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

FORM 8-K

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 24, 2019

CAPSTAR FINANCIAL HOLDINGS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) 001--37886

81-1527911

Tennessee

`	other jurisdiction of corporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)	
	1201 Demonbreun Street, Nashville, Tenness		37203	
	(Address of principal execu		(Zip Code)	
	Registrant's telepho	ne number, including area code (61	<u>15) 732-6400</u>	
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] Written communications pursuant to I	Rule 425 under the Securities A	Act (17 CFR 230.425)		
] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14	4a-12 under the Exchange Act	(17 CFR 240.14a-12)		
] Pre-commencement communications	pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) und	er the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14	kd-2(b))	
] Pre-commencement communications	pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) unde	er the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13	e-4(c))	
Securities registered pursuant to Section	12(b) of the Exchange Act:			
Title of each class		g Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value per shar	e (CSTR	Nasdaq Global Select Market	
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Section 2 - Financial Information

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 24, 2019, CapStar Financial Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") issued an earnings release announcing its financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2019. A copy of the earnings release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K (this "Report") and is incorporated herein by reference.

The Company will conduct a conference call at 8:30 a.m. (Central Time) on October 25, 2019 to discuss its financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2019. A copy of the presentation to be used for the conference call is furnished as Exhibit 99.2 to this Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Section 7 - Regulation FD

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

The information disclosed under Item 2.02 of this Report is incorporated by reference into this Item 7.01.

Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Earnings release issued on October 24, 2019 by CapStar Financial Holdings, Inc.
99.2	Presentation for conference call to be conducted by CanStar Financial Holdings. Inc. on October 25, 2019

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CAPSTAR FINANCIAL HOLDINGS, INC.

By: /s/ Robert B. Anderson

Robert B. Anderson

Chief Financial Officer and Chief Administrative Officer

Date: October 24, 2019

CONTACT

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CapStar Reports Fully Diluted EPS of \$0.35 and Fully Diluted Operating EPS of \$0.36 for 3Q 2019

NASHVILLE, TN, October 24, 2019/GlobeNewswire/ — CapStar Financial Holdings, Inc. ("CapStar") (NASDAQ:CSTR) reported net income of \$6.47 million, or \$0.35 per share on a fully diluted basis, for the three months ended September 30, 2019, compared to net income of \$3.66 million, or \$0.28 per share on a fully diluted basis, for the three months ended September 30, 2018. Operating(1) net income was \$6.60 million, or \$0.36 per share on a fully diluted basis, for the three months ended September 30, 2019, compared to \$4.06 million, or \$0.31 per share on a fully diluted basis, for the three months ended September 30, 2018.

"I am pleased with our third quarter results," said Timothy K. Schools, President and Chief Executive Officer. "We continue to experience strong credit metrics, our mortgage and Tri-Net businesses performed very well, and we are approaching the first anniversary of our acquisition of Athens Federal. Additionally, our former largest shareholder was able to successfully exit their position, as the life of the fund this investment was held in came to an end, creating increased liquidity for our remaining shareholders. As we look ahead, we will be working to improve upon our loan production and deposit gathering capabilities as we navigate through a period of increased loan prepayments and net interest margin pressure."

Soundness

- Non-performing assets as a percentage of total assets were 0.13% at September 30, 2019 compared to 0.40% at September 30, 2018.
- Annualized net charge-offs to average loans were -0.01% for the three months ended September 30, 2019 compared to -0.01% for the same period in 2018
- The total risk based capital ratio was 13.46% at September 30, 2019 compared to 12.62% at September 30, 2018.

Profitability

Operating measures exclude non-recurring merger-related expenses unrelated to CapStar's normal operations.

- Operating annualized return on average assets for the three months ended September 30, 2019 was 1.31% compared to 1.13% for the same period in 2018.
- Operating annualized return on average tangible equity for the three months ended September 30, 2019 was 11.83% compared to 10.72% for the same period in 2018.
- Net interest margin for the three months ended September 30, 2019 was 3.66% compared to 3.35% for the same period in 2018.
- The operating efficiency ratio for the three months ended September 30, 2019 was 64.08% compared to 64.56% for the same period in 2018.

(1) For a discussion and reconciliation of the Non-GAAP operating measures that exclude merger-related costs unrelated to CapStar's normal operations, see the section titled "Non-GAAP Disclaimer" and the Non-GAAP financial measures section of the financial statements.

"With the FOMC cutting rates for the first time since 2008, we experienced 2 basis points of net interest margin compression compared to the second quarter," said Rob Anderson Chief Financial Officer and Chief Administrative Officer of CapStar. "Elevated loan fees helped offset the decline in variable rate loan yields, but yields on newly originated loans remain above our portfolio average. Further, our deposit costs are down slightly due to rate adjustments made late in the quarter and our associates continue to meet with customers to reset rates lower," continued Mr. Anderson. "On another positive note, our salesforce was able to grow non-interest bearing deposit accounts by 25.1% on an annualized basis from the second quarter."

Growth

- Operating EPS on a fully diluted basis increased 16.1% to \$0.36 for the quarter ended September 30, 2019, compared to \$0.31 on a fully diluted basis for the same period in 2018.
- Average gross loans for the quarter ended September 30, 2019 increased 35.1% to \$1.45 billion, compared to \$1.07 billion for the same period in 2018.
 - Excluding Day 1 loans from Athens, organic average loan growth was 2.9% year-over-year.
- Average deposits for the quarter ended September 30, 2019 increased 48.6% to \$1.70 billion, compared to \$1.15 billion for the same period in 2018.
 - Excluding Day 1 deposits from Athens, organic average deposit growth was 17.9% year-over-year.

Dividend

On October 24, 2019, the board of directors of CapStar approved a quarterly dividend of \$0.05 per common share that will be paid on November 22, 2019 to shareholders of record of CapStar's capital stock as of the close of business on November 8, 2019.

Conference Call and Webcast Information

CapStar will host a conference call and webcast at 8:30 a.m. Central Time on Friday October 25, 2019. During the call, management will review the third quarter results and operational highlights. Interested parties may listen to the call by dialing (844) 412-1002. The conference ID number is 5171609. A simultaneous webcast may be accessed on CapStar's website at ir.capstarbank.com by clicking on "News & Events". An archived version of the webcast will be available in the same location shortly after the live call has ended.

About CapStar Financial Holdings, Inc.

CapStar Financial Holdings, Inc. is a bank holding company headquartered in Nashville, Tennessee and operates primarily through its wholly owned subsidiary, CapStar Bank, a Tennessee-chartered state bank. CapStar Bank is a commercial bank that seeks to establish and maintain comprehensive relationships with its clients by delivering customized and creative banking solutions and superior client service. As of September 30, 2019, on a consolidated basis, CapStar had total assets of \$2.03 billion, gross loans of \$1.41 billion, total deposits of \$1.73 billion, and shareholders' equity of \$268.08 million. Visit www.capstarbank.com for more information.

