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Mike Maddox - President, CEO and Director

- Joined CrossFirst in 2008 after serving as Kansas City regional president for Intrust Bank
- Practicing lawyer for more than six years before joining Intrust Bank
- Appointed to CEO June 1, 2020 after 12 years of service
- B.S. Business, University of Kansas; J.D. Law, University of Kansas; Graduate School of Banking at the University of Wisconsin – Madison



Ben Clouse - Chief Financial Officer

- 25 years of experience in financial services, asset and wealth management, banking, retail and transportation, including public company CFO experience
- Joined CrossFirst in July 2021 after serving as CFO of Waddell & Reed Financial, Inc. (formerly NYSE: WDR) until its acquisition in 2021
- · Significant experience leading financial operations as well as driving operational change
- · B.S. Business, Kansas State University; Master of Accountancy, Kansas State University
- Obtained CPA designation and FINRA Series 27 license



Randy Rapp - Chief Risk Officer and Chief Credit Officer

- More than 33 years of commercial banking experience in Texas in various credit, production, risk and executive roles.
- Joined CrossFirst in March 2019 after a 19-year career at Texas Capital Bank (NASDAQ:TCBI) serving as Executive Vice President and Chief Credit Officer from May 2015 until March 2019.
- B.B.A. Accounting, The University of Texas at Austin and M.B.A. Finance, Texas Christian University
- Obtained CPA designation



Heather Worley - Director of Investor Relations

- More than 15 years of experience in marketing, communications and investor relations in banking and finance
- Joined CrossFirst in September 2021. Previously, SVP & Director of IR for Texas Capital Bancshares, Inc. (NASDAQ: TCBI)
- Recognized by Institutional Investor magazine All-America Executive Team 2017 | Top Investor Relations Professional & All-America Executive Team 2019 | Top Investor Relations Program
- B.A. Communications, Mississippi State University

Other Senior Executives

Steve Peterson

Chief Banking Officer of CrossFirst Bank 21+ years of banking experience Joined CrossFirst in 2011

Amy Fauss

Chief Operating &
Chief Human Relations Officer
of CrossFirst Bank
28+ years of banking experience
Joined CrossFirst in 2009

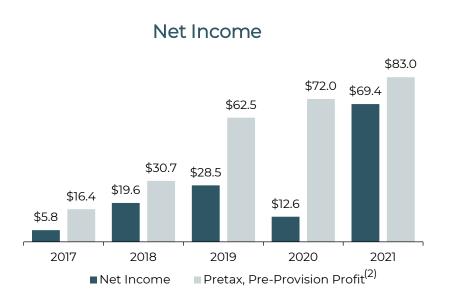
Jana Merfen

Chief Technology Officer
of CrossFirst Bank

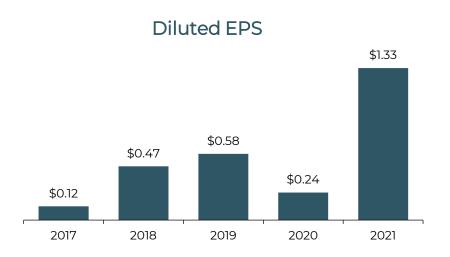
12+ years of technology experience
Joined CrossFirst in 2021

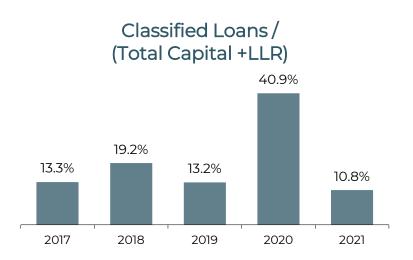
EXECUTING STRATEGIC INITIATIVES











⁽¹⁾ Defined as net interest income plus non-interest income

FULL YEAR 2021 HIGHLIGHTS AND SUMMARY



FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

- ✓ Strong net income during 2021 of \$69.4 million, up from \$12.6 million in 2020
- ✓ Net interest margin fully tax equivalent (FTE) of 3.15% in 2021 compared to 3.13% in 2020
- ✓ Continued improvement in efficiency ratio to 54.5% in 2021 from 58.1% in 2020

CREDIT

- ✓ Nonperforming assets to assets ratio decreased 58% from Q4 2020 to 0.58%
- ✓ Net charge-offs to average loans ratio decreased 67% from full year 2020 to 0.30%
- ✓ Classified loans to total capital ratio decreased 73.5% from Q4 2020 to 10.8%

BALANCE SHEET

- ✓ 6.6% (annualized) growth in total loans, ex PPP,* during Q4 2021
- ✓ 62% demand deposits growth from December 31, 2020, which represented 25% of total deposits at December 31, 2021
- ✓ \$1.9 billion in unfunded loan commitments as of December 31, 2021

STRATEGIC INITIATIVE ACHIEVEMENTS 2021



SHAREHOLDER FOCUS

- ✓ Purchased \$8.4 million, or 1%, of outstanding shares, during the fourth quarter as part of the \$30 million share repurchase program announced in October 2021
- ✓ Completed \$20 million share repurchase program in Q2 2021 at a weighted average price of \$12.68

INVESTING IN TECHNOLOGY

- ✓ Signed a contract during the fourth quarter with Q2 Holdings
 - Brings a single unified platform to provide a seamless client experience for mobile, online, and voice banking
 - Offers the ability to further leverage innovative digital banking products, services, and features
- √ Investing in funds designed to support community banks
 - ✓ Announced investment in JAM FINTOP Banktech investment fund
 - ✓ In discussions with additional fintech investment funds that are designed to support community banks

TALENT ACQUISITION

- Entered Phoenix market and recruited experienced banking team
- Added experienced banking executive David Felan to head the Texas growth strategy
- ✓ Added 16 new producers in 2021, an increase of 18% from 2020

OUR ROAD TO SUCCESS



ONE TEAM

Focusing on:

- Elevating our Strong Corporate Culture by Living our CrossFirst Values
- Attracting and Retaining High Performing Talent
- Well-being of our Employees



ONE BANK

Focusing on:

- Targeting
 Businesses and
 Professionals
- Branch-Lite Technology Focused
- Delivering
 Extraordinary
 Service and
 Customer
 Experience



SHARED VISION

Focusing on:

