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Private Bancorp of America, Inc. Announces Strong Net Income and Earnings Per Share for First Quarter 2024

First Quarter 2024 Highlights

- Net income for the first quarter of 2024 of \$7.9 million, compared to \$7.9 million in the prior quarter and \$9.0 million in the first quarter of 2023. Net income for the first quarter of 2024 represents a return on average assets of 1.48% and a return on average tangible common equity of 16.86%
- Diluted earnings per share for the first quarter of 2024 of \$1.36, compared to \$1.36 in the prior quarter and \$1.57 in the first quarter of 2023
- Loans held-for-investment ("HFI") totaled \$1.91 billion as of March 31, 2024, an increase of \$59.8 million or 3.2% (13.0% annualized) from December 31, 2023. Loans HFI increased 17.5% year over year
- Provision for credit losses for the first quarter of 2024 was \$0.2 million, compared to \$0.5 million for the prior quarter and \$0.1 million for the first quarter of 2023. The allowance for loan losses was 1.29% of loans HFI as of March 31, 2024
- Total deposits were \$1.90 billion as of March 31, 2024, an increase of \$29.3 million or 1.6% (6.3% annualized) from December 31, 2023. Federal Home Loan Bank advances decreased by \$4.0 million as a consequence of deposit growth. Core deposits were \$1.61 billion as of March 31, 2024, an increase of \$22.1 million or 1.4% from December 31, 2023
- Net interest margin was 4.31% for the first quarter of 2024, as compared to 4.33% for the prior quarter and 4.90% for the first quarter of 2023
- Total cost of funding sources was 2.70% for the first quarter of 2024, an increase from 2.53% in the prior quarter and 1.39% in the first quarter of 2023
- Tangible book value per share was \$33.55 as of March 31, 2024, an increase of \$1.47 since December 31, 2023 as a result of strong earnings. Tangible book value per share increased 4.6% quarter-over-quarter and 27.6% year over year.

La Jolla, Calif. – April 19, 2024 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) - Private Bancorp of America, Inc. (OTCQX: PBAM), ("Company") and CalPrivate Bank ("Bank") announced unaudited financial results for the first fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2024. The Company reported net income of \$7.9 million, or \$1.36 per diluted share, for the first quarter of 2024, compared to \$7.9 million, or \$1.36, in the prior quarter, and \$9.0 million, or \$1.57, in the first quarter of 2023.

Rick Sowers, President and CEO of the Company and the Bank stated, "We are pleased with our Team's ability to continue to grow the balance sheet and bring on new Clients. By putting the Client at the center of what we do, we are able to exceed expectations and earn their Trust. Our Service and Relationship Teams continue to excel in a challenging environment. Our performance is a reflection of our Client focused, profit driven mindset. Our goal continues to be adding value for our Team, our Clients and our Shareholders."

Sowers added, "We view this as an opportunistic market. We continue to hire great bankers who share our culture and passion for Client service. Disruption in our markets continues to provide opportunities for us to grow and we fully intend to take advantage of those. To support that growth, we continue to forge ahead with infrastructure and technology investments to support our business and private banking clients, both now and into the future."

"The Company continues to exhibit successful customer acquisition activity despite a challenging interest rate environment. Additionally, the Company is investing in people and infrastructure, including strong risk management, product strategy and innovation needed to support the continued growth of the CalPrivate franchise," said Selwyn Isakow, Chairman of the Board of the Company and the Bank.

STATEMENT OF INCOME

Net Interest Income

Net interest income for the first quarter of 2024 totaled \$22.8 million, an increase of \$0.6 million or 2.6% from the prior quarter and an increase of \$0.6 million or 2.7% from the first quarter of 2023. The increase from the prior quarter was driven primarily by 4.4% growth in interest-earning assets and a 14 basis point increase in asset yields as interest income increased by \$1.7 million. Partially offsetting this was an increase of \$1.1 million in interest expense, which resulted from a 8.2% increase in average interest bearing-liabilities and a 9 basis point increase in the cost of interest-bearing liabilities.

Net Interest Margin

Net interest margin for the first quarter of 2024 was 4.31%, compared to 4.33% for the prior quarter and 4.90% in the first quarter of 2023. The 2 basis point decrease in net interest margin from the prior quarter was due primarily to higher rates paid on deposits, partially offset by higher rates on new loan originations and variable rate loans and investment securities. The yield on earning assets was 6.78% for the first quarter of 2024 compared to 6.64% for the prior quarter, and the cost of interest-bearing liabilities was 3.77% for the first quarter of 2024 compared to 3.68% in the prior quarter. The cost of total deposits was 2.61% for the first quarter of 2024 compared to 2.41% in the prior quarter. The cost of core deposits, which excludes brokered deposits, was 2.14% in the first quarter of 2024 compared to 1.93% in the prior quarter. The spot rate for total deposits was 2.66% as of March 31, 2024, compared to 2.49% at December 31, 2023.

Provision for Credit Losses

Provision expense for credit losses for the first quarter of 2024 was \$0.2 million, compared to \$0.5 million in the prior quarter and \$0.1 million for the first quarter of 2023. For more details, please refer to the "Asset Quality" section below.