Forward-Looking Statements

Certain statements in this earnings release are forward-looking statements that reflect CapStar's current views with respect to, among other things, CapStar's assets, business, cash flows, condition (financial or otherwise), credit quality, financial performance, liquidity, short and long-term performance goals, prospects, results of operations, strategic initiatives and the timing, benefits, costs and synergies of recently completed and future acquisition, disposition and other growth opportunities, including, without limitation, those relating to a projected increase in liquidity for our shareholders, improvements in our loan production and deposit gathering capabilities, the acceptance by customers of Athens of CapStar's products and services, the ability of CapStar to meet expectations regarding the benefits, costs, synergies, and financial and operational impact of the Athens merger, the possibility that any of the anticipated benefits, costs, synergies and financial and operational improvements of the Athens merger will not be realized or will not be realized as expected and the opportunities to enhance market share in certain markets and market acceptance of CapStar are generally in new

markets. These statements are often, but not always, made through the use of words or phrases such as "may," "should," "could," "predict," "potential," "believe," "will likely result," "expect," "continue," "will," "anticipate," "seek," "aspire," "achieve," "estimate," "intend," "plan," "project," "projection," "forecast," "roadmap," "goal," "guidance," "target," "would," and "outlook," or the negative version of those words or other comparable words of a future or forward-looking nature. These forward-looking statements are not historical facts, and are based on current expectations, estimates and projections about CapStar's industry, management's beliefs and certain assumptions made by management, many of which, by their nature, are inherently uncertain and beyond CapStar's control. The inclusion of these forward-looking statements should not be regarded as a representation by CapStar or any other person that such expectations, estimates and projections will be achieved. Accordingly, CapStar cautions you that any such forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and are subject to risks, assumptions and uncertainties that are difficult to predict. Although CapStar believes that the expectations reflected in these forward-looking statements are reasonable as of the date made, actual results may prove to be materially different from the results expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements. There are or will be important factors that could cause CapStar's actual results to differ materially from those indicated in these forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to, any factors identified in this earnings release as well as those factors that are detailed from time to time in CapStar's periodic and current reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including those factors included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2018 under the headings "Item 1A. Risk Factors" and "Cautionary Note Regarding Forward Looking Statements" and in the Company's Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Current Reports on Form 8-K. If one or more events related to these or other risks or uncertainties materialize, or if CapStar's underlying assumptions prove to be incorrect, actual results may differ materially from its forward-looking statements. Accordingly, you should not place undue reliance on any such forward-looking statements. Any forward-looking statement speaks only as of the date of this earnings release, and CapStar does not undertake any obligation to publicly update or review any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future developments or otherwise, except as required by law. New risks and uncertainties may emerge from time to time, and it is not possible for CapStar to predict their occurrence or how they will affect CapStar.

Non-GAAP Disclaimer

This earnings release includes the following financial measures that were prepared other than in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States ("non-GAAP financial measure"): operating net income, operating diluted net income per share, operating return on average assets, operating return on average tangible equity, tangible book value per share and operating efficiency ratio. These non-GAAP financial measures (i) provide useful information to management and investors that is supplementary to CapStar's financial condition, results of operations and cash flows computed in accordance with GAAP, (ii) enable a more complete understanding of factors and trends affecting CapStar's business, and (iii) allow investors to evaluate CapStar's performance in a manner similar to management, the financial services industry, bank stock analysts and bank regulators; however, CapStar acknowledges that these non-GAAP financial measures have a number of limitations. As such, you should not view these non-GAAP financial measures as a substitute for results determined in accordance with GAAP, and they are not necessarily comparable to non-GAAP financial measures that other companies use. See below for a reconciliation of these non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure.

Consolidated Statements of Income (unaudited) (dollars in thousands, except share data)

Third Quarter 2019 Earnings Release

Third Quarter 2019 Earnings Release		Three Months Ended September 30,						Nine Months Ended September 30,			
		2019		2018		2019	2018				
Interest income:											
Loans, including fees	\$	21,005	\$	14,167	\$	62,596	\$	40,197			
Securities:											
Taxable		1,028		951		3,540		2,775			
Tax-exempt		354		248		1,093		784			
Federal funds sold		1		17		26		56			
Restricted equity securities		183		132		584		389			
Interest-bearing deposits in financial institutions		645		267		1,502		679			
Total interest income		23,216		15,782		69,341		44,880			
Interest expense:											
Interest-bearing deposits		2,102		1,146		5,523		2,793			
Savings and money market accounts		1,944		1,409		5,445		3,827			
Time deposits		1,887		985		5,917		2,468			
Federal funds purchased		_		1		4		3			
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase		_		_		5		_			
Federal Home Loan Bank advances		127		698		1,281		1,813			
Total interest expense		6,060		4,239		18,175		10,904			
Net interest income		17,156		11,543		51,166		33,976			
Provision for loan losses		(125)		481		761		1,328			
Net interest income after provision for loan losses		17,281		11,062		50,405		32,648			
Noninterest income:		- 7,201		,			_	,			
Treasury management and other deposit service charges		788		528		2,399		1,357			
Net gain (loss) on sale of securities		_		(1)		(108)		2			
Tri-Net fees		847		373		2,511		1,227			
Mortgage banking income		2,679		1,634		7,151		4,329			
Other noninterest income		2,474		684		6,602		2,157			
Total noninterest income	 	6,788		3,218	_	18,555		9,072			
Noninterest expense:		0,700		3,210		10,555	_	7,072			
Salaries and employee benefits		9,229		6,514		26,224		19,111			
Data processing and software		1,790		803		5,126		2,411			
Professional fees		528		255		1,571		1,074			
Occupancy		858		544		2,550		1,600			
Equipment		1,012		520		2,890		1,661			
Regulatory fees		1,012		228		564		664			
Merger related expenses		187		540		2,491		875			
Amortization of intangibles		408		3		1,258		23			
Other operating		1,501		663		4,054		2,236			
Total noninterest expense		15,531		10,070		46,728		29,655			
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Income before income taxes		8,538		4,210		22,232		12,065			
Income tax expense	Φ.	2,072	Φ.	554	Φ.	5,231	Φ.	1,702			
Net income	\$	6,466	\$	3,656	\$	17,001	\$	10,363			
Per share information:											
Basic net income per share of common stock	\$	0.36	\$	0.30	\$	0.96	\$	0.87			
Diluted net income per share of common stock	\$	0.35	\$	0.28	\$	0.91	\$	0.79			
Weighted average shares outstanding:											
Basic		17,741,778		12,040,229		17,729,518		11,851,476			
Diluted		18,532,479		13,113,775		18,670,280		13,052,758			
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Selected Quarterly Financial Data (unaudited) (dollars in thousands, except share data)