- Performance & Profitability
- Seizing Growth Opportunities
- Strong Credit Quality
- Enhancing Products and Services
- Managing Enterprise Risk
- Contributing to our Communities

3RD LARGEST BANK HEADQUARTERED IN KANSAS CITY MSA



TOTAL ASSETS

\$5.6 billion

GROSS LOANS

\$4.3 billion

TOTAL DEPOSITS

\$4.7 billion

BOOK VALUE/ SHARE

\$13.23

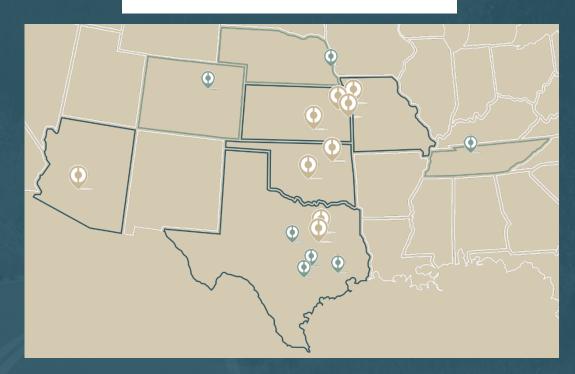


EXPANDING OUR FOOTPRINT

AREAS OF FOCUS

- Continue to execute our organic growth strategy in existing markets
- Focus on new expansion in target markets where we currently have client business
- Evaluate expansion strategies in key target markets:
 - > De Novo Expansion:
 - ➤ Hire experienced talent to expand in key growth markets
 - > Strategic Acquisition:
 - Provides operational scale and synergies
 - > Adds new lines of business
 - > Adds fee income opportunities

POTENTIAL TARGET MARKETS



- Austin, Texas
- Fort Worth, Texas
- Nashville, Tennessee
- San Antonio, Texas

- Denver, Colorado
- Houston, Texas
- Omaha, Nebraska

FOURTH QUARTER 2021 SUMMARY & HIGHLIGHTS



Net Income	ROAA	NIM (FTE)	Diluted EPS	ROE
\$20.8M	1.50%	3.28%	\$0.40	12.57%
Balance Sheet Update	1.6% ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ Non-GAAP Loan growth QoQ	5.6% Deposit growth QoQ	21.0% DDA Deposit growth QoQ	3.4% TBV / Share growth QoQ
Credit Performance	0.58% NPAs / Asset	0.07% NCOs / Avg Loans	1.37% Reserves / Loans	11% Classified Loans / Capital + ALLL
Capital & Liquidity	12.46% CET 1 Capital Ratio	13.61% Total Risk-Based Capital	91% Loans / Deposits	22% Cash and Securities / Assets
Efficiency	55.38% Q4 2021 GAAP Efficiency Ratio	54.5% ⁽²⁾ Q4 2021 Non-GAAP Efficiency Ratio	1.93% Non-Interest Expense / Avg Assets	

Note: Interim periods are annualized.

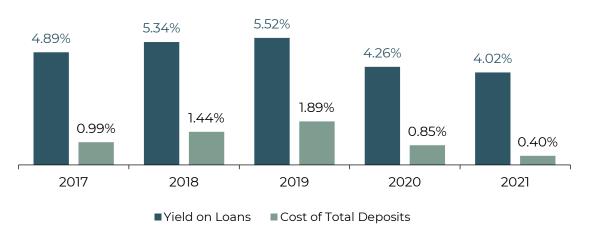
⁽¹⁾ Gross loans net of unearned income; excludes PPP loans.

^{(2) *} Represents a non-GAAP financial measure. See Non-GAAP Reconciliation slides at the end of this presentation for additional detail.

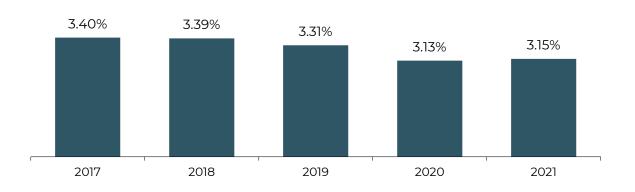
NET INTEREST MARGIN



Yield on Loans & Cost of Deposits



Net Interest Margin - Fully Tax Equivalent (FTE)

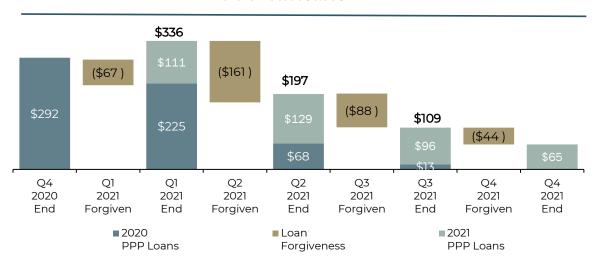


- Fully tax-equivalent net interest margin increased 8bps to 3.28% in Q4 2021 from Q3 2021, primarily due to credit improvement and incremental loan fees
- PPP Fees:
 - Realized \$1.3 million in Q4 2021
 - \$1.7 million of fees remain to be realized
- Loan to deposit ratio decreased to 91% from 95% in Q3 2021

