
Basic weighted-average number of common shares						
outstanding		22,867,268		25,573,488		26,970,916
Dilutive effect of outstanding common stock equivalents		209,554		197,295		197,219
Diluted weighted-average number of common stock						
outstanding		23,076,822	_	25,770,783		27,168,135
Net income (loss) per share						
Basic:						
Income from continuing operations	\$	3.50	\$	1.57	\$	0.97
Income (loss) from discontinued operations		<u> </u>		(0.91)		0.51
Total	\$	3.50	\$	0.66	\$	1.48
Diluted:						
Income from continuing operations	\$	3.47	\$	1.55	\$	0.97
Income (loss) from discontinued operations				(0.90)		0.51
Total	\$	3.47	\$	0.65	\$	1.47

NOTE 17 — LEASES:

On January 1, 2019, we adopted new FASB guidance on the accounting for leases. We applied the modified retrospective method of adoption and therefore, results for reporting periods beginning after January 1, 2019 are presented under the new guidance while prior periods have not been adjusted.

We have operating and finance leases for certain office space and finance leases for certain equipment. Our leases have remaining lease terms of up to 15 years.

The Company, as sublessor, subleases certain office and retail space in which the terms of the subleases end by December 2027. Under all of our executed sublease arrangements, the sublessees are obligated to pay the Company sublease payments of \$5.2 million in 2021, \$4.2 million in 2022, \$3.0 million in 2023, \$1.3 million in 2024, \$0.7 million in 2025 and \$1.3 million thereafter.

For 2020 and 2019 we incurred \$2.5 million and \$5.0 million in impairment charges on lease right-of-use assets, respectively.

The components of lease expense were as follows.

	Years Ended December 31,					
(in thousands)	2020	2019				
Operating lease cost	\$ 11,989	\$	14,538			
Short-term leases	_		28			
Finance lease cost:						
Amortization of right-of-use assets	1,277		2,030			
Interest on lease liabilities	151		340			
Variable lease costs and nonlease components	5,502		6,627			
Sublease income	(6,662)		(4,378)			
Total	\$ 12,257	\$	19,185			

Total rent expense under non-cancellable operating leases totaled \$27.7 million for 2018.

Supplemental cash flow information related to leases were as follows.

	Years Ended December 31,				
(in thousands)	2020	2019			
Cash paid for amounts included in the measurement of lease liabilities:			_		
Operating cash flows from operating leases	\$ 15,452	\$	17,054		
Operating cash flows from finance leases	151		340		
Financing cash flows from finance leases	1,209		1,694		
Right-of-use assets obtained					
Operating leases	\$ 5,666	\$	5,800		
Finance leases			139		
Other changes in right-of-use assets (1)					
Operating leases	\$ (39,924)	\$	(13,605)		
Finance leases	(29)		(1,172)		

 $^{(1) \}qquad \text{Relates to changes in assumptions regarding the exercise of renewal options available under real estate lease agreements}.$

Supplemental information related to leases was as follows.

	At Dece	31,		
(in thousands, except lease term and discount rate)	2020	2019		
Operating lease right-of-use assets, included in other assets	\$ 45,560	\$	86,789	
Operating lease liabilities, included in accounts payable and other liabilities	62,563		104,579	
Finance lease right-of-use assets, included in other assets	\$ 1,081	\$	8,084	
Finance lease liabilities, included in accounts payable and other liabilities	1,097		8,513	
Weighted Average Remaining lease term in years				
Operating leases	6.09		11.87	
Finance leases	1.52		15.46	
Weighted Average Discount Rate				
Operating leases	1.71%	, O	3.48%	
Finance leases	3.12%	Ó	2.63%	

Maturities of lease liabilities and obligations under leases classified as nonlease components were as follows.

	Lease Liabilities					
(in thousands)		Operating Leases	Finance Leases		Nonlease Components	
Year ended December 31,						
2021	\$	13,637	\$	852	\$	5,130
2022		12,338		196		4,880
2023		10,346		76		4,302
2024		8,368				3,950
2025		7,009				3,784
2026 and thereafter		14,195				7,811
Total lease payments		65,893		1,124	\$	29,857
Less imputed interest		3,330		27		
Total	\$	62,563	\$	1,097		

NOTE 18 — PARENT COMPANY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED):

Condensed financial information for HomeStreet, Inc. is as follows.