Noninterest Income

Noninterest income was \$1.4 million for the first quarter of 2024, compared to \$1.2 million in the prior quarter and \$1.5 million in the first quarter of 2023. SBA loan sales for the first quarter of 2024 were \$8.9 million with a 10.84% average trade premium resulting in a net gain on sale of \$681 thousand, compared with \$6.7 million with a 9.62% average trade premium resulting in a net gain on sale of \$436 thousand in the prior quarter. Management expects continued softness in the market for SBA 7a loans.

Noninterest Expense

Noninterest expense was \$12.8 million for the first quarter of 2024, compared to \$11.8 million in the prior quarter and \$11.6 million in the first quarter of 2023. Compensation and employee benefits expense increased \$919 thousand compared to the prior quarter driven by seasonal increases to benefit expenses and employer taxes, annual merit increases and adjustments to share-based compensation. The efficiency ratio was 52.84% for the first quarter of 2024 compared to 50.22% in the prior quarter and 48.90% in the first quarter of 2023. The increase in the efficiency ratio from the prior quarter was due primarily to the aforementioned increases in compensation and employee benefits expense.

The Company remains committed to making investments in the business, including technology, marketing, and staffing. Inflationary pressures and low unemployment continue to have an impact on rising wages as well as increased costs related to third party service providers, which we proactively monitor and manage.

Provision for Income Tax Expense

Provision for income tax expense was \$3.3 million for the first quarter of 2024, compared to \$3.3 million for the prior quarter. The effective tax rate for the first quarter of 2024 was 29.5%, compared to 29.9% in the prior quarter and 25.2% in the first quarter of 2023.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

As of March 31, 2024, total assets were \$2.19 billion, an increase of \$35.3 million since December 31, 2023. The increase in assets from the prior quarter was primarily due to higher loans receivable and investment securities, partially offset by the decrease in cash balances. Total cash and due from banks was \$141.5 million as of March 31, 2024, a decrease of \$36.6 million or 20.5%, since December 31, 2023, primarily due to the use of funds that were deposited at the end of the prior quarter. Loans HFI totaled \$1.91 billion as of March 31, 2024, an increase of \$59.8 million or 3.2% since December 31, 2023. Investment securities available for sale ("AFS") were \$114.1 million as of March 31, 2024, an increase of \$11.6 million or 11.3% since December 31, 2023 as a result of new securities

purchased. As of March 31, 2024, the net unrealized loss on the AFS investment securities portfolio, which is comprised mostly of US Treasury and Government Agency debt, was \$12.4 million (pre-tax) compared to a loss of \$12.1 million (pre-tax) as of December 31, 2023. The average duration of the Bank's AFS portfolio is 3.6 years. The Company has no held-to-maturity securities.

Total deposits were \$1.90 billion as of March 31, 2024, an increase of \$29.3 million since December 31, 2023. During the quarter, core deposits increased by \$22.1 million, which was driven by a \$78.5 million increase in interest-bearing core deposits (including balances in the Intrafi ICS and CDARS programs), partially offset by a \$56.5 million decrease in noninterest-bearing core deposits. Deposit mix has continued to shift while short-term interest rates remain higher. Noninterest-bearing deposits represent 32.1% of total core deposits. Uninsured deposits, net of collateralized and fiduciary deposit accounts, represent 46.3% of total deposits as of March 31, 2024.

As of March 31, 2024, total available liquidity was \$1.6 billion or 181% of uninsured deposits, net of collateralized and fiduciary deposit accounts. Total available liquidity is comprised of \$247 million of on-balance sheet liquidity (cash and investment securities) and \$1.4 billion of unused borrowing capacity.

Asset Quality and Allowance for Credit Losses ("ACL")

As of March 31, 2024, the allowance for loan losses was \$24.7 million or 1.29% of loans HFI, compared to \$24.5 million or 1.33% as of December 31, 2023. The decrease in the coverage ratio from December 31, 2023 primarily reflects improvements in the economic forecasts used for estimating credit losses. The Company continues to have strong credit metrics and its nonperforming assets are 0.21% of total assets as of March 31, 2024. The reserve for unfunded commitments was \$1.7 million as of March 31, 2024, compared to \$1.7 million as of December 31, 2023. Given the credit quality of the loan portfolio, management believes we are sufficiently reserved.

At March 31, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there are no doubtful credits and classified assets were \$10.8 million and \$11.0 million, respectively. Total classified assets consisted of nine loans as of March 31, 2024, which included six loans totaling \$6.9 million secured by real estate with a weighted average LTV of 43.3%. The remaining three loans were commercial and industrial loans, the first of which was an SBA loan with a balance of \$1.0 million, which is 90% guaranteed by the SBA, the second had a balance of \$0.3 million and was secured by a UCC-1 lien and the third was a \$2.5 million nonaccrual loan with a specific reserve of \$1.75 million.

