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SmartFinancial Announces Results for the Fourth Quarter 2022

Highlights for the Fourth Quarter of 2022

- Operating earnings¹ of \$12.9 million, or \$0.76 per diluted common share
- Operating earnings¹ increase of 11% compared to the previous quarter and 48% compared to the same prior year quarter
- Net organic loan and lease growth of over \$130.2 million 17% annualized quarter-over-quarter increase
- Net interest income growth of \$904 thousand or 10% annualized quarter-over-quarter increase
- Credit quality remains solid with nonperforming assets to total assets of 0.10%

KNOXVILLE, TN – January 23, 2023 - SmartFinancial, Inc. ("SmartFinancial" or the "Company"; NASDAQ: SMBK), today announced net income of \$13.0 million, or \$0.77 per diluted common share, for the fourth quarter of 2022, compared to net income of \$6.7 million, or \$0.40 per diluted common share, for the fourth quarter of 2021, and compared to prior quarter net income of \$11.5 million, or \$0.68 per diluted common share. Operating earnings¹, which excludes securities gains and merger related and restructuring expenses, net of tax adjustments, totaled \$12.9 million, or \$0.76 per diluted common share, in the fourth quarter of 2022, compared to \$8.7 million, or \$0.52 per diluted common share, in the fourth quarter of 2021, and compared to \$11.6 million, or \$0.69 per diluted common share, in the third quarter of 2022.

Billy Carroll, President & CEO, stated: "I am extremely pleased with our company's results for the quarter and for the year. We wrapped-up 2022 with another record revenue quarter while continuing to gain operating leverage and build on the great work being done to diversify revenue, build out our ancillary lines of business, and maintain outstanding credit metrics. The core momentum our team is building is outstanding and will position us well as we enter 2023."

SmartFinancial's Chairman, Miller Welborn, concluded: "We are very proud of our strong quarter and how we finished 2022. The team did a phenomenal job in all areas. The bank continues to show excellent credit, solid growth and strong profits. We couldn't be more excited about how we are positioned to enter 2023."

Net Interest Income and Net Interest Margin

Net interest income was \$37.6 million for the fourth quarter of 2022, compared to \$36.7 million for the prior quarter. Average earning assets totaled \$4.27 billion, a decrease of \$177.5 million. The decrease in average earnings assets was primarily driven by a decrease in average interest-earning cash of \$264.8 million and average securities of \$26.2 million. Partially offsetting the decrease in average earning assets was an increase in average loans and leases of \$113.4 million. Average interest-bearing liabilities decreased \$123.7 million attributable to a decrease in deposits of \$128.9 million, offset by increased borrowings of \$5.2 million.

The tax equivalent net interest margin was 3.51% for the fourth quarter of 2022, compared to 3.29% for the prior quarter. The tax equivalent net interest margin was positively impacted by the continued deployment of excess cash and cash equivalents into loans and leases and higher yields on cash deposits held in Federal Reserve System (the "Federal Reserve"). Additionally, the yield on interest-earning assets was positively impacted due to an increase quarter-over-quarter in loan discount accretion of \$1.2 million.

The cost of interest-bearing liabilities increased to 1.27% for the fourth quarter of 2022 compared to 0.70% for the prior quarter. The cost of average interest-bearing deposits was 1.18% for the fourth quarter of 2022 compared to 0.62% for the prior quarter, an increase of 56 basis points, primarily attributable to both the impact of rising Federal Reserve rates and increased pricing competition. The cost of total deposits for the fourth quarter of 2022 was 0.85% compared to 0.45% in the prior quarter.

¹ Non-GAAP measure. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for more information and see the Non-GAAP reconciliation

The following table presents selected interest rates and yields for the periods indicated:

	Three Month		
	Dec	Sep	Increase
Selected Interest Rates and Yields	2022	2022	(Decrease)
Yield on loans and leases	5.05 %	4.59 %	0.46 %
Yield on earning assets, FTE	4.41 %	3.79 %	0.62 %
Cost of interest-bearing deposits	1.18 %	0.62 %	0.56 %
Cost of total deposits	0.85 %	0.45 %	0.40 %
Cost of interest-bearing liabilities	1.27 %	0.70 %	0.57 %
Net interest margin, FTE	3.51 %	3.29 %	0.22 %

Provision for Loan and Lease Losses and Credit Quality

At December 31, 2022, the allowance for loan and lease losses was \$23.3 million. The allowance for loan and lease losses to total loans and leases was 0.72% as of December 31, 2022, compared to 0.73% as of September 30, 2022. For the Company's originated loans and leases, the allowance for loan and lease losses to originated loans and leases, less PPP loans, was 0.73% as of December 31, 2022, and 0.75% at September 30, 2022. The remaining discounts on the acquired loan and lease portfolio totaled \$13.1 million, or 4.41% of acquired loans and leases as of December 31, 2022.

The following table presents detailed information related to the provision for loan and lease losses for the periods indicated (dollars in thousands):

	Three Months End					
		Dec		Sep		
Provision for Loan and Lease Losses Rollforward		2022		2022		Change
Beginning balance	\$	22,769	\$	21,938	\$	831
Charge-offs		(331)		(231)		(100)
Recoveries		108		88		20
Net charge-offs		(223)		(143)		(80)
Provision		788		974		(186)
Ending balance	\$	23,334	\$	22,769	\$	565
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Allowance for loan losses to total loans and leases, gross		0.72 %	6	0.73 %	ó	(0.01)%

Nonperforming loans and leases as a percentage of total loans and leases was 0.09% as of December 31, 2022, a decrease of 2 basis points from the 0.11% reported in the third quarter of 2022. Total nonperforming assets (which include nonaccrual loans and leases, loans and leases past due 90 days or more and still accruing, other real estate owned and other repossessed assets) as a percentage of total assets was 0.10% as of December 31, 2022, and September 30, 2022, respectively

The following table presents detailed information related to credit quality for the periods indicated (dollars in thousands):