Condensed Balance Sheets	ance Sheets At December 31,			31,
(in thousands)		2020		2019
Assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	20,021	\$	16,638
Other assets		7,686		4,370
Investment in stock of HomeStreet Bank		780,531		751,227
Investment in stock of other subsidiaries		36,381		34,594
Total assets	\$	844,619	\$	806,829
Liabilities:				
Other liabilities	\$	1,031	\$	1,456
Long-term debt		125,838		125,650
Total liabilities		126,869		127,106
Shareholders' Equity:				
Common stock, no par value		278,505		300,729
Retained earnings		403,888		374,673
Accumulated other comprehensive income		35,357		4,321
Total stockholder's equity		717,750		679,723
Total liabilities and stockholder's equity	\$	844,619	\$	806,829

(in thousands) Noninterest income Dividend income from HomeStreet Bank	\$	82,909 3,374	\$	110,000	\$	9,523
Dividend income from HomeStreet Bank	\$	3,374	\$	110,000	\$	0 523
Equity in undistributed income from subsidiaries Distributions in excess of income from subsidiaries Other noninterest income	\$	3,374	\$	110,000	\$	0.523
Distributions in excess of income from subsidiaries Other noninterest income		_				9,543
Other noninterest income						43,920
		1 772		(84,146)		
Total marramusa		1,773		2,293		2,193
Total revenues		88,056		28,147		55,636
Expenses						
Interest expense-net		5,731		4,821		4,856
Noninterest expense		4,136		8,437		10,368
Total expenses		9,867		13,258		15,224
Income before income taxes (benefit)		78,189		14,889		40,412
Income taxes (benefit)		(1,801)		(2,623)		385
Net income	\$	79,990	\$	17,512	\$	40,027
Condensed Statements of Cash Flows		Yea	rs En	ded December	· 31,	
(in thousands)	-	2020		2019		2018
Cash flows from operating activities						
Net income	\$	79,990	\$	17,512	\$	40,027
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities						
Undistributed earnings from investment in subsidiaries		(3,374)				(43,920)
Distributions in excess or earnings from investment in						
subsidiaries				84,146		_
Other		(4,483)		(30)		695
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		72,133		101,628		(3,198)
Cash flows from investing activities:						
AFS securities: Purchases and principal collections – net		2,886		1,049		1,428
Net cash provided by investing activities	_	2,886		1,049		1,428
				1,0.15		1,.20
Cash flows from financing activities:						
Repurchases of common stock		(58,009)		(98,543)		
Proceeds from stock issuance, net		238		105		68
Dividends paid on common stock		(13,865)				
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		(71,636)		(98,438)		68
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		3,383		4,239		(1,702)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		16,638		12,399		14,101
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$	20,021	\$	16,638	\$	12,399

NOTE 19 — DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS:

On March 31, 2019, the Board adopted a Resolution of Exit or Disposal of HLC Based Mortgage Banking Operations to sell or abandon the assets and related personnel associated with those operations. The assets that were sold or abandoned largely represented the Company's former Mortgage Banking segment, the activities of which related to originating, servicing, underwriting, funding and selling single family residential mortgage loans.

The Company determined that the above actions constituted commitment to a plan of exit or disposal of certain long-lived assets (through sale or abandonment) and termination of employees. Further, the Company determined that the shift from a large-scale HLC based originator and servicer to a branch-focused product offering represented a strategic shift. As a result, the HLC-related mortgage banking operations are reported separately from the continuing operations as discontinued operations. In addition, the former Mortgage Banking operating segment and reporting unit were eliminated. This has resulted in a recast of the financial statements in 2019 and prior.

In the first quarter of 2019, the Company successfully closed and settled two sales of the rights to service \$14.3 billion in total unpaid principal balance of single family mortgage loans serviced for Federal National Mortgage Association ("Fannie Mae"), Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation ('Freddie Mac") and Government National Mortgage Association ("Ginnie Mae"). These sales resulted in a \$0.9 million pre-tax loss from discontinued operations during 2019.

