
Yankee Farm Credit, ACA

**CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
THIRD QUARTER ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

November 7, 2019

Dear Shareholder:

Enclosed are the Association's consolidated financial statements for the third quarter of 2019. These statements should be read in conjunction with the 2018 Annual Report to Shareholders.

The purpose of these consolidated financial statements is to provide timely financial information about your Association's financial condition and results of operations. Should you have any questions about these statements, please call us.

Copies of the Association's annual and quarterly reports are available to members at no charge from any of our local offices or by accessing the Association's website at www.yankeefarmcredit.com. The Association's annual reports are available 75 days after year-end, and quarterly reports are available 40 days after the end of each calendar quarter. As a shareholder, your investment in the Association is materially affected by the financial condition and results of operations of CoBank, ACB. CoBank's annual and quarterly reports are available at no charge from any of our offices. Our office locations are listed at the end of this report.

The undersigned certify that they have reviewed this report and it has been prepared in accordance with all statutory and regulatory requirements and that the information contained herein is true, accurate, and complete to the best of his or her knowledge and belief. The consolidated financial statements, in the opinion of management, fairly present the financial condition of the institution except as noted.

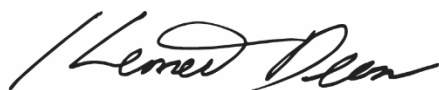
Sincerely,



Celeste Kane-Stebbins
Chairperson, Board of Directors



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President and Chief Executive Officer



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Chairperson, Audit Committee



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Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

The Association's principal executives and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, are responsible for establishing and maintaining adequate internal control over financial reporting for the Association's Consolidated Financial Statements. For purposes of this report, "internal control over financial reporting" is defined as a process designed by, or under the supervision of the Association's principal executives and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, and effected by its Board of Directors, management and other personnel. This process provides reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting information and the preparation of the Consolidated Financial Statements for external purposes in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Internal control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that: (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that in reasonable detail accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the Association, (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial information in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and that receipts and expenditures are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the Association, and (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use or disposition of the Association's assets that could have a material effect on its Consolidated Financial Statements.

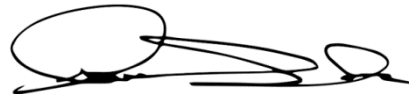
The Association's management has completed an assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting as of September 30, 2019. In making the assessment, management used the framework in *Internal Control — Integrated Framework (2013)*, promulgated by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission, commonly referred to as the "COSO" criteria.

Based on the assessment performed, the Association's management concluded that as of September 30, 2019, the internal control over financial reporting was effective based upon the COSO criteria. Additionally, based on this assessment, the Association's management determined that there were no material weaknesses in the internal control over financial reporting as of September 30, 2019.



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Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

(dollars in thousands, except as noted)

(Unaudited)

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: THIRD QUARTER

Net income for the third quarter of 2019 was \$2.941 million, down \$435 thousand (12.9%) from net income of \$3.376 million in the third quarter of 2018.

Net interest income before the provision for loan losses was up \$294 thousand (6.2%) in 2019 as compared to 2018. The following table shows the components of this increase:

Changes in net interest income due to:

Changes in volumes of accrual loans & debt	\$	234
Changes in interest rates on accrual loans & debt		61
Changes in interest income on nonaccrual loans		(1)
Total change in net interest income	\$	<u>294</u>

Changes in accrual volumes and rates are shown in the following table:

	Three Months Ended September 30,	
	2019	2018
Average accrual loan volume	\$ 529,210	\$ 501,857
Average interest rate on loans	5.95%	5.72%
Average interest rate spread	3.33%	3.32%

Average loan volume was higher in 2019 as compared to the same period of 2018, and this contributed an increase of \$234 thousand in the total change in net interest income as shown in the first table above. Changes in interest rates contributed \$61 thousand to the total change in net interest income.

There was a provision for loan losses of \$267 thousand in the third quarter of 2019, as compared to a provision for loan losses of \$262 thousand in the third quarter of 2018.