	 Three Moi	nths]	Ended		
	Dec		Sep		Increase
Credit Quality	2022		2022		(Decrease)
Nonaccrual loans and leases	\$ 2,808	\$	3,379	\$	(571)
Loans and leases past due 90 days or more and still accruing	142		-		142
Total nonperforming loans and leases	2,950		3,379		(429)
Other real estate owned	1,436		1,226		210
Other repossessed assets	 422		-		422
Total nonperforming assets	\$ 4,808	\$	4,605	\$	203
Nonperforming loans and leases to total loans and leases, gross	0.09 %	6	0.11 %	6	(0.02)%
Nonperforming assets to total assets	0.10 %	6	0.10 %	6	- %

Noninterest Income

Noninterest income increased \$875 thousand to \$7.1 million for the fourth quarter of 2022 compared to \$6.3 million for the prior quarter. During the fourth quarter of 2022, the primary components of the changes in noninterest income were as follows:

- Decrease in service charges on deposit accounts, related to lower volume of transaction fees;
- Net gain on sale of securities and dissolution of associated derivative instrument;
- Increase in insurance commissions, driven by the addition of Sunbelt Group, LLC ("Sunbelt") and organic growth; and
- Increase in other, primarily related to increased fees from capital markets activity.

The following table presents detailed information related to noninterest income for the periods indicated (dollars in thousands):

	•	Three Mo	Ended		
	·	Dec		Sep	Increase
Noninterest Income		2022		2022	(Decrease)
Service charges on deposit accounts	\$	1,477	\$	1,611	\$ (134)
Gain (loss) on sale of securities, net		144		-	144
Mortgage banking income		77		170	(93)
Investment services		958		1,051	(93)
Insurance commissions		1,233		864	369
Interchange and debit card transaction fees		1,328		1,356	(28)
Other		1,908		1,198	710
Total noninterest income	\$	7,125	\$	6,250	\$ 875

Noninterest Expense

Noninterest expense increased \$186 thousand to \$27.4 million for the fourth quarter of 2022 compared to \$27.2 million for the prior quarter. During the fourth quarter of 2022, the primary components of the changes in noninterest expense were as follows:

- Decrease in occupancy and equipment as a result of lower utility expenses (seasonality);
- Increase in data processing and technology as a result of enhancements to core systems; and
- Increase in professional services, related to higher audit expenses.

The following table presents detailed information related to noninterest expense for the periods indicated (dollars in thousands):

	 Three Moi		
	Dec	Sep	Increase
Noninterest Expense	2022	2022	(Decrease)
Salaries and employee benefits	\$ 16,384	\$ 16,317	\$ 67
Occupancy and equipment	3,015	3,167	(152)
FDIC insurance	650	705	(55)
Other real estate and loan related expenses	517	565	(48)
Advertising and marketing	308	288	20
Data processing and technology	2,097	1,872	225
Professional services	981	822	159
Amortization of intangibles	688	650	38
Merger related and restructuring expenses	(45)	87	(132)
Other	2,821	2,757	64
Total noninterest expense	\$ 27,416	\$ 27,230	\$ 186

Income Tax Expense

Income tax expense was \$3.5 million for the fourth quarter of 2022, an increase of \$318 thousand, compared to \$3.2 million for the prior quarter.

The effective tax rate was 21.35% for the fourth quarter of 2022 and 21.76% for the prior quarter.

Balance Sheet Trends

Total assets were \$4.61 billion at December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. Total assets remained unchanged period-over-period; however, the bank experienced a shift in its asset mix during the fourth quarter 2022. The Company had increases primarily in the following categories: loans and leases, net of \$531.7 million, securities of \$210.4 million, premises and equipment of \$6.6 million, goodwill and other intangibles, net of \$3.9 million, attributable to Sunbelt purchase and other assets of \$30.2 million. These increases were offset by a decrease in cash and cash equivalents of \$778.7 million, primarily from the funding of loans and leases and purchase of securities.

Total liabilities were \$4.18 billion for the periods ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. Total liabilities remained unchanged period-over-period; however, the bank experienced organic deposit growth of \$55.2 million and a decrease in borrowings of \$70.3 million.

Shareholders' equity at December 31, 2022 totaled \$432.5 million, an increase of \$3.0 million, from December 31, 2021. The increase in shareholders' equity was primarily driven by net income of \$43.0 million for the year ended December 31, 2022, offset by the negative impact on accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) of \$36.8 million and dividends paid of \$4.7 million. Tangible book value per share¹ was \$19.09 at December 31, 2022, compared to \$19.26 at December 31, 2021. Tangible common equity¹ as a percentage of tangible assets¹ was 7.17% at December 31, 2022, compared with 7.18% at December 31, 2021.

¹ Non-GAAP measure. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for more information and see the Non-GAAP reconciliation

The following table presents selected balance sheet information for the periods indicated (dollars in thousands):

Dec	Dec	Increase
2022	2021	(Decrease)
\$ 4,612,913	\$ 4,611,579	\$ 1,334
4,180,461	4,182,149	(1,688)
432,452	429,430	3,022
769,842	559,422	210,420
3,229,042	2,693,397	535,645
4,077,100	4,021,938	55,162
17,275	87,585	(70,310)
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Conference Call Information

SmartFinancial issued this earnings release for the fourth quarter of 2022 on Monday, January 23, 2023, and will host a conference call on Tuesday, January 24, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. ET. To access this interactive teleconference, dial (844) 200-6205 or (646) 904-5544 and entering the access code, **179408**. A replay of the conference call will be available through March 25, 2023, by dialing (866) 813-9403 or (929) 458-6194 and entering the access code, **675735**. Conference call materials will be published on the Company's webpage located at http://www.smartfinancialinc.com/CorporateProfile, at 9:00 a.m. ET prior to the conference call.

About SmartFinancial, Inc.

SmartFinancial, Inc., based in Knoxville, Tennessee, is the bank holding company for SmartBank. SmartBank is a full-service commercial bank founded in 2007, with branches across Tennessee, Alabama, and the Florida Panhandle. Recruiting the best people, delivering exceptional client service, strategic branching, and a disciplined approach to lending have contributed to SmartBank's success. More information about SmartFinancial can be found on its website: www.smartfinancialinc.com.

