

Flushing Financial Corporation Declares Quarterly Dividend of \$0.22 per Share

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UNIONDALE, NY / ACCESSWIRE / August 20, 2024 / Flushing Financial Corporation (the "Company") (Nasdaq-GS:FFIC), the parent holding company for Flushing Bank (the "Bank"), today announced that the Board of Directors (the "Board") declared a quarterly dividend on its common stock of \$0.22 per common share, payable on September 27, 2024, to shareholders of record at the close of business on September 6, 2024.

John R. Buran, the Company's President and Chief Executive Officer stated: "The Company paid its first dividend to shareholders in 1996 and this quarter's marks the 113th consecutive quarterly dividend payment. With NIM compression likely towards the end of the cycle rather than the beginning, our earnings should start to improve once funding costs stabilize. The focus on our 2024 priorities of 1) increasing the NIM and reducing volatility, 2) maintaining credit discipline, 3) preserving our strong liquidity and capital, and 4) bending the expense curve should set the stage for improved financial performance over the long term."

FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION (Nasdaq:FFIC) is the holding company for Flushing Bank®, an FDIC insured, New York State-chartered commercial bank that operates banking offices in Queens, Brooklyn, Manhattan, and on Long Island. The Bank has been building relationships with families, business owners, and communities since 1929. Today, it offers the products, services, and conveniences associated with large commercial banks, including a full complement of deposit, loan, equipment finance, and cash management services. Rewarding customers with personalized attention and bankers that can communicate in the languages prevalent within these multicultural markets is what makes the Bank uniquely different. As an Equal Housing Lender and leader in real estate lending, the Bank's experienced lending teams create mortgage solutions for real estate owners and property managers both within and outside the New York City metropolitan area. The Bank also fosters relationships with consumers nationwide through its online banking division with the iGObanking® and BankPurely® brands. Additional information on Flushing Financial Corporation and Flushing Bank may be obtained by visiting the Company's web site at [FlushingBank.com](https://www.FlushingBank.com).

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results, levels of activity, performance or achievements. The Company has no obligation to update these forward-looking statements.

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