#### 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 21, 2024	
	ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc.	
	(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)	
Delaware	001-36452	26-0734029
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
2500 Woodcrest Place, B	irmingham, Alabama	35209
(Address of principal	•	(Zip Code)
	(205) 949-0302	
	(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)	
	Not Applicable	
(For	mer name or former address, if changed since last rep	ort)
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is int	ended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation o	f the registrant under any of the following provisions:
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□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-		
2 The commencement communications pursuant to reare 13c	(c) under the Exchange rice (17 CTR 210.13C 1(c))	
Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:		
Title of each class	Trading Symbol	Name of exchange on which registered
Common	SFBS	New York Stock Exchange

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company  $\square$ 

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.  $\Box$ 

#### Item 2.02 - Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 21, 2024, ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("ServisFirst"), issued a press release announcing its operating results for the quarter ended September 30, 2024. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

# Item 5.02 - Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

- (b) On October 21, 2024, Kirk Pressley, Chief Financial Officer and Executive Vice President of ServisFirst, notified the Board of Directors ("Board") of ServisFirst that he will resign from the positions of Chief Financial Officer and Executive Vice President, effective October 31, 2024.
- (c) The Board appointed Ed Woodie to succeed Mr. Pressley as interim Chief Financial Officer on October 31, 2024. Mr. Woodie, 57, currently serves as ServisFirst's Senior Vice President and Controller. Mr. Woodie has served as Controller with ServisFirst Bank for over 15 years.

Mr. Woodie does not have any family relationships with any of ServisFirst's directors or executive officers. Mr. Woodie does not have any arrangement or understanding with any person pursuant to which he was named or selected to be an officer of ServisFirst or ServisFirst Bank. Mr. Woodie is not a party to any transactions required to be disclosed pursuant to Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K.

#### Item 7.01 – Regulation FD Disclosure.

On October 21, 2024, ServisFirst will host a call to review 2024 third quarter earnings. The supplemental data table is attached as Exhibit 99.2 and is incorporated by reference into this Item 7.01.

The information furnished pursuant to Items 2.02 and 7.01, including Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities under that Section and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any filing of ServisFirst under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act.

Statements in this Current Report on Form 8-K that are not historical facts, including, but not limited to, statements concerning future operations, results or performance, are hereby identified as "forward-looking statements" for the purpose of the safe harbor provided by Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933. The words "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "project," "plan," "intend," "will," "could," "would," "might" and similar expressions often signify forward-looking statements. Such statements involve inherent risks and uncertainties. ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. cautions that such forward-looking statements, wherever they occur in this press release or in other statements attributable to ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc., are necessarily estimates reflecting the judgment of ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc.'s senior management and involve a number of risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those suggested by the forward-looking statements. Such forward-looking statements should, therefore, be considered in light of various factors that could affect the accuracy of such forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to: general economic conditions, especially in the credit markets and in the Southeast; the performance of the capital markets; changes in interest rates, yield curves and interest rate spread relationships; changes in accounting and tax principles, policies or guidelines; changes in legislation or regulatory requirements; changes as a result of our reclassification as a large financial institution by the FDIC; changes in our loan portfolio and the deposit base; possible changes in laws and regulations and governmental monetary and fiscal policies, including, but not limited to, the Federal Reserve policies in connection with continued or re-emerging inflationary pressures and the ability of the U.S. Congress to increase the U.S. statutory debt limit as needed; computer hacking or cyber-attacks resulting in unauthorized access to confidential or proprietary information; substantial, unexpected or prolonged changes in the level or cost of liquidity; the cost and other effects of legal and administrative cases and similar contingencies; possible changes in the creditworthiness of customers and the possible impairment of the collectability of loans and the value of collateral; the effect of natural disasters, such as hurricanes and tornados, in our geographic markets; and increased competition from both banks and non-bank financial institutions. For discussion of these and other risks that may cause actual results to differ from expectations, please refer to "Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-looking Statements" and "Risk Factors" in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K, in our Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q for fiscal year 2024, and our other SEC filings. If one or more of the factors affecting our forward-looking information and statements proves incorrect, then our actual results, performance or achievements could differ materially from those expressed in, or implied by, forward-looking information and statements contained herein. Accordingly, you should not place undue reliance on any forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date made. ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. assumes no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements that are made from time to time.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (a) Not applicable
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Not applicable
- (d) Exhibits:

### **Exhibit**

Description No.

99.1 99.2

Press release dated October 21, 2024, announcing results of third quarter 2024 Supplemental data table October 21, 2024
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# **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.

Dated: October 21, 2024

SERVISFIRST BANCSHARES, INC.

By: /s/ Thomas A. Broughton, III

Thomas A. Broughton, III Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer



# SERVISFIRST BANCSHARES, INC. Announces Results For Third Quarter of 2024

Birmingham, Ala. – (BUSINESS WIRE) – October 21, 2024 – ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. (NYSE: SFBS), today announced earnings and operating results for the quarter ended September 30, 2024.

#### THIRD QUARTER 2024 HIGHLIGHTS:

- Diluted EPS grew 16% from the second quarter of 2024, and 12% year-over-year.
- Net interest margin increased 5 basis points from the second quarter of 2024.
- Net income grew by 15% from the second quarter of 2024 and 12% year-over-year.
- Non-interest-bearing deposits grew by \$101 million, or 16% annualized from the second quarter of 2024.
- Loans grew by 6.0% year-over-year.
- Credit quality continues to be strong with non-performing assets to total assets of 0.25%.
- Liquidity remains solid with over \$1.76 billion in cash and no FHLB advances or brokered deposits.
- Book value per share of \$28.79, up 12% year-over-year.

Tom Broughton, Chairman, President, and CEO, said, "With a solid loan pipeline, an improving margin, strong liquidity and strong credit quality, we are optimistic about the outlook for the bank."

Kirk Pressley, CFO, said, "Margin expansion accelerated during the quarter with dollar interest margin increasing by \$9.2 million, a 35% annualized linked quarter increase, and net interest margin expanded five basis points to 2.84%. Noninterest bearing demand deposits grew by 4% from the second quarter, a 16% annualized linked quarter increase. Expenses remained well controlled with the efficiency ratio dropping to 36.9% for the quarter."