Noninterest income decreased by \$601 thousand (35%) in 2019 as compared to 2018. This decrease was attributable to a reduction in CoBank patronage income of \$669. During 2018 CoBank distributed a special one-time patronage that did not occur in 2019.

Noninterest expense increased by \$127 thousand (4.6%) in 2019 as compared to 2018. Salaries and employee benefits decreased by \$173 thousand (10.7%) with occupancy and equipment increasing \$130 thousand (94.2%) and other operating expenses increasing by \$154 thousand (16.2%).

As of January 1, 2019, the Associations adopted ASU 2016-02 Topic 842 related to Leases. Upon adoption, the Association recorded a cumulative-effect adjustment to Unallocated Retained Earnings of approximately \$13 thousand. In addition, a Right to Use Asset (ROU) in the amount of \$269 thousand recorded on the consolidated balance sheets as Other Assets and a Lease Liability shown on the consolidated balance sheets in Other Liabilities in the amount of \$273 thousand.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: YEAR-TO-DATE

Net income through the third quarter of 2019 was \$9.711 million, down \$733 thousand (7.0%) from net income of \$10.444 million through the third quarter of 2018.

Net interest income before provision for loan losses was up \$650 thousand (4.6%) in 2019 as compared to 2018. The following table shows the components of this increase:

Changes in net interest income due to:

Changes in volumes of accrual loans & debt	\$	531
Changes in interest rates on accrual loans & debt		456
Changes in interest income on nonaccrual loans		(337)
Total change in net interest income	\$	<u>650</u>

Changes in accrual volumes and rates are shown in the following table:

	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2019	2018
Average accrual loan volume	\$ 519,598	\$ 499,959
Average interest rate on loans	6.08%	5.53%
Average interest rate spread	3.36%	3.33%

Average loan volume was higher in 2019, and this contributed an increase of \$531 thousand in the total change in net interest income as shown in the first table above. Changes in interest rates contributed \$456 thousand to the total change in net interest income. These increases were partially offset by a \$337 thousand decrease in recognized nonaccrual interest income.

There was a provision for loan losses of \$18 thousand through the third quarter of 2019, as compared to a provision for loan losses of \$100 thousand through the third quarter of 2018.

Noninterest income decreased by \$829 thousand (17.45%) in 2019 as compared to 2018. Patronage refunds from other Farm Credit institutions (predominately CoBank) decreased \$688 thousand (21.3%) as compared to the same period in 2018. In 2018 CoBank declared a special mid-year patronage which was not repeated in 2019.

Noninterest expense increased by \$639 thousand (7.6%) in 2019 as compared to 2018. Salaries and employee benefits increased by \$74 thousand (1.5%). Other operating expenses (which includes purchased services) increased by \$396 thousand (10.4%).

LOAN PORTFOLIO AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

Loans as of end of the third quarter totaled \$543.0 million, an increase of \$19.3 million (3.7%) from year-end. Net loans outstanding (loans less allowance for loan losses) totaled \$536.8 million at the end of the third quarter, up \$19.3 million (3.7%) from year-end. These increases primarily resulted from normal operations and increased purchased participation loan activity.

Loan quality worsened slightly but remained strong through the third quarter of 2019. Loans graded Substandard or lower were 6.37% of total loans at September 30, 2019, 0.96% worsened from year-end. Nonperforming assets comprised 1.91% of loans and related assets at September 30, 2019, 0.19% worsened from year-end (nonperforming assets include nonaccrual loans,

accrual troubled debt restructured loans, loans delinquent 90 days or more but not yet classified as nonaccrual, and other property owned.). Repayment performance remained satisfactory. The 12-month rolling average for this statistic was 1.5% at September 30, 2019, 0.2% improved from year-end. There were charge-offs of \$122 thousand and recoveries of \$30 thousand through the third quarter of 2019. There were charge-offs of approximately \$65 thousands and there were no significant recoveries through the third quarter of 2018.