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Non-GAAP Financial Measures

Statements included in this earnings release include measures not recognized under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") and therefore are considered non-GAAP financial measures and should be read along with the accompanying tables, which provide a reconciliation of Non-GAAP financial measures to GAAP financial measures. SmartFinancial management uses several Non-GAAP financial measures, including: (i) operating earnings, (ii) operating return on average assets, (iii) operating pre-tax preprovision return on average assets, (iv) operating return on average shareholders' equity, (v) return on average tangible common equity, (vi) operating return on average tangible common equity, (vii) operating efficiency ratio, (viii) operating noninterest income, (ix) operating pre-tax pre-provision earnings (x) operating noninterest expense, (xi) tangible common equity, (xii) average tangible common equity, (xiii) tangible book value; (xiv) tangible assets; and ratios derived therefrom, in its analysis of the company's performance. Operating earnings excludes the following from net income: securities gains and losses and merger related and restructuring expenses. Operating return on average assets is the annualized operating earnings (Non-GAAP) divided by average assets. Operating pre-tax pre-provision return on average assets is the annualized operating pre-tax pre-provision income earnings (Non-GAAP) by average assets. Operating return on average shareholders' equity is the annualized operating earnings (Non-GAAP) divided by average equity. Return on average tangible common equity is the annualized net income divided by average tangible common equity (Non-GAAP). Operating return on average tangible common equity is the annualized operating earnings (Non-GAAP) divided by average tangible common equity (Non-GAAP). The operating efficiency ratio includes an adjustment for taxable equivalent yields and excludes securities gains and losses and merger related and restructuring expenses from the efficiency ratio. Operating noninterest income excludes the following from noninterest income: securities gains and losses. Operating pre-tax pre-provision earnings is net interest income plus operating noninterest income (Non-GAAP) less operating noninterest expense (Non-GAAP). Operating noninterest expense excludes the following from noninterest expense: prior year adjustments to salaries, merger related and restructuring expenses and certain franchise tax true-up expenses. Tangible common equity (Non-GAAP) and average tangible common equity (Non-GAAP) excludes goodwill and other intangible assets from shareholders' equity and average shareholders' equity, respectively. Tangible book value (Non-GAAP) is tangible common equity (Non-GAAP) divided by common shares outstanding. Tangible assets (Non-GAAP) excludes goodwill and other intangibles from total assets. Management believes that Non-GAAP financial measures provide additional useful information that allows investors to evaluate the ongoing performance of the company and provide meaningful comparisons to its peers. Management believes these Non-GAAP financial measures also enhance investors' ability to compare period-to-period financial results and allow investors and company management to view our operating results excluding the impact of items that are not reflective of the underlying operating performance. Non-GAAP financial measures should not be considered as an alternative to any measure of performance or financial condition as promulgated under GAAP, and investors should consider SmartFinancial's performance and financial condition as reported under GAAP and all other relevant information when assessing the performance or financial condition of the company. Non-GAAP financial measures have limitations as analytical tools, and investors should not consider them in isolation or as a substitute for analysis of the results or financial condition as reported under GAAP.

Forward-Looking Statements

This news release may contain statements that are based on management's current estimates or expectations of future events or future results, and that may be deemed to constitute forward-looking statements as defined under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements, including statements regarding the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic and related variants on the Company's business and financial results and conditions, are not historical in nature and can generally be identified by such words as "expect," "anticipate," "intend," "plan," "believe," "seek," "may," "estimate," and similar expressions. All forward-looking statements are subject to risks, uncertainties, and other factors that may cause the actual results of SmartFinancial to differ materially from future results expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. Such risks, uncertainties, and other factors include, among others, (1) risks associated with our growth strategy, including a failure to implement our growth plans or an inability to manage our growth effectively; (2) claims and litigation arising from our business activities and from the companies we acquire, which may relate to contractual issues, environmental laws, fiduciary responsibility, and other matters; (3) the risk that cost savings and revenue synergies from recently completed acquisitions may not be realized or may take longer than anticipated to realize; (4) disruption from recently completed acquisitions with customer, supplier, employee, or other business relationships; (5) our ability to successfully integrate the businesses acquired as part of previous acquisitions with the business of SmartBank; (6) changes in management's plans for the future; (7) prevailing, or changes in, economic or political conditions, particularly in our market areas, including the effects of declines in the real estate market, high unemployment rates, inflationary pressures, elevated interest rates and slowdowns in economic growth, as well as the financial stress on borrowers as a result of the foregoing; (8) a deterioration of the credit rating for U.S. long-term sovereign debt, actions that the U.S. government may take to avoid exceeding the debt ceiling, or uncertainties surrounding the debt ceiling and the federal budget; (9) credit risk associated with our lending activities; (10) changes in loan demand, real estate values, or competition; (11) developments in our mortgage banking business, including loan modifications, general demand, and the effects of judicial or regulatory requirements or guidance; (12) changes in accounting principles, policies, or guidelines; (13) changes in applicable laws, rules, or regulations; (14) adverse results from current or future litigation, regulatory examinations or other legal and/or regulatory actions, including as a result of the Company's participation in and execution of government programs related to the COVID-19 pandemic and related variants; (15) the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and related variants on the Company's assets, business, cash flows, financial condition, liquidity, prospects and results of operations; (16) significant turbulence or a disruption in the capital or financial markets and the effect of a fall in stock market prices on our investment securities; (17) the effects of war or other conflicts including the impacts related to or resulting from Russia's military action in Ukraine; and (18) other general competitive, economic, political, and market factors, including those affecting our business, operations, pricing, products, or services. These and other factors that could cause results to differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements can be found in SmartFinancial's most recent annual report on Form 10-K, quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, and current reports on Form 8-K, in each case filed with or furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and available on the SEC's website (www.sec.gov). Undue reliance should not be placed on forward-looking statements. SmartFinancial disclaims any obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements contained in this release, which speak only as of the date hereof, whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise.