Third Quarter 2019 Earnings Release

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		9/30/19		6/30/19		3/31/19		12/31/18	_	9/30/18
Income Statement Data:										
Net interest income	\$	17,156	\$	17,008	\$	17,002	\$	17,716	\$	11,543
Provision for loan losses		(125)		<u> </u>		886		1,514		481
Net interest income after provision for loan losses		17,281		17,008		16,116		16,202		11,062
Treasury management and other deposit service charges		788		813		798		793		528
Net gain (loss) on sale of securities		_		(121)		12		1		(1
Tri-Net fees		847		1,024		641		276		373
Mortgage banking income		2,679		3,087		1,385		1,324		1,634
Other noninterest income		2,474		2,229		1,899		3,993		684
Total noninterest income		6,788		7,032		4,735		6,387		3,218
Salaries and employee benefits		9,229		8,563		8,432		9,475		6,514
Data processing and software		1,790		1,862		1,474		1,424		803
Professional fees		528		501		543		534		255
Occupancy		858		809		883		736		544
Equipment		1,012		1,026		852		810		520
Regulatory fees		18		272		274		364		228
Merger related expenses		187		1,711		594		8,929		540
Amortization of intangibles		408		419		430		442		3
Other operating		1,501		1,307		1,243		1,118		663
Total noninterest expense		15,531		16,470		14,725		23,832	_	10,070
Net income (loss) before income tax expense	_	8,538	-	7,570	_	6,126	-	(1,243)	_	4,210
Income tax (benefit) expense		2,072		1,814		1,346		(535)		554
Net income (loss)	\$	6,466	\$	5,756	\$	4,780	\$	(708)	\$	3,656
Weighted average shares - basic		17,741,778	Ψ	17,663,992	Ψ	17,783,239	<u> </u>	17,509,525	<u> </u>	12,040,229
Weighted average shares - diluted		18,532,479		18,650,706		18,830,933		18,716,562		13,113,775
Net income (loss) per share, basic	\$	0.36	\$	0.33	\$	0.27	\$	(0.04)	\$	0.30
Net income (loss) per share, diluted	J	0.35	Ф	0.33	Ф	0.27	Ф	(0.04)	Þ	0.30
· /1		0.55		0.51		0.23		(0.04)		0.28
Balance Sheet Data (at period end):	\$	154,021	\$	156.085	\$	120 221	\$	105.443	\$	52.589
Cash and cash equivalents	3		Ф	,	Ф	120,321	Ф	, -	Ф	187,469
Securities available-for-sale		203,500 3,319		194,957 3,721		233,691 3,727		243,808 3,734		3,740
Securities held-to-maturity Loans held for sale		129,613		89,629						50,499
						72,870		57,618		
Total loans Allowance for loan losses		1,411,768		1,440,617		1,467,786		1,429,794		1,073,870
		(12,828)		(12,903)		(12,959)		(12,113)		(15,218)
Total assets		2,033,911		2,018,421		2,035,811		1,963,883		1,416,907
Non-interest-bearing deposits		352,266		326,550		312,597		289,552		239,792
Interest-bearing deposits		1,379,497		1,396,220		1,366,205		1,280,456		886,611
Federal Home Loan Bank advances		10,000		10,000		75,000		125,000		125,000
Total liabilities	6	1,765,829	e.	1,755,757	e.	1,776,060	e.	1,709,504	e	1,259,397
Shareholders' equity	\$	268,082	\$	262,664	\$	259,751	\$	254,379	\$	157,510
Total shares of common stock outstanding		18,343,403		17,561,476		17,765,124		17,724,721		12,125,122
Total shares of preferred stock outstanding	0	14.61	Ф	878,048	Ф	878,048	Ф	878,048	¢.	878,048
Book value per share of common stock	\$	14.61	\$	14.44	\$	14.11	\$	13.84	\$	12.25
Tangible book value per share of common stock*	0	12.17	Ф	11.87	Ф	11.55	Ф	11.25	¢.	11.74
Market value per share of common stock	\$	16.58	\$	15.15	\$	14.44	\$	14.73	\$	16.72
Capital ratios:		40.000		10.5				100.00		40
Total risk based capital		13.46%		13.29%		12.64%		12.84%		12.62
Tier 1 risk based capital		12.71%		12.53%		11.90%		12.13%		11.49
Common equity tier 1 capital		12.71%		12.01%		11.40%		11.61%		10.83
Leverage		11.24%		11.01%		10.97%)	11.06%		11.02

^{*}This metric is a non-GAAP financial measure. See below for discussion and reconciliation to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure.

Selected Quarterly Financial Data (unaudited) (dollars in thousands, except share data)

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\$	9/30/19 129,114 211,460 101,835	\$	93,523	\$	3/31/19		12/31/18		9/30/18
\$	211,460	\$	93,523	¢	02.600				
\$	211,460	\$	93,523	· ·					
				Φ	83,689	\$	83,560	\$	62,787
	101 835		228,283		251,631		256,595		196,031
	101,000		91,585		66,880		52,131		54,701
	1,445,755		1,469,210		1,461,696		1,439,652		1,070,060
	2,005,950		2,004,207		1,988,478		1,940,991		1,421,873
	1,370,988		1,364,211		1,299,205		1,271,602		913,534
	1,704,873		1,678,240		1,588,317		1,579,250		1,147,274
	12,174		42,088		117,278		102,304		109,728
	1,739,509		1,743,010		1,731,373		1,695,181		1,265,610
	266,441		261,197		257,105		245,811		156,264
	1.28%		1.15%		0.97%		(0.14)%		1.02%
	9.63%		8.84%		7.54%		(1.14)%		9.28%
	3.66%		3.68%		3.75%		3.89%		3.35%
	1.34%		1.41%		0.97%		1.31%		0.90%
	64.87%		68.51%		67.74%		98.88%		68.22%
\$	382,816	\$	404,745	\$	419,941	\$	404,600	\$	398,626
	169,370		173,316		170,558		141,931		117,904
	407,378		421,496		403,443		408,515		286,848
	132,222		123,901		162,237		174,670		129,799
	254,736		255,043		248,943		253,562		112,957
	29,059		26,704		26,241		25,615		8,274
	36,187		35,412		36,423		20,901		19,462
	0.91%		0.90%		0.88%		0.85%		1.429
	754%		894%		757%		583%		2719
\$	1,701	\$	1,443	\$	1,712	\$	2,078	\$	5,610
	2,725		1,238		1,255		1,391		1,146
	551		302		_		214		215
	1,701		1,443		1,712		2,078		5,610
	914		914		1,038		988		_
	2.615		2,357		2.750		3.066		5,610
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	0.13%		0.12%						0.40%
	0.19%		0.16%						0.52%
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									1.64%
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⁽¹⁾ Net Interest Margin, Securities yields, and Total interest-earning asset yields are calculated on a tax-equivalent basis