PPP LOAN SUMMARY



PPP Timeline



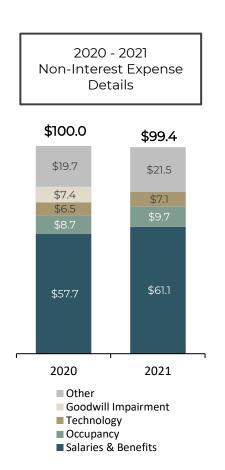
Fee Recognition

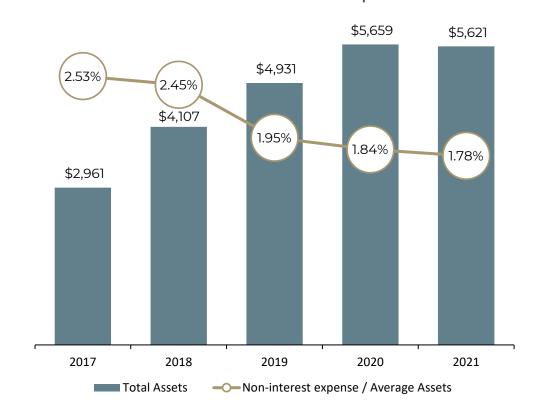


GROWTH AND EXPENSE MANAGEMENT



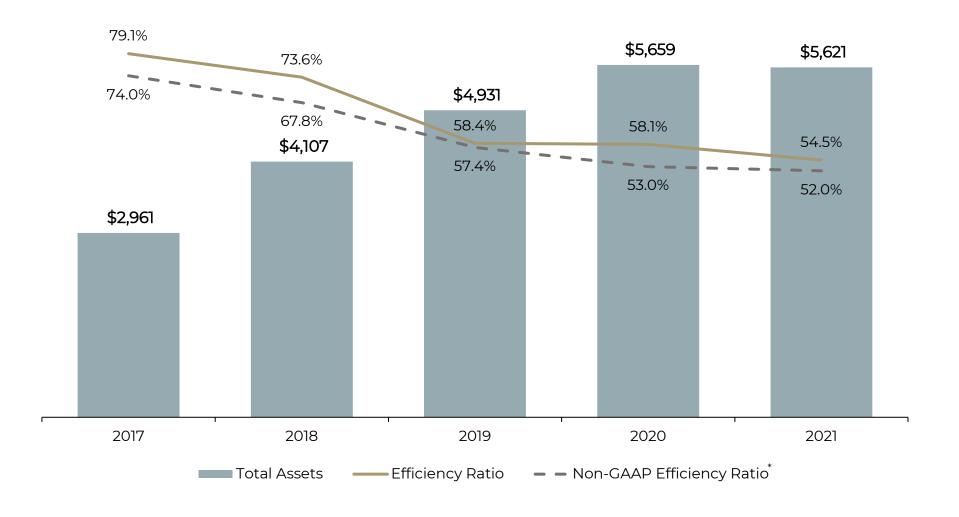
Assets and Non-Interest Expenses





IMPROVING EFFICIENCY WHILE GROWING ASSETS

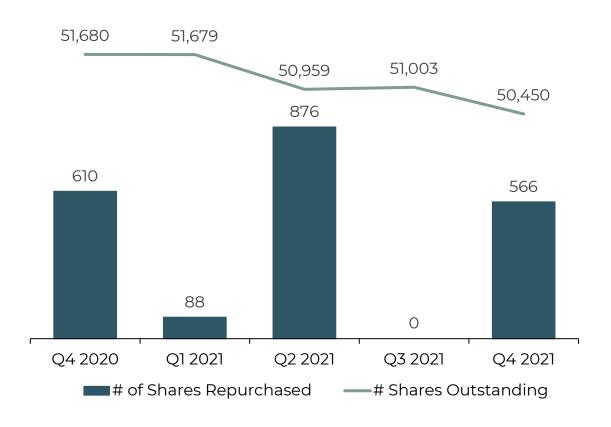




Note: Dollars are in millions and amounts shown are as of the end of the period unless otherwise specified.

STOCK REPURCHASE ACTIVITY





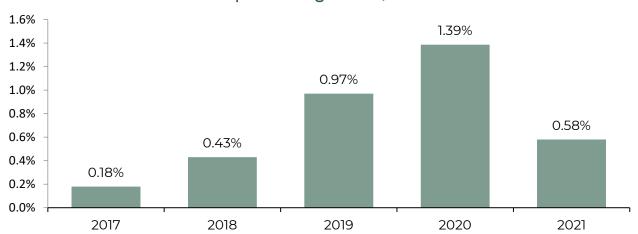
- Repurchased 1% of outstanding shares in Q4 2021 and 3% of outstanding shares in full-year 2021
- Return of accumulated capital and earnings to shareholders
- Drives improvement in ROE and EPS
- Little tangible book value dilution and a short earnback period

Note: shares in thousands

ASSET QUALITY PERFORMANCE



Nonperforming Assets / Assets



- NPAs continue to improve as economic and business outlooks improve
- Reduction in NPAs mostly related to upgrades in commercial and industrial and energy loans
- 49% of the nonperforming asset balance in Q4 2021 relates to energy credits

Classified Loans / (Total Capital + ALLL)

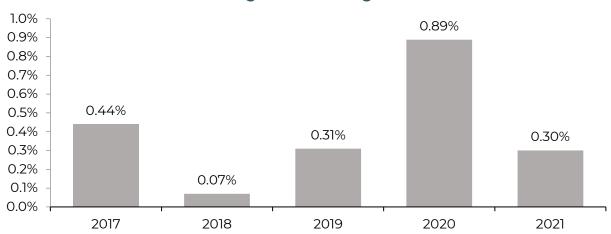


- Classified loans continue to trend down due primarily to higher energy prices, improvements in customers' businesses, and improved economic conditions
- 27% of classifieds in Q4 2021 relate to Energy, down from 37% in Q3 2021 and 38% in Q4 2020
- Energy classifieds decreased 54% during the quarter and 80% from Q4 2020

ASSET QUALITY PERFORMANCE







 2021 had \$12.9 million of net charge-offs related to loans in both energy and commercial and industrial credits

Allowance for Loan Losses / Total Loans



Based on improved credit metrics, reduced ALLL/Total Loans to 1.37% at end of Q4 2021 by releasing \$5 million in reserves

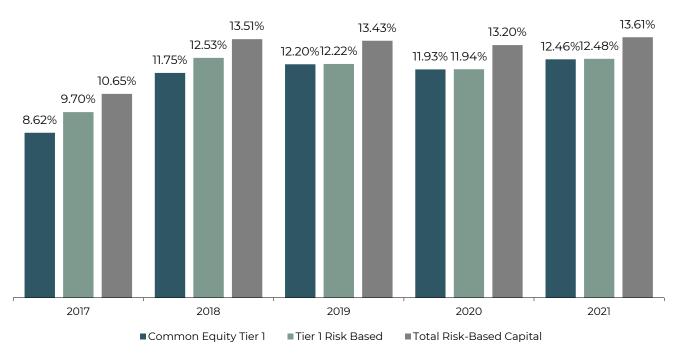


SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

CAPITAL RATIOS



Capital Ratios

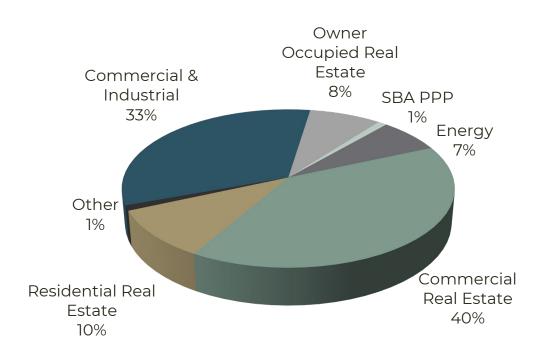


- Maintaining strong capital levels to support future growth
- Continue to remain well capitalized as we return capital to shareholders
- Execution of our profitable growth strategy further strengthening capital ratios