SmartFinancial, Inc. and Subsidiary Condensed Consolidated Financial Information - (unaudited) (dollars in thousands)

			Ending Balances		
	Dec	Sep	Jun	Mar	Dec
Acceptan	2022	2022	2022	2022	2021
Assets: Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 266,424	\$ 543,029	\$ 654,945	\$ 763,968	\$ 1,045,077
Securities available-for-sale, at fair value	483,893	519,723	\$ 654,945 524,864	540,483	482,453
Securities held-to-maturity, at amortized cost	285,949	287,104	288,363	289,532	76,969
Other investments					
Loans held for sale	15,530 1,752	15,528	16,569 1,707	16,499	16,494
Loans and leases		2,742		5,894	5,103
Less: Allowance for loan and lease losses	3,229,042	3,099,116	2,994,074	2,806,026	2,693,397
	(23,334)	(22,769)	(21,938)	(20,078)	(19,352)
Loans and leases, net	3,205,708	3,076,347	2,972,136	2,785,948	2,674,045
Premises and equipment, net	92,511	91,944	89,950	84,793	85,958
Other real estate owned	1,436	1,226	1,612	1,612	1,780
Goodwill and other intangibles, net	109,772	110,460	104,582	105,215	105,852
Bank owned life insurance	81,470	81,001	80,537	80,074	79,619
Other assets	68,468	67,807	52,848	44,561	38,229
Total assets	\$ 4,612,913	\$ 4,796,911	\$ 4,788,113	\$ 4,718,579	\$ 4,611,579
Liabilities:					
Deposits:					
Noninterest-bearing demand	\$ 1,072,449	\$ 1,186,209	\$ 1,162,843	\$ 1,093,933	\$ 1,055,125
Interest-bearing demand	965,911	962,901	999,893	975,272	899,158
Money market and savings	1,583,481	1,663,355	1,607,714	1,573,101	1,493,007
Time deposits	455,259	467,944	511,182	549,047	574,648
Total deposits	4,077,100	4,280,409	4,281,632	4,191,353	4,021,938
Borrowings	17,275	18,423	12,549	36,713	87,585
Subordinated debt	42,015	41,994	41,973	41,952	41,930
Other liabilities	44,071	41,374	31,532	28,519	30,696
Total liabilities	4,180,461	4,382,200	4,367,686	4,298,537	4,182,149
Shareholders' Equity:					
Common stock	16,901	16,888	16,898	16,893	16,803
Additional paid-in capital	294,330	293,907	293,815	293,376	292,937
Retained earnings	156,545	144,723	134,362	125,329	118,247
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(35,324)	(40,807)	(24,648)	(15,556)	1,443
Total shareholders' equity	432,452	414,711	420,427	420,042	429,430
Total liabilities & shareholders' equity	\$ 4,612,913	\$ 4,796,911	\$ 4,788,113	\$ 4,718,579	\$ 4,611,579

SmartFinancial, Inc. and Subsidiary Condensed Consolidated Financial Information - (unaudited) (dollars in thousands except share and per share data)

				TI	hre	e Months En	ded				Year Ended			
		Dec		Sep		June		Mar		Dec		Dec		Dec
		2022		2022		2022		2022		2021		2022		2021
Interest income:														
Loans and leases, including fees	\$	40,082	\$	35,127	\$	31,530	\$	29,643	\$	30,567	\$	136,381	\$	118,582
Investment securities:														
Taxable		3,337		3,135		2,908		2,418		1,341		11,799		3,813
Tax-exempt		797		561		441		368		322		2,166		1,215
Federal funds sold and other earning assets		3,098		3,474		1,430		486		547		8,488		1,622
Total interest income		47,314		42,297	_	36,309	_	32,915		32,777		158,834		125,232
Interest expense:														
Deposits		8,844		4,866		2,504		2,014		2,116		18,228		8,849
Borrowings		232		97		117		157		180		602		540
Subordinated debt		626		626		626		626		626		2,503		2,449
Total interest expense		9,702		5,589		3,247		2,797		2,922		21,333		11,838
Net interest income		37,612		36,708		33,062		30,118		29,855		137,501		113,394
Provision for loan and lease losses		788		974		1,250		1,006		422		4,018		1,633
Net interest income after provision for loan and lease losses		36,824		35,734		31,812		29,112		29,433		133,483		111,761
Noninterest income:		<u>.</u>												
Service charges on deposit accounts		1,477		1,611		1,446		1,319		1,372		5,853		4,650
Gain (loss) on sale of securities, net		144		_		_		_		_		144		45
Mortgage banking		77		170		471		834		803		1,552		4,040
Investment services		958		1,051		1,065		1,070		621		4,144		2,167
Insurance commissions		1,233		864		598		901		517		3,595		3,285
Interchange and debit card transaction fees		1,328		1,356		1,467		1,284		1,445		5,435		4,284
Other		1,908		1,198		2,182		1,703		2,048		6,992		5,478
Total noninterest income		7,125		6,250		7,229		7,111		6,806		27,715		23,949
Noninterest expense:				,		,		,		,				
Salaries and employee benefits		16,384		16,317		15,673		15,046		14,990		63,420		51,656
Occupancy and equipment		3,015		3,167		2,793		3,059		3,026		12,034		10,196
FDIC insurance		650		705		676		641		567		2,672		1,833
Other real estate and loan related expense		517		565		636		729		583		2,446		2,098
Advertising and marketing		308		288		327		369		176		1,293		830
Data processing and technology		2,097		1,872		1,728		1,586		1,722		7,283		6,364
Professional services		981		822		745		1,242		847		3,790		3,147
Amortization of intangibles		688		650		633		637		660		2,607		2,256
Merger related and restructuring expenses		(45)		87		81		439		2,762		562		3,701
Other		2,821		2,757		2,634		1,970		2,490		10,183		9,310
Total noninterest expense		27,416		27,230		25,926		25,718		27,823		106,290		91,391
Income before income taxes		16,533		14,754		13,115		10,505		8,416		54,908		44,319
Income tax expense		3,529		3,211		2,900		2,246		1,761		11,886		9,529
Net income	\$	13,004	\$	11,543	\$	10,215	\$	8,259	\$	6,655	\$	43,022	\$	34,790
Earnings per common share:	÷	- /	÷	,	-		÷		_		÷	- ,-	÷	- ,
Basic	\$	0.78	\$	0.69	\$	0.61	\$	0.49	\$	0.40	\$	2.57	\$	2.23
Diluted	\$	0.77	\$	0.68	\$		\$		\$	0.40	\$	2.55	\$	2.22
	Ф	0.77	Þ	0.08	\$	0.01	Ф	0.49	Þ	0.40	Ф	2.33	Ф	2.22
Weighted average common shares outstanding:		C 750 70 C		16.740.055		16 72 4 020		16.710.271		16 600 010		1 6 7 40 450		5 550 505
Basic		6,758,706		16,749,255		16,734,930		16,718,371		16,699,010		16,740,450		5,572,537
Diluted	l	6,884,253		16,872,022		16,867,774		16,858,288		16,846,315		16,871,369		5,699,215

