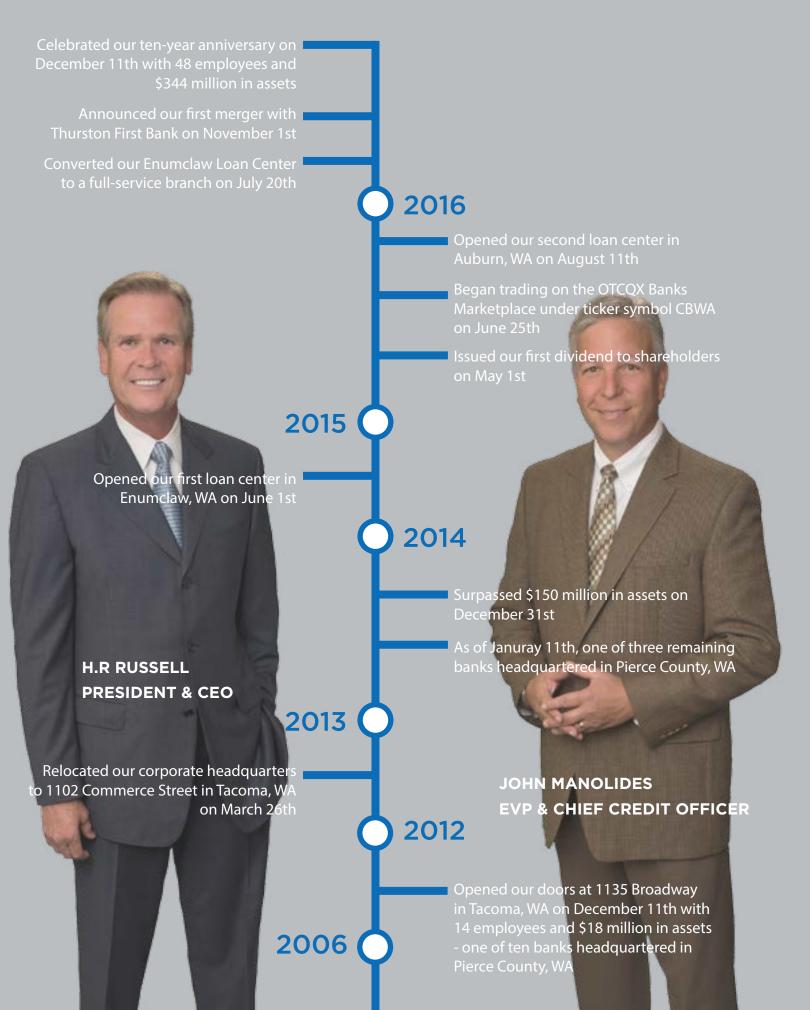
# **New Avenues in Banking**







### CELEBRATING A DECADE OF SUCCESS



Dear Shareholders, Clients, and Friends,

What a year! The events in 2016 alone could fill the contents of this letter; however, the celebration of our ten-year anniversary also calls for further reflection. Before I sat down to write this, I reviewed past annual reports expecting to highlight the changes that have occurred over the past decade. What I found was it was not the things that have changed, but rather the things that have stayed the same, which saw us through our first ten years as a community bank.

When Commencement Bank was simply a series of conversations, ideas, and informal meetings, I knew three things for certain. First, that our organization would put doing the right thing above everything else. Second, that we would treat our customers, shareholders, and employees with the highest level of respect. Finally, that we would give back generously to our community. As I reflect on the day we first opened our doors with \$18 million in assets, one location, and 14 employees, and follow it to where we are today, I am proud to say that our core values have not changed.

The continuous effort to operate by these principles has supported the advances made as an organization. The financial, geographic, client, and employee growth have been substantial – most notably in 2016. We ended 2015 with \$179 million in assets, 32 employees, two loan centers, and our full-service branch and headquarters in Tacoma, Washington. In 2016, we increased those numbers to \$344 million in assets, 48 employees, one loan center, and three full-service branches. In addition, Commencement Bank stock (OTCQX:CBWA) traded at \$9.90 as of December 31, 2015 increasing to \$11.08 as of December 31, 2016.

In early 2016, we began exploring a merger-of-equals with Olympia-based Thurston First Bank. It was always our intent to acquire or merge; however, our team felt strongly that it needed to be with a bank that complemented us financially *and* culturally. On November 1, 2016, we announced the closing of our first merger with Thurston First, which now operates as a division of Commencement Bank.

Also in 2016, we opened our first full-service branch outside of our Tacoma headquarters. After two years in operation as a loan center, we converted our Enumclaw, Washington location into a beautiful branch in the heart of downtown. On July 20, 2016, we celebrated our grand opening with over 60 members of the Enumclaw community. And finally, we completed our tenth year in operation on December 11, 2016.

The past ten years have been some of the most rewarding of my career. The support of our clients, dedication of our board, loyalty of our shareholders, and hard work from staff have exceeded my expectations. I would like to thank everyone who has contributed to the success of Commencement Bank.

As we turn our attention to the next ten years, I am confident that Commencement Bank will continue to progress as one of the leading community banks in Washington State.

Sincerely,

H.R. Russell,

President & CEO





the support of our community, we opened our doors and revived local banking in the downtown area."

-Kirk Parce, VP & Commercial Loan Officer

### **CENTERED AROUND CLIENT SUCCESS**

"As local bankers, our core principles are centered around our clients. We build each relationship on a foundation of integrity and take pride in helping them accomplish their financial goals."

-John Manolides, EVP & Chief Credit Officer





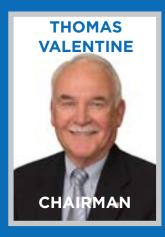
Twice a year—in April and October—friends and neighbors, including business owners and city officials, come together to beautify the sidewalks and storefronts in Downtown Olympia.

### DEDICATED TO MAKING A DIFFERENCE

WE SUPPORTED OVER 65 LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS IN 2016



# **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**























## SENIOR MANAGEMENT

H.R. Russell
President/Chief
Executive Officer

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EVP/Chief
Credit Officer

**Tom Dhamers** SVP/Chief Financial Officer



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#### **Independent Auditors' Report**

Board of Directors Commencement Bank Tacoma, Washington

#### **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Commencement Bank, which are comprised of the balance sheets as of December 31, 2016 and 2015, and the related statements of income, comprehensive income, shareholders' equity and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit includes performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Commencement Bank as of December 31, 2016 and 2015, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Denver, Colorado March 23, 2017

### **Balance Sheets**

Balance Sheets		
(Dollars in Thousands)		
Commencement Bank December 31, 2016 and 2015		
Assets	2016	2015
Cash and due from banks Interest-bearing deposits in other financial institutions Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 5,141 31,723 <b>36,864</b>	\$ 4,026 236 <b>4,262</b>
Federal funds sold Securities available for sale Federal Home Loan Bank stock, at cost Federal Reserve Bank stock, at cost Pacific Coast Bankers' Bank stock, at cost	50,817 8,113 697 619 190	20,993 3,387 392 666
Loans Allowance for credit losses <b>Net loans</b>	232,656 (1,997) <b>230,659</b>	145,086 (1,962) <b>143,124</b>
Premises and equipment, net	2,667	600
Other real estate owned Cash surrender value of life insurance Accrued interest receivable Intangible assets Other assets	8,246 659 1,673 2,332	338 4,375 319  673
Total assets	\$343,536	\$179,066
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity		
Liabilities		
Deposits:     Demand, noninterest-bearing     Savings and interest-bearing demand     Time  Total deposits	\$ 81,332 141,866 76,908 <b>300,106</b>	\$ 28,301 66,174 58,154 <b>152,629</b>
FHLB borrowings	6,073	3,200
Accrued interest payable Other liabilities	66 1,942	27 671
Total liabilities	308,187	156,527
Commitments and Contingencies (Note 10)		
Shareholders' Equity Common stock (par value: \$1); authorized 10,000,000 shares; 3,444,603 and 2,219,500 shares issued and outstanding		
in 2016 and 2015, respectively Additional paid in capital	3,445 31,385	2,219 20,949
Retained earnings (accumulated deficit) Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	544 (25)	(644) 15
Total shareholders' equity	35,349	22,539
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$343,536	\$179,066
See notes to financial statements.		