Capital Ratios (2)

The Bank's capital ratios were in excess of the levels established for "well capitalized" institutions and are as follows:

	March 31, 2024 (2)	December 31, 2023
CalPrivate Bank		
Tier I leverage ratio	10.08%	10.07%
Tier I risk-based capital ratio	11.20%	11.02%
Total risk-based capital ratio	12.45%	12.27%

(2) March 31, 2024 capital ratios are preliminary and subject to change.

About Private Bancorp of America, Inc.

Private Bancorp of America, Inc. (OTCQX: PBAM), is the holding company for CalPrivate Bank. CalPrivate Bank provides a *Distinctly Different* banking experience through unparalleled service and creative funding solutions to high-net-worth individuals, professionals, locally owned businesses, and real estate entrepreneurs. Customers are serviced through offices in Coronado, San Diego, La Jolla, Newport Beach, El Segundo and Beverly Hills as well as efficient electronic banking offerings. The Bank also offers various portfolio and government guaranteed lending programs, including SBA and cross-border Export-Import Bank programs. CalPrivate Bank is an SBA Preferred Lender and a Bauer Financial 5-star rated bank.

CalPrivate Bank's website is www.calprivate.bank.

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

This press release contains certain non-GAAP financial measures in addition to results presented in accordance with GAAP, including adjusted income before provision for income taxes, adjusted net income, adjusted diluted earnings per share ("Adjusted EPS"), efficiency ratio, adjusted efficiency ratio, pretax pre-provision net revenue, average tangible common equity, adjusted return on average assets, return on average tangible common equity and adjusted return on average tangible common equity. The Company uses certain non-GAAP financial measures to provide meaningful supplemental information regarding the Company's results of operations and financial condition and to enhance investors' overall understanding of such results of operations and financial condition, permit investors

to effectively analyze financial trends of our business activities, and enhance comparability with peers across the financial services sector. 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 and should be read in conjunction with the Company's GAAP financial information. A reconciliation of the most comparable GAAP financial measures to non-GAAP financial measures is included in the accompanying financial tables.

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Safe Harbor Paragraph

This communication contains expressions of expectations, both implied and explicit, that are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of such term in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. We caution you that a number of important factors could cause actual results to differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements, especially given the current turmoil in the banking and financial markets. These factors include the effects of depositors withdrawing funds unexpectedly, counterparties being unable to provide liquidity sources that we believe should be available, loan losses, economic conditions and competition in the geographic and business areas in which Private Bancorp of America, Inc. operates, including competition in lending and deposit acquisition, the unpredictability of fee income from participation in SBA loan programs, the effects of bank failures, liquidations and mergers in our markets and nationally, our ability to successfully integrate and develop business through the addition of new personnel, whether our efforts to expand loan, product and service offerings will prove profitable, system failures and data security, whether we can effectively secure and implement new technology solutions, inflation, fluctuations in interest rates, legislation and governmental regulation. You should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements, and we undertake no obligation to update those statements whether as a result of changes in underlying factors, new information, future events or otherwise. These factors could cause actual results to differ materially from what we anticipate or project. You should not place undue reliance on any such forward-looking statement, which speaks only as of the date on which it was made. Although we in good faith believe the assumptions and bases supporting our forward-looking statements to be reasonable there can be no assurance that those assumptions and bases will prove accurate.

PRIVATE BANCORP OF AMERICA, INC. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

(Unaudited) (Dollars in thousands)

	N	Iar 31, 2024	E	Dec 31, 2023	N	Iar 31, 2023
Assets						
Cash and due from banks	\$	13,136	\$	19,811	\$	13,347
Interest-bearing deposits in other financial institutions		34,790		39,667		73,420
Interest-bearing deposits at Federal Reserve Bank		93,575		118,622		125,045
Total cash and due from banks		141,501		178,100		211,812
Interest-bearing time deposits with other institutions		4,032		4,000		7,661
Investment debt securities available for sale		114,067		102,499		103,790
Loans held for sale		383		1,233		465
Loans, net of deferred fees and costs and unaccreted discounts		1,906,992		1,847,161		1,623,028
Allowance for loan losses		(24,693)		(24,476)		(21,135)
Loans held-for-investment, net of allowance		1,882,299		1,822,685		1,601,893
Federal Home Loan Bank stock, at cost		8,915		8,915		7,020
Right of use asset		2,765		3,096		2,889
Premises and equipment, net		1,804		1,700		1,744
Servicing assets, net		2,203		2,318		3,057
Accrued interest receivable		7,931		7,499		5,674
Other assets		21,877		20,423		20,623
Total assets	<u>\$</u>	2,187,777	<u>\$</u>	2,152,468	<u>\$</u>	1,966,628
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity						
Liabilities						
Noninterest bearing	\$	516,294	\$	572,755	\$	639,664
Interest bearing		1,388,381		1,302,615		944,102
Total deposits		1,904,675		1,875,370		1,583,766
FHLB borrowings		53,000		57,000		192,000
Other borrowings		17,963		17,961		17,956
Accrued interest payable and other liabilities		18,107		16,354		20,592
Total liabilities		1,993,745		1,966,685		1,814,314
Shareholders' equity						
Common stock		74,105		74,003		73,254
Additional paid-in capital		4,108		3,679		3,289
Retained earnings		124,464		116,604		84,751
Accumulated other comprehensive (loss) income, net		(8,645)		(8,503)		(8,980)
Total shareholders' equity		194,032		185,783		152,314
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$	2,187,777	\$	2,152,468	\$	1,966,628

