# Flushing Financial Corporation Reports 2023 and 4Q23 GAAP EPS of \$0.96 and \$0.27, and Core EPS of \$0.83 and \$0.25, Respectively; Continues to Successfully Execute On Its Action Plan

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## John R. Buran, President and CEO Commentary

"Flushing Financial delivered sequential GAAP and Core NIM expansion in 4Q23 of 7 and 18 basis points, respectively, as our team continued to successfully execute against the previously announced action plan amid this challenging environment. Importantly, during the quarter, total average deposits increased 3.1% YoY and 0.9% QoQ, while average noninterest bearing deposits increased \$21.6 million, or 2.5% QoQ. Our loan portfolio remains resilient through the credit cycle with 89% secured by real estate, strong debt service coverage ratios, low average loan to values, and controllable repricing risk. Credit quality continues to be a strength for the Company with less than one basis point of net charge-offs in 4Q23 although there was a slight uptick in NPAs.

Given our progress to date, we are expanding our areas of focus to include: 1) increasing NIM and reducing volatility; 2) maintaining credit discipline; 3) preserving strong liquidity and capital; and 4) bending the expense curve. Continuing to advance these priorities will enable us to navigate the current environment while positioning the Company for long-term profitable growth."

- John R. Buran, President and CEO

UNIONDALE, N.Y., Jan. 25, 2024 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- **GAAP** and **Core NIM Expand QoQ; Average Total Deposits Increase.** The Company reported fourth quarter and full year 2023 GAAP EPS of \$0.27 and \$0.96, respectively. Core EPS for the fourth quarter and full year of 2023 totaled \$0.25 and \$0.83, respectively. 4Q23 GAAP NIM was 2.29% while Core NIM amounted to 2.31%. The actions undertaken in 2023 to reduce interest rate risk, including adding interest rate hedges and floating rate loans, assisted in reducing the NIM compression. Absent episodic items, the NIM was 2.14%, an increase of 5 basis points quarter over quarter. Average total deposits increased 3.1% YoY and 0.9% QoQ while importantly, noninterest bearing deposits increased \$21.6 million, or 2.5% QoQ.

**Strong Credit Quality; Stable Capital.** Nonperforming assets to total assets increased to 54 bps compared to 45 bps in 3Q23, while criticized and classified loans to loans was 1.11% in 4Q23, compared to 1.08% in 3Q23. Net charge-offs were only \$60 thousand in 4Q23. Capital continues to be sound with TCE/TA<sup>1</sup> of 7.64% at December 31, 2023, compared to 7.56% at September 30, 2023. The Company repurchased 38,815 shares at an average cost \$15.08 (33% discount to tangible book value) during 4Q23.

Key	Finan	cial	Metri	cs <sup>2</sup>
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	 1Q23	3Q23	2Q23	 1Q23	_	4Q22	2023	2022
GAAP:								
EPS	\$ 0.27	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.13	\$	0.34	\$ 0.96	\$ 2.50
ROAA (%)	0.38	0.37	0.41	0.19		0.48	0.34	0.93
ROAE (%)	4.84	4.64	5.16	2.37		6.06	4.25	11.44
NIM FTE <sup>3</sup> (%)	2.29	2.22	2.18	2.27		2.70	2.24	3.11
Core:								
EPS	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.06	\$	0.57	\$ 0.83	\$ 2.49
ROAA (%)	0.35	0.36	0.37	0.09		0.82	0.29	0.92
ROAE (%)	4.51	4.49	4.70	1.11		10.29	3.69	11.42
Core NIM FTE	2.31	2.13	2.17	2.25		2.63	2.21	3.07
(%)	2,51	2,10	2.17	2,20		2.05	2,21	3.07
Credit Quality:								
NPAs/Loans &	0.67	0.56	0.58	0.61		0.77	0.67	0.77
OREO (%)								
ACLs/Loans (%)	0.58	0.57	0.57	0.56		0.58	0.58	0.58
ACLs/NPLs (%)	159.55	225.38	207.08	182.89		124.89	159.55	124.89
NCOs/Avg Loans	_	_	0.09	0.54		0.05	0.16	0.02
(%)								
Balance Sheet:								
Avg Loans (\$B)	\$ 6.9	\$ 6.8	\$ 	\$ 6.9	\$	6.9	\$ 6.8	\$ 6.7
Avg Dep (\$B)	\$ 6.9	\$ 6.8	\$ 6.9	\$ 6.8	\$	6.7	\$ 6.9	\$ 6.5
Book Value/Share	\$ 23.21	\$ 23.06	\$ 23.14	\$ 22.80	\$	22.97	\$ 23.21	\$ 22.97
Tangible BV/Share	\$ 22.54	\$ 22.39	\$ 22.47	\$ 22.14	\$	22.31	\$ 22.54	\$ 22.31
TCE/TA (%)	7.64	7.56	7.70	7.72		7.82	7.64	7.82

Note: In certain circumstances, reclassifications have been made to prior periods to conform to the current presentation.

#### **4Q23 Highlights**

- Net interest margin FTE decreased 41 bps YoY, but increased 7 bps QoQ to 2.29%; Core net interest margin FTE decreased 32 bps YoY but improved 18 bps QoQ to 2.31%; Both GAAP and Core NIM benefited from prepayment penalty income, net reversals and recovered interest from nonaccrual loans, and customer swap termination fees, which totaled \$3.4 million or 17 bps in 4Q23
- Average total deposits increased 3.1% YoY and 0.9% QoQ to \$6.9 billion; Average noninterest bearing deposits increased \$21.6 million QoQ, totaling 12.7% of average total deposits compared to 14.7% in 4Q22 and 12.5% in 3Q23. Average CDs were \$2.3 billion, up 73.3% YoY and 2.2% QoQ

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Tangible Common Equity ("TCE")/Total Assets ("TA") <sup>2</sup> See "Reconciliation of GAAP Earnings and Core Earnings", "Reconciliation of GAAP Revenue and Pre-Provision Pre-Tax Net Revenue", and "Reconciliation of GAAP Net Interest Margin to Core Net Interest Income and Net Interest Margin." <sup>3</sup> Net Interest Margin ("NIM") Fully Taxable Equivalent ("FTE").

- Period end net loans decreased 0.4% YoY, but increased 0.1% QoQ; Loan closings were \$244.3 million up 8.5% YoY and 1.2% QoQ; The yields on closings increased 159 bps YoY and 21 bps QoQ to 7.69%; Back-to-back swap loan originations were \$121.6 million compared to \$120.5 million in 3Q23 and generated \$1.5 million and \$1.6 million of noninterest income, respectively; Loan pipeline decreased 35.3% YoY and 55.1% QoQ to \$163.1 million; Approximately 29% of the loan pipeline consists of back-to-back swap loans
- NPAs decreased to \$46.2 million from \$53.4 million a year ago but increased from \$38.4 million in the prior quarter
- As separately disclosed, we have not recognized and have restated for employee retention credits formerly recognized during periods of 2023, and have fully reserved for approximately \$7.0 million (\$0.17/share, after tax) of refunds
- 4Q23 noninterest expense was impacted by increasing DDA balances and strong loan production
- Provision for credit losses was \$1.0 million in 4Q23 compared to negligible amount in 4Q22 and \$0.6 million in 3Q23; Net charge-offs (recoveries) were \$60,000 in 4Q23 compared to \$0.8 million in 4Q22 and \$(42,000) in 3Q23
- Tangible Common Equity to Tangible Assets increased to 7.64% at 4Q23 compared to 7.56% at 3Q23; Repurchased 38,815 shares at an average price of \$15.08 or a 33% discount to December 31, 2023, tangible book value of \$22.54