### FINANCIAL SUMMARY (UNAUDITED)

(in Thousands except share and per share amounts)

	eriod Ending eptember 30, 2024	Period Ending June 30, 2024	% Change From Period Ending June 30, 2024 to Period Ending September 30, 2024	Period Ending September 30, 2023	% Change From Period Ending September 30, 2023 to Period Ending September 30, 2024
QUARTERLY OPERATING RESULTS	 				
Net Income	\$ 59,907	\$ 52,136	14.9%	\$ 53,340	12.3%
Net Income Available to Common Stockholders	\$ 59,907	\$ 52,105	15.0%	\$ 53,340	12.3%
Diluted Earnings Per Share	\$ 1.10	\$ 0.95	15.8%	\$ 0.98	12.2%
Return on Average Assets	1.43%	1.34%		1.37%	
Return on Average Common Stockholders' Equity	15.55%	14.08%		15.34%	
Average Diluted Shares Outstanding	54,642,582	54,608,679		54,530,635	
YEAR-TO-DATE OPERATING RESULTS					
Net Income	\$ 162,069			\$ 164,779	(1.6)%
Net Income Available to Common Stockholders	\$ 162,038			\$ 164,748	(1.6)%
Diluted Earnings Per Share	\$ 2.97			\$ 3.02	(1.7)%
Return on Average Assets	1.35%			1.50%	
Return on Average Common Stockholders' Equity	14.51%			16.23%	
Average Diluted Shares Outstanding	54,615,647			54,530,797	
Adjusted Net Income, net of tax*	\$ 163,416			\$ 164,779	(0.8)%
Adjusted Net Income Available to Common					
Stockholders, net of tax*	\$ 163,385			\$ 164,748	(0.8)%
Adjusted Diluted Earnings Per Share, net of tax*	\$ 2.99			\$ 3.02	
Adjusted Return on Average Assets, net of tax*	1.36%			1.50%	
Adjusted Return on Average Common					
Stockholders' Equity, net of tax*	14.63%			16.23%	
BALANCE SHEET					
Total Assets	\$ 16,447,876	\$ 16,049,812	2.5%	\$ 16,044,332	2.5%
Loans	12,338,226	12,332,780	— %	11,641,130	6.0%
Non-interest-bearing Demand Deposits	2,576,329	2,475,415	4.1%	2,621,072	(1.7)%
Total Deposits	13,146,529	13,259,392	(0.9)%	13,142,376	— %
Stockholders' Equity	1,570,269	1,510,576	4.0%	1,401,384	12.1%

<sup>\*</sup> This press release includes certain non-GAAP financial measures: adjusted net income, adjusted net income available to common stockholders, adjusted diluted earnings per share, adjusted return on average assets, adjusted return on average common stockholders' equity, adjusted efficiency ratio, tangible common stockholders' equity, total tangible assets, tangible book value per share, and tangible common equity to total tangible assets. Please see "GAAP Reconciliation and Management Explanation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures."

#### **DETAILED FINANCIALS**

ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. reported net income and net income available to common stockholders of \$59.9 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2024, compared to net income and net income available to common stockholders of \$52.1 million for the second quarter of 2024 and net income and net income available to common stockholders of \$53.3 million for the third quarter of 2023. Basic and diluted earnings per common share were both \$1.10 in the third quarter of 2024, compared to \$0.96 and \$0.95, respectively, in the second quarter of 2024 and \$0.98 for both in the third quarter of 2023.

Annualized return on average assets was 1.43% and annualized return on average common stockholders' equity was 15.55% for the third quarter of 2024, compared to 1.37% and 15.34%, respectively, for the third quarter of 2023.

Net interest income was \$115.1 million for the third quarter of 2024, compared to \$105.9 million for the second quarter of 2024 and \$99.7 million for the third quarter of 2023. The net interest margin in the third quarter of 2024 was 2.84% compared to 2.79% in the second quarter of 2024 and 2.64% in the third quarter of 2023. Loan yields were 6.62% during the third quarter of 2024 compared to 6.48% during the second quarter of 2024 and 6.13% during the third quarter of 2023. Investment yields were 3.57% during the third quarter of 2024 compared to 3.33% during the second quarter of 2024 and 3.07% during the third quarter of 2023. Average interest-bearing deposit rates were 4.12% during the third quarter of 2024, compared to 4.09% during the second quarter of 2024 and 3.84% during the third quarter of 2023. Average federal funds purchased rates were 5.42% during third quarter of 2024, compared to 5.50% during the second quarter of 2024 and 5.43% during the third quarter of 2023.

Average loans for the third quarter of 2024 were \$12.37 billion, an increase of \$303.7 million, or 10.0% annualized, from average loans of \$12.06 billion for the second quarter of 2024, and an increase of \$803.6 million, or 7.0%, from average loans of \$11.56 billion for the third quarter of 2023. Ending total loans for the third quarter of 2024 were \$12.34 billion, an increase of \$5.4 million, or 0.2% annualized, from \$12.33 billion for the second quarter of 2024, and an increase of \$697.1 million, or 6.0%, from \$11.64 billion for the third quarter of 2023.

Average total deposits for the third quarter of 2024 were \$13.52 billion, an increase of \$653.7 million, or 20.2% annualized, from average total deposits of \$12.86 billion for the second quarter of 2024, and an increase of \$838.3 million, or 6.6%, from average total deposits of \$12.68 billion for the third quarter of 2023. Ending total deposits for the third quarter of 2024 were \$13.15 billion, a decrease of \$112.9 million, or 3.4% annualized, from \$13.26 billion for the second quarter of 2024, and remained unchanged from \$13.14 billion for the third quarter of 2023.