PRIVATE BANCORP OF AMERICA, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

(Unaudited)
(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

		For the three months ended								
	N	Iar 31, 2024	D	Dec 31, 2023		Mar 31, 2023				
Interest Income										
Loans	\$	33,006	\$	31,482	\$	26,228				
Investment securities		979		655		580				
Deposits in other financial institutions		1,799		1,926		1,150				
Total interest income		35,784		34,063		27,958				
Interest Expense										
Deposits		12,130		10,874		4,924				
Borrowings		886		1,001		866				
Total interest expense		13,016		11,875		5,790				
Net interest income		22,768		22,188		22,168				
Provision (reversal) for credit losses		233		459		73				
Net interest income after provision for credit losses		22,535		21,729		22,095				
Noninterest income:										
Service charges on deposit accounts		388		373		348				
Net gain on sale of loans		681		436		474				
Other noninterest income		357		435		643				
Total noninterest income		1,426		1,244		1,465				
Noninterest expense:										
Compensation and employee benefits		8,861		7,942		8,030				
Occupancy and equipment		770		790		806				
Data processing		1,058		1,001		944				
Professional services		488		410		438				
Other expenses		1,606		1,625		1,339				
Total noninterest expense		12,783		11,768		11,557				
Income before provision for income taxes		11,178		11,205		12,003				
Provision for income taxes		3,294		3,346		3,029				
Net income	\$	7,884	\$	7,859	\$	8,974				
Net income available to common shareholders	\$	7,832	\$	7,800	\$	8,923				
Earnings per share										
Basic earnings per share	\$	1.38	\$	1.38	\$	1.59				
Diluted earnings per share	\$	1.36	\$	1.36	\$	1.57				
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Average shares outstanding		5,679,843		5,664,028		5,608,193				
Diluted average shares outstanding		5,754,937		5,723,735		5,673,394				

PRIVATE BANCORP OF AMERICA, INC.

Consolidated average balance sheet, interest, yield and rates (Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands)

Mar 31, 2024 Dec 31, 2023 Mar 31, 2023 Average Averag	
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Balance Interest Yield/Rate Balance Interest Yield/Rate Balance Interest Yield/R	cate
Interest-Earnings Assets	
Deposits in other financial institutions \$ 135,511 \$ 1,799 5.34% \$ 144,265 \$ 1,926 5.30% \$ 123,159 \$ 1,150	3.79%
Investment securities 119,690 979 3.27% 101,719 655 2.58% 112,694 580	2.06%
Loans, including LHFS 1,868,308 33,006 7.11% 1,788,572 31,482 6.98% 1,597,236 26,228	6.66%
Total interest-earning assets 2,123,509 35,784 6.78% 2,034,556 34,063 6.64% 1,833,089 27,958	6.19%
Noninterest-earning assets 25,469 27,930 24,905	
Total Assets \$ 2,148,978 \$ 2,062,486 \$ 1,857,994	
Interest-Bearing Liabilities	
Interest bearing DDA, excluding brokered 109,838 441 1.61% 112,580 503 1.77% 100,640 343	1.38%
Savings & MMA, excluding brokered 765,770 6,421 3.37% 713,754 5,811 3.23% 619,316 2,378	1.56%
Time deposits, excluding brokered 155,703 1,583 4.09% 123,985 1,155 3.70% 83,032 456	2.23%
Total deposits, excluding brokered 1,031,311 8,445 3.29% 950,319 7,469 3.12% 802,988 3,177	1.60%
Total brokered deposits 287,885 3,685 5.15% 256,761 3,405 5.26% 151,993 1,747	4.66%
Total Interest-Bearing Deposits 1,319,196 12,130 3.70% 1,207,080 10,874 3.57% 954,981 4,924	2.09%
FHLB advances 49,935 614 4.95% 56,511 728 5.11% 48,711 594	4.95%
Other borrowings 17,962 272 6.09% 17,960 273 6.03% 17,976 272	6.14%
Total Interest-Bearing Liabilities 1,387,093 13,016 3.77% 1,281,551 11,875 3.68% 1,021,668 5,790	2.30%
Noninterest-bearing deposits 553,541 581,579 669,796	
Total Funding Sources 1,940,634 13,016 2.70% 1,863,130 11,875 2.53% 1,691,464 5,790	1.39%
Noninterest-bearing liabilities 18,018 19,069 19,752	
Shareholders' equity 190,326 180,287 146,778	
Total Liabilities and Shareholders'	
Equity \$ 2,148,978 \$ 2,062,486 \$ 1,857,994	
Net interest income/spread \$\frac{\\$22,768}{\$} 4.08\% \$\frac{\\$22,188}{\$} 4.11\% \$\frac{\\$22,168}{\$}	4.80%
Net interest margin 4.31% 4.33%	4.90%

PRIVATE BANCORP OF AMERICA, INC.