	Areas of Focus
Increase NIM and Reduce Volatility	<ul> <li>GAAP and Core NIM improved 7 bps and 18 bps QoQ, respectively, in 4Q23</li> <li>NIM improved 5 bps QoQ to 2.14%, absent episodic items<sup>1</sup></li> <li>Largely achieved the goal of becoming interest rate neutral to a 100 bps change in rates</li> <li>Approximately 25% of the loan portfolio consists of floating rate loans (including interest rate hedges)</li> <li>Average noninterest bearing increased 2.5% QoQ and accounted for 12.7% of average total deposits</li> </ul>
Maintain Credit Discipline	<ul> <li>Approximately 89% of the loan portfolio is collateralized by real estate with an average loan to value of less than 36%</li> <li>Weighted average debt service coverage ratio is approximately 1.8x for multifamily and investor commercial real estate loans</li> <li>NPAs are a low 54 bps of assets and criticized and classified loans are 1.11% of loans</li> <li>Manhattan office buildings exposure is minimal at 0.6% of net loans</li> </ul>
Preserve Strong Liquidity and Capital	Maintaining ample liquidity with \$4.1 billion of undrawn lines and resources

	<ul> <li>Uninsured and uncollateralized deposits were 17% of total deposits, while uninsured deposits were 30% of total deposits</li> <li>Total average deposits increased 3.1% YoY and 0.9% QoQ</li> <li>Checking account openings declined 6.6% YoY in 4Q23, but were up 5.7% in 2023</li> <li>Tangible Common Equity to Tangible Assets improved to 7.64% QoQ</li> <li>Leverage ratio remains stable at 8.47%</li> </ul>
Bend the Expense Curve	<ul> <li>GAAP noninterest expense to average assets was 1.90% in 4Q23 compared to 1.58% in 4Q22 and 1.71% in 3Q23</li> <li>4Q23 noninterest expense was impacted by increasing DDA balances and strong loan production</li> <li>1Q24 seasonal expenses are expected to be less than half of the \$4.1 million recorded in 1Q23</li> </ul>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Episodic items include prepayment penalty income, customer swap termination fees, net reversals and recovered interest from nonaccrual loans, net gain/loss from fair value on qualifying hedges, and purchase accounting adjustments

## **Income Statement Highlights**

									YoY	QoQ
(\$000s, except EPS)	4	IQ23		3Q23	 2Q23	 1Q23	_	4Q22	Change	Change
Net Interest										
Income	\$ 4	46,085	\$	44,427	\$ 43,378	\$ 45,262	\$	54,201	(15.0)%	3.7 %
Provision (Benefit)				-00				(15)	(0 110 <del>-</del> )	o= .
for Credit Losses		998		596	1,416	7,508		(12)	(8,416.7)	67.4
Noninterest Income (Loss)		7,402		3,309	5,020	6,857		(7,652)	(196.7)	123.7
Noninterest										
Expense	<u>ا</u> ا	40,735	l	36,388	35,110	39,156	_	33,742	20.7	11.9
Income Before Income Taxes Provision for		11,754		10,752	11,872	5,455		12,819	(8.3)	9.3
Income Taxes		3,655		2,917	3,186	1,411		2,570	42.2	25.3
Net Income	\$	8,099	\$	7,835	\$ 8,686	\$ 4,044	\$	10,249	(21.0)	3.4
Diluted EPS	\$	0.27	\$	0.26	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.13	\$	0.34	(20.6)	3.8
Avg. Diluted									4	42 - 1
Shares (000s)		29,650		29,703	30,090	30,265		30,420	(2.5)	(0.2)

Core Net Income <sup>1</sup>	\$ 7,546	\$ 7,571 \$	7,912 \$	1,889 \$	17,399	(56.6)	(0.3)
Core EPS <sup>1</sup>	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.25 \$	0.26 \$	0.06 \$	0.57	(56.1)	-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Reconciliation of GAAP Earnings and Core Earnings

#### **Net interest income** decreased YoY but increased QoQ.

- Net Interest Margin FTE of 2.29% decreased 41 bps YoY, but increased 7 bps QoQ
- Prepayment penalty income, customer swap termination fees, net reversals and recoveries of interest from nonaccrual loans, net gains and losses from fair value adjustments on qualifying hedges, and purchase accounting accretion totaled \$3.0 million (15 bps to the NIM) compared to \$2.6 million (13 bps to the NIM) in 3Q23, \$0.5 million (3 bps) in 2Q23, \$1.1 million (6 bps) in 1Q23, and \$2.4 million (12 bps) in 4Q22
- Excluding the items in the previous bullet, net interest margin was 2.14% in 4Q23, 2.09% in 3Q23, 2.15% in 2Q23, 2.21% in 1Q23, and 2.58% in 4Q22

#### The **provision for credit losses** increased YoY and QoQ.

- Net charge-offs (recoveries) were \$60,000 in 4Q23 (less than 1 bp of average loans) compared to \$(42,000) in 3Q23 (less than (1) bp of average loans), \$1.6 million in 2Q23 (9 bps of average loans), \$9.2 million in 1Q23 (54 bps of average loans), and \$0.8 million in 4Q22 (5 bps of average loans)
- 1Q23 net charge-offs were primarily related to a commercial business relationship that was placed on nonaccrual in 2Q22

### **Noninterest income (loss)** increased YoY and QoQ.

- Back-to-back swap loan closings of \$121.6 million in 4Q23 (compared to \$120.5 million in 3Q23 and \$11.5 million in 2Q23) contributed to the YoY growth in core noninterest income; the Company earns fee income on back-to-back swap loan closings
- Net gains (losses) from fair value adjustments were \$0.9 million in 4Q23 (\$0.02 per share, net of tax), \$(1.2) million in 3Q23 (\$(0.03) per share, net of tax), \$0.3 million in 2Q23 (\$0.01 per share, net of tax), \$2.6 million in 1Q23 (\$0.06 per share, net of tax), and \$(0.6) million in 4Q22 (\$(0.02) per share, net of tax)
- Life insurance proceeds were \$0.7 million in 4Q23 (\$0.02 per share), \$23,000 in 3Q23 (less than \$0.01 per share), \$0.6 million (\$0.02 per share) in 2Q23, and \$0.3 million (\$0.01 per share) in 4Q22
- Loss on the sale of securities was \$10.9 million (\$0.27 per share, net of tax) in 4Q22 as the Company sold \$84.2 million of mortgage-based securities with an approximate yield of 1.17%; proceeds were primarily reinvested in 1Q23 into floating rate securities that had a yield at that time approximating 6.40%
- Absent the items in the previous three bullets and other immaterial adjustments, core noninterest income was \$5.8 million in 4Q23, up 64.4% YoY and 28.0% QoQ
- 4Q23 other fee income includes net realized gains on the sale of assets and other dividends from nonqualified plans that are expected to normalize in future periods

#### **Noninterest expense** increased YoY and QoQ.

- 4Q23 noninterest expense was impacted by increasing DDA balances and strong loan production
- Seasonal compensation expense was \$4.1 million in 1Q23; seasonal expenses are expected to be less than half in 1Q24
- Excluding the effects of immaterial adjustments, core operating expenses were \$40.1 million in 4Q23, up 19.3% YoY, and 10.5% QoQ
- GAAP noninterest expense to average assets was 1.90% in 4Q23, 1.71% in 3Q23, 1.66% in 2Q23, 1.85% in 1Q23, and 1.58% in 4Q22

#### **Provision for income taxes** increased YoY and QoQ.

- The effective tax rate was 31.1% in 4Q23, 27.1% in 3Q23, 26.8% in 2Q23, 25.9% in 1Q23, and 20.0% in 4Q22
- The 4Q23 effective tax rate increased as a result of preferential tax items having a smaller impact due to higher pre-tax income than estimated in 3Q23 and 2Q23; the 4Q22 effective tax rate had preferential tax items that had a larger impact as a result of lower levels of pre-tax income

## **Balance Sheet, Credit Quality, and Capital Highlights**

		4Q23	l :	3Q23		2Q23		1Q23		4Q22		YoY hange	_	oQ ange
Averages (\$MM)	_	1425	_	3 423	_		_		_					8-
Loans	\$	6,868	\$	6,813	\$	6,830	\$	6,871	\$	6,881	((	0.2)%	0.	8 %
Total Deposits		6,884	_	6,819	4	6,900	Ψ	6,810	4	6,678	,	3.1	1.	
Credit Quality (\$000s)														
Nonperforming														
Loans	\$	25,172	\$	17,405	\$	18,637	\$	21,176	\$	32,382	(22	2.3)%	44.	6 %
Nonperforming Assets		46,153		38,386		39,618		42,157		53,363	(13	3.5)	20.	2
Criticized and Classified Loans Criticized and		76,719		74,169		48,675		58,130		68,093	12	2.7	3.	4
Classified Assets Allowance for Credit		97,700		95,150		69,656		79,111		89,073	g	9.7	2.	7
Losses/Loans (%)		0.58		0.57		0.57		0.56		0.58		- bps		1 bp
Capital Book Value/Share	\$	23.21	\$	23.06	¢	23.14	\$	22.80	¢	22.97	1	1.0 %	0	7 %
Tangible Book Value/ Share	, T	22.54	Þ	22.39	Ф	22.47	Ф	22.14	Þ	22.31		1.0 %	0.	