Non-performing assets to total assets were 0.25% for the third quarter of 2024, compared to 0.23% for the second quarter of 2024 and 0.15% for the third quarter of 2023. The increase in non-performing assets to total assets can primarily be attributed to a single relationship that moved to non-accrual status during the first quarter of 2024. Annualized net charge-offs to average loans were 0.09% for the third quarter of 2024, compared to 0.10% for the second quarter of 2024 and 0.15% for the third quarter of 2023. The allowance for credit losses as a percent of total loans at September 30, 2024, June 30, 2024, and September 30, 2023, was 1.31%, 1.28%, and 1.31%, respectively. We recorded a \$5.7 million provision for credit losses in the third quarter of 2024, \$2.7 million of which is a provision for the potential impact of Hurricane Helene, which struck the Florida coast on September 26<sup>th</sup> and caused widespread damage from Florida to the Carolinas. In early October Hurricane Milton struck the west coast of Florida and tracked across the middle of the state. Management is assessing the impact of both hurricanes to determine if additional provisions are warranted. We recorded provision for credit losses of \$5.4 million in the second quarter of 2024, and \$4.3 million in the third quarter of 2023. During the third quarter of 2024, we reclassified the Reserve for Unfunded Commitments from Other Liabilities and Other Expenses to Allowance for Credit Losses and Provision for Credit Losses, respectively.

Non-interest income increased \$414,000, or 5.1%, to \$8.5 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$8.1 million in the third quarter of 2023, and decreased \$342,000, or 3.8%, on a linked quarter basis. Service charges on deposit accounts increased \$178,000, or 8.2%, to \$2.3 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$2.2 million in the third quarter of 2023, and increased \$48,000, or 2.1%, on a linked quarter basis. Mortgage banking revenue increased \$527,000, or 63.9%, to \$1.4 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$825,000 in the third quarter of 2023, and decreased \$27,000, or 2.0%, on a linked quarter basis. Net credit card revenue decreased \$607,000, or 24.0%, to \$1.9 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$2.5 million in the third quarter of 2023, and decreased \$408,000, or 17.5%, on a linked quarter basis. Bank-owned life insurance ("BOLI") income increased \$295,000, or 16.2%, to \$2.1 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$1.8 million in the third quarter of 2023, and increased \$55,000, or 2.7%, on a linked quarter basis. Other operating income increased \$21,000, or 2.6%, to \$818,000 for the third quarter of 2024 from \$797,000 in the third quarter of 2023, and decreased \$10,000, or 1.2%, on a linked quarter basis.

Non-interest expense increased \$4.0 million, or 9.5%, to \$45.6 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$41.7 million in the third quarter of 2023, and increased \$2.8 million, or 6.6%, on a linked quarter basis. During the second quarter of 2024, the Company recorded the impact from election of the proportional amortization method to account for historical and new market tax credit investments made primarily for the purpose of receiving income tax credits due to our adoption of Accounting Standards Update 2023-02. The proportional amortization method results in the cost of the investment being amortized in proportion to the income tax credits and other income tax benefits received, with the amortization of the investment and the income tax credits being presented net in the income statement as a component of income tax expense. Previously the amortization of the investment was included in other non-interest expenses. Salary and benefit expense increased \$5.0 million, or 24.8%, to \$25.1 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$20.1 million in the third quarter of 2023, and increased \$844,000, or 3.5%, on a linked quarter basis. The number of full-time equivalent ("FTE") employees increased by 52, or 9.2%, to 620 at September 30, 2024 compared to 568 at September 30, 2023, and decreased by 5, or 0.8%, from the end of the second quarter of 2024. The increase in salary and benefit expense year-over-year continues to be largely due to the normalization of incentives and increased salary expenses due to an increase in FTE employees. Incentives increased approximately \$1.8 million, and salaries increased approximately \$2.1 million from the third quarter of 2023. Equipment and occupancy expense increased \$216,000, or 6.0%, to \$3.8 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$3.6 million in the third quarter of 2023, and increased \$228,000, or 6.4%, on a linked quarter basis. Third party processing and other services expense increased \$1.5 million, or 22.7%, to \$8.0 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$6.5 million in the third quarter of 2023, and increased \$570,000, or 7.6%, on a linked quarter basis. Professional services expense increased \$450,000, or 35.6%, to \$1.7 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$1.3 million in the third quarter of 2023, and decreased \$26,000, or 1.5%, on a linked quarter basis. FDIC and other regulatory assessments increased \$9,000, or 0.4%, to \$2.4 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$2.3 million in the third quarter of 2023, and increased \$153,000, or 6.9%, on a linked quarter basis. In the first quarter of 2024, the FDIC implemented a special assessment adjustment to recapitalize the Deposit Insurance Fund resulting in an expense of \$1.8 million. See "GAAP Reconciliation and Management Explanation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures". Other operating expenses decreased \$3.3 million, or 41.6%, to \$4.6 million for the third quarter of 2024 from \$7.8 million in the third quarter of 2023, and increased \$949,000, or 26.2%, on a linked quarter basis. The decrease in other operating expenses were largely due to the application of the proportional amortization method to account for historical and new market tax credit investments, discussed above. The efficiency ratio was 36.90% during the third quarter of 2024 compared to 38.64% during the third quarter of 2023 and 37.31% during the second quarter of 2024.

Income tax expense increased \$3.9 million, or 45.9%, to \$12.5 million in the third quarter of 2024, compared to \$8.5 million in the third quarter of 2023. Our effective tax rate was 17.23% for the third quarter of 2024 compared to 13.81% for the third quarter of 2023. We recognized a reduction in provision for income taxes resulting from excess tax benefits from the exercise and vesting of stock options and restricted stock during the third quarters of 2024 and 2023 of \$111,000 and \$0, respectively.

#### About ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc.

ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. is a bank holding company based in Birmingham, Alabama. Through its subsidiary ServisFirst Bank, ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. provides business and personal financial services from locations in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia. We also operate loan production offices in Florida and Tennessee. Through the ServisFirst Bank, we originate commercial, consumer and other loans and accept deposits, provide electronic banking services, such as online and mobile banking, including remote deposit capture, deliver treasury and cash management services and provide correspondent banking services to other financial institutions.

ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. files periodic reports with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). Copies of its filings may be obtained through the SEC's website at www.sec.gov or at www.servisfirstbancshares.com.