In June 2019 the Company completed the sale of the HLC based mortgage originations business assets and transfer of personnel to Homebridge Financial Services, Inc. ("Homebridge"). This sale included 47 stand-alone HLCs and the transfer of certain related mortgage personnel. These HLCs, along with certain other mortgage banking related assets and liabilities are classified as discontinued operations in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets and consolidated income statements. HLCs that were not sold were closed during the second quarter of 2019. Certain bank location-based components of the Company's former Mortgage Banking segment, including MSRs on certain mortgage loans that were not part of the sales and right-of-use assets and lease liabilities where we did not obtain full landlord release have been classified as continuing operations.

In November 2019, we sold our ownership interest in WMS LLC at our basis.

These discontinued operations activities were concluded by December 31, 2019. Consequently, we ceased discontinued operations accounting effective January 1, 2020. The following table summarizes the calculation of the net gain (loss) on disposal of discontinued operations.

(in thousands)	_	Year Ended ecember 31, 2019
Proceeds from asset sales	\$	186,692
Book value of assets sold.		181,243
Gain on assets sold.		5,449
Transaction costs		8,770
Compensation expense related to the transactions.		4,636
Facility and IT related costs		13,660
Total costs		27,066
Net loss on disposal	\$	(21,617)

The carrying amount of major classes of assets and liabilities related to discontinued operations consisted of the following.

(in thousands)	De	At ecember 31, 2019
Assets of discontinued operations		
LHFS at fair value	\$	26,123
Other assets		2,505
Total	\$	28,628
Liabilities of discontinued operations	-	
Account payable and other liabilities	\$	2,603

Income Statements of Discontinued Operations

	Years Ended December 31,			
(in thousands)		2019		2018
Net interest income	\$	5,858	\$	12,516
Noninterest income		63,713		200,426
Noninterest expense		97,856		195,332
(Loss) income before income taxes		(28,285)		17,610
Income tax (benefit) expense		(5,077)		3,806
(Loss) income from discontinued operations	\$	(23,208)	\$	13,804

	Years Ended December 31,				
(in thousands)		2019	2018		
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	238,212	\$	201,001	
Net cash provided by investing activities		185,458		64,849	

NOTE 20 — RESTRUCTURING:

In addition to the disposal of our HLC Based Mortgage Banking Operations, we have taken the following restructuring activities to improve our productivity and reduce expenses:

- In 2019, we implemented a restructuring plan under which we incurred costs to:
 - Reduce our staffing levels through consolidation of job functions and elimination of management redundancy;
 - Renegotiate our technology contracts;
 - Eliminate excess occupancy costs;
 - Eliminate redundant of unnecessary systems and services;
 - Engage consultants to assist with the above processes.
- In 2020, we concluded the restructuring plan started in 2019, and took additional steps to consolidate our facilities and incurred charges to reflect the vacating of certain office space.

The costs incurred include severance, retention, facility related charges and consulting fees.

The following table summarizes the restructuring charges and the liability for restructuring costs still to be paid in the periods indicated:

(in thousands)	Facility-related costs	i 	Personnel- related costs	Other costs		Total
2019 Activity ⁽¹⁾						
Restructuring charges	\$ 1,37	3 5	\$ 1,836	\$ 1,302	\$	4,511
Costs paid or otherwise settled	(13	8)	(1,326)	(1,143))	(2,607)
Balance, December 31, 2019	1,23	5	510	159		1,904
2020 Activity						
Restructuring charges	10,18	8	339	1,266		11,793
Costs paid or otherwise settled	(8,56	0)	(695)	(1,309))	(10,564)
Balance, December 31, 2020	\$ 2,86	3	\$ 154	\$ 116	\$	3,133

^{(1) 2018} restructuring activity is excluded from the table above as it is part of discontinued operations.

NOTE 21 — SUBSEQUENT EVENTS:

The Company has evaluated the events that have occurred subsequent to December 31, 2020 and has included all material events that would require recognition in the 2020 consolidated financial statements and disclosure in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

On January 28, 2021 the Board of Directors authorized a dividend of \$0.25 per share, payable on February 24, 2021 to shareholders of record on February 9, 2021. On the same day, the Board approved an extension of the Company's share repurchase program for up to \$25 million of its common stock.