Analysis of Interest Income and Expense, Rates and Yields (unaudited) (dollars in thousands)

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	For the Three Months Ended September 30,							
		2019			2018			
	Average Outstanding Balance	Interest Income/ Expense	Average Yield/ Rate	Average Outstanding Balance	Interest Income/ Expense	Average Yield/ Rate		
Interest-Earning Assets								
Loans (1)	\$ 1,445,755	\$ 19,955	5.48%	\$ 1,070,060	\$ 13,484	5.00%		
Loans held for sale	101,835	1,050	4.09%	54,701	683	4.96%		
Securities:								
Taxable investment securities (2)	160,528	1,211	3.02%	154,570	1,083	2.80%		
Investment securities exempt from								
federal income tax (3)	50,932	354	3.52%	41,461	248	3.03%		
Total securities	211,460	1,565	3.14%	196,031	1,331	2.85%		
Cash balances in other banks	110,690	645	2.31%	50,844	267	2.08%		
Funds sold	144	1	3.46%	2,475	17	2.73%		
Total interest-earning assets	1,869,884	23,216	4.95%	1,374,111	15,782	4.58%		
Noninterest-earning assets	136,066			47,762				
Total assets	\$ 2,005,950			\$ 1,421,873				
Interest-Bearing Liabilities								
Interest-bearing deposits:								
Interest-bearing transaction accounts	\$ 527,759	2,102	1.58%	\$ 318,586	1,146	1.43%		
Savings and money market deposits	494,183	1,944	1.56%	391,107	1,409	1.43%		
Time deposits	349,046	1,887	2.14%	203,841	985	1.92%		
Total interest-bearing deposits	1,370,988	5,933	1.72%	913,534	3,540	1.54%		
Borrowings and repurchase agreements	12,174	127	4.12%	109,891	699	2.53%		
Total interest-bearing liabilities	1,383,162	6,060	1.74%	1,023,425	4,239	1.64%		
Noninterest-bearing deposits	333,885			233,739				
Total funding sources	1,717,047			1,257,164				
Noninterest-bearing liabilities	22,462			8,445				
Shareholders' equity	266,441			156,264				
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$ 2,005,950			\$ 1,421,873				
Net interest spread (4)			3.21%			2.93%		
Net interest income/margin (5)		\$ 17,156	3.66%		\$ 11,543	3.35%		

- (1) Average loan balances include nonaccrual loans. Interest income on loans includes amortization of deferred loan fees, net of deferred loan costs.
- (2) Taxable investment securities include restricted equity securities.
- (3) Yields on tax exempt securities, total securities, and total interest-earning assets are shown on a tax equivalent basis.
- 4) Net interest spread is the average yield on total average interest-earning assets minus the average rate on total average interest-bearing liabilities.
- (5) Net interest margin is annualized net interest income calculated on a tax equivalent basis divided by total average interest-earning assets for the period.

Non-GAAP Financial Measures (unaudited) (dollars in thousands except share data)

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	Three Months Ended									
	Se	ptember 30, 2019	Ju	ne 30, 2019	Ma	arch 31, 2019	December 31, 2018		Se	ptember 30, 2018
Operating net income:										_
Net income (loss)	\$	6,466	\$	5,756	\$	4,780	\$	(708)	\$	3,656
Add: merger related expenses		187		1,711		594		8,929		540
Less: income tax impact of merger related expenses		(49)		(447)		(155)		(1,985)		(141)
Operating net income	\$	6,604	\$	7,020	\$	5,219	\$	6,236	\$	4,055
Operating diluted net income per										
share of common stock:		6.604	Φ.	7.020	Φ.	5.010	0	6.006		4.055
Operating net income	\$	6,604	\$	7,020	\$	5,219	\$	6,236	\$	4,055
Weighted average shares - diluted		18,532,479	_	18,650,706	_	18,830,933	_	18,716,562		13,113,775
Operating diluted net income per share of common stock	· ·	0.36	\$	0.38	•	0.28	\$	0.33	•	0.31
per share of common stock	3	0.30	3	0.38	<u>\$</u>	0.28	3	0.33	3	0.31
Operating annualized return on average assets:										
Operating net income	\$	6,604	\$	7,020	\$	5,219	\$	6,236	\$	4,055
Average assets	\$	2,005,950	\$	2,004,207	\$	1,988,478	\$	1,940,991	\$	1,421,873
Operating annualized return on										
average assets	<u> </u>	1.31%	_	1.40%	_	1.06%	_	1.27%	_	1.13%
Operating annualized return on										
average tangible equity:										
Average total shareholders' equity	\$	266,441	\$	261,197	\$	257,105	\$	245,811	\$	156,264
Less: average intangible assets		(45,050)		(45,456)		(45,890)		(45,687)		(6,220)
Average tangible equity	 	221,391		215,741		211,215	_	200,124		150,044
Operating net income	<u>\$</u>	6,604	\$	7,020	\$	5,219	\$	6,236	\$	4,055
Operating annualized return on average tangible equity	_	11.83%		13.05%	_	10.02%	_	12.36%	_	10.72%
Operating efficiency ratio:										
Total noninterest expense	S	15,531	\$	16,470	\$	14,725	\$	23,832	S	10.070
Less: merger related expenses	Ψ	(187)	Ψ	(1,711)	Ψ	(594)	Ψ	(8,929)	Ψ	(540)
Total operating noninterest expense	_	15,344		14,759		14.131	_	14,903	_	9,530
Net interest income		17,156		17,008		17,002	_	17,716		11,543
Total noninterest income		6,788		7,032		4,735		6,387		3,218
Total revenues	•	23,944	e.	24,040	\$	21,737	•	24,103	•	14,761
	<u>s</u>	64.08%	<u> </u>	61.39%	<u> </u>	65.01%	3	61.83%	3	64.56%
Operating efficiency ratio:	_	04.08%		01.39%	_	65.01%		01.83%	_	04.30%
	Se	ptember 30, 2019	Ju	ne 30, 2019	Ma	arch 31, 2019	D	ecember 31, 2018	Se	ptember 30, 2018
Tangible Equity:										
Total shareholders' equity	\$	268,082	\$	262,664	\$	259,751	\$	254,379	\$	157,510
Less: intangible assets		(44,790)		(45,199)		(45,618)		(46,048)		(6,219)
Tangible equity	\$	223,292	\$	217,465	\$	214,133	\$	208,331	\$	151,291
Tangible Common Equity:										
Tangible equity	\$	223,292	\$	217,465	\$	214,133	\$	208,331	\$	151,291
Less: preferred equity				(9,000)		(9,000)		(9,000)		(9,000)
Tangible common equity	\$	223,292	\$	208,465	\$	205,133	\$	199,331	\$	142,291
Tangible Book Value per Share of Common Stock:										
Tangible common equity	\$	223,292	\$	208,465	\$	205,133	\$	199,331	\$	142,291
Total shares of common stock outstanding		18,343,403		17,561,476		17,765,124		17,724,721		12,125,122
Tangible book value per share of common stock	\$	12.17	\$	11.87	\$	11.55	\$	11.25	\$	11.74
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Non-GAAP Financial Measures (unaudited) (dollars in thousands except share data)