Statements in this press release that are not historical facts, including, but not limited to, statements concerning future operations, results or performance, are hereby identified as "forward-looking statements" for the purpose of the safe harbor provided by Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933. The words "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "project," "plan," "intend," "will," "could," "would," "might" and similar expressions often signify forward-looking statements. Such statements involve inherent risks and uncertainties. ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. cautions that such forward-looking statements, wherever they occur in this press release or in other statements attributable to ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc., are necessarily estimates reflecting the judgment of ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc.'s senior management and involve a number of risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those suggested by the forward-looking statements. Such forward-looking statements should, therefore, be considered in light of various factors that could affect the accuracy of such forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to: general economic conditions, especially in the credit markets and in the Southeast; the performance of the capital markets; changes in interest rates, yield curves and interest rate spread relationships; changes in accounting and tax principles, policies or guidelines; changes in legislation or regulatory requirements; changes as a result of our reclassification as a large financial institution by the FDIC; changes in our loan portfolio and the deposit base; possible changes in laws and regulations and governmental monetary and fiscal policies, including, but not limited to, the Federal Reserve policies in connection with continued or re-emerging inflationary pressures and the ability of the U.S. Congress to increase the U.S. statutory debt limit as needed; computer hacking or cyber-attacks resulting in unauthorized access to confidential or proprietary information; substantial, unexpected or prolonged changes in the level or cost of liquidity; the cost and other effects of legal and administrative cases and similar contingencies; possible changes in the creditworthiness of customers and the possible impairment of the collectability of loans and the value of collateral; the effect of natural disasters, such as hurricanes and tornados, in our geographic markets; and increased competition from both banks and non-bank financial institutions. For discussion of these and other risks that may cause actual results to differ from expectations, please refer to "Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-looking Statements" and "Risk Factors" in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K, in our Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q for fiscal year 2024, and our other SEC filings. If one or more of the factors affecting our forward-looking information and statements proves incorrect, then our actual results, performance or achievements could differ materially from those expressed in, or implied by, forward-looking information and statements contained herein. Accordingly, you should not place undue reliance on any forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date made. ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. assumes no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements that are made from time to time.

More information about ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. may be obtained over the Internet at www.servisfirstbancshares.com or by calling (205) 949-0302.

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# SELECTED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (UNAUDITED)

(In thousands except share and per share data)

(	3rd Quarter 2024		2nd Quarter 2024	1st Quarter 2024	4th Quarter 2023	3rd Quarter 2023
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME						
Interest income	\$ 247,979	\$	227,540	\$ 226,710	\$ 229,062	\$ 213,206
Interest expense	132,858		121,665	124,215	127,375	113,508
Net interest income	 115,121	_	105,875	 102,495	101,687	 99,698
Provision for credit losses	5,659		5,353	4,368	3,582	4,282
Net interest income after provision for credit losses	 109,462		100,522	 98,127	 98,105	 95,416
Non-interest income	8,549		8,891	8,813	7,379	8,135
Non-interest expense	45,632		42,818	46,303	58,258	41,663
Income before income tax	 72,379		66,595	60,637	47,226	61,888
Provision for income tax	12,472		14,459	10,611	5,152	8,548
Net income	 59,907		52,136	50,026	42,074	53,340
Preferred stock dividends	 <u> </u>		31	 	31	 
Net income available to common stockholders	\$ 59,907	\$	52,105	\$ 50,026	\$ 42,043	\$ 53,340
Earnings per share - basic	\$ 1.10	\$	0.96	\$ 0.92	\$ 0.77	\$ 0.98
Earnings per share - diluted	\$ 1.10	\$	0.95	\$ 0.92	\$ 0.77	\$ 0.98
Average diluted shares outstanding	54,642,582		54,608,679	54,595,384	54,548,719	54,530,635
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET DATA						
Total assets	\$ 16,447,876	\$	16,049,812	\$ 15,721,630	\$ 16,129,668	\$ 16,044,332
Loans	12,338,226		12,332,780	11,880,696	11,658,829	11,641,130
Debt securities	1,867,587		1,941,641	1,941,625	1,882,847	1,878,701
Non-interest-bearing demand deposits	2,576,329		2,475,415	2,627,639	2,643,101	2,621,072
Total deposits	13,146,529		13,259,392	12,751,448	13,273,511	13,142,376
Borrowings	64,741		64,739	64,737	64,735	64,751
Stockholders' equity	1,570,269		1,510,576	1,476,036	1,440,405	1,401,384
Shares outstanding	54,551,543		54,521,479	54,507,778	54,461,580	54,425,447
Book value per share	\$ 28.79	\$	27.71	\$ 27.08	\$ 26.45	\$ 25.75
Tangible book value per share (1)	\$ 28.54	\$	27.46	\$ 26.83	\$ 26.20	\$ 25.50
SELECTED FINANCIAL RATIOS (Annualized)						
Net interest margin	2.84%		2.79%	2.66%	2.57%	2.64%
Return on average assets	1.43%		1.34%	1.26%	1.04%	1.37%
Return on average common stockholders' equity	15.55%		14.08%	13.82%	11.78%	15.34%
Efficiency ratio	36.90%		37.31%	43.30%	55.23%	38.64%
Non-interest expense to average earning assets	1.13%		1.13%	1.20%	1.47%	1.10%
GARVELLA DATIVOS (A)						
CAPITAL RATIOS (2)	11 250/		10.020/	11.070/	10.010/	10.600/
Common equity tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets	11.25%		10.93%	11.07%	10.91%	10.69%
Tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets	11.25%		10.93%	11.08%	10.92%	10.69%
Total capital to risk-weighted assets	12.77%		12.43%	12.61%	12.45%	12.25% 9.35%
Tier 1 capital to average assets	9.54%		9.81%	9.44%	9.12%	
Tangible common equity to total tangible assets (1)	9.47%		9.33%	9.31%	8.85%	8.66%

<sup>(1)</sup> This press release contains certain non-GAAP financial measures. Please see "GAAP Reconciliation and Management Explanation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures." (2) Regulatory capital ratios for most recent period are preliminary.

#### GAAP Reconciliation and Management Explanation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

This press release contains certain non-GAAP financial measures, including adjusted net income, adjusted net income available to common stockholders, adjusted diluted earnings per share, adjusted return on average assets, adjusted return on average common stockholders' equity, and adjusted efficiency ratio. During the fourth quarter of 2023, we recorded a one-time expense of \$7.2 million associated with the FDIC's special assessment to recapitalize the Deposit Insurance Fund following bank failures in the spring of 2023. This assessment was updated in the first quarter of 2024 resulting in additional expense of \$1.8 million. These expenses are unusual, or infrequent, in nature and not part of the noninterest expense run rate. Each of adjusted net income, adjusted net income available to common stockholders, adjusted diluted earnings per share, adjusted return on average assets, adjusted return on average common stockholders' equity and adjusted efficiency ratio excludes the impact of these items, net of tax, and are all considered non-GAAP financial measures. This press release also contains the non-GAAP financial measures of tangible common stockholders' equity, total tangible assets, tangible book value per share and tangible common equity to total tangible assets, each of which excludes goodwill associated with our acquisition of Metro Bancshares, Inc. in January 2015.