Condensed Balance Sheets (Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

	N	Iar 31, 2024	Γ	Dec 31, 2023	S	Sep 30, 2023	J	un 30, 2023	M	Iar 31, 2023
Assets		,		,		•		,		
Cash and due from banks	\$	141,501	\$	178,100	\$	198,328	\$	135,859	\$	211,812
Interest-bearing time deposits with other										
institutions		4,032		4,000		1,500		7,661		7,661
Investment securities		114,067		102,499		86,648		94,574		103,790
Loans held for sale		383		1,233		4,071		1,982		465
Total loans held-for-investment		1,906,992		1,847,161		1,764,846		1,717,705		1,623,028
Allowance for loan losses		(24,693)		(24,476)		(23,789)		(22,588)		(21,135)
Loans held-for-investment, net of allowance		1,882,299		1,822,685		1,741,057		1,695,117		1,601,893
Right of use asset		2,765		3,096		2,827		2,525		2,889
Premises and equipment, net		1,804		1,700		1,447		1,539		1,744
Other assets and interest receivable		40,926		39,155		38,341		37,480		36,374
Total assets	\$	2,187,777	\$	2,152,468	\$	2,074,219	\$	1,976,737	\$	1,966,628
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Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity										
Liabilities										
Noninterest Bearing	\$	516,294	\$	572,755	\$	595,023	\$	657,980	\$	639,664
Interest Bearing		1,388,381		1,302,615		1,174,664		1,041,192		944,102
Total Deposits		1,904,675		1,875,370		1,769,687		1,699,172		1,583,766
Borrowings		70,963		74,961		99,959		83,958		209,956
Accrued interest payable and other liabilities		18,107		16,354		29,894		26,396		20,592
Total liabilities		1,993,745		1,966,685		1,899,540		1,809,526		1,814,314
Shareholders' equity										
Common stock		74,105		74,003		73,416		73,379		73,254
Additional paid-in capital		4,108		3,679		3,584		3,405		3,289
Retained earnings		124,464		116,604		108,757		100,281		84,751
Accumulated other comprehensive (loss) income		(8,645)		(8,503)		(11,078)		(9,854)		(8,980)
Total shareholders' equity		194,032		185,783		174,679		167,211		152,314
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$	2,187,777	\$	2,152,468	\$	2,074,219	\$	1,976,737	\$	1,966,628
Book value per common share	\$	33.94	\$	32.48	\$	30.63	\$	29.32	\$	26.83
Tangible book value per common share (1)	\$	33.55	\$	32.08	\$	30.20	\$	28.82	\$	26.30
Shares outstanding		5,717,519		5,719,115		5,703,350		5,702,637		5,676,017

⁽¹⁾ Non-GAAP measure. See GAAP to non-GAAP Reconciliation table.

PRIVATE BANCORP OF AMERICA, INC.

Condensed Statements of Income (Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

	For the three months ended									
	Mar 3	1, 2024	_	ec 31, 2023		30, 2023	Jui	n 30, 2023	M	ar 31, 2023
Interest income	\$	35,784	\$	34,063	\$	32,878	\$	30,763	\$	27,958
Interest expense		13,016		11,875		9,623		8,055		5,790
Net interest income		22,768		22,188		23,255		22,708		22,168
Provision (reversal) for credit losses		233		459		471		(7,149)		73
Net interest income after provision for credit										
losses		22,535		21,729		22,784		29,857		22,095
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Service charges on deposit accounts		388		373		313		310		348
Net gain on sale of loans		681		436		466		171		474
Other noninterest income		357		435		380		573		643
Total noninterest income		1,426		1,244		1,159		1,054		1,465
Compensation and employee benefits		8,861		7,942		7,512		7,189		8,030
Occupancy and equipment		770		7,942		7,312		7,189		806
Data processing		1,058		1,001		1,064		878		944
Professional services		488		410		564		(836)		438
Other expenses		1,606		1,625		1,922		776		1,339
Total noninterest expense		12,783		11,768		11,843		8,802		11,557
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Income before provision for income taxes		11,178		11,205		12,100		22,109		12,003
Income taxes		3,294		3,346		3,611		6,575		3,029
Net income	\$	7,884	\$	7,859	\$	8,489	\$	15,534	\$	8,974
Net income available to common shareholders	\$	7,832	\$	7,800	\$	8,422	\$	15,407	\$	8,923
Earnings per share	ф	1.20	ф	1.20	ф	1 40	Ф	2.72	Ф	1.50
Basic earnings per share	\$	1.38	\$	1.38	\$	1.49	\$	2.72	\$	1.59
Diluted earnings per share	\$	1.36	\$	1.36	\$	1.47	\$	2.69	\$	1.57
Average shares outstanding	5.6	579,843		5,664,028	5	,658,340	4	5,654,435		5,608,193
Diluted average shares outstanding		54,937		5,723,735		,709,994		5,726,522		5,673,394
				_						
	Mar 31	2024	Do	Pec 31, 2023		ance Ratios 30, 2023	Iun	30, 2023	Ma	r 31, 2023
ROAA	IVIAI JI	1.48%		1.51%	ъср.	1.68%	Juli	3.18%	IVIA	1.96%
ROAE		16.66%		17.29%		19.43%		38.42%		24.80%
ROATCE (1)		16.86%		17.53%		19.74%		39.14%		25.32%
Net interest margin		4.31%		4.33%		4.67%		4.73%		4.90%
Net interest margin Net interest spread		4.08%		4.3376		4.48%		4.73%		4.80%
Efficiency ratio (1)		52.84%		50.22%		48.51%		37.04%		48.90%
Noninterest surgers / surgers sessets		2.04/0		2 260/		2.240/		1.00/		2.530/