SmartFinancial, Inc. and Subsidiary Condensed Consolidated Financial Information - (unaudited) (dollars in thousands) YIELD ANALYSIS

				Three	Months End	led			
	Dece	mber 31, 202	22	Septe	mber 30, 202	.2	Dece	mber 31, 202	21
	Average		Yield/	Average		Yield/	Average		Yield/
	Balance	Interest	Cost	Balance	Interest	Cost	Balance	Interest	Cost
Assets:									
Loans and leases, including fees1	\$ 3,150,493	\$ 40,082	5.05 %	\$ 3,037,092	\$ 35,127	4.59 %	\$ 2,675,059	\$ 30,567	4.53 %
Taxable securities	701,787	3,337	1.89 %	720,114	3,135	1.73 %	339,371	1,341	1.57 %
Tax-exempt securities ²	93,721	958	4.06 %	101,559	732	2.86 %	102,989	479	1.85 %
Federal funds sold and other earning assets	322,970	3,098	3.81 %	587,755	3,474	2.34 %	965,899	547	0.22 %
Total interest-earning assets	4,268,971	47,475	4.41 %	4,446,520	42,468	3.79 %	4,083,318	32,934	3.20 %
Noninterest-earning assets	372,864			362,869			383,783		
Total assets	\$ 4,641,835			\$ 4,809,389			\$ 4,467,101		
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity:									
Interest-bearing demand deposits	\$ 924,320	3,141	1.35 %	\$ 966,437	1,956	0.80 %	\$ 853,763	403	0.19 %
Money market and savings deposits	1,587,688	4,855	1.21 %	1,632,510	2,298	0.56 %	1,428,472	920	0.26 %
Time deposits	459,996	848	0.73 %	501,919	612	0.48 %	583,165	793	0.54 %
Total interest-bearing deposits	2,972,004	8,844	1.18 %	3,100,866	4,866	0.62 %	2,865,400	2,116	0.29 %
Borrowings	18,309	232	5.03 %	13,141	97	2.93 %	88,828	180	0.80 %
Subordinated debt	42,002	626	5.91 %	41,980	626	5.91 %	41,917	626	5.92 %
Total interest-bearing liabilities	3,032,315	9,702	1.27 %	3,155,987	5,589	0.70 %	2,996,145	2,922	0.39 %
Noninterest-bearing deposits	1,146,374			1,192,813			1,016,438		
Other liabilities	43,109			35,224			27,710		
Total liabilities	4,221,798			4,384,024			4,040,293		
Shareholders' equity	420,037			425,365			426,808		
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$ 4,641,835			\$ 4,809,389			\$ 4,467,101		
Net interest income, taxable equivalent		\$ 37,773			\$ 36,879			\$ 30,012	
Interest rate spread		-	3.14 %			3.09 %			2.81 %
Tax equivalent net interest margin			3.51 %			3.29 %			2.92 %
Percentage of average interest-earning assets									
to average interest-bearing liabilities			140.78 %			140.89 %			136.29 %
Percentage of average equity to average assets			9.05 %			8.84 %			9.55 %

¹ Includes average balance of \$3.3 million, \$4.8 million, and \$80.5 million in PPP loans for the quarters ended December 31, 2022, September 30, 2022, and December

^{31, 2021,} respectively.

² Yields computed on tax-exempt instruments on a tax equivalent basis include \$161 thousand, \$171 thousand and \$156 thousand of taxable equivalent income for the quarters ended December 31, 2022, September 30, 2022 and December 31, 2021, respectively.

SmartFinancial, Inc. and Subsidiary Condensed Consolidated Financial Information - (unaudited) (dollars in thousands) **YIELD ANALYSIS**

			Year l	Ended		
	De	ecember 31, 2022	!	De	cember 31, 2021	
	Average		Yield/	Average		Yield/
	Balance	Interest	Cost	Balance	Interest	Cost
Assets:						
Loans and leases, including fees ¹	\$ 2,948,511	\$ 136,381	4.63 %	\$ 2,540,577	\$ 118,582	4.67 %
Taxable securities	688,428	11,799	1.71 %	207,459	3,813	1.84 %
Tax-exempt securities ²	100,566	2,831	2.82 %	92,708	1,817	1.96 %
Federal funds sold and other earning assets	577,593	8,488	1.47 %	680,909	1,622	0.24 %
Total interest-earning assets	4,315,098	159,499	3.70 %	3,521,653	125,834	3.57 %
Noninterest-earning assets	373,026			317,457		
Total assets	\$ 4,688,124			\$ 3,839,110		
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity:						
Interest-bearing demand deposits	\$ 945,414	6,278	0.66 %	\$ 737,251	1,378	0.19 %
Money market and savings deposits	1,576,170	9,137	0.58 %	1,191,916	3,501	0.29 %
Time deposits	513,416	2,813	0.55 %	533,994	3,970	0.74 %
Total interest-bearing deposits	3,035,000	18,228	0.60 %	2,463,161	8,849	0.36 %
Borrowings	32,986	602	1.83 %	83,105	540	0.65 %
Subordinated debt	41,970	2,503	5.96 %	40,221	2,449	6.09 %
Total interest-bearing liabilities	3,109,956	21,333	0.69 %	2,586,487	11,838	0.46 %
Noninterest-bearing deposits	1,120,555			841,746		
Other liabilities	34,361			23,189		
Total liabilities	4,264,872			3,451,422		
Shareholders' equity	423,252			387,688		
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$ 4,688,124			\$ 3,839,110		
, ,						
Net interest income, taxable equivalent		\$ 138,166			\$ 113,996	
Interest rate spread			3.01 %			3.12 %
Tax equivalent net interest margin			3.20 %			3.24 %
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Percentage of average interest-earning assets to average interest-bearing						
liabilities			138.75 %			136.16 %
Percentage of average equity to average assets			9.03 %			10.10 %