DIVERSE LOAN PORTFOLIO



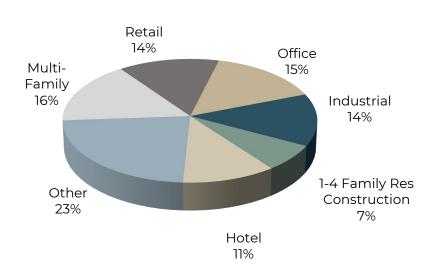
Loan Mix by Type (\$4.3bn)



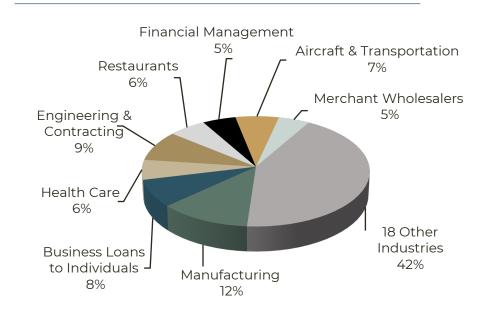
DIVERSE LOAN PORTFOLIO



CRE Loan Portfolio by Segment (\$1.7bn)

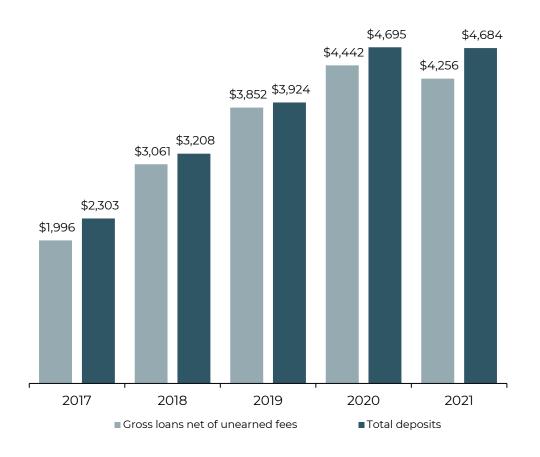


Commercial and Industrial Loan Breakdown by Type (\$1.4bn)



BALANCE SHEET GROWTH



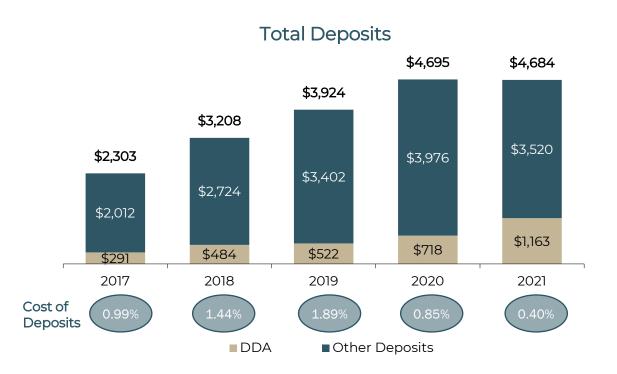


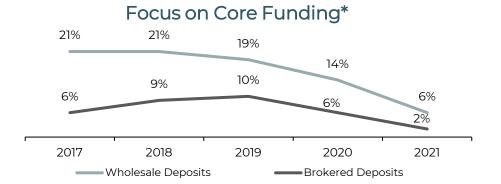
Balance Sheet	FY 2021 YoY	2017 -2021 CAGR
Gross Loans	▼ -4%	1 6%
Gross Loans ex PPP	1 %	-
Total Deposits	▲ 0%	▲ 15%
Total Assets	▼ -1%	1 4%

- Annualized loan growth of 6.6% during Q4 2021, excluding the impact of PPP*
 - \$227 million in PPP loans were forgiven in 2021
 - \$44 million in PPP loans were forgiven in Q4 2021

IMPROVING CORE FUNDING BASE







- Improved the cost of deposits by increasing percentage of DDA accounts
- Demand deposits 5-year CAGR of 32%
 - > +62% compared to 2020 year-end
 - > +21% compared to Q3 2021
- Number of DDA accounts increased by 868 in 2021
- Deposit costs have trended down due to the persistent low-rate environment and management's focus on increasing demand deposits

LOAN PORTFOLIO



Gross Loans by Type

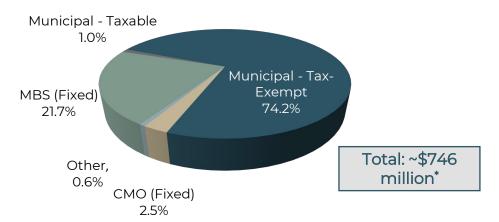


- The loan portfolio, excluding PPP loans, at Q4 2021 grew 1.6% from previous quarter
- Loan yields increased primarily due to credit improvement and incremental loan fees
- Continued pressure on real estate due to cap rates and long-term finance rates for our customers
- Line utilization continues to be less than historical average

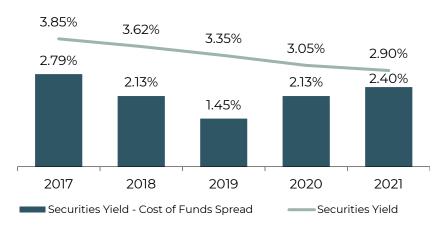
SECURITIES PORTFOLIO



Investment Portfolio Breakout as of December 31, 2021



Securities Yield - Fully Tax Equivalent



- At the end of Q4 2021, the portfolio's duration was approximately 5.2 years
- The fully taxable equivalent yield for Q4 2021 increased 2bps to 2.89%
- The securities portfolio has unrealized gains of approximately \$29 million as of December 31, 2021
- During Q4 2021, \$14 million of MBS/CMO paydowns were received and \$40 million of MBS securities and \$16 million of Tax-Exempt Municipal bonds were purchased with an average taxequivalent yield of 1.93%