Tang. Common							
Equity/Tang. Assets							
(%)	7.64	7.56	7.70	7.72	7.82	(18) bps	8 bps
Leverage Ratio (%)	8.47	8.51	8.54	8.56	8.61	(14)	(4)

## Average loans decreased YoY but increased QoQ.

- Period end net loans totaled \$6.9 billion, down 0.4% YoY, but up 0.1% QoQ
- Total loan closings were \$244.3 million in 4Q23, \$241.5 million in 3Q23, \$158.8 million in 2Q23, \$173.5 million in 1Q23, and \$225.2 million in 4Q22; the loan pipeline was \$163.1 million at December 31, 2023, down 35.3% YoY and 55.1% QoQ
- The diversified loan portfolio is approximately 89% collateralized by real estate with an average loan-to-value ratio of less than 36%
- Manhattan office buildings exposure is minimal at 0.6% of net loans

## **Average total deposits** increased YoY and QoQ.

- Average noninterest bearing deposits decreased 10.9% YoY, but increased 2.5% QoQ and comprised 12.7% of average total deposits in 4Q23 compared to 14.7% a year ago
- Average CDs totaled \$2.3 billion, up 73.3% YoY and 2.2% QoQ; approximately \$408.6 million of non-swapped CDs are due to mature at a rate of 3.20% in 1Q24

## **Credit Quality:** Nonperforming loans declined YoY but increased QoQ.

- Criticized and classified loans were 111 bps of gross loans at 4Q23 compared to 108 bps at 3Q23, 71 bps at 2Q23, 84 bps at 1Q23, and 98 bps at 4Q22
- Allowance for credit losses were 159.5% of nonperforming loans at 4Q23 compared to 124.9% at 4Q22 and 225.4% at 3Q23

**Capital:** Book value per common share and tangible book value per common share, a non-GAAP measure, both increased 1.0% YoY and 0.7% QoQ to \$23.21 and \$22.54, respectively.

- The Company paid a dividend of \$0.22 per share in 4Q23; repurchased 38,815 shares in 4Q23 at an average price of \$15.08, representing a 33% discount to tangible book value; 807,964 shares remaining subject to repurchase under the authorized stock repurchase program, which has no expiration or maximum dollar limit
- Tangible common equity to tangible assets was 7.64% at December 31, 2023, compared to 7.82% at December 31, 2022, and 7.56% at September 30, 2023

## **Conference Call Information and First Quarter Earnings Release Date**

#### **Conference Call Information:**

- John R. Buran, President and Chief Executive Officer, Tom Buonaiuto, Senior Executive Vice President, Chief of Staff, and Deposit Channel Executive, and Susan K. Cullen, Senior Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer, will host a conference call on Friday, January 26, 2024, at 11:00 AM (ET) to discuss the Company's fourth quarter and full year results and strategy.
- Dial-in for Live Call: 1-877-509-5836; Canada 855-669-9657
- Webcast: https://event.choruscall.com/mediaframe/webcast.html?webcastid=VQZ8mq4o

- Dial-in for Replay: 1-877-344-7529; Canada 855-669-9658
- Replay Access Code: 6289639
- The conference call will be simultaneously webcast and archived

## First Quarter 2024 Earnings Release Date:

The Company plans to release First Quarter 2024 financial results after the market close on April 23, 2024; followed by a conference call at 9:30 AM (ET) on April 24, 2024.

A detailed announcement will be issued prior to the first quarter's close confirming the date and time of the earnings release.

#### **About Flushing Financial Corporation**

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 Bank and Flushing Financial Corporation may be obtained by visiting the Company's website at FlushingBank.com. Flushing Financial Corporation's earnings release and presentation slides will be available prior to the conference call at www.FlushingBank.com under Investor Relations.

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## (Unaudited)

At or for the three months ended

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(Dollars in thousands, except	D		Se	eptember 30,		June 30,		March 31,	D	ecember 31,
per share data)	_	2023	_	2023	_	2023	_	2023		2022
Performance Ratios (1)										
Return on average assets		0.38%		0.37%		0.41%		0.19%		0.48%
Return on average equity		4.84		4.64		5.16		2.37		6.06
Yield on average interest-										
earning assets <sup>(2)</sup>		5.39		5.19		4.84		4.61		4.44
Cost of average interest-										
bearing liabilities		3.68		3.52		3.15		2.80		2.11
Cost of funds		3.26		3.13		2.80		2.47		1.84
Net interest rate spread										
during period <sup>(2)</sup>		1.71		1.67		1.69		1.81		2.33
Net interest margin <sup>(2)</sup>		2.29		2.22		2.18		2.27		2.70
Noninterest expense to										
average assets		1.90		1.71		1.66		1.85		1.58
Efficiency ratio (3)		76.69		76.76		73.82		79.52		59.55
Average interest-earning										
assets to average interest-										
bearing liabilities		1.19 X		1.18X		1.18 X		1.19 X		1.21 X
Average Balances										
Total loans, net	\$6	5,867,927	\$6	5,813,019	\$6	5,829,648	\$6	5,871,192		5,881,245
Total interest-earning assets	8	3,076,991	3	3,023,237	7	7,991,756	8	3,002,376	8	3,045,691
Total assets	8	3,569,002	3	3,505,346	8	3,462,442	8	3,468,317	8	3,518,019
Total deposits	(	5,884,037	(	5,819,397	6	5,899,617	6	5,810,485	6	5,678,383
Total interest-bearing										
liabilities	(	5,813,909	(	5,771,860	6	5,756,859	(	5,703,558	6	5,662,209
Stockholders' equity		669,819		675,041		672,835		683,058		676,165
Per Share Data										
Book value per common										
share <sup>(4)</sup>	\$	23.21	\$	23.06	\$	23.14	\$	22.80	\$	22.97
Tangible book value per										
common share <sup>(5)</sup>	\$	22.54	\$	22.39	\$	22.47	\$	22.14	\$	22.31
Stockholders' Equity										
Stockholders' equity	\$	669,837	\$	666,521	\$	670,247	\$	672,345	\$	677,157
Tangible stockholders' equity		650,664		647,234		650,842		652,818		657,504
Consolidated Regulatory										
Capital Ratios	<u></u>		<b>+</b>	<b>EDC = 4</b> :	<b>_</b>	ED 4 == :	<b>*</b>	<b>E</b> DC 00 :	<b>*</b>	E 40 000
Tier 1 capital	\$	737,732	\$	736,744	\$	734,754	\$	736,024	\$	746,880
Common equity Tier 1		CO1 754		COO 204		C00 020		600 722		600 250
capital		691,754		690,294		688,820		689,732		698,258

Total risk-based capital Risk Weighted Assets	967,627 6,750,301	965,532 6,804,478	962,784 6,650,222	964,270 6,660,145	975,709 6,640,542
Tier 1 leverage capital (well capitalized = 5%) Common equity Tier 1 risk-	8.47%	8.51%	8.54%	8.56%	8.61%
based capital (well capitalized = 6.5%)	10.25	10.14	10.36	10.36	10.52
Tier 1 risk-based capital (well capitalized = 8.0%) Total risk-based capital	10.93	10.83	11.05	11.05	11.25
(well capitalized = 10.0%)	14.33	14.19	14.48	14.48	14.69
Capital Ratios  Average equity to average					
assets Equity to total assets Tangible common equity to	7.82 % 7.85	7.94% 7.77	7.95% 7.91	8.07 % 7.93	7.94% 8.04
tangible assets (6)	7.64	7.56	7.70	7.72	7.82
Asset Quality Nonaccrual loans <sup>(7)</sup> Nonperforming loans Nonperforming assets Net charge-offs (recoveries)	\$ 23,709 25,172 46,153 60	\$ 17,405 17,405 38,386 (42)	\$ 18,637 18,637 39,618 1,560	\$ 21,176 21,176 42,157 9,234	\$ 29,782 32,382 53,363 811
Asset Quality Ratios					
Nonperforming loans to gross loans	0.36%	0.25%	0.27%	0.31%	0.47%
Nonperforming assets to total assets Allowance for credit losses to	0.54	0.45	0.47	0.50	0.63
gross loans Allowance for credit losses to	0.58	0.57	0.57	0.56	0.58
nonperforming assets Allowance for credit losses to	87.02	102.19	97.41	91.87	75.79
nonperforming loans Net charge-offs (recoveries)	159.55	225.38	207.08	182.89	124.89
to average loans	_	_	0.09	0.54	0.05
Full-service customer facilities	27	27	26	26	25

 $<sup>\</sup>ensuremath{^{(1)}}\xspace Ratios$  are presented on an annualized basis, where appropriate.