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		Nine Months Ended			
	September 30, 2	019	Septem	ber 30, 2018	
Operating net income:					
Net income	\$	17,001	\$	10,363	
Add: merger related expenses		2,491		875	
Less: income tax impact of merger related expenses		(651)		(229)	
Operating net income	\$	18,841	\$	11,009	
Operating diluted net income per share of common stock:					
Operating net income	\$	18,841	\$	11,009	
Weighted average shares - diluted		18,670,280		13,052,758	
Operating diluted net income per share of common stock	\$	1.01	\$	0.84	
Operating annualized return on average assets:					
Operating net income	\$	18,841	\$	11,009	
Average assets	\$	1,999,609	\$	1,390,046	
Operating annualized return on					
average assets		1.26%		1.06%	
Operating annualized return on average tangible equity:					
Average total shareholders' equity	\$	261,615	\$	152,054	
Less: average intangible assets		(45,462)		(6,229)	
Average tangible equity	<u></u>	216,153		145,825	
Operating net income	\$	18,841	\$	11,009	
Operating annualized return on average tangible equity		11.65%		10.09%	
Operating efficiency ratio:					
Total noninterest expense	\$	46,728	\$	29,655	
Less: merger related expenses		(2,491)		(875)	
Total operating noninterest expense		44,237		28,780	
Net interest income		51,166	_	33,976	
Total noninterest income		18,555		9,072	
Total revenues	\$	69,721	\$	43,048	
Operating efficiency ratio:		63.45%		66.86%	



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increased competition in the financial services industry, locally, regionally, or nationally, which may adversely affect pricing and the other terms offered to our clients; an increase in the cost of deposits, loss of deposits or a change in the deposit mix, which could increase our cost of funding; an increase in the costs of capital, which could negatively affect our ability to borrow funds, successfully raise additional capital or participate in strategic acquisition opportunities; our dependence on our management team and board of directors and changes in our management and board composition; our reputation in the community; our ability to execute our strategy and to achieve our loan ROAA and efficiency ratio goals, hire seasoned bankers, loan and deposit growth through organic growth and strategic acquisitions; credit risks related to the size of our borrowers and our ability to adequately identify, assess and limit our credit risk; our concentration of large loans to a small number of borrowers; the significant portion of our loan portfolio that originated during the past two years and therefore may less reliably predict future collectability than older loans; the adequacy of reserves (including our allowance for loan losses) and the appropriateness of our methodology for calculating such reserves; non-performing loans and leases; non-performing assets; charge-offs, non-accruals, troubled debt restructurings, impairments and other creditrelated issues; adverse trends in the healthcare service industry, which is an integral component of our market's economy; our management of risks inherent in our commercial real estate loan portfolio, and the risk of a prolonged downturn in the real estate market, which could impair the value of our collateral and our ability to sell collateral upon any foreclosure; governmental legislation and regulation, including changes in the nature and timing of the adoption and effectiveness of new requirements under the Dodd-Frank Act of 2010, as amended, Basel guidelines, capital requirements, accounting regulation or standards and other applicable laws and regulations; the impact of the Tax Cuts and Job Act of 2017, as amended, on the Company and its financial performance and results of operations; the loss of large depositor relationships, which could force us to fund our business through more expensive and less stable sources; operational and liquidity risks associated with our business, including liquidity risks inherent in correspondent banking; volatility in interest rates and our overall management of interest rate risk, including managing the sensitivity of our interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities to interest rates, and the impact to our earnings from a change in interest rates; the potential for our bank's regulatory lending limits and other factors related to our size to restrict our growth and prevent us from effectively implementing our business strategy; strategic acquisitions we may undertake to achieve our goals; the sufficiency of our capital, including sources of capital and the extent to which we may be required to raise additional capital to meet our goals; fluctuations in the fair value of our investment securities that are beyond our control; deterioration in the fiscal position of the U.S. government and downgrades in Treasury and federal agency securities; potential exposure to fraud, negligence, computer theft and cyber-crime; the adequacy of our risk management framework; our dependence on our information technology and telecommunications systems and the potential for any systems failures or interruptions; threats to and breaches of our information technology systems and data security, including cyber-attacks; our dependence upon outside third parties for the processing and handling of our records and data; our ability to adapt to technological change; the financial soundness of other financial institutions; our exposure to environmental liability risk associated with our lending activities; our engagement in derivative transactions; our involvement from time to time in legal proceedings and examinations and remedial actions by regulators; 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Third Quarter 2019 Highlights

- Operating EPS⁽¹⁾ of \$0.36 up \$0.05 or 16.1% year-over year.
- Operating Return on Average Assets⁽¹⁾ of 1.31%; ROATE of 11.83%.
- Tangible Book Value per share increased 10.1% annualized from \$11.87 to \$12.17 on a linked quarter basis.
- Annualized Average Deposit growth of 6.3% over 2Q19.
- Noninterest Income to Average Assets of 1.34% driven predominately by Mortgage and TriNet Fees.
- Current Criticized and Classified loans continue to be at a low level.
- One year anniversary of our acquisition of Athens Federal (October 1, 2018).

(1) Operating results are non-GAAP financial measures that adjust GAAP reported net income and other metrics for certain income and expense items as outlined in the non-GAAP reconciliation calculations included in the Appendix at the end of this presentation using a blended statutory income tax rate of 26.14% excluding non-deductible one-time merger related items.





Third Quarter 2019 Highlights, continued

Successful exit of founding shareholder and largest investor, Corsair Capital

- CSTR purchased \$2.0MM (130K shares).
- Certain board members and management purchased \$3.5MM (227K shares).
- Several institutional investors purchased remaining shares (1.2MM shares) improving diversification of shareholder base and trading volume has increased post transaction.