#### **Statements of Income**

See notes to financial statements.

(Dollars in Thousands)		
Commencement Bank		
For the Years Ended December 31, 2016 and 2015	0040	0045
	2016	2015
Interest and Dividend Income		
Loans	\$8,517	\$6,977
Interest-bearing deposits in other financial institutions	197	62
Securities available for sale Dividends on Federal Reserve Bank and FHLB stock	81 49	51 41
Total interest income	8, <b>844</b>	7,131
	0,044	7,131
Interest Expense Deposits	827	731
Long-term borrowings	44	28
Total interest expense	871	759
Net interest income	7,973	6,372
Provision for Credit Losses		(121)
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Net interest income after provision for credit losses	7,973	6,493
Noninterest Income	460	140
Service charges on deposit accounts Gain on other real estate owned	163 136	148 70
Gain on sale of available for sale security	150	1
Other	264	274
Total noninterest income	563	493
Noninterest Expense		
Salaries and employee benefits	3,737	3,302
Occupancy	483	379
Furniture and equipment	124	97
Data processing Marketing and development	473 59	362 72
Other	1,829	1,121
Total noninterest expense	6,705	5,333
Net Income Before Income Taxes	1,831	1,653
Income Tax Expense	643	511
Net Income	1,188	1,142
Basic earnings per share	\$0.48	\$0.51
Diluted earnings per share	\$0.48	\$0.51
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### **Statements of Comprehensive Income**

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Tax effect Total other comprehensive income (loss)	20 (40)	(2)
Reclassification adjustment for gain realized in net income		1
Unrealized losses on available for sale securities	(\$60)	(\$6)
Other Comprehensive Income	(000)	(40)
	2016	2015
For the Years Ended December 31, 2016 and 2015		
Commencement Bank		
(Dollars in Thousands)		

See notes to financial statements.

Statements of Shareholders' Equity (Dollars in Thousands, Except Share Information)

Commencement Bank For the Years Ended December 31, 2016 and 2015

	Shares of Common Stock	Common Stock	Additional Paid in Capital	Retained Earnings (Accumulated Deficit)	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (loss)	Total
Balance at December 31, 2014	2,219,500	\$2,219	\$20,911	(\$1,631)	\$22	\$21,521
Net income				1,142		1,142
Other comprehensive loss					(7)	(7)
Stock-based compensation expense			38	(155)		38
Balance at December 31, 2015	2,219,500	2,219	20,949	(644)	15	22,539
Issuance of common stock for bank Merger	1,221,457	1,222	10,384			11,606
Net income				1,188		1,188
Other comprehensive income					(40)	(40)
Stock-based compensation expense			22			22
Restricted stock expense			20			20
Stock options exercised	2,500	3	17			20
Restricted stock vesting	1,700	2	(2)			
Repurchase of common stock	(554)	(1)	(5)			(6)
Balance at December 31, 2016	3,444,603	\$3,445	\$31,385	\$544	(\$25)	\$35,349

See notes to financial statements.

#### Statements of Cash Flows

Statements of Cash Flows		
(Dollars in Thousands)		
Commencement Bank		
For the Years Ended December 31, 2016 and 2015		
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Cash Flows from Operating Activities		
Net Income	\$1,188	\$1,142
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by		
operating activities: Provision for credit losses		(121)
Loan recoveries, net	32	(121) 232
Depreciation and amortization	179	160
Stock-based compensation expense	42	38
Net amortization of premium on securities available for sale	58	41
Gain on sale of available for sale investment securities	<del></del>	(1)
Deferral of loan origination costs and fees, less amortization	10	72
Increase in cash surrender value of life insurance	(116)	(158)
Gain on sale of other real estate owned Deferred federal income tax	(112) (31)	(70) (36)
(Increase) Decrease in accrued interest receivable	(340)	(30)
Increase in accrued interest payable	16	4
Other	877	312
Net cash provided by operating activities	1,803	1,623
Cash Flows from Investing Activities		
Activity in securities available for sale:		
Maturities, prepayments and calls	541	409
Sales		997
Purchases		(1,914)
Increase in federal funds sold	(27,894)	(20,993)
Purchase of Federal Home Loan Bank and Federal Reserve Bank stock	(165)	(259)
Sale of Federal Home Loan Bank and Federal Reserve Bank stock Purchase of Federal Reserve Bank stock	127 (31)	179
Increase in loans made to customers, net of principal collections	(14,398)	(11,748)
Purchases of premises, equipment and software	(1,803)	(45)
Proceeds from sale of other real estate owned	450	374
Purchases of bank owned life insurance	(1,663)	
Net cash acquired in bank merger	41,405	
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(3,431)	(33,000)
Cash Flows from Financing Activities		
Net increase in deposits	34,385	9,992
Paydowns on FHLB advances	(169)	
Stock options exercised	20	
Repurchase of common stock	(6)	 (155)
Payment of cash dividend	 24 220	(155)
Net cash provided by financing activities	34,230	9,837
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	32,602	(21,540)
Cash and Cash Equivalents		
Beginning of period	4,262	25,802
End of period	\$36,864	\$4,262
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information		
Interest paid	\$910	\$755
Income taxes paid	\$437	\$380
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Commencement Bank December 31, 2016 and 2015

#### Note 1 - Nature of Operations and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### **Nature of Operations**

Commencement Bank (the Bank), opened December 11, 2006, and operates three branches in Tacoma, Olympia, and Enumclaw, Washington and one loan production office in Auburn, Washington. The Bank provides loan and deposit services to customers, who are predominately individuals and small and midsized businesses in western Washington. On October 31, 2016, the Bank merged with Thurston First Bank. The merger is discussed in Note 15.

#### **Financial Statement Presentation**

Preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and practices within the banking industry requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, as of the date of the balance sheet, and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Material estimates that are particularly susceptible to significant change in the near term relate to the determination of the allowance for credit losses and the valuation of deferred tax assets. All dollar amounts are stated in thousands.