CROSSFIRST ENERGY PORTFOLIO



Portfolio Composition

- Collateral base is predominately comprised of properties with sufficient production history to establish reliable production trends
- Typically, only lend as a senior secured lender in single bank transactions and as a cash flow lender
- Exploration & Production lending only on proven and producing reserves
- CrossFirst typically does not lend to shale, oil field services, or midstream energy companies.
- Energy portfolio represents 7% of the entire loan portfolio

Energy by Composition 12/31/2021												
	# Loans	\$ Loan Amount	% Total	Avg % Hedged ⁽¹⁾	Hedge Price ⁽²⁾							
Oil	34	\$159	57%	44%	\$52.01							
Natural Gas	11	\$113	41%	50%	\$2.98							
Other Sources	4	\$7	2%	0%								
Total	49	\$279	100%	40% (1)								

Energy Portfolio and Tangible Equity⁽³⁾



Energy Loans by Risk Rating 3.3% of Reserves on Energy Portfolio



Note: Data as of 12/31/21.

Note: Loan dollars in millions; (1) Weighted Average.

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2) Hedged rolling 12 month; Oil price in \$ per barrel and natural gas price in \$ per MMBtu.

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QUARTERLY SELECTED FINANCIALS



(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)

CrossFirst Bankshares, Inc. Quarterly Financials For the Three Months Ended

	12/31/21	9/30/21	6/30/21	3/31/21	12/31/20
Income Statement Data:					
Interest income	\$ 49,202	\$ 47,311	\$ 48,484	\$ 48,153	\$ 49,534
Interest expense	5,757	5,510	6,156	7,036	7,997
Net interest income	43,445	41,801	42,328	41,117	41,537
Provision for loan losses	(5,000)	(10,000)	3,500	7,500	10,875
Non-interest income	4,796	(1,105)	5,825	4,144	2,949
Non-interest expense	26,715	24,036	25,813	22,818	23,732
Net income before taxes	26,526	26,660	18,840	14,943	9,879
Income tax expense	5,725	5,660	3,263	2,908	1,785
Net income	20,801	21,000	15,577	12,035	8,094
Non-GAAP core operating income ⁽¹⁾	\$ 20,801	\$ 25,898	\$ 14,245	\$ 12,035	\$ 8,094
Balance Sheet Data:					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 482,727	\$ 316,722	\$ 220,814	\$ 630,787	\$ 408,810
Securities	745,969	708,106	712,217	685,454	654,588
Gross loans (net of unearned income)	4,256,213	4,233,117	4,237,944	4,508,600	4,441,897
Allowance for loan losses	58,375	64,152	75,493	74,551	75,295
Goodwill and intangibles	130	149	169	188	208
Total assets	5,621,457	5,401,151	5,311,434	5,998,074	5,659,303
Non-interest bearing deposits	1,163,224	960,999	818,887	794,559	718,459
Total deposits	4,683,597	4,436,597	4,356,627	5,051,570	4,694,740
Borrowings and repurchase agreements	236,600	276,600	283,100	286,394	295,406
Trust preferred securities, net of fair value adjustments	1,009	997	986	974	963
Stockholders' Equity	667,573	652,407	637,190	628,834	624,428
Tangible common stockholders' equity ⁽¹⁾	\$ 667,443	\$ 652,257	\$ 637,021	\$ 628,646	\$ 624,220
Share and Per Share Data:					
Basic earnings per common share	\$ 0.41	\$ 0.41	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.23	\$ 0.16
Diluted earning per common share	0.40	0.41	0.30	0.23	0.15
Book value per share	13.23	12.79	12.50	12.17	12.08
Tangible book value per share ⁽¹⁾	\$ 13.23	\$ 12.79	\$ 12.50	\$ 12.16	\$ 12.08
Basic weighted average common shares outstanding	50,893,493	50,990,113	51,466,885	51,657,204	51,970,116
Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding	51,660,723	51,605,721	52,209,541	52,381,474	52,463,645
Shares outstanding at end of period	50,450,045	51,002,698	50,958,680	51,678,669	51,679,516

QUARTERLY SELECTED FINANCIALS



CrossFirst Bankshares, Inc. Quarterly Financials

		For the	Three Months End	led	
	12/31/21	9/30/21	6/30/21	3/31/21	12/31/20
Selected Ratios:					
Return on average assets ⁽¹⁾	1.50 %	1.54 %	1.10 %	0.84 %	0.58 %
Non-GAAP core operating return on average assets (1)(2)	1.50	1.90	1.01	0.84	0.58
Return on average common equity	12.57	12.92	9.86	7.80	5.19
Yield on earning assets	3.65	3.56	3.51	3.45	3.67
Yield on earning assets - tax equivalent ⁽³⁾	3.70	3.62	3.57	3.50	3.71
Yield on securities	2.49	2.46	2.52	2.48	2.56
Yield on securities - tax equivalent ⁽³⁾	2.89	2.87	2.93	2.89	2.96
Yield on loans	4.17	4.00	3.99	3.94	4.00
Cost of funds	0.48	0.46	0.49	0.56	0.65
Cost of interest-bearing liabilities	0.61	0.57	0.59	0.65	0.77
Cost of interest-bearing deposits	0.43	0.47	0.50	0.57	0.69
Cost of deposits	0.33	0.38	0.41	0.48	0.58
Cost of other borrowings	3.03	1.82	1.79	1.79	1.78
Net interest margin - tax equivalent ⁽³⁾	3.28	3.20	3.12	3.00	3.12
Non-interest expense to average assets	1.93	1.76	1.82	1.60	1.71
Efficiency ratio ⁽⁴⁾	55.38	59.06	53.61	50.41	53.35
Non-GAAP core operating efficiency ratio (FTE) (2)(4)	54.52	50.45	53.34	49.64	52.54
Non-interest bearing deposits to total deposits	24.84	21.66	18.80	15.73	15.30
Loans to deposits	90.87 %	95.41 %	97.28 %	89.25 %	94.61 %
Credit Quality Ratios:					
Allowance for loans losses to total loans	1.37 %	1.51 %	1.78 %	1.65 %	1.70 %
Nonperforming assets to total assets	0.58	0.92	1.09	1.15	1.39
Nonperforming loans to total loans	0.74	1.15	1.33	1.48	1.71
Allowance for loans losses to nonperforming loans	185.19	131.76	133.79	112.10	98.98
Net charge-offs (recoveries) to average loans ⁽¹⁾	0.07 %	0.13 %	0.23 %	0.74 %	1.03 %
Capital Ratios:					
Total stockholders' equity to total assets	11.88 %	12.08 %	12.00 %	10.48 %	11.03 %
Common equity tier 1 capital ratio	12.46	12.61	12.40	12.00	11.93
Tier 1 risk-based capital ratio	12.48	12.63	12.42	12.02	11.94
Total risk-based capital ratio	13.61	13.88	13.67	13.27	13.20
Tier 1 leverage ratio	11.84 %	11.77 %	10.81 %	10.51 %	10.93 %