Sound, Profitable, Growth Financial Metrics - 3Q19

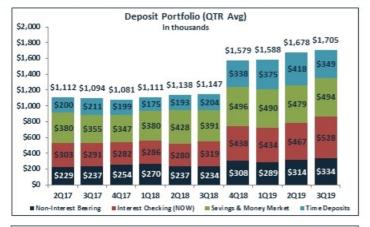
	Operating Metrics ¹	3Q19	2Q19	3Q18
	Allowance for Loan Losses to Total Loans	0.91%	0.90%	1.42
	Net Charge-Offs to Average Loans (Periods Annualized)	-0.01%	0.02%	-0.01
Soundness	Non-Performing Assets/Assets	0.13%	0.12%	0.40
	Total Risk Based Capital Ratio	13.46%	13.29%	12.6
	Tangible Common Equity / Tangible Assets	11.23%	10.56%	10.09
	Return on Average Assets (ROAA)	1,31%	1.40%	1.1
	Return on Average Equity (ROAE)	9.83%	10.78%	10.2
Profitability	Return on Average Tangible Equity (ROATE)	11.83%	13.05%	10.7
	Efficiency Ratio ²	64.08%	61.39%	64.5
	Net Interest Margin ³ (tax equivalent basis)	3.66%	3.68%	3.3
		45.50	47.00	
	Operating Net Income	\$6.60	\$7.02	\$4.
	Diluted EPS	\$0.36	\$0.38	\$0.
Growth	Tangible Book Value per Share	\$12.17	\$11.87	\$11
	Total Loans (Avg)	\$1,446	\$1,469	\$1,0
	Total Deposits (Avg)	\$1,705	\$1,678	\$1,1
	Total Assets (Avg)	\$2,006	\$2,004	\$1,4

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(2) Efficiency ratio is Noninterest expense divided by the sum of net interest income and noninterest income
(3) Calculated on a tax equivalent basis.



Deposit Growth and Costs





- Avg Deposit balances grew 6.3% on an annualized basis from 2Q19.
 - Avg DDA balances grew of 25.1% on an annualized basis from 2Q19.
 - Avg NOW balances grew of 51.3% on an annualized basis from 2Q19.
- Excluding Day 1 deposits from Athens, organic average deposit growth was 17.9% vs. 3Q18.
- Deposit costs down slightly due to rate adjustments late in the quarter.

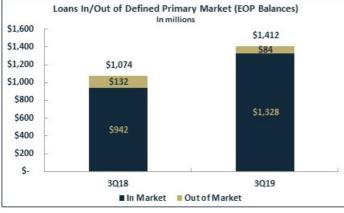
	3	Q19	Change Vs. 2Q19*				Change Vs. 3Q18			
\$ in millions		\$		\$	%	\$		%		
Bala										
Non-Interest Bearing	\$	352	\$	26	31.2%	\$	112	46.9%		
Interest Checking (NOW)		563		71	57.7%		255	83.1%		
Savings & Money Market		510		1	1.0%		133	35.2%		
Time Deposit's under \$100K		74		(32)	-119.3%		35	91.5%		
Time Deposit's over \$100K		233		(57)	-78.7%		70	42.5%		
Deposits	\$	1,732	\$	9	2.1%	\$	605	53.7%		



^{*}Annualized % change from 2Q19 to 3Q19

Loan Growth





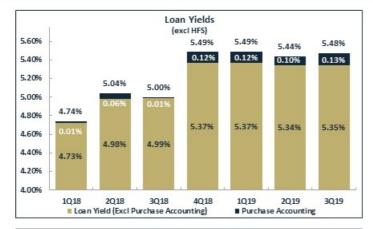
- Avg Loans HFI decreased 6.3% on an annualized basis from 2Q19. Payoffs and paydowns remained elevated for the quarter.
- Excluding Day 1 loans from Athens, organic average loan growth was 2.9% over 3Q18.
- Total "in market" growth was 4.5% excluding Athens vs. 3Q18 while our "out of market" loans declined \$49MM from \$132MM in 3Q18 to \$84MM over the same period.

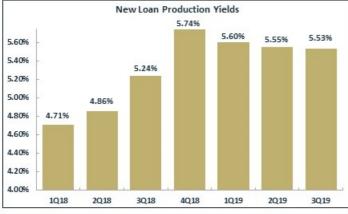
	3Q19	Change V	s. 2Q19*	Change \	/s. 3Q18
s in millions	\$	\$	96	\$	%
Balance Sheet ((EOP Bal	ances)			-
Commercial and Industrial	\$383	\$(22)	-21.5%	\$(16)	-4.0%
Commercial Real Estate (Non-Owner Occupied)	407	(14)	-13.3%	121	42.0%
Commercial Real Estate (Owner Occupied)	169	(4)	-9.0%	51	43.7%
Consumer Real Estate	255	(0)	-0.5%	142	125.5%
Construction & Land Development	132	8	26.6%	2	1.9%
Consumer	29	2	35.0%	21	251.2%
Other	37	1	8.7%	17	85.9%
Total Loans	\$1,412	\$(29)	-7.9%	\$338	31.5%



^{*}Annualized % change from 2Q19 to 3Q19

Loan Yields





- Overall loan yield was 5.48%, up 4 bps from the prior quarter.
- The yield on new loan production was 5.53% and above the portfolio average for the last 4 quarters.
- The average 1 month Libor rate was 2.19% and down 26 bps from the second quarter, which negatively impacted our variable rate loan book by 9 bps.
- Loan fees increased 12 bps from the prior quarter predominately due to the immediate recognition of amortized loan fees with early loan payoffs.

Loan Yield Rollforward					
2Q19 (Avg)	5.44%				
Increase in Loan Fees	0.12%				
Increase in Purchase Accounting	0.03%				
Loan Volume/Mix	(0.02%)				
Repricing of Variable Rate Loans	(0.09%)				
3Q19 (Avg)	5.48%				



Net Interest Margin⁽¹⁾



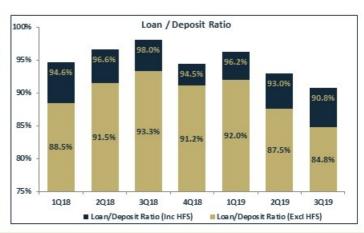
2Q19 ((Avg)							3.68%
			Net Int	erest N	/largin			
	1Q18	2Q18 Net li	3Q18 nterest Inco	4Q18 me\$ ===	1Q19 Net Inter	2Q19 est Margin	3Q19 %	
\$6 -								3.00%
\$8 -	3.39%	3.46%	3.35%					
210		_				3.68%	3.66%	- 3.50%
\$10 -								

Net Interest Margin	
2Q19 (Avg)	3.68%
Decrease in Loan Balances	(0.07%)
Decrease in Investment Balances & Yields	(0.04%)
Increase in Interest Bearing Cash Balances	0.05%
Increase in Loan Yields	0.03%

0.01%

3.66%

- · Our NIM was 3.66% and decreased 2 bps.
- The mix of our balance sheet impacted our NIM. A combination of lower loans and investments coupled with an increase in deposits resulted in higher cash balances.
- · EOP loan to deposit ratio decreased to 90.8% with loan payoffs late in the quarter.