#### **Subsequent Events**

Management evaluates events occurring subsequent to the balance sheet date, through the date the financial statements are eligible to be issued, to determine whether the events require recognition or disclosure in the financial statements. If a subsequent event evidences conditions existing at the balance sheet date, the effects are recognized in the financial statements (recognized subsequent event). If a subsequent event evidences conditions arising after the balance sheet date, the effects are not recognized in the financial statements but rather disclosed in the notes to the financial statements (non-recognized subsequent events). The effects of subsequent events are only recognized if material, or disclosed if the financial statements would otherwise be misleading.

With respect to the December 31, 2016 financial statements, Management has considered subsequent events through March 23, 2017, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

#### Securities Available for Sale

Securities available for sale consist of debt securities that the Bank intends to hold for an indefinite period but not necessarily to maturity. Such securities may be sold to implement the Bank's asset and liability management strategies and in response to changes in interest rates and similar factors. Securities available for sale are reported at fair value. Unrealized gains and losses, net of the related deferred tax effect, are reported as a net amount in a separate component of shareholders' equity entitled "accumulated other comprehensive income." Realized gains and losses on securities available for sale, determined using the specific-identification method, are included in earnings. Amortization of premiums and accretion of discounts are recognized in interest income over the period to maturity. For mortgage-backed securities, actual maturity may differ from contractual maturity due to principal payments and amortization of premiums and accretion of discounts may vary due to prepayment speed assumptions.

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Management evaluates securities for other-than-temporary impairment ("OTTI") on at least a quarterly basis, and more frequently when economic or market conditions warrant such an evaluation. For securities in an unrealized loss position, management considers the extent and duration of the unrealized loss, and the financial condition and near-term prospects of the issuer. Management also assesses whether it intends to sell, or it is more likely than not that it will be required to sell, a security in an unrealized loss position before recovery of its amortized cost basis. If either of the criteria regarding intent or requirement to sell is met, the entire difference between amortized cost and fair value is recognized as an impairment charge to earnings. For debt securities that do not meet the aforementioned criteria, the amount of impairment is split into two components as follows: 1) OTTI related to credit loss, which is recognized as an impairment charge to earnings, and 2) OTTI related to other factors, which is recognized in other comprehensive income. The credit loss is defined as the difference between the present value of the cash flows expected to be collected and the amortized cost basis. For equity securities, the entire amount of impairment is recognized through earnings.

#### Federal Home Loan Bank of Des Moines Stock

The Bank, as a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Des Moines (FHLB), is required to maintain an investment in capital stock of the FHLB in an amount equal to the greater of 0.12 percent of total assets and or 4.0 percent of advances from the FHLB. The recorded amount of the FHLB stock equals its fair value because the shares can be redeemed only by the FHLB at the \$100 per share par value. The Bank views its investment in the FHLB stock as a long-term investment. Accordingly, when evaluating for impairment, the value is determined based on the ultimate recovery of the par value rather than recognizing temporary declines in value. The determination of whether a decline affects the ultimate recovery is influenced by criteria such as: 1) the significance of the decline in net assets of the FHLB as compared to the capital stock amount and length of time a decline has persisted; 2) impact of legislative and regulatory changes on the FHLB and 3) the liquidity position of the FHLB.

#### Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco Stock

The Bank, as a member of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco (FRB), is required to subscribe to Federal Reserve Stock in an amount equivalent to 6 percent of its capital and surplus. Although the par value of the stock is \$100 per share, banks pay only \$50 per share at the time of purchase, with the understanding that the other half of the subscription amount is subject to call at any time. The recorded amount of the FRB stock equals its fair value because the shares can be redeemed only by the FRB at the par value.

#### Pacific Coast Bankers' Bank Stock

Investments in this stock is recorded at cost of \$47.50 per share, as no ready market exists for such stock, quoted market values for this stock does not exist, and the stock may only be sold to or redeemed by Pacific Coast Bankers' Bank at par. The Bank has no obligation to hold the stock as a member of Pacific Coast Bankers' Bank.

#### Loans Receivable

Loans receivable that management has the intent and ability to hold for the foreseeable future or until maturity or payoff are reported at their outstanding principal balances and adjusted for any charge-offs, the allowance for credit losses, any deferred fees or costs on originated loans, and unamortized premiums or discounts on purchased loans. Loan fees and certain direct loan origination costs are deferred, and the net fee or cost is recognized as an adjustment to interest income.

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Because some loans may not be repaid in full, an allowance for credit losses is recorded. An allowance for credit losses is a valuation allowance for probable incurred credit losses. The allowance for credit losses is increased by a provision for credit losses charged to expense and decreased by charge-offs (net of recoveries). The allowance is based on ongoing, quarterly assessments of the probable and estimable losses inherent in the loan portfolio. The Bank's methodology for assessing the appropriateness of the allowance consists of several key elements, which include the formula allowance and specific allowances.

Troubled debt restructurings are loans for which concessions in terms have been made as a result of the borrower experiencing financial difficulty. Generally, concessions granted to customers include lower interest rates and modification of the payment stream to lower or defer payments. Interest on troubled debt restructurings is accrued under the new terms if the loans are performing and full collection of principal and interest is expected. However, interest accruals are discontinued on troubled debt restructurings that meet the Bank's nonaccrual criteria.

Interest income on loans is accrued over the term of the loans based upon the principal outstanding. The accrual of interest on loans is discontinued when, in management's opinion, the borrower may be unable to meet payments as they become due. Past due status is based on contractual terms of loans. When interest accrual is discontinued, all unpaid accrued interest is reversed. Interest income is subsequently recognized only to the extent that cash payments are received until, in management's judgment, the borrower has the ability to make contractual interest and principal payments, in which case the loan is returned to accrual status.

Generally, loans are charged off in whole or in part on a loan-by-loan basis after they become significantly past due and based upon management's review of the collectability of all or a portion of the loan unless the loan is in the process of restructuring. Charge off amounts are determined based upon the carrying amount of loans and the amount estimated to be collectible as determined by analyses of expected future cash flows and liquidation of loan collateral.

#### **Allowance for Credit Losses**

The allowance for credit losses is a valuation allowance for probable incurred credit losses and is established as losses are estimated to have occurred through a provision for loan losses charged to earnings. Loan losses are charged against the allowance when management believes the uncollectibility of a loan balance is confirmed. Subsequent recoveries, if any, are credited to the allowance. The allowance for credit losses is evaluated on a regular basis by management and is based upon management's periodic review of the collectibility of the loans in light of historical experience, the nature and volume of the loan portfolio, adverse situations that may affect the borrower's ability to repay, estimated value of any underlying collateral and prevailing economic conditions. This evaluation is inherently subjective as it requires estimates that are susceptible to significant revision as more information becomes available.

The allowance consists of specific, general and unallocated components. The specific component relates to loans that are classified as doubtful, substandard or special mention. For such loans that are also classified as impaired, an allowance is established when the discounted cash flows (or collateral value or observable market price) of the impaired loan is lower than the carrying value of that loan. Impaired loans are all specifically identified loans for which it is probable that the Bank will not collect all amounts due according to the contractual terms of the loan agreement. The general component covers non-classified loans and is based on historical loss experience adjusted for qualitative factors. An unallocated component is maintained to cover uncertainties that could affect management's estimate of probable losses. The unallocated component of the allowance reflects the margin of imprecision inherent in the underlying assumptions used in the methodologies for estimating specific and general losses in the portfolio.