<sup>(2)</sup> Yields are calculated on the tax equivalent basis using the statutory federal income tax rate of 21% for the periods presented.

- (3) Efficiency ratio, a non-GAAP measure, was calculated by dividing core noninterest expense (excluding OREO expense and the net gain/loss from the sale of OREO) by the total of core net interest income and core noninterest income.
- (4) Calculated by dividing stockholders' equity by shares outstanding.
- (5) Calculated by dividing tangible stockholders' common equity, a non-GAAP measure, by shares outstanding. Tangible stockholders' common equity is stockholders' equity less intangible assets. See "Calculation of Tangible Stockholders' Common Equity to Tangible Assets".
- (6) See "Calculation of Tangible Stockholders' Common Equity to Tangible Assets".
- (7) Excludes performing nonaccrual TDR loans in periods prior to 1Q23.

## FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

		For the th	ree month	ıs ended		For the y	ear ei
	December	September		March	December	December	Dece
	31,	30,	June 30,	31,	31,	31,	3
(In thousands, except per share data)	2023	2023	2023	2023	2022	2023	20
Interest and Dividend Income							
Interest and fees on loans	\$ 95,616	\$ 91,466	\$85,377	\$82,889	\$ 81,033	\$ 355,348	\$293
Interest and dividends on securities:							
Interest	10,803	10,383	9,172	7,240	6,511	37,598	20
Dividends	34	33	30	29	24	126	
Other interest income	2,310	2,154	1,982	1,959	1,702	8,405	r 4
Total interest and dividend income	108,763	104,036	96,561	92,117	89,270	401,477	310
Interest Expense							
Deposits	53,284	50,066	46,249	39,056	27,226	188,655	47
Other interest expense	9,394	9,543	6,934	7,799	7,843	33,670	25
Total interest expense	62,678	59,609	53,183	46,855	35,069	222,325	73
Net Interest Income	46,085	44,427	43,378	45,262	54,201	179,152	243
Provision (benefit) for credit losses	998	596	1,416	7,508	(12)	10,518	E C
NetInterest Income After Provision			·	•			
(Benefit) for Credit Losses	45,087	43,831	41,962	37,754	54,213	168,634	238
Noninterest Income (Loss)							
Banking services fee income	2,824	2,636	1,780	1,411	1,231	8,651	
Net loss on sale of securities	_,==				(10,948)		(10
Net gain on sale of loans			54	54	46	108	(-
Net gain on disposition of assets				_	104	_	
Net gain (loss) from fair value							
adjustments	906	(1,246)	294	2,619	(622)	2,573	Į.
Federal Home Loan Bank of New York		. ,			. ,		
stock dividends	658	624	534	697	658	2,513	r 4
Life insurance proceeds	697	23	561	_	286	1,281	-

Bank owned life insurance		1,173	1,157	1,134		1,109	1,126		4,573	4
Other income		1,144	115	 663		967	 467		2,889	
Total noninterest income (loss)		7,402	3,309	5,020		6,857	(7,652)		22,588	10
Noninterest Expense										
Salaries and employee benefits		23,359	20,346	19,690	2	22,562	18,178		85,957	84
Occupancy and equipment		3,698	3,371	3,534		3,793	3,701		14,396	
Professional services		2,523	2,494	2,291		2,261	2,130		9,569	
FDIC deposit insurance		1,162	912	943		977	485		3,994	
Data processing		1,646	1,422	1,473		1,435	1,421		5,976	Į
Depreciation and amortization		1,491	1,482	1,482		1,510	1,535		5,965	Į
Other real estate owned/foreclosure										
expense		105	185	150		165	35		605	
Other operating expenses		6,751	6,176	5,547		6,453	6,257	_	24,927	2
Total noninterest expense	_	40,735	36,388	35,110	3	39,156	33,742	_	151,389	143
Income Before Provision for Income										
Taxes		11,754	10,752	11,872		5,455	12,819		39,833	104
Provision for Income Taxes		3,655	2,917	3,186		1,411	2,570	_	11,169	2'
Net Income	\$	8,099	\$ 7,835	\$ 8,686	\$	4,044	\$ 10,249	\$	28,664	\$ 70
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Basic earnings per common share	\$	0.27	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.29	\$	0.13	\$ 0.34	\$	0.96	\$
Diluted earnings per common share	\$	0.27	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.29	\$	0.13	\$ 0.34	\$	0.96	\$
Dividends per common share	\$	0.22	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.22	\$	0.22	\$ 0.22	\$	0.88	\$
Basic average shares		29,650	29,703	30,090		30,265	30,420		29,925	30
Diluted average shares		29,650	29,703	30,090		30,265	30,420		29,925	30

## FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

	Γ	31,		September 30,		June 30,		March 31,		ecember 31,
(Dollars in thousands)		2023		2023		2023		2023		2022
ASSETS										
Cash and due from banks	\$	172,157	\$	200,926	\$	160,053	\$	176,747	\$	151,754
Securities held-to-maturity:										
Mortgage-backed securities		7,855		7,860		7,865		7,870		7,875
Other securities, net		65,068		65,271		65,469		65,653		65,836
Securities available for sale:										
Mortgage-backed securities		354,344		337,879		365,911		380,110		384,283
Other securities		520,409		505,784		503,645		431,818		351,074

Loans	6,906,950	6,896,074	6,832,425	6,904,176	6,934,769
Allowance for credit losses	(40,161)	(39,228)	(38,593)	(38,729)	(40,442)
Net loans	6,866,789	6,856,846	6,793,832	6,865,447	6,894,327
Interest and dividends					
receivable	59,018	55,660	52,911	46,836	45,048
Bank premises and equipment,					
net	21,273	21,302	22,182	21,567	21,750
Federal Home Loan Bank of					
New York stock	31,066	43,821	36,168	38,779	45,842
Bank owned life insurance	213,518	214,321	213,164	214,240	213,131
Goodwill	17,636	17,636	17,636	17,636	17,636
Core deposit intangibles	1,537	1,651	1,769	1,891	2,017
Right of use asset	39,557	41,404	41,526	42,268	43,289
Other assets	167,009	209,014	192,721	168,872	179,084
Total assets	\$8,537,236	\$8,579,375	\$8,474,852	\$8,479,734	\$8,422,946
LIABILITIES					
Total deposits	\$6,815,261	\$6,681,509	\$6,723,690	\$6,734,090	\$6,485,342
Borrowed funds	841,281	1,001,010	857,400	887,509	1,052,973
Operating lease liability	40,822	43,067	44,402	45,353	46,125
Other liabilities	170,035	187,268	179,113	140,437	161,349
Total liabilities	7,867,399	7,912,854	7,804,605	7,807,389	7,745,789
Total Habilities				-,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY					
Preferred stock (5,000,000					
shares authorized; none issued)					_
Common stock (\$0.01 par					
value; 100,000,000 shares					
authorized)	341	341	341	341	341
Additional paid-in capital	264,534	264,486	263,744	262,876	264,332
Treasury stock	(106,070)	(105,433)	(104,574)	(97,760)	(98,535)
Retained earnings	549,683	548,058	546,755	544,672	547,507
Accumulated other					
comprehensive loss, net of taxes	(38,651)	(40,931)	(36,019)	(37,784)	(36,488)
Total stockholders' equity	669,837	666,521	670,247	672,345	677,157
Total liabilities and					
stockholders' equity	\$8,537,236	\$8,579,375	\$8,474,852	\$8,479,734	\$8,422,946
(In thousands)					
Issued shares	34,088	34,088	34,088	34,088	34,088
Outstanding shares	28,866	28,905	28,961	29,488	29,476
Treasury shares	5,222	5,183	5,127	4,600	4,612

## FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES AVERAGE BALANCE SHEETS

		For the	three months	s ended		For the y	ear ended
	December	September			December	December	Decembe
	31,	30,	June 30,	March 31,	31,	31,	31,
(In thousands)	2023	2023	2023	2023	2022	2023	2022
Interest-earning							
Assets:							
Mortgage loans, net	\$5,356,112	\$5,314,215	\$5,308,567	\$5,333,274	\$5,338,612	\$5,328,067	\$5,253,10
Commercial	•			•	-		
Business loans, net	1,511,815	1,498,804	1,521,081	1,537,918	1,542,633	1,517,282	1,488,48
Total loans, net	6,867,927	6,813,019	6,829,648	6,871,192	6,881,245	6,845,349	6,741,59
Taxable securities:							
Mortgage-backed							
securities	426,612	436,181	448,620	457,911	549,204	442,228	573,31
Other securities, net	527,316	528,091	471,600	411,723	371,897	485,118	324,11
Total taxable	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	-		
securities	953,928	964,272	920,220	869,634	921,101	927,346	897,42
Tax-exempt							
securities:							
Other securities	66,242	66,438	66,632	66,828	67,022	66,533	64,82
Total tax-exempt							
securities	66,242	66,438	66,632	66,828	67,022	66,533	64,82
Interest-							
earning deposits and							
federal funds sold	188,894	179,508	175,256	194,722	176,323	184,565	131,81
Total interest-							
earning assets	8,076,991	8,023,237	7,991,756			8,023,793	7,835,65
Other assets	492,011	482,109	470,686	465,941	472,328	477,771	471,48
Total assets	\$8,569,002	\$8,505,346	\$8,462,442	\$8,468,317	\$8,518,019	\$8,501,564	\$8,307,13
Interest-bearing							
Liabilities:							
Deposits:							
-	\$ 110,316	\$ 115,437	\$ 124,041	\$ 134,945	\$ 146,598	\$ 121,102	\$ 153,60
NOW accounts	1,848,285	•	•			1,937,974	1,976,23
Money market	,- ,	,- ,	,- ,	,- ,	,-		, ,
accounts	1,625,453	1,584,308	1,754,574	2,058,523	2,146,649	1,754,059	2,191,76
Certificate of	, ,	•	, .		•		
deposit accounts	2,340,115	2,290,669	2,046,960	1,679,517	1,350,683	2,091,677	1,031,02
Total due to							
depositors	5,924,169	5,898,195	5,952,525	5,843,540	5,616,064	5,904,812	5,352,63
Mortgagors'							
escrow accounts	86,592	69,525	97,410	70,483	82,483	81,015	80,02
Total interest-							
bearing deposits	6,010,761	5,967,720				5,985,827	5,432,65
Borrowings	803,148	804,140	706,924	789,535	963,662	776,050	1,012,14

Total interest-							
bearing liabilities	6,813,909	6,771,860	6,756,859	6,703,558	6,662,209	6,761,877	6,444,80
Noninterest-bearing							
demand deposits	873,276	851,677	849,682	896,462	979,836	867,667	1,019,09
Other liabilities	211,998	206,768	183,066	185,239	199,809	196,869	170,50
Total liabilities	7,899,183	7,830,305	7,789,607	7,785,259	7,841,854	7,826,413	7,634,39
Equity	669,819	675,041	672,835	683,058	676,165	675,151	672,74
Total liabilities and equity	\$8,569,002	\$8,505,346	\$8,462,442	\$8,468,317	\$8,518,019	\$8,501,564	\$8,307,13
Net interest-earning assets	\$1,263,082	\$1,251,377	\$1,234,897	\$1,298,818	\$1,383,482	\$1,261,916	\$1,390,84

## FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES NET INTEREST INCOME AND NET INTEREST MARGIN

		For the t	For the year ended				
-	December	September	December	Decembe			
	31,	30,	June 30,	March 31,	31,	31,	31,
(Dollars in thousands)	2023	2023	2023	2023	2022	2023	2022
<b>Interest Income:</b>					,		
Mortgage loans, net	\$ 72,505	\$ 68,931	\$63,688	\$62,054	\$60,946	\$267,178	\$228,065
Commercial							
Business loans, net	23,111	22,535	21,689	20,835	20,087	88,170	65,222
Total loans, net	95,616	91,466	85,377	82,889	81,033	355,348	293,287
Taxable securities:							
Mortgage-backed							
securities	3,217	3,031	2,976	2,281	2,425	11,505	9,414
Other securities	7,239	7,003	5,847	4,611	3,723	24,700	9,771
Total taxable							
securities	10,456	10,034	8,823	6,892	6,148	36,205	19,185
Tax-exempt		<u> </u>	<u> </u>				
securities:							
Other securities	482	484	480	477	489	1,923	2,197
Total tax-exempt		<u> </u>					
securities	482	484	480	477	489	1,923	2,197
Interest-							
earning deposits and	2.240	2.454	4.000	4.050	1 <b>=</b> 2 D	2.405	2 440
federal funds sold	2,310	2,154	1,982	1,959	1,702	8,405	2,418
Total interest-earning	100.004	104400	20.000	00.045	20.050	104 004	247.007
assets	108,864	104,138	96,662	92,217	89,372	401,881	317,087
Interest Expense:							
Deposits:							
0	\$ 124	\$ 130	\$ 140	\$ 126	\$ 59	\$ 520	\$ 211
NOW accounts	17,411	16,843	16,152	13,785	9,515	64,191	15,353

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Money market accounts	15,785	14,386	14,625	14,102	10,532	58,898	19,039
Certificate of	15,/05	14,300	14,025	14,102	10,532	50,090	19,039
deposit accounts	19,917	18,639	15,281	11,007	7,037	64,844	12,547
Total due to		10,033	15,201		7,037		
depositors	53,237	49,998	46,198	39,020	27,143	188,453	47,150
Mortgagors'	00,207	15,550	10,150	55,020	27,110	100, 100	17,150
escrow accounts	47	68	51	36	83	202	135
Total interest-							
bearing deposits	53,284	50,066	46,249	39,056	27,226	188,655	47,285
Borrowings	9,394	9,543	6,934	7,799	7,843	33,670	25,725
Total interest-							
bearing liabilities	62,678	59,609	53,183	46,855	35,069	222,325	73,010
Net interest income-							
tax equivalent	\$ 46,186	\$ 44,529	\$43,479	\$45,362	\$54,303	\$179,556	\$244,077
Included in net							
interest income							
above:							
Prepayment penalty							
income, net reversals							
and recovered interest							
from nonaccrual loans, and customer swap							
*	\$ 3,416	\$ 857	\$ 315	\$ 680	\$ 1,080	\$ 5,268	\$ 6,445
Net gains/(losses)	Ψ 5,110	Ψ 057	Ψ 515	ψ 000	Ψ 1,000	φ 3,200	ψ 0,115
from fair value							
adjustments on							
qualifying hedges							
included in net interest							
income	(872)	1,348	(205)	100	936	371	775
Purchase accounting							
adjustments	461	347	340	306	342	1,454	2,542
Interest-earning							
Assets Yields:					. == 0.	- 0.10/	
Mortgage loans, net	5.41%	5.19%	4.80%	4.65%	4.57%	5.01%	4.34
Commercial	C 11	C 01	F 70	F 40	F 24	F 01	4.20
Business loans, net	6.11	6.01	5.70	5.42	5.21	5.81	4.38
Total loans, net	<b>5.</b> 57	<u>5.37</u>	5.00	4.83	4.71	5.19	4.35
Taxable securities:							
Mortgage-backed	2.02	2.50	D. 65	1.00	4 55	2.60	1.04
securities	3.02	2.78	2.65	1.99	1.77	2.60	1.64
Other securities	5.49	5.30	4.96	4.48	4.00	5.09	3.01
Total taxable	4.20	4.10	2.04	2.17	2.67	2.00	2.14
securities	4.38	4.16	3.84	3.17	2.67	3.90	2.14
Tax-exempt							
securities: <sup>(1)</sup>	5.64	5.01	2.66	2.66	2.05	2.00	2.22
Other securities	2.91	2.91	2.88	2.86	2.92	2.89	3.39
Total tax-exempt	2.01	D 01	2.00	2.00	2.02	2.00	2.20
securities	2.91	2.91	2.88	2.86	2.92	2.89	3.39