We believe these non-GAAP financial measures provide useful information to management and investors that is supplementary to our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows computed in accordance with GAAP; however, we acknowledge that these non-GAAP financial measures have a number of limitations. As such, you should not view these disclosures as a substitute for results determined in accordance with GAAP, and they are not necessarily comparable to non-GAAP financial measures that other companies, including those in our industry, use. The following reconciliation table provides a more detailed analysis of the non-GAAP financial measures as of and for the comparative periods presented in this press release. Dollars are in thousands, except share and per share data.

At June 30.

At March 31.

At December

At September

At September

	A	At September		At June 30,	1	At March 31,		At December		At September
Darda and Lander CAAD	\$	30, 2024	\$	2024	\$	2024	\$	31, 2023	_	30, 2023 \$ 25.75
Book value per share - GAAP  Total common stockholders' equity - GAAP	\$	1,570,269	Þ	1,570,994	<b>3</b>	1,476,036	Þ	26.4: 1,440,40:		\$ 25.75 1,401,384
Adjustment for Goodwill		(13,615)		(13,615)		(13,615)		(13,61:		(13,615)
Tangible common stockholders' equity - non-GAAP	\$	1,556,654	\$	1,557,379	\$	1,462,421	\$	1,426,79		\$ 1,387,769
Tangible book value per share - non-GAAP	\$	28.54	\$	27.46	\$	26.83	\$	26.2		\$ 25.50
rangiole book value per share non G/1/11	Ψ	20.54	Ψ	27.40	Ψ	20.03	Ψ	20.2.	_	Ψ 25.50
Stockholders' equity to total assets - GAAP		9.55%		9.55%		9.39%		8.93	3%	8.73%
Total assets - GAAP	\$	16,447,876	\$	16,448,582	\$	16,048,819	\$	16,129,66	8	\$ 16,044,332
Adjustment for Goodwill		(13,615)		(13,615)		(13,615)		(13,61:	5)	(13,615)
Total tangible assets - non-GAAP	\$	16,434,261	\$	16,434,967	\$	16,035,204	\$	16,116,05	3	\$ 16,030,717
Tangible common equity to total tangible assets - non-										
GAAP		9.47%		9.48%		9.33%		8.8	5%	8.66%
						Nina	Man	ths Ended	NI:.	ne Months Ended
								r 30, 2024		otember 30, 2023
Net income - GAAP						\$ \$	CIIIDE	162,069	\$	164,779
Adjustments:						Ψ		102,007	Ψ	104,777
FDIC special assessment								1,799		_
Tax on adjustments								(452)		_
Adjusted net income - non-GAAP						\$		163,416	\$	164,779
						Ψ		105,410	Ψ	104,777
Net income available to common stockholders - GAAP						\$		162,038	\$	164,748
Adjustments:						Ψ		102,030	Ψ	104,740
FDIC special assessment								1,799		_
Tax on adjustments								(452)		_
Adjusted net income available to common stockholders - no	on-GAA	р				\$		163,385	\$	164,748
regusted net income available to common stockholders.	<i>on                                    </i>	•				<b>9</b>		103,363	φ	104,748
Diluted earnings per share - GAAP						\$		2.97	\$	3.02
Adjustments:						Þ		2.91	φ	5.02
FDIC special assessment								0.03		_
Tax on adjustments								(0.01)		_
Adjusted diluted earnings per share - non-GAAP						\$		2.99	\$	3.02
ragusted undeed carmings per share mon oraru						<b>3</b>		2.99	φ	3.02
Return on average assets - GAAP								1.34%		1.50%
Net income available to common stockholders - GAAP						\$		162,038	\$	164,748
Adjustments:						Ψ		102,050	Ψ	101,710
FDIC special assessment								1,799		_
Tax on adjustments								(452)		_
Adjusted net income available to common stockholders - no	on-GAA	P				\$		163,385	\$	164,748
Average assets - GAAP						\$	1	16,095,859	\$	14,711,108
Adjusted return on average assets - non-GAAP						Ψ		1.36%	Ψ	1.50%
Adjusted return on average assets - non-GAAr								1.5070		1.50/0
Return on average common stockholders' equity - GAAP								14.51%		16.23%
Net income available to common stockholders - GAAP						\$		162,038	\$	164,748
Adjustments:								,,,,,,		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
FDIC special assessment								1,799		_
Tax on adjustments								(452)		_
Adjusted diluted earnings per share - non-GAAP						\$		163,385	\$	164,748
Average common stockholders' equity - GAAP						\$		1,491,880	\$	1,356,857
Adjusted return on average common stockholders' equity no	on-GAA	р				<u> </u>		14.63%	<u> </u>	16.23%
ragusted return on average common stockholders equity is	311 G/1/1							14.0570		10.2370
Efficiency ratio								38.53%		36.05%
Non-interest expense - GAAP										
Adjustments:						\$		134,250	\$	119,793
FDIC special assessment								1,799		_

Adjusted non-interest expense	\$ 132,451	\$ 119,793
Net interest income plus non-interest income - GAAP	\$ 349,744	\$ 332,288
Adjusted efficiency ratio - non-GAAP	37.87%	36.05%

# CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (UNAUDITED)

(Dollars in thousands)