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The formula portion of the general credit loss allowance is established by applying a loss percentage factor to the different loan types. The allowances are provided based on management's continuing evaluation of the pertinent factors underlying the quality of the loan portfolio, including changes in the size and composition of the loan portfolio, actual loan loss experience, current economic conditions, geographic concentrations, seasoning of the loan portfolio, specific industry conditions, and the duration of the current business cycle. The recovery of the carrying value of loans is susceptible to future market conditions beyond the Bank's control, which may result in losses or recoveries differing from those provided. Specific allowances are established for loans evaluated for impairment in accordance with guidance which requires an allowance to be established as a component of the allowance for credit losses when it is probable all amounts due will not be collected pursuant to the contractual terms of the loan and the recorded investment in the loan exceeds its fair value. Fair value is measured using either the present value of expected future cash flows discounted at the loan's effective interest rate, the observable market price of the loan, or the fair value of the collateral, if the loan is collateral dependent. All loans subject to evaluation and considered impaired are included in nonperforming assets. Smaller balances are excluded from this analysis.

A loan is considered impaired when, based on current information and events, it is probable that the Bank will be unable to collect the scheduled payments of principal or interest when due according to the contractual terms of the loan agreement. Factors considered by management in determining impairment include payment status, collateral value, and the probability of collecting scheduled principal and interest payments when due. Loans that experience insignificant payment delays and payment shortfalls generally are not classified as impaired. Management determines that significance of payment delays and payment shortfalls on a case-by-case basis, taking into consideration all of the circumstances surrounding the loan and the borrower, including the length of the delay, the reasons for the delay, the borrower's prior payment record, and the amount of the shortfall in relation to the principal and interest owed. Impairment is measured on a loan by loan basis for loans by either the present value of expected future cash flows discounted at the loan's effective interest rate, the loan's obtainable market price, or the fair value of the collateral if the loan is collateral dependent.

Large groups of smaller balance homogenous loans are collectively evaluated for impairment. Accordingly, the Bank does not separately identify individual consumer and residential loans for impairment disclosures.

The general component relates to non-impaired loans, and is based on historical loss experience adjusted for the effects of qualitative factors that are likely to cause estimated credit losses as of the evaluation date to differ from the portfolio's historical loss experience. Qualitative factors include the following: Economic conditions; industry conditions; changes in lending policies and procedures; trends in the volume and terms of loans; the experience, ability and depth of lending staff; levels and trends in delinquencies; levels and trends in charge-off and recovery activity; levels and trends of loan quality as determined by an internal loan grading system; portfolio concentrations.

On a quarterly basis, management estimates the allowance balance required using the criteria identified above in relation to the relevant risks for each of the Bank's major loan segments. For construction, land and land development loans, major risk factors include demand levels for residential and commercial development, and real estate prices. For mortgage loans secured by residential real estate, major risk factors include unemployment levels and real estate prices. For mortgage loans secured by commercial real estate, major risk factors include demand levels for products and services, rental rates and real estate prices. For commercial and industrial loans, major risk factors include demand for products and services, and operating cash flows. For consumer and other loans, the major risk factor is unemployment levels.

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The quality of the Bank's loan portfolio is assessed as a function of the levels of past due loans and impaired loans, and internal credit quality ratings which are updated quarterly by management. The ratings on the Bank's internal credit scale are broadly grouped into the categories "non-classified" and "classified." Non-classified loans are those loans with minimal identified credit risk, as well as loans with potential credit weaknesses which deserve management's attention but for which full collection of contractual principal and interest is not significantly at risk. Classified loans are those loans that have well-defined weakness that put full collection of contractual principal and interest at risk, and classified loans for which it is probable that the Bank will not collect all contractual principal or interest are also considered impaired. The credit quality ratings are an important part of the Bank's overall credit risk management process and are considered in the determination of the allowance for credit losses.

Determination of the allowance is inherently subjective as it requires estimates that are susceptible to significant revision as more information becomes available. In addition, various regulatory agencies, as an integral part of their examination process, periodically review the Bank's allowance. Such agencies may require the Bank to recognize additional losses based on their judgments about information available to them at the time of their examination.

#### **Premises and Equipment**

Premises and equipment are stated at cost, less accumulated depreciation, which is computed on the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the term of the lease or the estimated useful life of the improvement, whichever is less. Asset lives range from three to ten years. Gains or losses on dispositions are reflected in earnings.

The assets are reviewed for impairment when events indicate their carrying value may not be recoverable. If management determines impairment exists, the asset is reduced with an offsetting charge to expense.

#### **Bank Owned Life Insurance**

The Bank has purchased single premium life insurance policies for certain officers. The value of the policies is recorded at the amount that would be received if the policies were surrendered. Increases or decreases in the cash value of the policies are recognized as income or expense in the period of change. The Bank entered into a Split Dollar Life insurance agreement with certain officers and key employees on these policies.

#### **Deferred Rent and Lease Incentives**

Rental payments under operating leases for the Bank are charged to expense on the straight-line basis, after consideration of rent holidays, step-rent provisions and escalation clauses.

#### **Income Taxes**

Deferred tax assets and liabilities result from differences between the financial statement carrying amounts and the tax bases of assets and liabilities, and are reflected at currently enacted income tax rates applicable to the period in which the deferred tax assets or liabilities are expected to be realized or settled. The deferred tax provision represents the difference between the net deferred tax asset and liability at the beginning and end of the year. Deferred tax assets are reduced by a valuation allowance, when, in the opinion of management, it is more likely than not that some portion or all of the deferred tax assets will not be realized. As changes in tax laws or rates are enacted, deferred tax assets and liabilities are adjusted through the provision for income taxes.

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A tax position is recognized as a benefit only if it is "more likely than not" that the tax position would be sustained in a tax examination, with the presumption that a tax examination will occur. The amount recognized is the largest amount of tax benefit that is greater than 50% likely to be realized on examination. For tax positions not meeting the "more likely than not" test, no tax benefit is recorded.

The Bank is no longer subject to examination by taxing authorities for years before 2013.

#### **New Accounting Pronouncements**

The Financial Accounting Standards Board recently issued three Accounting Standards Updates which are not effective for the Bank until future periods, but which have the potential to significantly impact the Bank's financial statements although the Bank has not yet completed evaluations of the impact on its financial statements and its accounting and reporting practices:

- Accounting Standards Update 2016-13, Financial Instruments Credit Losses (Topic 326): Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments. Under the new standard, the Bank will be required to convert from the existing incurred-loss model for determining the allowance for loan losses to an expected-loss model. An expected-loss model will determine the allowance for loan losses balance based upon credit losses expected to be incurred over the life of the loan portfolio, and will consider not only current credit conditions but also reasonably supportable expectations as to future credit conditions. The standard will also require securities held to maturity to be evaluated for impairment under an expected-loss model. The standard is effective for the Bank beginning January 1, 2021.
- Accounting Standards Update 2016-02, Leases (Topic 326). Under the new standard, the Bank will be required to record a right-of-use asset for leased property and also record a corresponding lease liability. In general, rather than expense lease payments as they are made as currently done under operating lease guidance, the right-of-use asset will be amortized to expense over the lease term and lease payments will reduce the lease obligation. The standard is effective for the Bank beginning January 1, 2020.
- Accounting Standards Update 2016-01, Financial Instruments Overall (Subtopic 825-10): Recognition and Measurement of Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities. Under the new standard, certain equity investments are required to be carried at fair value, with changes in fair value recognized in net income. This applies to equity investments with readily determinable fair values that are not consolidated or carried on the equity method. Debt securities classified as available-for-sale will continue to be carried at fair value with changes in fair value recorded through other comprehensive income. The standard is effective for the Bank beginning January 1, 2019, and is not expected to have a significant impact to the financial statements.