As discussed in the 2018 Annual Report to Shareholders, the Association declared two patronage distribution during 2018, in total of \$7.949 million based on 2018 earnings, 100% in cash. The mid-year distribution of \$1.848 million was paid during October 2018, the remaining \$6.101 million was paid April 4, 2019.

Members' equity as a percentage of assets was 20.7% at September 30, 2019, as compared to 19.7% at year-end.

Farm Credit Administration (FCA) regulations require all Farm Credit institutions to maintain certain minimum regulatory capital ratios.

The regulations require common equity tier 1 (CET1), tier 1 and total regulatory capital (tier 1 plus tier 2) risk-based capital ratio requirements. The regulations also add a tier 1 leverage ratio for all System institutions.

The regulations establish a capital cushion (capital conservations buffer) for CET1, tier 1 and total capital requirements. In addition, the regulations establish a leverage capital cushion (leverage buffer) above the tier 1 leverage ratio requirement. The below regulatory minimums reflect the inclusion of these various buffers.

	Value At		Regulatory Minimum	Internal Minimum	2019 Goal Range
	September 30, 2019	December 31, 2018			
Permanent capital ratio	18.26%	18.47%	7.0%	15.0%	17.0% - 19.0%
CET 1	17.94%	18.45%	5.75%	14.5%	16.5% - 18.5%
Tier 1 capital	17.94%	18.45%	5.75%	14.5%	16.5% - 18.5%
Total regulatory capital	19.14%	19.70%	9.25%	15.5%	17.5% - 19.5%
Tier 1 leverage	17.28%	17.84%	5.0%	13.5%	15.5% - 17.5%

The ratios at September 30, 2019, as indicated above, are not indicative of the full year.

These consolidated financial statements were prepared under the oversight of the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors.

REGULATORY MATTERS

On April 3, 2019, the Farm Credit Administration issued a proposed rule that would clarify the factors that System institutions should consider when categorizing high-risk loans and placing them in nonaccrual status. The rule would also revise the criteria by which loans are reinstated to accrual status, and would revise the application of the criteria to certain loans in nonaccrual status to distinguish between the types of risk that cause loans to be placed in nonaccrual status. The public comment period ended on June 3, 2019.

On September 18, 2019, the Farm Credit Administration issued a proposed rule to amend its investment regulations to allow System associations to purchase and hold the portion of certain loans that non-System lenders originate and sell in the secondary market, and that the USDA unconditionally guarantees or insures as to timely payment of principal and interest. The rule would authorize associations to buy investments to augment the liquidity of rural credit markets, reduce the capital burden on community banks and other non-System lenders who choose to sell their USDA guaranteed portions of loans, and to enhance the

ability of associations to manage risk. The public comment period ends on November 18, 2019.

On September 23, 2019, the Farm Credit Administration issued a proposed rule that would ensure the System's capital requirements, including certain regulatory disclosures, reflect the current expected credit losses methodology, which revises the accounting for credit losses under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The proposed rule identifies which credit loss allowances under CECL are eligible for inclusion in a System institution's regulatory capital. Credit loss allowances related to loans, lessor's net investments in leases, and held-to-maturity debt securities would be included in a System institution's Tier 2 capital up to 1.25% of the System institution's total risk weighted assets. Credit loss allowances for available-for-sale debt securities and purchased credit impaired assets would not be eligible for inclusion in a System institution's Tier 2 capital. In addition, the proposed regulation does not include a transition phase-in period for the CECL day 1 cumulative effect adjustment to retained earnings on a System institution's regulatory capital ratios. The public comment period ends on November 22, 2019.

RECENTLY ISSUED ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

Please refer to Note 1, *Organization, Significant Accounting Policies, and Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements*, in the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements, and the 2018 Annual Report to Shareholders for recently issued accounting pronouncements. Additional information is provided in the following table.