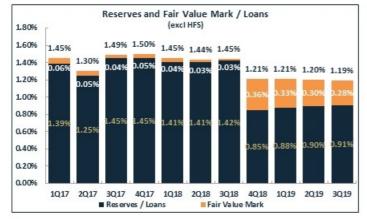
(1) Calculated on a tax equivalent basis

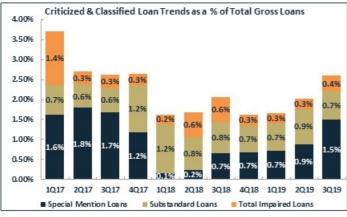
3Q19 (Avg)

Change in Deposit Mix & Lower Rates



Credit Quality





- The current reserve of \$12.8MM plus the \$4.0MM fair value mark on acquired loans equates to a 1.19% reserve/loans.
- Adjusting for small ticket consumer credits, the average Criticized Loan Balance remains less than \$300K.
- The increase in Special Mention is centered in a real estate secured credit with no loss expectation.
- Current NPAs/Assets remain at a low level.





Noninterest Income

Noninterest Income was 1.34% of Average Assets.

				TI	ree	Months Ende	d			
(Dollars in thousands)	Sep	tember 30, 2019		June 30, 2019	ı	March 31, 2019	De	cember 31, 2018	Sep	tember 30, 2018
Noninterest Income										
Treasury Management and Other Deposit Service Charges	\$	788	\$	813	\$	798	\$	793	\$	528
Net Gain (Loss) on Sale of Securities		0		(121)		12		1		(1)
Tri-Net Fees		847		1,024		641		276		373
Mortgage Banking Income		2,679		3,087 ⁽¹⁾		1,385		1,324		1,634
Other		2,474		2,229		1,899		3,993		684
Total Noninterest Income	5	6,788	5	7,032	5	4,735	5	6,387	5	3,218
Average Assets		2,005,950		2,004,207		1,988,478		1,940,991		1,421,873
Noninterest Income / Average Assets		1.34%		1.41%		0.97%		1.31%		0.909

- Treasury Management and other Deposit Service Charges down due to clients paying TM fees with deposit balances.
- Tri-Net fees of \$847K in line with previous guidance.
- Mortgage income predominantly due to higher volumes and spreads.
- Other fee businesses (Debit card Interchange, Wealth, SBA fees, BOLI, Title and Finance company) continue to demonstrate growth.

Noninterest Expense

Operating Efficiency slightly elevated due to one-time costs and bubble IT expenses.

.42	Three Months Ended											
(Dollars in thousands)	Sep	tember 30, 2019		June 30, 2019		March 31, 2019	De	cember 31, 2018	Sej	ptember 30, 2018		
Noninterest Expense												
Salaries and Employee Benefits	\$	9,229	\$	8,563	\$	8,432	\$	9,475	\$	6,514		
Data Processing & Software		1,790		1,862		1,474		1,424		803		
Professional Fees		528		501		543		534		255		
Occupancy		858		809		883		736		544		
Equipment		1,012		1,026		852		810		520		
Regulatory Fees		18		272		274		364		228		
Merger Related Expenses		187		1,711		594		8,929		540		
Amortization of Intangibles		408		419		430		442		3		
Other Operating		1,501		1,307		1,243		1,118		663		
Total Noninterest Expense	\$	15,531	\$	16,470	\$	14,725	\$	23,832	\$	10,070		
Efficiency Ratio		64.87%		68.51%		67.74%		98.88%		68.22%		
Average Assets	5	2,005,950	5	2,004,207	5	1,988,478	5	1,940,991	5	1,421,873		
Noninterest Expense / Average Assets		3.07%		3.30%		3.00%		4.87%		2.81%		
FTE		290		290		289		286		185		
Operating Noninterest Expense ⁽¹⁾	\$	15,344	\$	14,759	\$	14,131	\$	14,903	\$	9,530		
Operating Efficiency Ratio ⁽¹⁾		64.08%		61.39%		65.01%		61.83%		64.56%		
Operating Noninterest Expense / Average Assets ⁽¹⁾		3.04%		2.95%		2.88%		3.05%		2.66%		

- Salaries and Employee Benefits elevated due to increased incentive accrual and one-time severance expense of \$176K.
- · Regulatory Fees lower due to a FDIC credit of \$200K.
- \$100K of double expenses for two managed IT providers; one vendor goes away in 4Q19.

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Capital

All capital ratios increased from the prior quarter and are above regulatory guidelines.

Capital Ratios	9/30/19	6/30/19	3/31/19	12/31/18	"Well Capitalized" Guidelines
Tangible Common Equity / Tangible Assets*	11.23%	10.56%	10.31%	10.39%	NA
Leverage	11.24%	11.01%	10.97%	11.06%	≥ 5.00%
Tier 1 Risk Based Capital	12.71%	12.53%	11.90%	12.13%	≥ 8.00%
Total Risk Based Capital	13.46%	13.29%	12.64%	12.84%	≥ 10.00%

- Shares repurchases:
 - 3Q19: 129,786 CSTR shares in 3Q19 at an average price of \$15.41 per share.
 - YTD 2019: 504,786 CSTR shares at an average price of \$15.52 per share.
- \$9 million remaining under current share repurchase authorization announced on September 6, 2019.
- Paid quarterly cash dividend of \$0.05 per share to common shareholders on August 26, 2019.
- With the exit of Corsair Capital, all shares of preferred and non-voting common stock have been converted into shares of voting common stock.



Points of Emphasis

- CapStar's strategy remains one of sound, profitable growth:
 - Continuing to build out a client-centric model committed to serving local consumers, small and medium sized businesses and their owners and employees in our target markets.
 - Expanding market share in Middle and East Tennessee.
 - Building a consistent and stable earnings franchise.
 - Improving our ability to grow stable, low cost deposits.
 - Maintaining a sound credit profile.
 - Exploring strategic and opportunistic M&A.