#### **Cash Equivalents and Cash Flows**

The Bank considers all amounts included in the balance sheet caption "Cash and due from banks" and interest-bearing deposits in other financial institutions to be cash equivalents. Cash flows from loans, deposits and short-term borrowings are reported net. At times, cash balances on deposit in other financial institutions exceed FDIC insurance limits; however, the Bank has not experienced any losses due to these concentrations.

#### Advertising

The Bank expenses advertising costs as incurred.

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#### **Stock-Based Compensation**

The Bank has a stock-based compensation option plan and stock warrants, which are described more fully in Note 11. The Bank accounts for the stock option plan under the recognition and measurement principles as defined by guidance, which requires the cash flows related to the tax benefits resulting from tax deductions in excess of compensation cost recognized for those options (excess tax benefits) to be classified as financing cash flows.

#### **Comprehensive Income**

Components of comprehensive income are net income and all other non-owner changes in equity. Other comprehensive income consists of unrealized holding gains and losses on available for sale securities.

#### **Fair Value Measurements**

Fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants, excluding transaction costs. A fair value measurement assumes that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability occurs in the principal market for the asset or liability or, in the absence of a principal market, the most advantageous market for the asset or liability. An orderly transaction is a transaction that assumes exposure to the market for a period prior to the measurement date to allow for marketing activities that are usual and customary for transactions involving such assets and liabilities; it is not a forced transaction. Market participants are buyers and sellers that are (i) independent, (ii) knowledgeable, (iii) able to transact and (iv) willing to transact.

When measuring fair value, entities should maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. The following describes the three levels of inputs that may be used to measure fair value:

- Level 1 Inputs Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the reporting entity
  has the ability to access at the measurement date.
- Level 2 Inputs Significant other observable inputs other than Level 1 prices such as quoted prices for similar assets
  or liabilities; quoted prices in markets that are not active; or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated
  by observable market data.
- Level 3 Inputs Valuations for assets and liabilities that are derived from other valuation methodologies, including option pricing models, discounted cash flow models and similar techniques, and not based on market exchange, dealer, or broker traded transactions. Level 3 valuations incorporate certain assumptions and projections in determining the fair value assigned to such assets or liabilities.

#### Reclassifications

Certain reclassifications have been made to prior year balances to conform to the current year financial statement presentation.

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#### Note 2 - Securities

Debt securities have been classified according to management's intent. The amortized cost of the Bank's securities and their approximate fair value are as follows:

Securities available for sale	Gross Amortized Cost	Gross Unrealized Gains	Unrealized Losses	Fair Value
December 31, 2016 U.S. government agency securities Mortgage-backed securities Total	\$2,688	\$ 1	(\$4)	\$2,685
	5,463	29	(63)	5,428
	<b>\$8,151</b>	<b>\$30</b>	<b>(\$67)</b>	<b>\$8,113</b>
December 31, 2015  Mortgage-backed securities  Total	\$3,364	\$44	(\$21)	\$3,387
	<b>\$3,364</b>	<b>\$44</b>	<b>(\$21)</b>	<b>\$3,387</b>

The Bank only held U.S. government agency securities and mortgage-backed securities at December 31, 2016.

Expected maturities for securities available for sale as of December 31, 2016 are as follows:

	Amortized Cost	Fair Value
Due in 1 year of less Due after 1 year through 5 years Due after 5 years through 10 years	\$  	\$ 
Due after 10 years	2,688	2,685
Mortgage-backed securities  Total	5,463 <b>\$8,151</b>	5,428 <b>\$8,113</b>

Expected maturities may differ from contractual maturities because borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations, with or without call or prepayment penalties.

The following tables present the gross unrealized losses and fair value of securities available for sale aggregated by the length of time the individual securities have been in a continuous unrealized loss position at December 31, 2016 and 2015:

	Less than 12 months		12 months or more	
	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized
	Value	Losses	Value	Losses
December 31, 2016 U.S. government agency securities Mortgage-backed securities	\$ 1,772	\$ (4)	\$	\$
	\$ 2,525	\$ (51)	\$ 1,598	\$ (12)
December 31, 2015  Mortgage-backed securities	\$ 1,831	\$ (21)	\$	\$

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The investment securities shown in the previous tables have fair values less than amortized cost and therefore contain unrealized losses. Management evaluates securities for other-than-temporary impairment at least on a quarterly basis, and more frequently when economic or market concerns warrant such evaluation. There were seven and one investment securities with unrealized losses at December 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively. The Bank anticipates full recovery of amortized cost with respect to these securities at maturity or earlier in the event of a more favorable market interest rate environment.

There were no sales of securities in 2016. There was \$1 in gross gains realized on sales of securities in realized on sales of securities in 2015. There were no gross losses realized on sales of securities in 2015.

The fair value of pledged securities totaled \$2,903 and \$3,387 at December 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively.

#### Note 3 - Loans and Allowance for Credit Losses

Loans at December 31 consist of the following:

	2016	2015
Commercial	\$77,302	\$39,412
Real estate:		
Residential 1-4 family	19,943	11,742
Multi-Family	16,939	12,498
Commercial	107,083	75,719
Construction and land	9,788	4,187
Consumer	1,924	1,862
	232,979	145,420
Less net deferred loan origination fees	324	334
Loans, net of deferred fees	\$232,655	\$145,086

Transactions in the allowance for credit losses for the year ended December 31, 2016 are as follows:

	Year ended December 31, 2016						
	Rea	al Estate	Comr	nercial	Cor	nsumer	Total
Balance at beginning of period Provision for loan losses Charge-offs Recoveries	\$	1,417 56 	\$	528 (47) (21) 56	\$	17 (9) 	\$ 1,962  (21) 56
Balance at end of period	\$	1,473	\$	516	\$	8	\$ 1,997

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Transactions in the allowance for credit losses for the year ended December 31, 2015 are as follows:

			Year ende	ed Decembe	er 31, 2015		
	Rea	al Estate	Com	mercial	Со	nsumer	Total
Balance at beginning of period Provision for loan losses Charge-offs Recoveries	\$	1,267 150 - 	\$	566 (270)  232	\$	18 (1) 	\$ 1,851 (121)  232
Balance at end of period	\$	1,417	\$	528	\$	17	\$ 1,962

Components of the allowance for credit losses, and the related carrying amount of loans for which the allowance is determined, are as follows:

	December 31, 2016					_		
All C CAII	Re	eal Estate	Cor	nmercial	Со	nsumer	Total	I
Allocation of Allowance to: Impaired loans – evaluated individually Impaired loans – evaluated collectively Total impaired loans	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -
Unimpaired loans – evaluated collectively	/	1,473		516		8	1,99	<del>)</del> 7
	\$	1,473	\$	516	\$	8	\$ 1,99	<b>)</b> 7
	_			December 3	31, 2016			_
<b>-</b>	Re	eal Estate	Cor	nmercial	Со	nsumer	Total	I
Recorded Investment In: Impaired loans – evaluated individually Impaired loans – evaluated collectively Total impaired loans	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -
Unimpaired loans – evaluated collectively	/	153,754		77,302		1,924	232,98	30
	\$	153,754	\$	77,302	\$	1,924	\$232,98	30