The following Accounting Standards Update (ASU) was issued by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) but has not yet been adopted:

Summary of Guidance	Adoption and Potential Financial Statement Impact
ASU 2016-13 – Financial Instruments – Credit Losses (Topic 326): Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Replaces multiple existing impairment standards by establishing a single framework for financial assets to reflect management's estimate of current expected credit losses (CECL) over the complete remaining life of the financial assets. • Changes the present incurred loss impairment guidance for loans to an expected loss model. • The Update also modifies the other-than-temporary impairment model for debt securities to require an allowance for credit impairment instead of a direct write-down, which allows for reversal of credit impairments in future periods based on improvements in credit. • Eliminates existing guidance for purchased credit impaired (PCI) loans, and requires recognition of an allowance for expected credit losses on these financial assets. • Requires a cumulative-effect adjustment to retained earnings as of the beginning of the reporting period of adoption. • Effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2020, and interim periods within those fiscal years. Early application will be permitted for fiscal years, and interim periods within those fiscal years, beginning after December 15, 2018. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementation efforts have begun by establishing a cross-discipline governance structure. The implementation includes identification of key interpretive issues, scoping of financial instruments, and assessing existing credit loss forecasting models and processes against the new guidance. • The new guidance is expected to result in an increase in allowance for credit losses due to several factors, including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The allowance related to loans and commitments will most likely increase to cover credit losses over the full remaining expected life of the portfolio, and will consider expected future changes in macroeconomic conditions, 2. An allowance will be established for estimated credit losses on any debt securities, 3. The nonaccretable difference on any PCI loans will be recognized as an allowance, offset by an increase in the carrying value of the related loans. • The extent of the increase is under evaluation, but will depend upon the nature and characteristics of the financial instrument portfolios, and the macroeconomic conditions and forecasts at the adoption date. • The guidance is expected to be adopted in first quarter 2021.

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Consolidated Balance Sheets

<i>(dollars in thousands)</i>	September 30, 2019 <i>(unaudited)</i>	December 31, 2018 <i>(audited)</i>
Assets		
Cash	\$ 49	\$ 90
Loans	543,020	523,745
Allowance for loan losses	(6,206)	(6,279)
Net loans	536,814	517,466
Other investments	471	463
Accrued interest receivable	2,854	2,346
Equity investments in other Farm Credit institutions	22,251	21,531
Premises and equipment, net	3,501	3,500
Accounts receivable	4,235	5,057
Other assets	1,673	738
Total assets	\$ 571,848	\$ 551,191
Liabilities		
Notes payable to CoBank, ACB	\$ 448,869	\$ 431,926
Accrued interest payable	924	944
Patronage refunds payable	—	6,099
Accounts payable	1,624	2,236
Other liabilities	2,167	1,432
Total liabilities	453,584	442,637
Commitments and contingencies (Note 5)		
Members' Equity		
Capital stock and participation certificates	1,110	1,098
Unallocated retained earnings	118,416	108,718
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(1,262)	(1,262)
Total members' equity	118,264	108,554
Total liabilities and members' equity	\$ 571,848	\$ 551,191

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

Yankee Farm Credit, ACA
Consolidated Statements of
Comprehensive Income

(unaudited)

<i>(dollars in thousands)</i>	For the Three Months Ended September 30,		For the Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2019	2018	2019	2018
Interest Income				
Loans	\$ 7,942	\$ 7,239	\$ 23,674	\$ 21,042
Interest Expense				
Notes payable to CoBank, ACB	2,930	2,521	8,821	6,839
Net interest income	5,012	4,718	14,853	14,203
Provision for loan losses	267	262	18	100
Net interest income after provision for loan losses	4,745	4,456	14,835	14,103
Noninterest Income				
Loan fees	34	25	91	101
Fees for financially related services	234	224	1,122	1,090
Lease income	6	—	7	3
Patronage refunds from other Farm Credit institutions	790	1,459	2,538	3,226
Gains (losses) on sales of premises and equipment, net	24	13	32	18
Gains (losses) on other transactions	3	(20)	(15)	(48)
Insurance Fund refunds	—	—	121	346
Other noninterest income	22	13	26	15
Total noninterest income	1,113	1,714	3,922	4,751
Noninterest Expense				
Salaries and employee benefits	1,446	1,619	5,016	4,942
Occupancy and equipment	268	138	548	419
Insurance Fund premiums	95	80	284	244
Other operating expenses	1,105	950	3,189	2,793
Total noninterest expense	2,914	2,787	9,037	8,398
Income before income taxes	2,944	3,383	9,720	10,456
Provision for income taxes	3	7	9	12
Net income	2,941	3,376	9,711	10,444
Other comprehensive income	—	—	—	—
Comprehensive income	\$ 2,941	\$ 3,376	\$ 9,711	\$ 10,444

