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United States Securities and Exchange Commission
Division of Corporation Finance
100 F Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20549-7010
Attention: Chris Dunham

**Re: CapStar Financial Holdings, Inc.
Registration Statement on Form S-4
File No. 333-226112
Request for Acceleration**

Dear Mr. Dunham:

Reference is made to the Registration Statement on Form S-4 (File No. 333-226112) filed by CapStar Financial Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on July 10, 2018, as amended by Amendment No. 1 thereto (the "Registration Statement").

The Company hereby requests the Registration Statement be made effective at 9:00 a.m., Eastern time, on July 26, 2018, or as soon as possible thereafter, in accordance with Rule 461 of the General Rules and Regulations promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

If you have any questions or comments concerning this letter, or if you require any additional information, please feel free to contact Matthew M. Guest of Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz at (212) 403-1341 or MGuest@wlrk.com.

Very truly yours,

CapStar Financial Holdings, Inc.

By: /s/ Claire W. Tucker

Name: Claire W. Tucker

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

cc: Matthew M. Guest, *Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz*
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