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	_			December 3	1, 2015		
	Re	al Estate	Con	nmercial	Co	nsumer	Total
Allocation of Allowance to: Impaired loans – evaluated individually Impaired loans – evaluated collectively Total impaired loans	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$ - - -
Unimpaired loans – evaluated collectively		1,417		528		17	1,962
	\$	1,417	\$	528	\$	17	\$ 1,962
	_			December 3	1, 2015		
	Re	al Estate	Con	nmercial	Co	nsumer	Total
Recorded Investment In: Impaired loans – evaluated individually Impaired loans – evaluated collectively Total impaired loans	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$ - - -
Unimpaired loans – evaluated collectively	,	104,146		39,412		1,862	145,420
	\$	104,146	\$	39,412	\$	1,862	\$145,420

The carrying amounts of loans by performance status at December 31, 2016 are as follows:

		Accruing Loans							
	Current		89 Days ist Due	90 Days Past	or More t Due	Nonac Loan		То	tal Loans
Real Estate Commercial Consumer	\$ 153,754 77,302 1,924	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	153,754 77,302 1,924
	\$ 232,980	\$	-	\$	-	\$		\$	232,980

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The carrying amounts of loans by credit quality at December 31, 2016 are as follows:

			Classi	fied	
	Non- Classified	Uni	mpaired	Impair	ed
Real Estate Commercial Consumer	\$ 152,057 75,824 1,924	\$	1,697 1,478 -	\$	- - -
	\$ 229,805	\$	3,175	\$	

The carrying amounts of loans by performance status at December 31, 2015 are as follows:

	_		Accruing L	oans.					
		Current	9 Days st Due	90 Days Pas	or More t Due	Nonaco Loans		То	otal Loans
Real Estate Commercial Consumer	\$	104,146 39,412 1,862	\$ - - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	104,146 39,412 1,862
	\$	145,420	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	145,420

The carrying amounts of loans by credit quality at December 31, 2015 are as follows:

		Clas	sified
	Non- Classified	Unimpaired	Impaired
Real Estate Commercial Consumer	\$ 102,419 37,862 1,862	\$ 1,727 1,550 -	\$ - - -
	\$ 142,143	\$ 3,277	\$ -

There were no impaired loans as of or during the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015. The Bank had no troubled debt restructurings outstanding as of December 31, 2016 and 2015.

Certain related parties of the Bank, principally directors and their associates were loan customers of the Bank in the ordinary course of business during the year ended December 31, 2016 and 2015. Loans outstanding at December 31, 2016 and 2015, to key officers and directors totaled \$1,534 and \$4,311, respectively.

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#### Note 4 - Premises and Equipment

Components of premises and equipment at December 31 are as follows:

	2016	2015
Land Building Leasehold improvements Furniture and equipment	\$ 212 1,215 951 1,162 <b>\$3,540</b>	\$ - 688 684 <b>1,372</b>
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	872	772
Premises and equipment, net	\$2,668	\$ 600
Note 5 - Deposits		
The composition of deposits at December 31 is as follows:		
	2016	2015
Demand deposits, non-interest-bearing NOW and money market accounts Savings deposits Time certificates over \$250,000 Other time certificates	\$ 81,332 138,468 3,398 19,449 57,459	\$ 28,301 64,739 1,435 17,249 40,905
Total deposits	\$300,106	\$152,629
Scheduled maturities of time certificates of deposit for future years ending Dece	ember 31 are as follows:	
2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 Thereafter		\$55,501 17,346 3,065 142 693 161
Total		\$76,908

Certain related parties of the Bank, principally directors and their affiliates were deposit customers of the Bank in the ordinary course of business during year ended December 31, 2016, and 2015. Deposits from these customers at December 31, 2016 and 2015 totaled \$16,096 and \$5,543, respectively.

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#### Note 6 - FHLB Borrowings

The Bank has long-term borrowings with the FHLB of Des Moines with total credit on the lines of \$57,216, which is available dependent upon sufficient collateral and FHLB stock ownership. The Bank has borrowings of \$6,073 and \$3,200 as of December 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively. As of December 31, 2015, the maturity date related to these borrowings was April 2018 and they bear an interest rate of 0.88%. As of December 31, 2016, the borrowings have a weighted-average interest rate of 2.03% and have scheduled maturities for future years ending December 31 as follows:

2017	\$1,014
2018	4,214
2019	845
Total	\$6,073

The Bank also has letters of credit outstanding for \$1,000 and \$4,500, which are used to pledge for public deposits as of December 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively.

The Bank has a blanket pledge of \$78,539 in loans as collateral for the FHLB borrowings at December 31, 2016. In addition the Bank has pledged \$19,774 of loans as collateral for borrowings with the Federal Reserve Bank. Available borrowings through this facility are approximately \$12,104.

The Bank has agreements with commercial banks for lines of credit totaling \$12,500 and \$9,500 at December 2016 and December 2016, respectively, none of which was used at both December 31, 2016 and 2015.

#### Note 7 - Employee Benefits

The Bank has a 401(k) profit sharing plan covering substantially all employees. Contributions to the 401(k) profit sharing plan consist of matching contributions, which match 100% of the employees' contributions up to 3% and then match 50% of the following 2%. The Bank may also make profit sharing contributions which are at the discretion of its board of directors. There were \$78 in contributions by the Bank to this plan for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015.

The Bank has also established a non-qualified Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan ("SERP") to provide its President with supplemental retirement benefits. The periodic pension expense for the supplemental plan amounted to \$162 for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015. The present value of the projected benefit obligation and the vested benefit obligation was \$487 and \$325 at December 31, 2016 and 2016, respectively, all of which is unfunded. A discount rate of 4.8% was used in determining the actuarial projected benefit at December 31, 2016.

#### Note 8 - Income Taxes

Allocation of income taxes between current and deferred portions is as follows:

Income Taxes	400-	<b>A-1-</b>
Current expense (benefit)	\$605	\$547
Deferred expense (benefit)	38	(36) <b>\$511</b>
Total income taxes `	\$643	\$511 <sup>′</sup>

2016

2015

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Tax effects of temporary differences that give rise to significant portions of deferred tax assets and liabilities at December 31 are as follows:

B. 1. 1. 1.	2016	2015
Allowance for credit losses Discount on acquired loans Interest on impaired loans Accumulated depreciation Charitable contributions Organizational costs Capital loss Writedowns on other real estate owned SERP expense Net operating loss carryforward Unrealized gain on available for sale securities Other Total deferred tax assets	\$ 225 963 192 - 5 84 21 - 169 490 12 33 2,183	\$ 270 - - - - - 101 21 17 110 - - - - - - - - - - - - -
Deferred Tax Liabilities Cash basis accounting Accumulated depreciation Deferred income Unrealized gain on available for sale securities Other Total deferred tax liabilities	86 148 13 14 <b>261</b>	- 107 7 - <b>114</b>
Net deferred tax assets before valuation allowance	1,922	412
Valuation Allowance	(21)	(21)
Net deferred tax assets	\$ 1,901	\$ 391

#### Note 9 - Intangible Assets

#### Core deposit intangible

The core deposit intangible resulted from the Bank's merger with Thurston First Bank in 2016, and represents the excess of the fair value of deposits acquired over their book value at the time of merger. The core deposit intangible is amortized to expenses over a seven year period using an accelerated method. In addition, the core deposit intangible is assessed at least annually for impairment, and any impairment losses are recognized in earnings in the period identified.