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Yankee Farm Credit, ACA
Consolidated Statements of Changes in
Members' Equity

(unaudited)

<i>(dollars in thousands)</i>	Capital Stock and Participation Certificates	Unallocated Retained Earnings	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)	Total Members' Equity
Balance at December 31, 2017	\$ 1,126	\$ 103,521	\$ (1,278)	\$ 103,369
Comprehensive income		10,444		10,444
Capital stock/participation certificates issued/(retired), net	(20)			(20)
Patronage distribution Cash		(6,139)		(6,139)
Balance at September 30, 2018	\$ 1,106	\$ 107,826	\$ (1,278)	\$ 107,654
Balance at December 31, 2018	\$ 1,098	\$ 108,718	\$ (1,262)	\$ 108,554
Cumulative effect of change in accounting principle		(13)		(13)
Comprehensive income		9,711		9,711
Capital stock/participation certificates issued/(retired), net	12			12
Balance at September 30, 2019	\$ 1,110	\$ 118,416	\$ (1,262)	\$ 118,264

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

Yankee Farm Credit, ACA

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

*(dollars in thousands, except as noted)
(unaudited)*

Note 1 — Organization, Significant Accounting Policies, and Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

Organization

The accompanying consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Yankee Farm Credit, ACA and its wholly owned subsidiaries, the Production Credit Association (PCA) and Federal Land Credit Association (FLCA) (collectively, the Association). A description of the organization and operations, the significant accounting policies followed, and the financial condition and results of operations for the Association as of and for the year ended December 31, 2018, are contained in the 2018 Annual Report to Shareholders. These unaudited interim consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the latest Annual Report to Shareholders.

Basis of Presentation

In the opinion of management, the accompanying consolidated financial statements contain all adjustments necessary for a fair statement of results for the periods presented. These adjustments are of a normal recurring nature, unless otherwise disclosed.

Certain amounts in the prior period's consolidated financial statements may have been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation. Such reclassifications had no effect on the prior period net income or total capital as previously reported.

The results of any interim period are not necessarily indicative of those to be expected for a full year.

Significant Accounting Policies

The Association's accounting and reporting policies conform with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and practices in the financial services industry. To prepare the consolidated financial statements in conformity with GAAP, management must make estimates based on assumptions about future economic and market conditions (for example, unemployment, market liquidity, real estate prices, etc.) that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements, income and expenses during the reporting period, and the related disclosures. Although these estimates contemplate current conditions and expectations of change in the future, it is reasonably possible that actual conditions may be different than anticipated, which could materially affect results of operations and financial condition.

Management has made significant estimates in several areas, including loans and allowance for loan losses (Note 2, *Loans and Allowance for Loan Losses*), and financial instruments (Note 4, *Fair Value Measurement*). Actual results could differ from those estimates.

For further details of significant accounting policies, see Note 2, *Summary of Significant Accounting Policies*, from the latest Annual Report.