Appendix: Non-GAAP Reconciliations



(Dollars in thousands, except per share information)	Sep	tember 30, 2019	ine 30, 2019	M	arch 31, 2019	Dec	ember 31, 2018	Sept	ember 30 2018
TANGIBLE EQUITY									
Total Shareholders' Equity	\$	268,082	\$ 262,664	\$	259,751	\$	254,379	\$	157,510
Less: Intangible Assets		44,790	45,199		45,618		46,048		6,219
Tangible Equity		223,292	217,465		214,133		208,331		151,291
TANGIBLE COMMON EQUITY									
Tangible Equity	\$	223,292	\$ 217,465	Ş	214,133	\$	208,331	\$	151,291
Less: Preferred Equity		-	9,000		9,000		9,000		9,000
Tangible Common Equity		223,292	208,465		205,133		199,331		142,291
TANGIBLE COMMON EQUITY TO TANGIBLE ASSETS					Co.				
Tangible Common Equity	\$	223,292	\$ 208,465	Ş	205,133	\$	199,331	Ş	142,291
Total Assets		2,033,911	2,018,421		2,035,811		1,963,883		1,416,907
Less: Intangible Assets		44,790	45,199		45,618		46,048		6,219
Tangible Assets		1,989,121	1,973,223		1,990,193		1,917,835		1,410,689
Tangible Common Equity to Tangible Assets		11.23%	10.56%		10.31%		10.39%		10.09%



		Three Months Ended									
(Dollars in thousands, except per share information)	Sept	ember 30, 2019		ine 30, 2019	M	arch 31, 2019		mber 31, 2018		ember 30, 2018	
RETURN ON AVERAGE TANGIBLE EQUITY (ROATE)											
Total Average Shareholders' Equity	\$	266,441	\$	261,197	\$	257,105	\$	245,811	\$	156,264	
Less: Average Intangible Assets		45,050		45,456		45,890		45,687		6,220	
Average Tangible Equity		221,391		215,741		211,215		200,124		150,044	
Net Income		6,466		5,756		4,780		(708)		3,656	
Return on Average Tangible Equity (ROATE)		11.59%		10.70%		9.18%		-1.40%		9.67%	
RETURN ON AVERAGE TANGIBLE COMMON EQUITY (I	ROATC	Ε)									
Average Tangible Equity	\$	221,391	\$	215,741	\$	211,215	\$	200,124	\$	150,044	
Less: Preferred Equity		7,043		9,000		9,000		9,000		9,000	
Average Tangible Common Equity		214,347		206,741		202,215		191,124		141,044	
Net Income		6,466		5,756		4,780		(708)		3,656	
Return on Average Tangible Common Equity (ROATCE)		11.97%		11.17%		9.59%		-1.47%		10.28%	



(Dollars in thousands, except per share information)	September 30, 2019	June 30, 2019	March 31, 2019	December 31, 2018	September 30 2018
TANGIBLE BOOK VALUE PER SHARE, REPORTED					
Tangible Common Equity	\$ 223,292	\$ 208,465	\$ 205,133	\$ 199,331	\$ 142,291
Shares of Common Stock Outstanding	18,343,403	17,561,476	17,765,124	17,724,721	12,125,122
Tangible Book Value Per Share, Reported	\$ 12.17	\$11.87	\$11.55	\$11.25	\$11.74
SHARES OUTSTANDING AT END OF PERIOD			21		
Shares of Common Stock Outstanding	18,343,403	17,561,476	17,765,124	17,724,721	12,125,122
Shares of Preferred Stock Outstanding	-	878,048	878,048	878,048	878,048
Total Shares Outstanding at End of Period	18,343,403	18,439,524	18,643,172	18,602,769	13,003,170
TANGIBLE BOOK VALUE PER SHARE, ADJUSTED	A		- 10 - 10	5n	
Tangible Equity	\$ 223,292	\$ 217,465	\$ 214,133	\$ 208,331	\$ 151,291
Total Shares Outstanding at End of Period	18,343,403	18,439,524	18,643,172	18,602,769	13,003,170
Tangible Book Value Per Share, Adjusted	\$ 12.17	\$11.79	\$11.49	\$11.20	\$11.63

				Thr	ee M	onths En	ded			
(Dollars in thousands, except per share information)	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	ember 30, 2019		ne 30, 2019		arch 31, 2019		ember 31, 2018	1000	ember 30, 2018
OPERATING NET INCOME										
Net Income (Loss)	\$	6,466	\$	5,756	\$	4,780	\$	(708)	\$	3,656
Add: Merger Related Expense		187		1,711		594		8,929		540
Less: Income Tax Impact		(49)		(447)		(155)		(1,985)		(141)
Operating Net Income		6,604		7,020		5,219		6,236		4,055
OPERATING DILUTED NET INCOME PER SHARE										
Operating Net Income	\$	6,604	\$	7,020	\$	5,219	\$	6,236	\$	4,055
Average Diluted Shares Outstanding	18	8,532,479	18	,650,706	1	8,830,933	18	8,716,562	1	3,113,775
Operating Diluted Net Income per Share	\$	0.36		\$0.38		\$0.28		\$0.33		\$0.31
OPERATING RETURN ON AVERAGE ASSETS (ROAA)										
Operating Net Income	\$	6,604	\$	7,020	\$	5,219	\$	6,236	\$	4,055
Total Average Assets	:	2,005,950	2	,004,207	:	1,988,478	:	1,940,991	:	1,421,873
Operating Return on Average Assets (ROAA)		1.31%		1.40%		1.06%		1.27%		1.13%
OPERATING RETURN ON AVERAGE TANGIBLE EQUITY	ROAT	E)				3.0				
Average Tangible Equity	\$	221,391	\$	215,741	\$	211,215	\$	200,124	\$	150,044
Operating Net Income		6,604		7,020		5,219		6,236		4,055
Operating Return on Average Tangible Equity (ROATE)		11.83%		13.05%		10.02%		12.36%		10.72%

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	Three Months Ended									
(Dollars in thousands, except per share information)	September 30, 2019		June 30, 2019		March 31, 2019		December 31, 2018		Section 1989	mber 30, 018
OPERATING NONINTEREST EXPENSE										
Noninterest Expense	\$	15,531	\$	16,470	\$	14,725	\$	23,832	\$	10,070
Less: Merger Related Expense		(187)		(1,711)		(594)		(8,929)		(540)
Operating Noninterest Expense		15,344		14,759		14,131		14,903		9,530
OPERATING NONINTEREST EXPENSE / AVERAGE ASSETS					30		266			Ĩ
Operating Noninterest Expense	\$	15,344	\$	14,759	\$	14,131	\$	14,903	\$	9,530
Total Average Assets	2	,005,950	2	,004,207	1	,988,478	1	,940,991	1	,421,873
Operating Noninterest Income / Average Assets		3.04%		2.95%		2.88%		3.05%		2.66%
OPERATING EFFICIENCY RATIO							-71			
Operating Noninterest Expense	\$	15,344	\$	14,759	\$	14,131	\$	14,903	\$	9,530
Net Interest Income		17,156		17,008		17,002		17,716		11,543
Noninterest Income		6,788		7,032		4,735		6,387		3,218
Total Revenues		23,944		24,040		21,737		24,103		14,761
Operating Efficiency Ratio		64.08%		61.39%		65.01%		61.83%		64.56%

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