(4) Efficiency ratio is non-interest expense divided by the sum of net interest income and non-interest income; non-GAAP core operating efficiency ratio (FTE) is adjusted for non-core or non-recurring items

⁽²⁾ Represents a non-GAAP financial measure. See Non-GAAP Reconciliation slides at the end of this presentation for additional detail.

⁽³⁾ Tax-exempt income is calculated on a tax-equivalent basis. Tax-exempt income includes municipal securities, which is exempt from federal taxation. A tax rate of 21% is used.

NON-GAAP RECONCILIATIONS



				For	the T	hree Months En	ded			
(Dollars in thousands)		12/31/21		9/30/21		6/30/21		3/31/21		12/31/20
Non-GAAP Core Operating Income:										
Net income	\$	20,801	\$	21,000	\$	15,577	\$	12,035	\$	8,094
Add: Unrealized loss on equity security		-		6,200				-		-
Less: Tax effect ⁽²⁾		_		1,302		_		_		_
Unrealized loss on equity security, net of tax		-		4,898		-		-		-
Add: Accelerated employee benefits		_		, -		719		_		_
Less: Tax effect (3)		_		_		210		_		_
Accelerated employee benefits, net of tax		-		-		509		_		-
Less: BOLI settlement benefits ⁽¹⁾		_		_		1.841		_		_
Non-GAAP core operating income	\$	20,801	\$	25,898	\$	14,245	\$	12,035	\$	8,094
Noti-GAAP core operating income	Ψ	20,001	Ψ	25,090	Ψ	14,243	Ψ	12,055	Ψ	0,034
Non-GAAP Core Operating Return on Average Assets:										
Net income	\$	20.801	\$	21.000	\$	15,577	\$	12.035	\$	8.094
Non-GAAP core operating income		20.801		25,898		14,245		12,035	'	8,094
Average assets	\$	5,490,482	\$		\$	5,673,638	\$	5,798,167	\$	5,523,196
GAAP return on average assets		1.50 %		1.54 %		1.10 %		0.84 %		0.58 %
Non-GAAP core operating return on average assets		1.50 %		1.90 %		1.01 %		0.84 %		0.58 %
Not one operating retain on average assets		1.50 70		1.50 70		1.01 70		0.04 70		0.50 70
Non-GAAP Core Operating Return on Average Equity:										
Net income available to common stockholders	\$	20,801	\$	21,000	\$	15,577	\$	12,035	\$	8,094
Non-GAAP core operating income available to common		20.001		25.000		1/2/5		12.075		0.007
stockholders		20,801		25,898		14,245		12,035		8,094
Average common equity		656,415		644,715		633,417		625,875		620,496
Less: average goodwill and intangibles		140		160		179		199		218
Average Tangible Equity	\$	656,275	\$	644,555	\$	633,238	\$	625,676	\$	620,278
GAAP return on average common equity		12.57 %		12.92 %		9.86 %		7.80 %		5.19 %
Non-GAAP core return on average tangible common equity		12.57 %		15.94 %		9.02 %		7.80 %		5.19 %
Non-GAAP Core Operating Efficiency Ratio:										
Non-interest expense	\$	26,715	\$	24,036	\$	25,813	\$	22,818	\$	23,732
Less: Accelerated employee benefits		-		-		719		-		-
Non-GAAP non-interest expense (numerator)	\$	26,715	\$	24,036	\$	25,094	\$	22,818	\$	23,732
Net interest income		43,445		41,801		42,328		41,117		41,537
Tax equivalent interest income ⁽⁴⁾		762		748		734		704		683
Non-interest income		4,796		(1,105)		5,825		4,144		2,949
Add: Unrealized loss on equity security		-		6,200		-		-		-
Less: BOLI settlement benefits						1,841				
Non-GAAP operating revenue (denominator)	\$	49,003	\$	47,644	\$	47,046	\$	45,965	\$	45,169
GAAP Efficiency Ratio		55.38 %		59.06 %		53.61 %		50.41 %		53.35 %
Non-GAAP core operating efficiency ratio (FTE)		54.52 %		50.45 %		53.34 %		49.64 %		52.54 %

⁽¹⁾ No tax effect.

⁽²⁾ Represents the tax impact of the adjustments at a tax rate of 21.0%.

⁽³⁾ Represents the tax impact of the adjustments above at a tax rate of 21.0%, plus a permanent tax benefit associated with stock-based grants.

⁽⁴⁾ Tax exempt income (tax-free municipal securities) is calculated on a tax equivalent basis. The incremental tax rate used is 21.0%.

NON-GAAP RECONCILIATIONS (CONT.)

Tangible book value per share



		For	r the Three Months E	nded	
(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)	12/31/21	9/30/21	6/30/21	3/31/21	12/31/20
Tangible common stockholders' equity: Stockholders' equity Less: goodwill and other intangible assets	\$ 667,573 130	\$ 652,407 149	\$ 637,190 169	\$ 628,834 188	\$ 624,428 208
Tangible Stockholders' Equity	\$ 667,443	\$ 652,258	\$ 637,021	\$ 628,646	\$ 624,220
Shares outstanding at end of period Book value per share	50,450,045 \$ 13.23	51,002,698 \$ 12.79	50,958,680 \$ 12.50	51,678,669 \$ 12.17	51,679,516 \$ 12.08