Accounting Standards Updates (ASUs) Issued During the Period

The following ASUs were issued by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) since the most recent year end:

- In May 2019, the FASB issued ASU 2019-05 Financial Instruments—Credit Losses (Topic 326): Targeted Transition Relief. The amendments in this Update provide entities with an option to irrevocably elect the fair value option applied on an instrument-by-instrument basis for certain financial assets upon the adoption of Topic 326. The fair value option election does not apply to held-to-maturity debt securities. For entities that have not yet adopted the amendments in ASU 2016-13, the effective date and transition methodology for the amendments in this Update are the same as in that Update. Evaluation of any possible effects the guidance may have on the statements of financial condition and results of operations is in progress.
- In April 2019, the FASB issued ASU 2019-04 Codification Improvements to Topic 326 Financial Instruments—Credit Losses, Topic 815 Derivatives and Hedging, and Topic 825 Financial Instruments. The amendments in this Update clarify, correct, and improve various aspects of the guidance in the following Updates related to financial instruments: ASU 2016-01 Financial Instruments—Overall (Subtopic 825-10): Recognition and Measurement of Financial Assets and Liabilities, ASU 2016-13 Financial Instruments—Credit Losses (Topic 326): Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments, and ASU 2017-12 Derivatives and Hedging (Topic 815): Targeted Improvements to Accounting for Hedging Activities. The items addressed generally are not expected to have a significant effect on current accounting practice or to create a significant administrative cost for most entities. For entities that have not yet adopted the amendments in ASU 2016-13, the effective dates and transition requirements for the amendments related to this Update are the same as the

effective dates and transition requirements in ASU 2016-13. The transition adjustment includes adjustments made as a result of an entity developing or amending its accounting policy upon adoption of the amendments in this Update for determining when accrued interest receivables are deemed uncollectible and written off. For entities that have adopted the amendments in ASU 2017-12 as of the issuance date of this Update, the effective date is as of the beginning of the first annual period beginning after the issuance date of this Update. For those entities, early adoption is permitted, including adoption on any date on or after the issuance of this Update. The amendments in this Update related to ASU 2016-01 are effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2019, including interim periods within those fiscal years. Early adoption is permitted in any interim period following the issuance of this Update as long as the entity has adopted all of the amendments in ASU 2016-01. The amendments in this Update should be applied on a modified-retrospective transition basis by means of a cumulative-effect adjustment to the opening retained earnings balance in the statement of financial position as of the date an entity adopted all of the amendments in ASU 2016-01. Evaluation of any possible effects the guidance may have on the statements of financial condition and results of operations is in progress.

- In March 2019, the FASB issued ASU 2019-01 Leases (Topic 842): Codification Improvements. The Update addresses potential implementation issues that could arise as organizations implement Topic 842. The amendments in the Update include the following items brought to the Board's attention through interactions with stakeholders: 1. Determining the fair value of the underlying asset by lessors that are not manufacturers or dealers; 2. Presentation on the statement of cash flows—sales-type and direct financing leases; 3. Transition disclosures related to Topic 250, Accounting Changes and Error Corrections. Evaluation of any possible effects the guidance may have on the statements of financial condition and results of operations is in progress.

ASUs Pending Effective Date

For a detailed description of the ASUs below, see the latest Annual Report.

Potential effects of ASUs issued in previous periods:

- In August 2018, the FASB issued ASU 2018-13 Disclosure Framework—Changes to the Disclosure Requirements for Fair Value Measurement. The amendments are part of the FASB's disclosure framework project. The project's objective and primary focus are to improve the effectiveness of disclosures in the notes to financial statements by facilitating clear communication of the information required by GAAP that is most important to users of each entity's financial statements. The amendments remove, modify or add certain disclosures

contained in the financial statement footnotes related to fair value. Additionally, the guidance is intended to promote the appropriate exercise of discretion by entities when considering fair value measurement disclosures and to clarify that materiality is an appropriate consideration of entities and their auditors when evaluating disclosure requirements. The amendments are effective for all entities for fiscal years, and interim periods within those fiscal years, beginning after December 15, 2019. Certain amendments should be applied prospectively for only the most recent interim or annual period presented in the initial fiscal year of adoption. All other amendments should be applied retrospectively to all periods presented upon their effective date. Early adoption is permitted upon issuance. Entities are permitted to early adopt any removed or modified disclosures upon issuance of this Update and delay adoption of the additional disclosures until their effective date. The removed disclosures were adopted effective with the 2018 Annual Report. Evaluation of any possible effects the additional and modified disclosures guidance may have on the statements of financial condition and results of operations is in progress.