	5	September 30, 2024	September 30, 2023	% Change
ASSETS				, and the second
Cash and due from banks	\$	142,372	\$ 112,150	27 %
Interest-bearing balances due from depository institutions		1,614,317	1,861,924	(13)%
Federal funds sold		3,542	91,035	(96)%
Cash and cash equivalents		1,760,231	2,065,109	(15)%
Available for sale debt securities, at fair value		1,139,007	834,802	36 %
Held to maturity debt securities (fair value of \$673,023 and \$933,006, respectively)		728,580	1,043,899	(30)%
Restricted equity securities		11,300	10,226	11 %
Mortgage loans held for sale		8,453	6,333	33 %
Loans		12,338,226	11,641,130	6 %
Less allowance for credit losses		(162,057)	(152,247)	6 %
Loans, net		12,176,169	11,488,883	6 %
Premises and equipment, net		61,328	59,516	3 %
Goodwill		13,615	13,615	— %
Other assets		549,194	521,949	5 %
Total assets	\$	16,447,876	\$ 16,044,332	3 %
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Liabilities:				
Deposits:				
Non-interest-bearing demand	\$	2,576,329	\$ 2,621,072	(2)%
Interest-bearing		10,570,200	10,521,304	— %
Total deposits		13,146,529	13,142,376	— %
Federal funds purchased		1,542,623	1,370,289	13 %
Other borrowings		64,741	64,751	— %
Other liabilities		123,714	65,532	89 %
Total liabilities		14,877,607	 14,642,948	2 %
Stockholders' equity:				
Preferred stock, par value \$0.001 per share; 1,000,000 authorized and undesignated at September 30, 2024 and September 30, 2023		_	_	— %
Common stock, par value \$0.001 per share; 200,000,000 shares authorized; 54,551,543				
shares				
issued and outstanding at September 30, 2024, and 54,425,447				
shares issued and outstanding at September 30, 2023		54	54	— %
Additional paid-in capital		235,649	231,588	2 %
Retained earnings		1,365,701	1,229,080	11 %
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(31,635)	(59,838)	(47)%
Total stockholders' equity attributable to ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc.		1,569,769	1,400,884	12 %
Noncontrolling interest		500	500	— %
Total stockholders' equity		1,570,269	1,401,384	12 %
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	16,447,876	\$ 16,044,332	3 %

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (UNAUDITED)

(In thousands except per share data)

	Three Months Er 2024	ided S	eptember 30, 2023	]	Nine Months End 2024	ed Sep	otember 30, 2023
Interest income:							
Interest and fees on loans	\$ 205,952	\$	178,754	\$	587,230	\$	514,204
Taxable securities	17,493		15,522		49,630		37,987
Nontaxable securities	7		15		25		53
Federal funds sold	31		985		1,110		1,826
Other interest and dividends	24,496		17,930		64,234		30,114
Total interest income	 247,979		213,206		702,229		584,184
Interest expense:							
Deposits	113,211		95,901		321,948		223,585
Borrowed funds	19,647		17,607		56,790		51,349
Total interest expense	132,858		113,508		378,738		274,934
Net interest income	115,121		99,698		323,491		309,250
Provision for credit losses	5,659		4,282		15,883		15,133
Net interest income after provision for credit losses	109,462		95,416		307,608		294,117
Non-interest income:							
Service charges on deposit accounts	2,341		2,163		6,784		6,239
Mortgage banking	1,352		825		3,409		1,963
Credit card income	1,925		2,532		6,413		6,627
Bank-owned life insurance income	2,113		1,818		7,402		5,935
Other operating income	818		797		2,245		2,274
Total non-interest income	 8,549		8,135		26,253		23,038
Non-interest expense:							
Salaries and employee benefits	25,057		20,080		72,256		57,941
Equipment and occupancy expense	3,795		3,579		10,919		10,435
Third party processing and other services	8,035		6,549		22,666		20,031
Professional services	1,715		1,265		4,920		4,499
FDIC and other regulatory assessments	2,355		2,346		8,462		6,105
Other real estate owned expense	103		18		141		30
Other operating expense	 4,572		7,826		14,886		20,752
Total non-interest expense	 45,632		41,663		134,250		119,793
Income before income tax	72,379		61,888		199,611		197,362
Provision for income tax	12,472		8,548		37,542		32,583
Net income	59,907		53,340		162,069		164,779
Dividends on preferred stock	_		_		31		31
Net income available to common stockholders	\$ 59,907	\$	53,340	\$	162,038	\$	164,748
Basic earnings per common share	\$ 1.10	\$	0.98	\$	2.97	\$	3.03
Diluted earnings per common share	\$ 1.10	\$	0.98	\$	2.97	\$	3.02

# LOANS BY TYPE (UNAUDITED)

(In thousands)

	3rd Quarter 2024	2nd Quarter 2024	1st Quarter 2024	4th Quarter 2023	3rd Quarter 2023
Commercial, financial and agricultural	\$ 2,793,989	\$ 2,935,577	\$ 2,834,102	\$ 2,823,986	\$ 2,890,535
Real estate - construction	1,439,648	1,510,677	1,546,716	1,519,619	1,509,937
Real estate - mortgage:					
Owner-occupied commercial	2,441,687	2,399,644	2,377,042	2,257,163	2,237,684
1-4 family mortgage	1,409,981	1,350,428	1,284,888	1,249,938	1,170,099
Other mortgage	4,190,935	4,072,007	3,777,758	3,744,346	3,766,124
Subtotal: Real estate - mortgage	8,042,603	7,822,079	7,439,688	7,251,447	7,173,907
Consumer	61,986	64,447	60,190	63,777	66,751
Total loans	\$ 12,338,226	\$ 12,332,780	\$ 11,880,696	\$ 11,658,829	\$ 11,641,130