¹ Includes average balance of \$14.1 million and \$196.1 million in PPP loans for the year ended December 31, 2022, and 2021, respectively.

² Yields computed on tax-exempt instruments on a tax equivalent basis include \$665 thousand and \$602 thousand of taxable equivalent income for the year ended December 31, 2022, and 2021, respectively.

SmartFinancial, Inc. and Subsidiary Condensed Consolidated Financial Information - (unaudited) (dollars in thousands)

			As	of and for	<u>T</u> he	Three Mon	<u>ths</u>	Ende d		
		Dec 2022		Sep 2022		Jun 2022		Mar 2022		Dec 2021
Composition of Loans and Leases:										
Commercial real estate:										
owner occupied	\$	759,456	\$	714,734	\$	684,250	\$	612,675	\$	590,064
non-owner occupied		843,720		822,317		850,338		863,181	•	794,092
Commercial real estate, total		1,603,176	1	,537,051	1	,534,588	1	,475,856	1	,384,156
Commercial & industrial		551,867		514,280		483,588		461,153		488,024
Construction & land development		402,501		405,007		364,368		314,654		278,386
Consumer real estate		587,977		562,408		533,582		483,229		477,272
Leases		67,427		64,798		63,264		59,892		53,708
Consumer and other		16,094		15,572		14,684		11,242		11,851
Total loans and leases	\$	3,229,042	\$ 3	,099,116	\$ 2	2,994,074	\$ 2	,806,026	\$ 2	2,693,397
Asset Quality and Additional Loan Data:										
Nonperforming loans and leases	\$	2,950	\$	3,379	\$	3,413	\$	3,342	\$	3,188
Other real estate owned	Ψ	1,436	Ψ	1,226	Ψ	1,612	Ψ	1,612	Ψ	1,780
Other repossessed assets		422				17		27		90
Total nonperforming assets	\$	4,808	\$	4,605	\$	5,042	\$	4,981	\$	5,058
Restructured loans and leases not included in nonperforming	Ψ	1,000	Ψ	1,003	Ψ	3,012	Ψ	1,701	Ψ	3,030
loans and leases	\$	101	\$	108	\$	678	\$	625	\$	206
Net charge-offs to average loans and leases (annualized)	Φ	0.03 %		0.02 %		(0.09)%	Φ	0.04 %	Φ	0.05 9
Allowance for loan and leases losses to loans and leases		0.03 %		0.02 %		0.73 %		0.04 %		0.03
Nonperforming loans and leases to total loans and leases, gross		0.72 %		0.11 %		0.73 %		0.12 %		0.12
Nonperforming assets to total assets		0.10 %		0.11 %		0.11 %		0.12 %		0.12
Acquired loan and lease fair value discount balance	\$	13,128	\$	14,465	\$	14,737	\$	14,913	\$	15,483
Accretion income on acquired loans and leases	Ψ	1,396	Ψ	148	Ψ	225	Ψ	389	Ψ	457
PPP net fees deferred balance		122		140		301		972		2,038
PPP net fees recognized		17		163		669		1,066		1,725
Capital Ratios:										
Equity to Assets		9.37 %		8.65 %)	8.78 %		8.90 %		9.31
Tangible common equity to tangible assets (Non-GAAP) ¹		7.17 %		6.49 %		6.74 %		6.82 %		7.18 9
SmartFinancial, Inc. ²										
Tier 1 leverage		7.95 %		7.40 %))	7.48 %		7.41 %		7.45
Common equity Tier 1		9.73 %		9.65 %)	9.95 %		10.30 %		10.56 9
Tier 1 capital		9.73 %		9.65 %)	9.95 %		10.30 %		10.56
Total capital		11.49 %		11.44 %)	11.80 %		12.22 %		12.55 %
SmartBank		Estimated ³								
Tier 1 leverage		8.90 %		8.27 %		8.33 %		8.24 %		8.23
Common equity Tier 1		10.90 %		10.78 %)	11.08 %		11.46 %		11.66
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Tier 1 capital Total capital		10.90 %		10.78 %)	11.08 %		11.46 %		11.66 %

¹Total common equity less intangibles divided by total assets less intangibles. See reconciliation of Non-GAAP measures.

²All periods presented are estimated.

³ Current period capital ratios are estimated as of the date of this earnings release.