		For	the	Three Months Er	nded	I	
	12/31/2021	9/30/2021		6/30/2021		3/31/2021	12/31/2020
Gross loans, net of unearned income	\$ 4,256,213	\$ 4,233,117	\$	4,237,944	\$	4,508,600	\$ 4,441,897
Less: PPP loans, net of unearned income	64,805	109,465		197,084		336,355	292,230
Non-PPP gross loans, net of unearned income	\$ 4,191,408	\$ 4,123,652	\$	4,040,860	\$	4,172,245	\$ 4,149,667
Year-over-year loan growth	(4.18) %						
Non-GAAP year-over-year loan growth excluding PPP loans	1.00						_
Linked quarter loan growth	0.55						
Non-GAAP linked quarter loan growth excluding PPP loans	1.64 %						-
Allowance for loan losses	\$ 58,375	\$ 64,152	\$	75,493	\$	74,551	\$ 75,295
Allowance for loan losses to gross loans, net of unearned income	1.37 %	1.51 %		1.78 %		1.65 %	1.70 %
Allowance for loan losses to non-PPP gross loans, net of unearned income	1.39 %	1.56 %		1.87 %		1.79 %	1.81 %

HISTORICAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION



(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)

For the Year Ended December 31,

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Income Statement Data:					
Interest income	\$ 193,150	\$ 203,448	\$ 216,218	\$ 156,880	\$ 97,816
Interest expense	24,459	43,199	74,774	46,512	22,998
Net interest income	168,691	160,249	141,444	110,368	74,818
Provision for loan losses	(4,000)	56,700	29,900	13,500	12,000
Non-interest income	13,660	11,733	8,707	6,083	3,679
Non-interest expense	99,382	99,968	87,640	85,755	62,089
Net income before taxes	86,969	15,314	32,611	17,196	4,408
Income tax expense (benefit)	17,556	2,713	4,138	(2,394)	(1,441)
Net income	69,413	12,601	28,473	19,590	5,849
Non-GAAP core operating income ⁽¹⁾	\$ 72,979	\$ 19,998	\$ 27,427	\$ 19,940	\$ 9,716
Balance Sheet Data:					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 482,727	\$ 408,810	\$ 187,320	\$ 216,541	\$ 130,820
Securities	745,969	654,588	739,473	661,628	701,534
Gross loans (net of unearned income)	4,256,213	4,441,897	3,852,244	3,060,747	1,996,029
Allowance for loan losses	58,375	75,295	56,896	37,826	26,091
Goodwill and intangibles	130	208	7,694	7,796	7,897
Total assets	5,621,457	5,659,306	4,931,233	4,107,215	2,961,118
Non-interest bearing deposits	1,163,224	718,459	521,826	484,284	290,906
Total deposits	4,683,597	4,694,740	3,923,759	3,208,097	2,303,364
Borrowings and repurchase agreements	236,600	295,406	373,664	388,391	357,837
Preferred Stock, liquidation value	-	-	-	30,000	30,000
Stockholders' Equity	667,573	624,428	601,644	490,336	287,147
Tangible common stockholders' equity ⁽¹⁾	\$ 667,443	\$ 624,220	\$ 593,950	\$ 452,540	\$ 249,250
Share and Per Share Data:					
Basic earnings per common share	\$ 1.35	\$ 0.24	\$ 0.59	\$ 0.48	\$ 0.12
Diluted earnings per common share	1.33	0.24	0.58	0.47	0.12
Book value per share	13.23	12.08	11.58	10.21	8.38
Tangible book value per share ⁽¹⁾	\$ 13.23	\$ 12.08	\$ 11.43	\$ 10.04	\$ 8.12
Basic weighted average common shares outstanding	51,291,428	52,070,624	47,679,184	36,422,612	30,086,530
Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding	52,030,582	52,548,547	48,576,135	37,492,567	30,963,424
Shares outstanding at end of period	50,450,045	51,679,516	51,969,203	45,074,322	30,686,256

HISTORICAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION



For the Year Ended December 31,

			Decerriber of,		
	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Selected Ratios:					
Return on average assets ⁽¹⁾	1.24 %	0.24 %	0.63 %	0.56 %	0.24 %
Non-GAAP core operating return on average assets (1)(2)	1.31	0.37	0.61	0.57	0.40
Return on average common equity	10.84	2.05	5.38	5.34	1.53
Yield on earning assets - tax equivalent ⁽³⁾	3.60	3.96	5.04	4.77	4.37
Yield on securities - tax equivalent ⁽³⁾	2.90	3.05	3.35	3.62	3.85
Yield on loans	4.02	4.26	5.52	5.34	4.89
Cost of funds	0.50	0.92	1.90	1.49	1.06
Cost of interest-bearing deposits	0.49	1.02	2.21	1.71	1.12
Cost of deposits	0.40	0.85	1.89	1.44	0.99
Net interest margin - tax equivalent ⁽³⁾	3.15	3.13	3.31	3.39	3.40
Non-interest expense to average assets	1.78	1.84	1.95	2.45	2.53
Efficiency ratio ⁽⁴⁾	54.50	58.13	58.37	73.64	79.10
Non-GAAP core operating efficiency ratio (FTE)(2)(4)	52.02	52.98	57.25	67.68	72.33
Non-interest bearing deposits to total deposits	24.84	15.30	13.30	15.10	12.63
Loans to deposits	90.87 %	94.61 %	98.18 %	95.41 %	86.66 %
Credit Quality Ratios:					
Allowance for loans losses to total loans	1.37 %	1.70 %	1.48 %	1.23 %	1.30 %
Nonperforming assets to total assets	0.58	1.39	0.97	0.43	0.18
Nonperforming loans to total loans	0.74	1.71	1.15	0.58	0.27
Allowance for loans losses to nonperforming loans	185.19	98.98	128.54	212.30	481.68
Net charge-offs (recoveries) to average loans ⁽¹⁾	0.30 %	0.89 %	0.31 %	0.07 %	0.44 %
Capital Ratios:					
Total stockholders' equity to total assets	11.88 %	11.03 %	12.20 %	11.94 %	9.70 %
Common equity tier 1 capital ratio	12.46	11.93	12.20	11.75	8.62
Tier 1 risk-based capital ratio	12.48	11.94	12.22	12.53	9.70
Total risk-based capital ratio	13.61	13.20	13.43	13.51	10.65
Tier 1 leverage ratio	11.84 %	10.93 %	12.06 %	12.43 %	9.71 %

⁽¹⁾ Interim periods are annualized

⁽²⁾ Represents a non-GAAP financial measure. See Non-GAAP Reconciliation slides at the end of this presentation for additional detail.