#### Goodwill

Goodwill resulted from the Bank's merger with Thurston First Bank in 2016, and represents the excess of purchase price over the fair value of acquired tangible assets and liabilities and identified assets. Goodwill is assessed at least annually for impairment, and any impairment losses are recognized in earnings in the period identified.

#### Note 10 - Commitments and Contingencies

The Bank is party to financial instruments with off-balance-sheet risk in the normal course of business to meet the financing needs of its customers. These financial instruments include commitments to extend credit. These instruments involve, to varying degrees, elements of credit risk in excess of the amount recognized on the accompanying balance sheet.

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The Bank's exposure to credit loss in the event of nonperformance by the other party to the financial instruments for commitments to extend credit is represented by the contractual amount of those instruments. The Bank uses the same credit policies in making commitments and conditional obligations as it does for on-balance-sheet instruments. A summary of the Bank's commitments at December 31 is as follows:

	2016	2015
Commitments to extend credit	\$62,220	\$43,107
Standby letters of credit	322	-

Commitments to extend credit are agreements to lend to a customer as long as there is no violation of any condition established in the contract. Since many of the commitments are expected to expire without being drawn upon, the total commitment amounts do not necessarily represent future cash requirements. The Bank evaluates each customer's creditworthiness on a case-by-case basis. The amount of collateral obtained, if deemed necessary by the Bank upon extension of credit, is based on management's credit evaluation of the party. Collateral held varies, but may include accounts receivable, inventory, property and equipment, residential real estate and income-producing commercial properties. Standby letters of credit are conditional commitments issued by the Bank to guarantee the performance of a customer to a third party. The credit risk involved in issuing letters of credit is essentially the same as that involved in extending loan facilities to customers.

At December 31, 2016 and 2015, the Bank had an allowance for credit losses on unfunded commitments of \$65 carried as a component of other liabilities.

Because of the nature of its activities, the Bank is subject to various pending and threatened legal actions which may arise in the ordinary course of business. In the opinion of management, liabilities arising from these claims, if any, will not have a material effect on the financial position of the Bank. Management has not been informed of any such claims at December 31, 2016.

The Bank has entered into an employment contract with its President, Chief Credit Officer and Chief Operations Officer which provide for contingent payments subject to future events.

The Bank leases premises under various operating leases arrangements, which expire through June 2024. Rental expense of leased premises was \$324 and \$292 for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively, which is included in occupancy expense.

Minimum net rental commitments under noncancellable leases having an original or remaining term of one year or more for future years ending December 31 are as follows:

2017	\$436
2018	437
2019	447
2020	459
2021	470
Thereafter	508
Total net rental commitments required	\$2,757

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#### Note 11 - Significant Concentrations of Credit Risk

Most of the Bank's business activity is with customers located in the state of Washington. Loans are generally limited, by federal and state banking regulations, to 20 percent of the Bank's shareholders' equity, excluding accumulated other comprehensive income plus allowance for loan and lease losses.

#### Note 12 - Stock Compensation Plans

#### **Stock Warrants**

In 2006, the Bank granted organizing shareholders 148,500 warrants to purchase the Bank's common stock, at \$10 per share. Warrants are vested upon grant, have a ten-year contractual life and expired in 2016. No warrants have been exercised to date.

#### **Employee Stock Options**

Under the Bank's employee stock option plan, the Bank may grant both incentive and nonqualified options for up to 450,000 shares of its common stock to certain key employees, 90,000 of which may be granted as restricted stock. The exercise price of each option equals the fair market value of the Bank's stock on the date of grant, and an option's maximum term is eight years. Options vest ratably over five years. The plan expired during 2016.

The fair value of each option grant is estimated on the date of grant, based on the Black-Scholes option pricing model and using the following weighted-average assumptions at December 31:

	2016	2015
Dividend yield	0.00%	0.00%
Expected life	5.5 years	5.5 years
Risk-free interest rate	1.69%	1.69%
Expected volatility	40.53%	40.53%

At the time of the stock grant there were no plans to issue a cash dividend in the near term; therefore, management assumed no dividend yield. The Bank elected to apply the simplified method prescribed by guidance to calculate the expected life of the options. The Bank utilized a five-year, risk-free yield rate for the interest rate utilized. The Bank used historical data to determine expected volatility. The weighted-average fair value of options granted during 2016 and 2015 was \$3.42 and \$4.54, respectively.

The Black-Scholes model used by the Bank to calculate option values and other currently accepted option valuation models was developed to estimate the fair value of freely tradable, fully transferable options without vesting restrictions, which significantly differ from the Bank's stock option awards. These models require highly subjective assumptions, including future stock price volatility and expected time to exercise, which greatly affect the calculated values.

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A summary of the status of the Bank's stock option plans and stock warrants as of December 31, 2016, along with activities during the year are presented below:

	Shares	Weighted Exercise Price	Weighted- Average Grant Date Fair Value	Aggregate Intrinsic Value	Weighted- Average Contractual Life (Years)
Outstanding at beginning of year	181,000	\$9.93	\$8.95	\$	1.61
Options granted Options forfeited	8,500 (148,500)	8.98 10.00	3.42 4.54		
Outstanding at end of year	41,000	\$ 9.41	\$3.93	<b>\$</b>	4.46
Vested or expected to vest at end of year	36,274	\$ 9.43	\$3.89	<b>\$</b>	4.18
Exercisable at end of year	20,000	\$9.05	\$3.61	\$	3.22

A summary of the status of the Bank's stock option plans and stock warrants as of December 31, 2015, along with activities during the year are presented below:

	Shares	Weighted Exercise Price	Weighted- Average Grant Date Fair Value	Aggregate Intrinsic Value	Weighted- Average Contractual Life (Years)
Outstanding at beginning of year	187,500	\$9.99	\$8.84	\$	2.38
Options granted Options forfeited	3,000 (9,500)	11.50 11.68	4.54 4.54		
Outstanding at end of year	181,000	\$9.93	\$8.95	\$	1.61
Vested or expected to vest at end of year	179,950	\$9.93	\$8.97	<b>\$</b>	1.58
Exercisable at end of year	165,700	\$9.88	\$9.33	\$	1.22

No warrants were exercised during the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015.

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#### **Employee Restricted Stock**

During 2015, the Bank adopted a Restricted Stock Plan to provide for the issuance of shares and restricted stock units to employees. Compensation expense is recognized over the vesting period of the awards based on the fair value of the stock at issue date. The fair value of the stock was determined by using the 3<sup>rd</sup> party valuation reflected on the over-the-counter market "OTCQX", where the Bank is listed. The shares vest in 2016 through 2020. Total shares issuable under the plan were 90,000 at December 31, 2016.