SmartFinancial, Inc. and Subsidiary Condensed Consolidated Financial Information - (unaudited)

(dollars in thousands except share and per share data)

			As of and for Tl aree Months En			As of and Year E	
	Dec	Sep	Jun	Mar	Dec	Dec	Dec
	2022	2022	2022	2022	2021	2022	2021
Selected Performance Ratios (Annualized):							
Return on average assets	1.11 %					0.92 %	0.91 %
Return on average shareholders' equity	12.28 %	10.77	% 9.76 °	% 7.83	% 6.19 %	10.16 %	8.97 %
Return on average tangible common equity ¹	16.65 %	14.36 9	% 13.02 °	% 10.39		13.60 %	11.84 %
Noninterest income / average assets	0.61 %	0.52	% 0.62 °	% 0.63	% 0.60 %	0.59 %	0.62 %
Noninterest expense / average assets	2.34 %	2.25 9	% 2.21 9	% 2.27	% 2.47 %	2.27 %	2.38 %
Efficiency ratio	61.28 %	63.39	64.35	% 69.08	% 75.89 %	64.33 %	66.54 %
Operating Selected Performance Ratios							
(Annualized):	1.10.0	0.06.6	0.00.0	0.76	0/ 0.77.0/	0.02.0/	0.00.07
Operating return on average assets ¹	1.10 %					0.92 %	0.98 %
Operating PTPP return on average assets ¹	1.46 %	1.30 9	% 1.23 9	% 1.05	% 1.03 %	1.27 %	1.29 %
Operating return on average shareholders'			.,				a -= a
equity ¹	12.15 %	10.83	% 9.82 9	% 8.14	% 8.09 %	10.24 %	9.67 %
Operating return on average tangible common							
equity ¹	16.47 %					13.69 %	12.77 %
Operating efficiency ratio ¹	61.36 %					63.79 %	63.59 %
Operating noninterest income / average assets ¹	0.60 %					0.59 %	0.62 %
Operating noninterest expense / average assets ¹	2.35 %	5 2.24 9	% 2.21 9	% 2.23	% 2.23 %	2.26 %	2.28 %
Selected Interest Rates and Yields:							
Yield on loans and leases	5.05 %					4.63 %	4.67 %
Yield on earning assets, FTE	4.41 %	3.79	% 3.39 9	% 3.18	% 3.20 %	3.70 %	3.57 %
Cost of interest-bearing deposits	1.18 %	0.62	% 0.33 9	% 0.27	% 0.29 %	0.60 %	0.36 %
Cost of total deposits	0.85 %	0.45 9	% 0.24 9	% 0.20	% 0.22 %	0.44 %	0.27 %
Cost of interest-bearing liabilities	1.27 %	0.70°	% 0.42 9	% 0.36	% 0.39 %	0.69 %	0.46 %
Net interest margin, FTE	3.51 %	3.29	3.08	% 2.91	% 2.92 %	3.20 %	3.24 %
Per Common Share:							
Net income, basic	\$ 0.78	\$ 0.69	\$ 0.61	\$ 0.49	\$ 0.40	\$ 2.57	\$ 2.23
Net income, diluted	0.77	0.68	0.61	0.49	0.40	2.55	2.22
Operating earnings, basic ¹	0.77	0.69	0.61	0.51	0.52	2.59	2.41
Operating earnings, diluted ¹	0.76	0.69	0.61	0.51	0.52	2.57	2.39
Book value	25.59	24.56	24.88	24.86	25.56	25.59	25.56
Tangible book value ¹	19.09	18.02	18.69	18.64	19.26	19.09	19.26
Common shares outstanding	16,900,805	16,887,555	16,898,405	16,893,282	16,802,990	16,900,805	16,802,990

¹Non-GAAP measure. See reconciliation of Non-GAAP measures.

SmartFinancial, Inc. and Subsidiary

Condensed Consolidated Financial Information - (unaudited)

(dollars in thousands)

NON-GAAP RECONCILIATIONS

		Thr	Year Ended					
	Dec	Sep	Jun	Mar	Dec	Dec	Dec	
Operating Fornings	2022	2022	2022	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Operating Earnings: Net income (GAAP)	\$ 13,004	\$ 11,543	\$ 10.215	\$ 8,259	\$ 6,655	\$ 43,022	\$ 34,790	
Noninterest income:	\$ 13,004	\$ 11,545	\$ 10,213	\$ 6,239	\$ 0,033	\$ 43,022	54,790	
Securities gains (losses), net	(144)					(144)	(45)	
Noninterest expenses:	(144)					(144)	(43)	
Merger related and restructuring expenses	(45)	87	81	439	2,762	562	3,701	
Income taxes:	(43)	07	01	437	2,702	302	3,701	
Income taxes. Income tax effect of adjustments	49	(22)	(21)	(113)	(713)	(108)	(944)	
Operating earnings (Non-GAAP)	\$ 12,864	\$ 11,608	\$ 10,275	\$ 8,585	\$ 8,704		\$ 37,502	
	\$ 12,004	\$ 11,000	\$ 10,273	\$ 0,505	\$ 6,704	\$ 43,332	\$ 37,302	
Operating earnings per common share (Non-GAAP):	Φ 0.77	Φ 0.60	0.61	0.51	Φ 0.52	Ф 2. 70 /	0.41	
Basic	\$ 0.77	\$ 0.69	\$ 0.61	\$ 0.51	\$ 0.52		\$ 2.41	
Diluted	0.76	0.69	0.61	0.51	0.52	2.57	2.39	
Onewating Nanintagest Incomes								
Operating Noninterest Income: Noninterest income (GAAP)	\$ 7,125	\$ 6,250	\$ 7,229	\$ 7,111	\$ 6,806	\$ 27,715	\$ 23,949	
Securities gains (losses), net	\$ /,125 (144)	\$ 0,230	\$ 1,229	φ /,ΙΙΙ	\$ 0,800			
		<u> </u>	\$ 7,229	0 7 1 1 1	<u> </u>	(144)	(45)	
Operating noninterest income (Non-GAAP)	\$ 6,981	\$ 6,250		\$ 7,111	\$ 6,806	<u> </u>	\$ 23,904	
Operating noninterest income (Non-GAAP)/average assets ¹	0.60 9	% <u>0.52</u> %	0.62 %	0.63 %	0.60 %	0.59 %	0.62 %	
Operating Noninterest Expense:								
Noninterest expense (GAAP)	\$ 27,416	\$ 27,230	\$ 25,926	\$ 25,718	\$ 27,823		\$ 91,391	
Merger related and restructuring expenses	45	(87)	(81)	(439)	(2,762)	(562)	(3,701)	
Operating noninterest expense (Non-GAAP)	\$ 27,461	\$ 27,143	\$ 25,845	\$ 25,279	\$ 25,061		\$ 87,690	
Operating noninterest expense (Non-GAAP)/average assets ²	2.35 %	% <u>2.24</u> %	6 2.21 %	2.23 %	2.23 %	2.26 %	2.28 %	
Operating Pre-tax Pre-provision ("PTPP") Earnings:								
Net interest income (GAAP)	\$ 37,612	\$ 36,708	\$ 33,062	\$ 30,118	\$ 29,855	. ,	\$ 113,394	
Operating noninterest income (Non-GAAP)	6,981	6,250	7,229	7,111	6,806	27,571	23,904	
Operating noninterest expense (Non-GAAP)	(27,461)	(27,143)	(25,845)	(25,279)	(25,061)	(105,728)	(87,690)	
Operating PTPP earnings (Non-GAAP)	\$ 17,132	\$ 15,815	\$ 14,446	\$ 11,950	\$ 11,600	\$ 59,344	\$ 49,608	
Non-GAAP Return Ratios:								
Operating return on average assets (Non-GAAP) ³	1.10 %					0.92 %	0.98 %	
Operating PTPP return on average assets (Non-GAAP) ⁴	1.46 %					1.27 %	1.29 %	
Return on average tangible common equity (Non-GAAP) ⁵	16.65 %					13.60 %	11.84 %	
Operating return on average shareholders' equity (Non-GAAP) ⁶	12.15 %	6 10.83 %	6 9.82 %	8.14 %	8.09 %	10.24 %	9.67 %	
Operating return on average tangible common equity (Non-GAAP) ⁷	16.47 %	% 14.44 %	6 13.09 %	10.80 %	10.70 %	13.69 %	12.77 %	
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Operating Efficiency Ratio:	(1.20.0	(2.20.0)	(4.25.0/	(0.00.0/	75.00.07	(4.22.0/	((51 0/	
Efficiency ratio (GAAP)	61.28 9					64.33 %	66.54 %	
Adjustment for taxable equivalent yields	(0.22)%	()	(/	()	(/	(0.26)%	(0.29)%	
Adjustment for securities gains (losses)	(0.20)%					(0.06)%	(0.02)%	
Adjustment for merger related income and costs	0.50 9					(0.22)%	(2.64)%	
Operating efficiency ratio (Non-GAAP)	61.36 9	62.93 %	63.88 %	67.60 %	68.07 %	63.79 %	63.59 %	