Interest-earning deposits and federal					!		
funds sold	4.89	4.80	4.52	4.02	3.86	4.55	1.83
Total interest-earning							
assets <sup>(1)</sup>	5.39%	5.19%	4.84%	4.61%	4.44%	5.01%	4.05
Interest-bearing					1		1
Liabilities Yields:							1
Deposits:							1
Savings accounts	0.45%	0.45%	0.45%	0.37%	0.16%	0.43%	0.14
NOW accounts	3.77	3.53	3.19	2.80	1.93	3.31	0.78
Money market							1
accounts	3.88	3.63	3.33	2.74	1.96	3.36	0.87
Certificate of							1
deposit accounts	3.40	3.25	2.99	2.62	2.08	3.10	1.22
Total due to					1		
depositors	3.59	3.39	3.10	2.67	1.93	3.19	0.88
Mortgagors'		- 20			- :0		2.45
escrow accounts	0.22	0.39	0.21	0.20	0.40	0.25	0.17
Total interest-		2.20	2.22	2.24	. 24		2.05
bearing deposits	3.55	3.36	3.06	2.64	1.91	3.15	0.87
Borrowings	4.68	4.75	3.92	3.95	3.26	4.34	2.54
Total interest-	- 200/	0/	~ :=2/	= 202/	= ::0/		
bearing liabilities	3.68%	3.52%	3.15%	2.80%	2.11%	3.29%	1.13
					1		
Net interest rate spread							
(tax equivalent) <sup>(1)</sup>	1.71%	1.67%	1.69%	1.81%	2.33%	1.72%	2.92
Net interest margin							
(tax equivalent) <sup>(1)</sup>	2.29%	2.22%	2.18%	<u>2.27</u> % _	2.70 %	2.24%	3.11
Ratio of interest-							
earning assets to							
interest-							
bearing liabilities	1.19X	1.18 X	1.18X	1.19 X	1.21 X	1.19 X	1.22

 $<sup>^{(1)}</sup>$  Yields are calculated on the tax equivalent basis using the statutory federal income tax rate of 21% for the periods presented.

## FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES DEPOSIT and LOAN COMPOSITION

(Unaudited)

## **Deposit Composition**

					4Q23	4Q23
					VS.	VS.
December	September			December		
31,	30,	June 30,	March 31,	31,	3Q23	4Q22

(Dollars in thousands)	2023	2023	2023	2023	2022	% Change	% Change
Noninterest							
bearing	\$ 847,416	\$ 874,420	\$ 827,820	\$ 872,254	\$ 921,238	(3.1)%	(8.0)%
Interest							
bearing:							
Certificate							
of deposit	2 244 200	2 224 260	2 222 606	1 000 000	4 500 000	(0, 4)	<b>51.4</b>
accounts	2,311,290	2,321,369	2,232,696	1,880,260	1,526,338	(0.4)	51.4
Savings	100.005	112 720	110.000	120 245	1 40 6 41	(2.7)	(0.4.4)
accounts	108,605	112,730	118,886	128,245	143,641	(3.7)	(24.4)
Money							
market	1 700 404	1 551 170	1 504 627	1 055 701	2,000,776	11.7	(17.0)
accounts	1,726,404	1,551,176	1,594,637	1,855,781	2,099,776	11.3	(17.8)
NOW	1,771,164	1,749,802	1,891,834	1,918,977	1,746,190	1.2	1.4
accounts	1,771,104	1,749,002	1,091,034	1,310,377	1,740,130	1,2	
Total interest-							
bearing							
deposits	5,917,463	5,735,077	5,838,053	5,783,263	5,515,945	3.2	7.3
Total due							
to							
depositors	6,764,879	6,609,497	6,665,873	6,655,517	6,437,183	2.4	5.1
Mortgagors'							
escrow							
deposits	50,382	72,012	57,817	78,573	48,159	(30.0)	4.6
Total							
deposits	\$ 6,815,261	\$ 6,681,509	\$6,723,690	\$6,734,090	\$6,485,342	<u>2.0</u> %	5.1 %

## **Loan Composition**

						4Q23 vs.	4Q23 vs.
	December	September			December	+Q25 v3.	٧3.
	31,	30,	June 30,	March 31,	31,	3Q23	4Q22
(Dollars in						%	%
thousands)	2023	2023	2023	2023	2022	Change	Change
Multifamily							
residential	\$2,658,205	\$2,614,219	\$2,593,955	\$2,601,174	\$2,601,384	1.7 %	2.2 %
Commercial							
real estate	1,958,252	1,953,243	1,917,749	1,904,293	1,913,040	0.3	2.4
One-to-four							
family —							
mixed							
use property	530,243	537,744	542,368	549,207	554,314	(1.4)	(4.3)
One-to-four							
family —							
residential	220,213	222,874	230,055	238,417	241,246	(1.2)	(8.7)
Construction	58,673	59,903	57,325	60,486	70,951	(2.1)	(17.3)

Mortgage loans	5,425,586	5,387,983	5,341,452	5,353,577	5,380,935	0.7	0.8
Small Business Administration Commercial	20,205	21,896	22,404	22,860	23,275	(7.7)	(13.2)
business and other	1,452,518	1,487,775	1,466,358	1,518,756	1,521,548	(2.4)	(4.5)
Commercial Business loans	1,472,723	1,509,671	1,488,762	1,541,616	1,544,823	(2.4)	(4.7)
Gross loans Net unamortized (premiums) and unearned loan (cost)	6,898,309	6,897,654	6,830,214	6,895,193	6,925,758	_	(0.4)
fees <sup>(1)</sup>	8,641	(1,580)	2,211	8,983	9,011	(646.9)	(4.1)
Allowance for credit losses	(40,161)	(39,228)	(38,593)	(38,729)	(40,442)	2.4	(0.7)
Net loans	\$6,866,789	\$6,856,846	\$6,793,832	\$6,865,447	\$6,894,327	0.1 %	(0.4) %

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(1)</sup> Includes \$3.9 million, \$4.4 million, \$4.8 million, \$5.1 million, and \$5.4 million, of purchase accounting unamortized discount resulting from the acquisition of Empire Bancorp at December 31, 2023, September 30, 2023, June 30, 2023, March 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, respectively.

## FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES LOAN CLOSINGS and RATES

(Unaudited)

## **Loan Closings**

				For the t	hre		For the y	ear	ended				
	De	ecember	Se	eptember March December						December	D	ecember	
		31,		30, June 30,			31, 31,		31,		31,		
(In thousands)		2023		2023		2023		2023		2022	2023		2022
Multifamily residential	\$	82,995	\$	75,655	\$	31,901	\$	42,164	\$	65,347	\$ 232,715	\$	474,409
Commercial real estate One-to-four		60,092		70,197		38,523		15,570		20,750	184,382		308,455
family – mixed use property One-to-four		3,319		6,028		5,812		4,938		4,489	20,097		37,598
family – residential		1,454		1,070		63		4,296		7,485	6,883		25,059

Construction	8,007	6,971	8,811	10,592	7,301	34,381	31,592
Mortgage loans	155,867	159,921	85,110	77,560	105,372	478,458	877,113
Small Business Administration Commercial business and	1,162	_	820	318	665	2,300	3,461
other	87,255	81,549	72,850	95,668	119,191	337,322	641,420
Commercial Business loans	88,417	81,549	73,670	95,986	119,856	339,622	644,881
Total Closings	\$ 244,284	\$ 241,470	\$ 158,780	\$ 173,546	\$ 225,228	\$ 818,080	\$1,521,994

## Weighted Average Rate on Loan Closings

		For the three months ended										
	December	December September										
	31,	30,	June 30,	March 31,	31,							
Loan type	2023	2023	2023	2023	2022							
Mortgage loans	7.55%	7.22%	6.62%	6.30%	5.59%							
Commercial Business loans	7.93	8.00	7.76	7.58	6.57							
Total loans	7.69%	7.48 %	7.14%	7.01%	6.10%							

## FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES ASSET QUALITY

(Unaudited)

## **Allowance for Credit Losses**

		For the		For the year ended			
	December	September			December	December	December
	31,	30,	June 30,	March 31,	31,	31,	31,
(Dollars in							
thousands)	2023	2023	2023	2023	2022	2023	2022
Allowance for							
credit losses -							
loans							
Beginning							
balances	\$39,228	\$38,593	\$38,729	\$40,442	\$41,268	\$40,442	\$37,135
Net loan charge-off (recoveries): Multifamily							
residential	(1)	_	_	(1)	132	(2)	131

Commercial real estate One-to-four family –			8		_		_	8		_		
mixed-use property One-to-four family –	(	(1)	_	_	_		_		_	(1)		_
residential Small Business		9	(	5)	4		(36)		17	(29)		15
Administration Taxi medallion Commercial	ministration (29) (48) xi medallion — —					(158) (6) — —			(9) —	(241) —		1,007 (447)
business and other Total net loan	{	32_	1	2_	1,706	_	9,277	_	671	11,077		829
charge-offs (recoveries)	(	60		2)	1,560		9,234	811		10,812		1,535
Provision (benefit) for loan losses	99	3	593	3	1,424		7,521		(15)	10,531		4,842
Ending balance	\$40,16	51 —	\$39,228	<u>-</u> <u>-</u>	\$38,593	=	\$38,729	\$	40,442	\$40,161		\$40,442
Gross charge- offs Gross	\$ 10		\$ 22		\$ 1,731		\$ 9,298	\$	1,938	\$ 11,157		\$ 3,348
recoveries	۷	7	63	3	171		64		1,127	345		1,813
Allowance for credit losses - loans to gross loans Net loan charge-offs (recoveries) to	0.5	8 %	0.5	7 %	0.57	%	0.56 %	, )	0.58 %	0.58 9	%	0.58 %
average loans	-	_	_	_	0.09		0.54		0.05	0.16		0.02

## **Nonperforming Assets**

	D	ecember	Sept	ember				De	ecember
		31,	,	30,	June 30,	Ma	irch 31,		31,
(Dollars in thousands)		2023	2	023	2023		2023		2022
<b>Loans 90 Days or More Past Due</b>									
and Still Accruing:									
Multifamily residential	\$	1,463	\$		\$ 	\$		\$	

Construction					2,600
Total Loans 90 Days or more past due and still accruing	1,463				2,600
Nonaccrual Loans:					
Multifamily residential	3,206	3,206	3,206	3,628	3,206
Commercial real estate	_	_	_	_	237
One-to-four family - mixed-use					
property <sup>(1)</sup>	981	1,075	790	790	790
One-to-four family - residential	5,181	4,161	5,218	4,961	4,425
Small Business Administration	2,552	1,255	1,119	937	937
Commercial business and other <sup>(1)</sup>	11,789	7,708	8,304	10,860	20,187
Total Nonaccrual loans	23,709	17,405	18,637	21,176	29,782
Total Nonperforming Loans (NPLs)	25,172	17,405	18,637	21,176	32,382
Total Nonaccrual HTM Securities	20,981	20,981	20,981	20,981	20,981
<b>Total Nonperforming Assets</b>	\$ 46,153	\$ 38,386	\$ 39,618	\$ 42,157	\$ 53,363
Nonperforming Assets to Total Assets Allowance for Credit Losses to NPLs	0.54% 159.5%	0.45 % 225.4 %	0.47 % 207.1 %	0.50 % 182.9 %	0.63% 124.9%

<sup>(1)</sup> Adopted ASU No. 2022-02 Financial Instruments – Credit Losses (Topic 326): Troubled Debt Restructurings and Vintage Disclosures on January 1, 2023; Not included in the above analysis are nonaccrual performing TDR one-to-four family – mixed use property loans totaling \$0.2 million in 4Q22; nonaccrual performing TDR commercial business loans totaling less than \$0.1 million in 4Q22.

## FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP EARNINGS and CORE EARNINGS

#### Non-cash Fair Value Adjustments to GAAP Earnings

The variance in GAAP and core earnings is partly driven by the impact of non-cash net gains and losses from fair value adjustments. These fair value adjustments relate primarily to borrowings carried at fair value under the fair value option.

Core Net Income, Core Diluted EPS, Core ROAE, Core ROAA, Pre-provision Pre-tax Net Revenue, Core Net Interest Income FTE, Core Net Interest Margin FTE, Core Interest Income and Yield on Total Loans, Core Noninterest Income, Core Noninterest Expense and Tangible Book Value per common share are each non-GAAP measures used in this release. A reconciliation to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures appears below in tabular form. The Company believes that these measures are useful for both investors and management to understand the effects

of certain interest and noninterest items and provide an alternative view of the Company's performance over time and in comparison, to the Company's competitors. These measures should not be viewed as a substitute for net income. The Company believes that tangible book value per common share is useful for both investors and management as this measure is commonly used by financial institutions, regulators, and investors to measure the capital adequacy of financial institutions. The Company believes these measures facilitate comparison of the quality and composition of the Company's capital over time and in comparison, to its competitors. These measures should not be viewed as a substitute for total shareholders' equity.

These non-GAAP measures have inherent limitations, are not required to be uniformly applied and are not audited. They should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for analysis of results reported under GAAP. These non-GAAP measures may not be comparable to similarly titled measures reported by other companies.

## FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP EARNINGS and CORE EARNINGS (Unaudited)

For the three months ended

(Dollars in thousands,	De		Se	ptember 30,	 June 30,	ľ	March 31,		December 31,	
except per share data)		2023		2023	2023		2023		2022	
GAAP income before income taxes	\$	11,754	\$	10,752	\$ 11,872	\$	5,455	\$	12,819	
Net (gain) loss from fair value adjustments (Noninterest income (loss))		(906)		1,246	(294)		(2,619)		622	
Net loss on sale of securities (Noninterest income (loss)) Life insurance proceeds		_		_	_		_		10,948	
(Noninterest income (loss)) Net gain on disposition of		(697)		(23)	(561)		_		(286)	
assets (Noninterest income (loss)) Net (gain) loss from fair		_		_	_		_		(104)	
value adjustments on qualifying hedges (Net interest income) Net amortization of purchase accounting		872		(1,348)	205		(100)		(936)	
adjustments and intangibles (Various) Miscellaneous expense		(355)		(237)	(227)		(188)		(219)	
(Professional services)		526		_	_		_		_	
Core income before taxes	_	11,194		10,390	10,995		2,548		22,844	
Provision for core income taxes		3,648		2,819	3,083		659		5,445	

Core net income	\$ 7,546	\$	7,571		\$ 7,912	:	\$ 1,889	- =	\$ 17,399
GAAP diluted earnings per common share Net (gain) loss from fair value adjustments, net of	\$ 0.27	\$	0.26		\$ 0.29		\$ 0.13		\$ 0.34
tax	(0.02)		0.03		(0.01)		(0.06	)	0.02
Net loss on sale of securities, net of tax Life insurance proceeds	(0.02)		_		(0.02)		_		0.27 (0.01)
Net (gain) loss from fair value adjustments on qualifying hedges, net of	(***_)				(***=)				(3.32)
tax Net amortization of	0.02		(0.03)		_		_		(0.02)
purchase accounting adjustments, net of tax Miscellaneous expense, net	(0.01)		(0.01)		(0.01)		(0.01	)	(0.01)
of tax	0.01		_		_				_
Core diluted earnings per common share <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 0.25	\$	0.25	-	\$ 0.26		\$ 0.06	=	\$ 0.57
Core net income, as calculated above	\$ 7,546	\$	•		\$ 7,912		\$ 1,889		\$ 17,399
Average assets Average equity Core return on average	669,002 669,819		8,505,346 675,041		,462,442 672,835		8,468,317 683,058		518,019 676,165
assets <sup>(2)</sup> Core return on average	0.35 %	6	0.36	%	0.37	%	0.09	%	0.82 %
equity <sup>(2)</sup>	4.51 %	6	4.49	%	4.70	%	1.11	%	10.29 %

<sup>(1)</sup> Core diluted earnings per common share may not foot due to rounding.

# FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP REVENUE and PRE-PROVISION PRE-TAX NET REVENUE

		For the	For the year ended				
	December	September		March	December	December	December
	31,	30,	30, June 30,		31,	31,	31,
(Dollars in							
thousands)	2023	2023	2023	2022			

<sup>(2)</sup> Ratios are calculated on an annualized basis.

GAAP Net interest income Net (gain) loss from fair value	\$ 46,085	\$ 44,427	\$ 43,378	\$ 45,262	\$ 54,201	\$ 179,152	\$ 243,616
adjustments on qualifying hedges Net amortization of purchase	872	(1,348)	205	(100)	(936)	(371)	(775)
accounting adjustments Core Net	(461)	(347)	(340)	(306)	(342)	(1,454)	(2,542)
interest income	\$ 46,496	\$ 42,732	\$ 43,243	\$ 44,856	\$ 52,923	\$ 177,327	\$ 240,299
GAAP Noninterest income (loss) Net (gain) loss from fair	\$ 7,402	\$ 3,309	\$ 5,020	\$ 6,857	\$ (7,652)	\$ 22,588	\$ 10,009
value adjustments Net loss on	(906)	1,246	(294)	(2,619)	622	(2,573)	(5,728)
sale of securities	_	_	_	_	10,948	_	10,948
Life insurance proceeds Net gain on	(697)	(23)	(561)		(286)	(1,281)	(1,822)
sale of assets Core					(104)		(104)
Noninterest income	\$ 5,799	\$ 4,532	\$ 4,165	\$ 4,238	\$ 3,528	<u>\$ 18,734</u>	\$ 13,303
GAAP Noninterest expense Net amortization of purchase	\$ 40,735	\$ 36,388	\$ 35,110	\$ 39,156	\$ 33,742	\$ 151,389	\$ 143,692
accounting adjustments	(106)	(110)	(113)	(118)	(123)	(447)	(512)
Miscellaneous expense	(526)					(526)	
Core Noninterest expense	\$ 40,103	\$ 36,278	\$ 34,997	\$ 39,038	\$ 33,619	\$ 150,416	\$ 143,180

Net interest income Noninterest	\$ 46,085	\$ 44,427	\$ 43,378	\$ 45,262	\$ 54,201	\$ 179,152	\$ 243,616
income (loss)	7,402	3,309	5,020	6,857	(7,652)	22,588	10,009
Noninterest expense Pre-provision	(40,735)	(36,388)	(35,110)	(39,156)	(33,742)	(151,389)	(143,692)
pre-tax net revenue	\$ 12,752	\$ 11,348	\$ 13,288	\$ 12,963	\$ 12,807	\$ 50,351	\$ 109,933
Core:							
Net interest income Noninterest	\$ 46,496	\$ 42,732	\$ 43,243	\$ 44,856	\$ 52,923	\$ 177,327	\$ 240,299
income	5,799	4,532	4,165	4,238	3,528	18,734	13,303
Noninterest expense Pre-provision	(40,103)	(36,278)	(34,997)	(39,038)	(33,619)	(150,416)	(143,180)
pre-tax net revenue	\$ 12,192	\$ 10,986	\$ 12,411	\$ 10,056	\$ 22,832	\$ 45,645	\$ 110,422
Efficiency Ratio	76.7 %	6 76.8 %	6 73.8 %	6 79.5 %	6 59.6 %	76.7 %	% 56.5 %

# FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP NET INTEREST INCOME and NET INTEREST MARGIN to CORE NET INTEREST INCOME

					For the y	ear e							
	De	cember 31,	Sep	otember 30,		June 30,		March 31,	De	cember 31,		December 31,	D
(Dollars in thousands)		2023	2023		_	2023		2023		2022		2023	
GAAP net interest income Net (gain) loss from fair value adjustments on	\$	46,085	\$	44,427	\$	43,378	\$	45,262	\$	54,201	\$	179,152	\$
qualifying hedges Net amortization		872		(1,348)		205		(100)		(936)		(371)	
of purchase		(461)		(347)		(340)		(306)		(342)		(1,454)	

accounting adjustments Tax equivalent adjustment Core net interest income FTE	\$	101 46,597		<u>\$</u>	102 42,834	-	<u>\$</u>	101 43,344	4	100 3 44,956	<u>\$</u>	102 53,025	<u> </u>	404 177,731	
Total average interest-earning assets <sup>(1)</sup> Core net interest margin FTE	ŕ	080,550 2.31 %	6	\$8,0	027,201 2.13	%	\$7,	,996,067 2.17 9		58,006,970 2.25 °		8,050,601 2.63 %	\$8	3,027,898 2.21	\$7 %
GAAP interest income on total loans, net Net (gain) loss from fair value adjustments on	\$	95,616		\$	91,466		\$	85,377	\$	82,889	\$	81,033	\$	355,348	\$
qualifying hedges - loans Net amortization	1	978			(1,379)	)		157		(101)		(936)		(345)	
of purchase accounting adjustments Core interest		(484)			(358)	<u>)</u>		(345)	_	(316)	_	(372)	_	(1,503)	
income on total loans, net	\$	96,110		\$	89,729	=	\$	85,189	<u>\$</u>	82,472	<u>\$</u>	79,725	\$	353,500	\$
Average total loans, net <sup>(1)</sup> Core yield	\$6,	872,115		\$6,8	317,642		\$6	,834,644	\$	6,876,495	\$	6,886,900	\$6	5,850,124	\$6
on total loans		5.59 %	6		5.26	%		4.99 %	%	4.80	%	4.63 %		5.16	%

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(1) Excludes purchase accounting average balances for all periods presented.

# FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORPORATION and SUBSIDIARIES CALCULATION OF TANGIBLE STOCKHOLDERS' COMMON EQUITY to TANGIBLE ASSETS

(Unaudited)

	December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	December 31,
(Dollars in					
thousands)	2023	2023	2023	2023	2022
Total Equity	\$ 669,837	\$ 666,521	\$ 670,247	\$ 672,345	\$ 677,157
Less:					
Goodwill	(17,636)	(17,636)	(17,636)	(17,636)	(17,636)
Core deposit					
intangibles	(1,537)	(1,651)	(1,769)	(1,891)	(2,017)
Tangible					
Stockholders'					
Common	ф. CEO.CC4	ф. СА <u>Б</u> . DD. 4	ф. CEO 0.4D	Ф. СЕО 010	Φ 657.504
Equity	\$ 650,664	\$ 647,234	\$ 650,842	\$ 652,818	\$ 657,504
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Total Assets	\$8,537,236	\$8,579,375	\$8,474,852	\$8,479,734	\$8,422,946
Less:	(1 = GD G)	(4= 60.6)	(4= 60.6)	(1= 60.6)	(1= 60.6)
Goodwill	(17,636)	(17,636)	(17,636)	(17,636)	(17,636)
Core deposit	(1 507)	(1 (51)	(1.700)	(1.001)	(0.017)
intangibles	(1,537)	(1,651)	(1,769)	(1,891)	(2,017)
Tangible Assets	\$8,518,063	\$8,560,088	\$8,455,447	\$8,460,207	\$8,403,293
Tangible					
Stockholders'					
Common Equity to	764.00	7 56 0/	7.70 0/	7 72 0/	7 0 2 0/
Tangible Assets	7.64 %	7.56 %	7.70 %	7.72 %	7.82 %

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Source: Flushing Financial Corporation