⁽¹⁾ Non-GAAP measure. See GAAP to non-GAAP Reconciliation table.

Noninterest expense / average assets

2.39%

2.26%

2.34%

1.80%

2.52%

Selected Quarterly Average Balances
(Dollars in thousands)
For the three months ended

	For the three months ended									
	Mar 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Sep 30, 2023	Jun 30, 2023	Mar 31, 2023					
Total assets	\$ 2,148,978	\$ 2,062,486	\$ 2,005,197	\$ 1,959,802	\$ 1,857,994					
Earning assets	\$ 2,123,509	\$ 2,034,556	\$ 1,977,009	\$ 1,927,061	\$ 1,833,089					
Total loans, including loans held for sale	\$ 1,868,308	\$ 1,788,572	\$ 1,745,113	\$ 1,675,790	\$ 1,597,236					
Total deposits	\$ 1,872,737	\$ 1,788,659	\$ 1,698,892	\$ 1,656,540	\$ 1,624,777					
Total shareholders' equity	\$ 190,326	\$ 180,287	\$ 173,347	\$ 162,173	\$ 146,778					
			an Balances by T							
	Mar 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	ollars in thousand Sep 30, 2023	Jun 30, 2023	Mar 31, 2023					
Commercial Real Estate (CRE):	Mai 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	<u> Бер 50, 2025</u>	3un 30, 2023	Wiai 51, 2025					
Investor owned	\$ 573,587	\$ 583,069	\$ 541,088	\$ 527,819	\$ 514,194					
Owner occupied	216,123	202,106	185,296	177,177	178,511					
Multifamily	175,629	168,324	159,700	158,082	151,262					
Secured by single family	157,092	146,370	153,132	148,464	147,813					
Land and construction	35,975	33,655	30,253	32,519	26,953					
SBA secured by real estate	385,416	349,676	343,576	329,403	272,059					
Total CRE	1,543,822	1,483,200	1,413,045	1,373,464	1,290,792					
Commercial business:										
Commercial and industrial	352,417	350,879	337,815	332,394	319,154					
SBA non-real estate secured	8,657	9,807	11,081	9,121	10,591					
Total commercial business	361,074	360,686	348,896	341,515	329,745					
Consumer	2,096	3,275	2,905	2,726	2,491					
Total loans held for investment	\$ 1,906,992	\$ 1,847,161	\$ 1,764,846	\$ 1,717,705	\$ 1,623,028					
		-		-						
			Deposits by Type							
	Mar 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	ollars in thousand	ds) Jun 30, 2023	Mar 31, 2023					
Noninterest-bearing DDA	\$ 516,294	\$ 572,755	Sep 30, 2023 \$ 595,023	\$ 657,980	\$ 639,664					
Interest-bearing DDA, excluding brokered	117,129	121,829	108,508	101,064	99,988					
Savings & MMA, excluding brokered	812,841	742,617	696,499	670,195	637,031					
Time deposits, excluding brokered	160,605	147,583	122,622	105,757	77,052					
Total deposits, excluding brokered	1,606,869	1,584,784	1,522,652	1,534,996	1,453,735					
Total brokered deposits	297,806	290,586	247,035	164,176	130,031					
Total deposits	\$ 1,904,675	\$ 1,875,370	\$ 1,769,687	\$ 1,699,172	\$ 1,583,766					
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Rollforward of Allowance for Credit Losses (Dollars in thousands)

	For the three months ended											
	Mar 31, 2024		Dec 31, 2023		Sep 30, 2023		Jun 30, 2023		Ma	r 31, 2023		
Allowance for loan losses:												
Beginning balance	\$	24,476	\$	23,789	\$	22,588	\$	21,135	\$	19,152		
Impact of CECL adoption		-		-		-		-		1,910		
Provision for loan losses		251		687		1,194		(7,149)		73		
Net (charge-offs) recoveries		(34)		-		7		8,602		-		
Ending balance		24,693		24,476		23,789		22,588		21,135		
Reserve for unfunded commitments (1)		1,723		1,741		1,969		2,172		2,802		
Total allowance for credit losses	\$	26,416	\$	26,217	\$	25,758	\$	24,760	\$	23,937		

(1) Includes \$974 thousand related to the impact of CECL adoption on January 1, 2023.