¹Operating noninterest income (Non-GAAP) is annualized and divided by average assets. ²Operating noninterest expense (Non-GAAP) is annualized and divided by average assets.

³Operating return on average assets (Non-GAAP) is the annualized operating earnings (Non-GAAP) divided by average assets.

⁴Operating PTPP return on average assets (Non-GAAP) is the annualized operating PTPP earnings (Non-GAAP) divided by average assets.

⁵Return on average tangible common equity (Non-GAAP) is the annualized net income divided by average tangible common equity (Non-GAAP).

Operating return on average shareholders' equity (Non-GAAP) is the annualized operating earnings (Non-GAAP) divided by average equity.

Operating return on average tangible common equity (Non-GAAP) is the annualized operating earnings (Non-GAAP) divided by average tangible common equity (Non-GAAP).

SmartFinancial, Inc. and Subsidiary Condensed Consolidated Financial Information - (unaudited) (dollars in thousands) NON-GAAP RECONCILIATIONS

	Three Months Ended									Year Ended				
		Dec		Sep		Jun		Mar		Dec		Dec		Dec
		2022		2022		2022		2022		2021		2022		2021
Tangible Common Equity:														
Shareholders' equity (GAAP)	\$	432,452	\$	414,711	\$	420,427	\$	420,042	\$	429,430	\$	432,452	\$	429,430
Less goodwill and other intangible assets		109,772		110,460		104,582		105,215		105,852		109,772		105,852
Tangible common equity (Non-GAAP)	\$	322,680	\$	304,251	\$	315,845	\$	314,827	\$	323,578	\$	322,680	\$	323,578
Average Tangible Common Equity:														
Average shareholders' equity (GAAP)	\$	420,037	\$	425,365	\$	419,726	\$	427,945	\$	426,808	\$	423,252	\$	387,688
Less average goodwill and other intangible assets		110,206		106,483		104,986		105,617		104,193		106,834		93,910
Average tangible common equity (Non-GAAP)	\$	309,831	\$	318,882	\$	314,740	\$	322,328	\$	322,615	\$	316,418	\$	293,778
		<u>.</u>						<u>.</u>		<u>.</u>				
Tangible Book Value per Common Share:														
Book value per common share (GAAP)	\$	25.59	\$	24.56	\$	24.88	\$	24.86	\$	25.56	\$	25.59	\$	25.56
Adjustment due to goodwill and other intangible assets		(6.50)		(6.54)		(6.19)		(6.23)		(6.30)		(6.50)		(6.30)
Tangible book value per common share (Non-GAAP) ¹	\$	19.09	\$	18.02	\$	18.69	\$	18.64	\$	19.26	\$	19.09	\$	19.26
Tangible Common Equity to Tangible Assets:														
Total Assets	\$ 4	4,612,913	\$	4,796,911	\$ 4	1,788,113	\$ 4	4,718,579	\$ 4	4,611,579	\$ 4	1,612,913	\$ 4	1,611,579
Less goodwill and other intangibles		109,772		110,460		104,582		105,215		105,852		109,772		105,852
Tangible Assets (Non-GAAP):	\$ 4	4,503,141	\$	4,686,451	\$ 4	1,683,531	\$ 4	4,613,364	\$ 4	4,505,727	\$ 4	1,503,141	\$ 4	1,505,727
Tangible common equity to tangible assets (Non-GAAP)		7.17%		6.49%		6.74%		6.82%		7.18%		7.17%		7.18%

¹Tangible book value per share (Non-GAAP) is computed by dividing total stockholder's equity, less goodwill and other intangible assets by common shares outstanding.