# SUMMARY OF CREDIT LOSS EXPERIENCE (UNAUDITED) (Dollars in thousands)

Loans charged off:  Commercial, financial and agricultural  Real estate - construction Real estate - mortgage  Consumer  Total charge offs  Recoveries:  Commercial, financial and agricultural Real estate - construction Real estate - mortgage  Consumer  Total recoveries  Net charge-offs  Reclassification from other liabilities  Provision for credit losses	8,092 3,020 	\$	155,892  3,355  — 119 108 3,582  406 8 — 15 429 3,153 — 5,353	\$	153,317 1,842 — 67 98 2,007 199 — 6 9 214 1,793 — 4,368	\$	152,247  2,831 89 14 231 3,165  614 — 39 653 2,512	\$	152,272  4,783 19 — 341 5,143  825 — 11 836 4,307
Loans charged off:  Commercial, financial and agricultural  Real estate - construction  Real estate - mortgage  Consumer  Total charge offs  Recoveries:  Commercial, financial and agricultural  Real estate - construction  Real estate - mortgage  Consumer  Total recoveries  Net charge-offs  Reclassification from other liabilities  Provision for credit losses  Ending balance  Allowance for credit losses to total loans  Allowance for credit losses to total average loans  Net charge-offs to total average loans	3,020 		3,355 — 119 108 3,582 406 8 — 15 429 3,153 — 5,353	\$	1,842 — 67 98 2,007 199 — 6 9 214 1,793		2,831 89 14 231 3,165 614 — — 39 653	\$ 	4,783 19 — 341 5,143 825 — — 11 836
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Allowance for credit losses to total average loans  Net charge-offs to total average loans			158,092		155,892		153,317		152,247
Allowance for credit losses to total average loans  Net charge-offs to total average loans									
loans Net charge-offs to total average loans	1.31%		1.28%		1.31%		1.32%		1.31%
Net charge-offs to total average loans	1.210/		1.210/		1.220/		1 220		1.210/
	1.31%		1.31%		1.33%		1.32%		1.31%
Provision for credit losses to total average	0.09%		0.10%		0.06%		0.09%		0.15%
	0.18%		0.18%		0.15%		0.12%		0.15%
loans	0.18%		0.18%		0.15%		0.12%		0.15%
Nonperforming assets:  Nonaccrual loans \$ 3'	7.075	\$	33,454	\$	34,457	\$	19,349	\$	20,912
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Other real estate owned and	2,093		1,462		360		2,104		1,092
	2,723		1,458		490		995		690
		\$	36,394	\$	35,327	\$	22,528	\$	23,294
<u></u>	.,071	<u> </u>	30,371	Ψ	30,327	Ψ	22,020		23,23
Nonperforming loans to total loans	0.32%		0.28%		0.29%		0.18%		0.19%
Nonperforming assets to total assets	0.25%		0.23%		0.22%		0.14%	,	0.15%
Nonperforming assets to earning assets	0.26%		0.23%		0.23%		0.14%		0.16%
Allowance for credit losses to nonaccrual loans 43			472.57%		452.42%		795.17%		731.74%

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (UNAUDITED)

(In thousands except per share data)

	3	3rd Quarter 2024	2nd Quarter 2024	1st Quarter 2024		4th Quarter 2023	3rd Quarter 2023
Interest income:							
Interest and fees on loans	\$	205,952	\$ 194,300	\$ 186,978	\$	184,897	\$ 178,754
Taxable securities		17,493	16,158	15,979		15,512	15,522
Nontaxable securities		7	9	9		12	15
Federal funds sold		31	538	541		1,018	985
Other interest and dividends		24,496	16,535	23,203		27,623	17,930
Total interest income		247,979	227,540	 226,710		229,062	 213,206
Interest expense:							
Deposits		113,211	104,671	104,066		108,155	95,901
Borrowed funds		19,647	16,994	20,149		19,220	17,607
Total interest expense		132,858	 121,665	124,215		127,375	113,508
Net interest income		115,121	105,875	102,495		101,687	 99,698
Provision for credit losses		5,659	5,353	4,368		3,582	4,282
Net interest income after provision for credit losses	<del></del>	109,462	100,522	98,127	_	98,105	95,416
Non-interest income:			 <u> </u>	 	_		 
Service charges on deposit accounts		2,341	2,293	2,150		2,181	2,163
Mortgage banking		1,352	1,379	678		792	825
Credit card income		1,925	2,333	2,155		2,004	2,532
Bank-owned life insurance income		2,113	2,058	3,231		1,639	1,818
Other operating income		818	828	599		763	797
Total non-interest income		8,549	8,891	8,813		7,379	8,135
Non-interest expense:			 ,	 ,			 
Salaries and employee benefits		25,057	24,213	22,986		23,024	20,080
Equipment and occupancy expense		3,795	3,567	3,557		3,860	3,579
Third party processing and other services		8,035	7,465	7,166		7,841	6,549
Professional services		1,715	1,741	1,464		1,417	1,265
FDIC and other regulatory assessments		2,355	2,202	3,905		9,509	2,346
Other real estate owned expense		103	7	30		17	18
Other operating expense		4,572	3,623	7,195		12,590	7,826
Total non-interest expense		45,632	42,818	46,303		58,258	41,663
Income before income tax		72,379	 66,595	 60,637		47,226	 61,888
Provision for income tax		12,472	14,459	10,611		5,152	8,548
Net income	-	59,907	52,136	50,026		42,074	53,340
Dividends on preferred stock			31			31	_
Net income available to common stockholders	\$	59,907	\$ 52,105	\$ 50,026	\$	42,043	\$ 53,340
Basic earnings per common share	\$	1.10	\$ 0.96	\$ 0.92	\$	0.77	\$ 0.98
Diluted earnings per common share	\$	1.10	\$ 0.95	\$ 0.92	\$	0.77	\$ 0.98

# AVERAGE BALANCE SHEETS AND NET INTEREST ANALYSIS (UNAUDITED) ON A FULLY TAXABLE-EQUIVALENT BASIS

(Dollars in thousands)