	Asset Quality											
				(De	ollar	s in thousand						
		Mar 31,								Mar 31,		
		2024	De	ec 31, 2023	Se	p 30, 2023	Ju	ın 30, 2023		2023		
Total loans held-for-investment	\$1	,906,992	\$1	,847,161	\$1	,764,846	\$1	,717,705	\$1	,623,028		
Allowance for loan losses	\$	(24,693)	\$	(24,476)	\$	(23,789)	\$	(22,588)	\$	(21,135)		
30-89 day past due loans	\$	-	\$	1,470	\$	2,500	\$	-	\$	-		
90+ day past due loans	\$	3,530	\$	3,874	\$	1,374	\$	3,701	\$	3,058		
Nonaccrual loans	\$	4,656	\$	5,053	\$	5,105	\$	3,354	\$	4,384		
NPAs / Assets		0.21%		0.23%		0.25%		0.17%		0.22%		
NPLs / Total loans held-for-investment & OREO		0.24%		0.27%		0.29%		0.20%		0.27%		
Net quarterly charge-offs (recoveries)	\$	34	\$		\$	(7)	\$	(8,602)	\$	-		
Net charge-offs (recoveries) /avg loans (annualized)		0.01%		0.00%		0.00%		(2.05)%	,)	0.00%		
Allowance for loan losses to loans HFI		1.29%		1.33%		1.35%		1.32%		1.30%		
Allowance for loan losses to nonaccrual loans		530.35%		484.39%		465.99%		673.46%		482.09%		

The following tables present a reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures to GAAP measures for: adjusted income before provision for income taxes, adjusted net income and adjusted EPS. We believe the presentation of certain non-GAAP financial measures provides useful information to assess our consolidated financial condition and consolidated results of operations and to assist investors in evaluating our financial results relative to our peers. These non-GAAP financial measures complement our GAAP reporting and are presented below to provide investors and others with information that we use to manage the business each period. Because not all companies use identical calculations, the presentation of these non-GAAP financial measures may not be comparable to other similarly titled measures used by other companies. These non-GAAP measures should be taken together with the corresponding GAAP measures and should not be considered a substitute of the GAAP measures.

GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliation (Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

	For the three months ended										
	Ma	r 31, 2024	De	c 31, 2023	Se	p 30, 2023	Ju	n 30, 2023	Ma	r 31, 2023	
Adjusted income before provision for income taxes											
Income before provision for income taxes	\$	11,178	\$	11,205	\$	12,100	\$	22,109	\$	12,003	
ANI recovery (1)		-		-		-		(7,708)		-	
Settlement of legal fees related to ANI litigation (2)		-		-		-		(1,635)		-	
Recovery of principal and interest on a loan acquired with											
credit deterioration as part of a business combination (3)		-		-		-		(986)		-	
Adjusted income before provision for income taxes (non-				,							
GAAP)	\$	11,178	\$	11,205	\$	12,100	\$	11,780	\$	12,003	
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Adjusted net income											
Net income	\$	7,884	\$	7,859	\$	8,489	\$	15,534	\$	8,974	
ANI recovery, net of tax (1)(4)		-		-		-		(5,430)		-	
Settlement of legal fees related to ANI litigation, net of tax											
(2)(4)		-		-		-		(1,152)		-	
Recovery of principal and interest on a loan acquired with											
credit deterioration as part of a business combination, net of											
$tax^{(3)(4)}$		-		-		-		(694)		-	
Adjusted net income (non-GAAP)	\$	7,884	\$	7,859	\$	8,489	\$	8,258	\$	8,974	
Adjusted diluted earnings per share ("Adjusted EPS")											
Diluted earnings per share	\$	1.36	\$	1.36	\$	1.47	\$	2.69	\$	1.57	
ANI recovery, net of tax (1)(4)		-		-		-		(0.94)		-	
Settlement of legal fees related to ANI litigation, net of tax											
(2)(4)		-		-		-		(0.20)		-	
Recovery of principal and interest on a loan previously											
acquired with credit deterioration as part of a business											
combination, net of tax ⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾		-		-		-		(0.12)		-	
Adjusted EPS (non-GAAP)	\$	1.36	\$	1.36	\$	1.47	\$	1.43	\$	1.57	
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Diluted average shares outstanding	5	,754,937	5	,723,735	5	5,709,994	5	5,726,522	5	,673,394	

⁽¹⁾ In the second quarter of 2023, the Company reached a settlement with the Receiver for ANI Investments and Gina Champion-Cain in which the Company recovered \$7.7 million (or approximately \$0.94 per diluted share after tax) plus certain rights to future recoveries from a guarantor of the charged off loan. This recovery amount represents 80% of the original principal charge-off and is net of the participant bank's share.