⁽³⁾ Tax-exempt income is calculated on a tax-equivalent basis. Tax-exempt income includes municipal securities, which is exempt from federal taxation. A tax rate of 21% is used.

⁽⁴⁾ Efficiency ratio is non-interest expense divided by the sum of net interest income and non-interest income; non-GAAP core operating efficiency ratio (FTE) is adjusted for non-core or non-recurring items

NON-GAAP RECONCILIATIONS



As of or for the Year Ended December 31,

		2021		2020		2019		2018		2017
Non-GAAP core operating income:										
Net income	\$	69,413	\$	12,601	\$	28,473	\$	19,590	\$	5,849
dd: Unrealized loss on equity security		6,200		-		-		-		-
ess: Tax effect ⁽¹⁾		1,302		-		-		-		-
Unrealized loss on equity security, net of tax		4,898		-		-		-		
dd: restructuring charges		-		-		-		4,733		-
ess: Tax effect ⁽¹⁾		-		-		_		1,381		_
Restructuring charges, net of tax		-		-		-		3,352		_
dd: fixed asset impairments		_		_		424		171		1,903
ess: Tax effect ⁽²⁾		_		_		109		44		737
Fixed asset impairments, net of tax		-		_		315		127		1,166
dd: Goodwill impairment ⁽³⁾		_		7,397				_		-,
dd: State tax credit ⁽³⁾				7,007		(1,361)		(3,129)		
		-		-		(1,361)		(3,129)		2.501
dd: 2017 Tax Cut and Jobs Act ⁽³⁾		-		-		-		-		2,701
dd: Accelerated employee benefits		719		-		-		-		-
ss: Tax effect ⁽²⁾		210		-		-		-		_
ccelerated employee benefits, net of tax		509		-		-		-		-
ess: BOLI settlement benefits ⁽³⁾		1,841		-		-		-		-
on-GAAP core operating income	\$	72,979	\$	19,998	\$	27,427	\$	19,940	\$	9,716
on-GAAP Core Operating Return on Average Assets:										
et income	\$	69,413	\$	12,601	\$	28,473	\$	19,590	\$	5,849
on-GAAP core operating income		72,979		19,998		27,427		19,940		9,716
/erage assets	\$	5,591,471	\$	5,358,479	\$	4,499,764	\$	3,494,655	\$	2,452,797
AAP Return on average assets		1.24 %		0.24 %		0.63 %		0.56 %		0.24
on-GAAP core operating return on average assets		1,31 %		0.37 %		0.61 %		0.57 %		0.40
on-GAAP Core Operating Return on Average Equity:		1.51 70		0.57 70		0.01 70		0.57 70		0.10
et income	\$	69,413	\$	12,601	\$	28,473	\$	19,590	\$	5,849
on-GAAP core operating income	φ	72,979	φ	19,998	Φ	27,427	φ	19,940	Φ	9.716
Less: Preferred stock dividends		72,979		19,990		175		2.100		2,100
et income available to common stockholders		69,413		12,601		28,298		17,490		3,749
on-GAAP core operating income available to common										
ockholders		72,979		19,998		27,252		17,840		7,616
verage common equity		640,202		614,726	_	526,225		327,446		245,193
stangible Assets		170		3.898		7.746		7,847		7.949
verage Tangible Equity	\$	640,032	\$	610,828	\$	518,479	\$	319,599	\$	237,244
AAP return on average common equity	Ψ	10.84 %	Ψ	2.05 %	Ψ	5.38 %	Ψ	5.34 %	Ψ	1.5.
on-GAAP core return on average tangible common equity		11.40 %		3.27 %		5.26 %		5.58 %		3.2
on-GAAP Core Operating Efficiency Ratio:										
on-interest expense	\$	99,382	\$	99,968	\$	87,640	\$	85,755	\$	62,089
Less: Accelerated employee benefits		719				-		-		-
Less: goodwill impairment		-		7,397		-		-		-
Less: restructuring charges		-		-		-		4,733		
on-GAAP non-interest expense (numerator)	\$	98,663	\$	92,571	\$	87,640	\$	81,022	\$	62,089
et interest income		168,691		160,249		141,444		110,368		74,818
x equivalent interest income		2,948		2,732		2,522		3,099		5,439
on-interest income		13,660		11,733		8,707		6,083		3,679
Add: Unrealized loss on equity security		6,200		-		-		-		-
Add: fixed asset impairments		-		-		424		171		1,903
Less: BOLI settlement benefits ⁽¹⁾		1,841		-		-		_		-
on-GAAP Operating revenue (denominator)	\$	189,658	\$	174,714	\$	153,097	\$	119,721	\$	85,839
AAP Efficiency Ratio		54.50 %		58.13 %		58.37 %		73.64 %		79.10
				52.98 %				67.68 %		

NON-GAAP RECONCILIATIONS



(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)			the Year Ended December 31,		
	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Pre-Tax Pre-Provision Profit					
Net income before taxes	\$ 86,969	\$ 15,314	\$ 32,611	\$ 17,196	\$ 4,408
Add: Provision for loan losses	(4,000)	56,700	29,900	13,500	12,000
Pre-Tax Pre-Provision Profit	82,969	72,014	62,511	30,696	16,408
Average Assets	5,591,471	5,358,479	4,499,764	3,494,655	2,452,797
Pre-Tax Pre-Provision Return on Average Assets	1.48 %	1.34 %	1.39 %	0.88 %	0.67 %
Tangible common stockholders' equity:					
Stockholders' equity	\$ 667,573	\$ 624,428	\$ 601,644	\$ 490,336	\$ 287,147
Less: goodwill and other intangible assets	130	208	7,694	7,796	7,897
Less: preferred stock	-	-	-	30,000	30,000
Tangible Stockholders' Equity	\$ 667,443	\$ 624,220	\$ 593,950	\$ 452,540	\$ 249,250
Shares outstanding at end of period	50,450,045	51,679,516	51,969,203	45,074,322	30,686,256
Book value per share	\$ 13.23	\$ 12.08	\$ 11.58	\$ 10.21	\$ 8.38
Tangible book value per share	\$ 13.23	\$ 12.08	\$ 11.43	\$ 10.04	\$ 8.12