	3rd Quarter	2024	2nd Quarter	r 2024	1st Quarter	2024	4th Quarter	2023	3rd Quarter	2023
		Yield		Yield		Yield		Yield		Yield
	Average	/	Average	/	Average	/	Average	/	Average	/
	Balance	Rate	Balance	Rate	Balance	Rate	Balance	Rate	Balance	Rate
Assets:										
Interest-earning assets:										
Loans, net of unearned income (1)										
Taxable	\$12,351,073	6.63%	\$12,045,743	6.48%	\$11,723,391	6.41%	\$11,580,716	6.33%	\$11,545,003	6.13%
Tax-exempt (2)	15,584	1.86	17,230	2.08	17,605	5.00	17,787	4.71	18,023	4.71
Total loans, net of unearned income	12,366,657	6.62	12,062,973	6.48	11,740,996	6.40	11,598,503	6.32	11,563,026	6.13
Mortgage loans held for sale Debt securities:	10,674	3.80	6,761	6.13	4,770	5.57	5,105	6.22	5,476	6.67
Taxable	1,955,632	3.57	1,936,818	3.33	2,013,295	3.16	2,007,636	3.08	2,029,995	3.07
Tax-exempt (2)	815	4.42	1,209	3.64	1,296	3.40	1,739	2.30	2,408	2.49
Total securities (3)	1,956,447	3.57	1,938,027	3.33	2,014,591	3.16	2,009,375	3.08	2,032,403	3.07
Federal funds sold	2,106	5.86	38,475	5.62	37,298	5.83	72,178	5.60	74,424	5.25
Restricted equity securities	11,290	7.36	11,290	7.16	10,417	7.57	10,216	8.74	8,471	5.90
Interest-bearing balances with banks	1,775,192	5.46	1,183,482	5.57	1,687,977	5.48	1,981,411	5.49	1,293,243	5.45
Total interest-earning assets	\$16,122,366	6.12	\$15,241,008	6.01	\$15,496,049	5.88	\$15,676,788	5.80	\$14,977,043	5.65
Non-interest-earning assets:			, ,				, , ,		, , ,	
Cash and due from banks	103,539		96,646		98,813		101,741		111,566	
Net premises and equipment	60,607		59,653		60,126		60,110		60,121	
Allowance for credit losses, accrued										
interest and other assets	340,621		300,521		302,592		283,435		283,357	
Total assets	\$16,627,133		\$15,697,828		\$15,957,580		\$16,122,074		\$15,432,087	
Interest-bearing liabilities:										
Interest-bearing deposits:										
Checking	\$ 2,318,384	2.97%	\$ 2,227,527	2.85%	\$ 2,339,548	2.69%	\$ 2,245,431	2.91%	\$ 2,153,973	2.72%
Savings	102,627	1.76	105,955	1.71	106,924	1.76	107,035	1.72	112,814	1.61
Money market	7,321,503	4.45	6,810,799	4.46	6,761,495	4.48	7,106,190	4.44	6,538,426	4.24
Time deposits	1,197,650	4.52	1,157,528	4.47	1,164,204	4.37	1,111,350	4.18	1,093,388	3.89
Total interest-bearing deposits	10,940,164	4.12	10,301,809	4.09	10,372,171	4.04	10,570,006	4.06	9,898,601	3.84
Federal funds purchased	1,391,118	5.42	1,193,190	5.50	1,422,828	5.50	1,338,110	5.49	1,237,721	5.43
Other borrowings	64,738	4.22	64,738	4.27	64,736	4.26	64,734	4.23	64,734	4.23
Total interest-bearing liabilities	\$12,396,020	4.26%	\$11,559,737	4.23%	\$11,859,735	4.21%	\$11,972,850	4.22%	\$11,201,056	4.02%
Non-interest-bearing liabilities:										
Non-interest-bearing checking	2,575,575		2,560,245		2,550,841		2,656,504		2,778,858	
Other liabilities	122,455		89,418		91,066		76,651		72,924	
Stockholders' equity	1,574,902		1,536,013		1,503,240		1,475,366		1,437,766	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(41,819)		(47,584)		(47,302)		(59,297)		(58,517)	
Total liabilities and stockholders'										
equity	\$16,627,133		\$15,697,828		\$15,957,580		\$16,122,074		\$15,432,087	
Net interest spread		1.86%		1.78%		1.67%		1.58%		1.63%
Net interest margin		2.84%		2.79%		2.66%		2.57%		2.64%

<sup>(1)</sup> Average loans include nonaccrual loans in all periods. Loan fees of \$3,949, \$3,317, \$3,655, \$4,175, and \$2,996 are included in interest income in the third quarter of 2024, second quarter of 2024, first quarter of 2024, fourth quarter of 2023, and third quarter of 2023, respectively.

<sup>(2)</sup> Interest income and yields are presented on a fully taxable equivalent basis using a tax rate of 21%.

<sup>(3)</sup> Unrealized losses on debt securities of \$(48,770), \$(67,823), \$(68,162), \$(84,647), and \$(83,815) for the third quarter of 2024, second quarter of 2024, first quarter of 2024, fourth quarter of 2023, and third quarter of 2023, respectively, are excluded from the yield calculation.

Selected Financial Data (in thousands except number of employees)	9/30/2024	6/30/2024	9/30/2023
Scheduled CD maturities for subsequent quarter	\$ 396,852	\$ 399,395	\$ 186,477
Average rate scheduled CD maturities for subsequent quarter	4.85%	4.72%	3.65%
Average loan rate - loan originations/renewals QTD (excludes fees)	7.67%	8.05%	8.34%
Cost of total deposits, Qtr-End	3.01%	3.34%	3.17%
Cost of interest-bearing DDAs, Qtr-End	3.65%	4.07%	4.01%
Cost of interest-bearing deposits, Qtr-End	3.75%	4.12%	3.96%
Noninterest bearing DDA balances, Qtr-End	\$ 2,576,329	\$ 2,475,415	\$ 2,621,072
Reserve for unfunded commitments, Qtr-End	\$ 1,302	\$ 1,078	\$ 575
Credit card spend QTD	\$ 270,133	\$ 261,486	\$ 266,721
Credit card net income QTD	\$ 1,925	\$ 2,333	\$ 2,532
Merchant services fees QTD	\$ 606	\$ 595	\$ 594
Mortgage banking income QTD	\$ 1,352	\$ 1,379	\$ 825
FDIC insurance QTD	\$ 2,100	\$ 1,950	\$ 2,100
Salaries & employee benefits QTD	\$ 25,057	\$ 24,213	\$ 20,080
Other operating expense	\$ 4,572	\$ 3,623	\$ 7,826
Third party processing and other services QTD	\$ 8,035	\$ 7,465	\$ 6,549
Equipment and occupancy expense QTD	\$ 3,795	\$ 3,567	\$ 3,579
Earnings retention YTD	70%	68%	71%
Number of full-time equivalent employees	620	625	568
QTD tax rate	17.23%	21.71%	13.81%
YTD tax rate	18.81%	19.70%	16.51%

Available Liquidity	9/30/2024
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,760,231
Investment Securities (mkt value), net of pledged	\$ 346,999
Total on balance sheet liquidity	\$ 2,107,230
FHLB fundings availability	\$ 2,927,801
Correspondent lines of credit availability	\$ 225,000
Brokered deposit availability (25% of assets per policy)	\$ 4,111,969
Federal Reserve Bank fundings availability	\$ 2,148,118
Total Available Liquidity	\$ 11,520,118