The following is a schedule of the Bank's nonvested shares at December 31, 2016:

Nonvested at beginning of year	<b>Shares</b> 13,500	Weighted Average Grant-Date Price \$11.50
Granted Vested Forfeited	13,500 0 0	\$11.50 \$0 \$0
Nonvested at end of year	13,500	\$11.50

As of December 31, 2016, there was \$120,400 of total unrecognized compensation cost related to nonvested shared granted under the plan.

The Bank did not have any excess tax benefits resulting from disqualifying dispositions of shares acquired upon exercise of incentive stock options for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015. For the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015, the Bank recognized stock-based compensation expense of \$22 and \$25, respectively.

At December 31, 2016, stock-based compensation expense related to unvested stock options granted aggregated approximately \$35 and is expected to be recognized as follows:

2017 2018 2019	\$17 12 5
2019	1
Total	\$35

#### Note 13 - Regulatory Matters

Banks and bank holding companies are subject to various regulatory capital requirements administered by state and federal banking agencies. Capital adequacy guidelines, and additionally for banks prompt corrective action regulations, involve quantitative measures of assets, liabilities, and certain off-balance sheet items calculated under regulatory accounting practices. Capital amounts and classifications are also subject to qualitative judgments by regulators about components, risk weighting and other factors.

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The Basel III Capital Rules became effective for the Bank on January 1, 2015, subject to a phase-in for certain provisions. Quantitative measures established by the Basel III Capital Rules to ensure capital adequacy require the maintenance of minimum amounts and ratios (set forth in the table below) of common equity tier 1 capital, tier 1 capital and total capital (as defined in the regulations) to risk-weighted assets (as defined), and of tier 1 capital to quarterly average assets (as defined).

At December 31, 2016 and 2015, the Bank's regulatory capital is comprised of the following: 1) Common equity tier 1 capital – consisting of common stock and related paid-in-capital, and retained earnings; 2) Additional tier 1 capital – there are no components of tier 1 capital beyond common equity tier 1 capital; 3) Tier 2 capital - consisting of a permissible portion of the allowance for loan losses; and 4) total capital - the aggregate of all tier 1 and tier 2 capital. In connection with the adoption of the Basel III Capital Rules, the Bank elected to opt-out of the requirement to include most components of accumulated other comprehensive income in common equity tier 1 capital.

When fully phased in on January 1, 2019, the Basel III capital rules will require the Bank to maintain a minimum ratio of common equity tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets of at least 4.5%, plus a 2.5% "capital conservation buffer" (which is added to the 4.5% common equity tier 1 capital ratio as the buffer is phased in, effectively resulting in a minimum ratio of common equity tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets of 7% upon full phase in). The Bank will also be required to maintain a tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets ratio of 6.0% (8.5% including the capital conservation buffer), a total capital to risk-weighted assets ratio of 8.0% (10.5% including the capital conservation buffer), and a tier 1 capital to quarterly average assets ratio of 4.0%.

The aforementioned capital conservation buffer phases in at 0.625% annually over a four year period beginning January 1, 2016, and is designed to absorb losses during periods of economic stress. Banking institutions with capital ratios above the base minimums but below the effective minimums (which include the buffer) will face constraints on dividends, equity repurchases and compensation based on the amount of the shortfall.

The following tables present actual and required capital ratios as of December 31, 2016 and 2015, for the Bank under the Basel III Capital Rules. The minimum required capital amounts presented include the minimum required capital levels as of December 31, 2016 and 2015, based on the phase-in provisions of the Basel III Capital Rules and the minimum required capital levels as of January 1, 2019 when the Basel III Capital rules have been fully phased-in, and include the capital conservation buffer. Capital levels required to be considered well capitalized are based on prompt corrective action regulations, as amended to reflect changes under the Basel III Capital rules.

	Actual		Minimum re for capital adequacy p - Basel III pl schedule	urposes	Required to be Well Capit	alized
	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio
December 31, 2016						
Tier 1 capital (to average assets)	\$33,427	11.40%	\$11,748	4.000%	\$14,685	5.00%
Tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)	33,427	12.80	17,267	6.625	20,851	8.00
Common Equity Tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)	33,427	12.80	13,357	5.125	16,941	6.50
Total capital (to risk-weighted assets)	35,503	13.60	22,480	8.625	26,063	10.00

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December 31, 2015						
Tier 1 capital	\$22,118	11.70%	\$7,560	4.00%	\$9,450	5.00%
(to average assets)						
Tier 1 capital	22,118	14.54	9,127	6.00	12,170	8.00
(to risk-weighted assets)						
Common Equity Tier 1 capital	22,118	14.54	6,846	4.50	9,888	6.50
(to risk-weighted assets)						
Total capital	24,024	15.79	12,170	8.00	15,212	10.00
(to risk-weighted assets)						

#### Note 14 – Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The following is a description of the Bank's valuation methodologies for financial assets and liabilities recorded at fair value:

Securities Available for Sale – The fair values of securities available for sale are determined by obtaining quoted prices on nationally recognized securities exchanges (Level 1) or matrix pricing, which is a mathematical technique used widely in the industry to value debt securities without relying exclusively on quoted prices for specific securities but rather by relying on the securities' relationship to other benchmark quoted securities (Level 2).

Collateral-Dependent Impaired Loans – The Bank does not record loans at fair value on a recurring basis. However, from time to time, fair value adjustments are recorded on these loans to reflect (1) partial write-downs that are based on the current appraised or market-quoted value of the underlying collateral or (2) the full charge-off of the loan carrying value. In some cases, the properties for which market quotes or appraised values have been obtained are located in areas where comparable sales data is limited, outdated, or unavailable. Fair value estimates for collateral-dependent impaired loans are obtained from real estate brokers or other third-party consultants (Level 3).

Other Real Estate Owned – The Bank does not record other real estate owned at fair value on a recurring basis. However, from time to time, fair value adjustments are recorded on these properties to reflect the current appraised value (less an estimate of cost to sell). In some cases, the properties for which appraised values have been obtained are located in areas where comparable sales data is limited, outdated, or unavailable. Fair value estimates for real estate held for sale are obtained from independent appraisers (Level 3).

The following table provides the hierarchy and fair value for each major category of assets and liabilities measured at fair value:

	December 31, 2016 Fair Value Measurements Using			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis				
Assets: Securities available for sale	\$ -	\$8,113	\$ -	\$8,113

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	Level 1	Level 2	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis Assets: Securities available for sale	\$ -	\$3,387	\$ -	\$3,387
Assets measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis Other real estate owned	-	<u>-</u>	338	338

At December 31, 2016, the Bank held no other real estate owned. At December 31, 2015, other real estate owned with a book value of \$338 is carried at its fair value of \$338.

During 2016 and 2015, there were no changes or amounts in Level 3 assets or liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis.

#### Note 15 – Business Merger

On October 31, 2016, the Bank merged with Thurston First Bank in a stock purchase of 1,221,457 shares of Commencement Bank common stock. The merger was accounted for using the purchase method of accounting and, as such, assets acquired and liabilities assumed were recorded at estimated fair values. Intangible assets acquired consist of a core deposit intangible of \$480 and goodwill of \$1,214.



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