⁽²⁾ In the second quarter of 2023, in conjunction with the resolution of the ANI litigation, the Company was reimbursed \$0.9 million of legal costs by the participant bank. In addition, \$0.7 million of previously invoiced legal fees were waived at settlement of the litigation. (3) In the second quarter of 2023, the Company received \$1.0 million related to a loan that was originated and written off by San Diego Private Bank ("SDPB") prior to SDPB merging with the Company in 2013. Accordingly, the Company recorded an allowance recovery of \$0.9 million for the amount that would have been written off at the time of the merger under CECL and \$0.1 million of interest income for recovered interest.

⁽⁴⁾ Net of tax effect of 29.6%, which is comprised of 21.0% for the statutory Federal tax rate plus 8.6% for state franchise taxes, net of Federal benefits.

The following tables present a reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures to GAAP measures for: efficiency ratio, adjusted efficiency ratio, pretax pre-provision net revenue, average tangible common equity, adjusted return on average assets, return on average tangible common equity and adjusted return on average tangible common equity. We believe the presentation of certain non-GAAP financial measures provides useful information to assess our consolidated financial condition and consolidated results of operations and to assist investors in evaluating our financial results relative to our peers. These non-GAAP financial measures complement our GAAP reporting and are presented below to provide investors and others with information that we use to manage the business each period. Because not all companies use identical calculations, the presentation of these non-GAAP financial measures may not be comparable to other similarly titled measures used by other companies. These non-GAAP measures should be taken together with the corresponding GAAP measures and should not be considered a substitute of the GAAP measures.

GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliation (Dollars in thousands)

	For the three months ended									
	M	ar 31, 2024	I	Dec 31, 2023		Sep 30, 2023		Jun 30, 2023	N	Iar 31, 2023
Efficiency Ratio										
Noninterest expense	\$	12,783	\$,	\$	11,843	\$	8,802	\$	11,557
Net interest income		22,768		22,188		23,255		22,708		22,168
Noninterest income		1,426		1,244		1,159		1,054		1,465
Total net interest income and noninterest income		24,194		23,432		24,414		23,762		23,633
Efficiency ratio (non-GAAP)		52.84%		50.22%		48.51%		37.04%		48.90%
Adjusted Efficiency Ratio										
Noninterest expense	\$	12,783	\$	11,768	\$	11,843	\$	8,802	\$	11,557
Settlement of legal fees related to ANI litigation		-	_	-	_	-		1,635		-
Adjusted noninterest expense (non-GAAP)		12,783		11,768		11,843		10,437		11,557
Total net interest income and noninterest income		24,194		23,432		24,414		23,762		23,633
Recovery of interest on a loan acquired with credit deterioration										
as part of a business combination						-		(84)		
Adjusted total net interest income and noninterest income (non-										
GAAP)		24,194		23,432		24,414		23,678		23,633
Adjusted Efficiency ratio (non-GAAP)		52.84%		50.22%		48.51%		44.08%		48.90%
Pretax pre-provision net revenue										
Net interest income	\$	22,768	\$,	\$		\$	22,708	\$	22,168
Noninterest income		1,426		1,244	_	1,159		1,054		1,465
Total net interest income and noninterest income		24,194		23,432		24,414		23,762		23,633
Less: Noninterest expense		12,783	_	11,768	_	11,843	_	8,802	_	11,557
Pretax pre-provision net revenue (non-GAAP)	\$	11,411	\$	11,664	\$	12,571	\$	14,960	\$	12,076
Return and Adjusted Return on Average Assets, Average										
Equity, Average Tangible Equity		- 004		- 0.50	Φ.	0.400	Φ.	4.5.50.4		0.054
Net income	\$	7,884	\$,	\$		\$	15,534	\$	8,974
Adjusted net income (non-GAAP) (1)	,	7,884		7,859		8,489		8,258		8,974
Average assets		2,148,978		2,062,486		2,005,197		1,959,802		1,857,994
Average shareholders' equity		190,326		180,287		173,347		162,173		146,778
Less: Average intangible assets		2,208		2,451		2,709		2,975		3,026
Average tangible common equity (non-GAAP)		188,118		177,836		170,638		159,198		143,752
Return on average assets		1.48%		1.51%		1.68%		3.18%		1.96%
Adjusted return on average assets (non-GAAP) (1)		1.48%		1.51%		1.68%		1.69%		1.96%
Return on average equity		16.66%		17.29%		19.43%		38.42%		24.80%
Adjusted return on average equity (non-GAAP) (1)		16.66%		17.29%		19.43%		20.42%		24.80%
Return on average tangible common equity (non-GAAP)		16.86%		17.53%		19.74%		39.14%		25.32%
Adjusted return on average tangible common equity (non-GAAP)										
(1)		16.86%		17.53%		19.74%		20.81%		25.32%
Tangible book value per share										
Total equity		194,032		185,783		174,679		167,211		152,314
Less: Total intangible assets		2,203		2,318		2,449		2,875		3,057
Total tangible equity		191,829		183,465		172,230		164,336		149,257
Shares outstanding		5,717,519		5,719,115		5,703,350		5,702,637		5,676,017
Tangible book value per share (non-GAAP)	\$	33.55	\$	32.08	\$	30.20	\$	28.82	\$	26.30

⁽¹⁾ A reconciliation of net income to adjusted net income is provided on page 12.