- In June 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-13 Financial Instruments—Credit Losses (Topic 326): Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments. This Update, and subsequent clarifying guidance issued, is intended to improve financial reporting by requiring timelier recording of credit losses on financial instruments. It requires an organization to measure all expected credit losses for financial assets held at the reporting date. Financial institutions and other organizations will use forward-looking information to estimate their credit losses. Additionally, the ASU amends the accounting for credit losses on available-for-sale debt securities and purchased financial assets with credit deterioration. For public companies that are not SEC filers, it will take effect for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2020, and interim periods within those fiscal years. Early application will be permitted for all organizations for fiscal years, and interim periods within those fiscal years, beginning after December 31, 2018. Evaluation of any possible effects the guidance may have on the statements of financial condition and results of operations is in progress.

Accounting Standards Effective During the Period

There were no changes in the accounting principles applied from the latest Annual Report, other than any discussed below.

No recently adopted accounting guidance issued by the FASB had a significant effect on the current period reporting. See the most recent Annual Report for a detailed description of each of the standards below:

- In February 2018, the FASB issued ASU 2018-02 Income Statement—Reporting Comprehensive Income (Topic 220): Reclassification of Certain Tax Effects from

Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income. The guidance allows a reclassification from accumulated other comprehensive income to retained earnings for stranded tax effects resulting from the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act. The amendments eliminate the stranded tax effects resulting from the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act and are intended to improve the usefulness of information reported to financial statement users. However, because the amendments only relate to the reclassification of the income tax effects of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act, the underlying guidance that requires that the effect of a change in tax laws or rates be included in income from continuing operations is not affected. The Update also requires certain disclosures about stranded tax effects. The guidance was effective for all entities for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2018, and interim periods within those fiscal years. Adoption of this guidance had no impact on the statements of financial condition and results of operations.

- In March 2017, the FASB issued ASU 2017-08 Receivables—Nonrefundable Fees and Other Costs (Subtopic 310-20): Premium Amortization on Purchased Callable Debt Securities. The guidance relates to certain callable debt securities and shortens the amortization period for any premium to the earliest call date. The Update was effective for interim and annual periods beginning after December 15, 2018 for public business entities. Adoption of this guidance had no impact on the statements of financial condition and results of operations.
- In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-02 Leases (Topic 842). This Update, and subsequent clarifying guidance issued, requires organizations that lease assets to recognize on the balance sheet the assets and liabilities for the rights and obligations created by those leases. Leases will be classified as either finance leases or operating leases. This distinction will be relevant for the pattern of expense recognition in the income statement. Lessor accounting activities are largely unchanged from existing lease accounting. The Update also eliminates leveraged lease accounting but allows existing leveraged leases to continue their current accounting until maturity, termination or modification. The amendments were effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2018, including interim periods within those fiscal years, for public business entities.

Transition Information

- The guidance was adopted using the optional modified retrospective method and practical expedients for transition. Under this transition method, an entity initially applies the new leases standard at the adoption date and recognizes a cumulative-effect adjustment to the opening balance of retained earnings in the period of adoption.
- The package of practical expedients was elected, which allowed existing leases to be largely accounted for consistent with current guidance, except for the incremental balance sheet recognition for lessees.
- There will not be a material change to the timing of future expense recognition.
- Upon adoption, a cumulative-effect adjustment to equity of approximately \$(13) was recorded. In addition, a Right of Use Asset in the amount of \$269 and Lease Liability in the amount of \$273 were recognized.
- Given the limited changes to lessor accounting, there were no material changes to recognition or measurement.

Note 2 — Loans and Allowance for Loan Losses

The Association maintains an allowance for loan losses at a level considered adequate by management to provide for probable and estimable losses inherent in the loan portfolio as of the report date. The allowance for loan losses is increased through provisions for loan losses and loan recoveries and is decreased through loan charge-offs and allowance reversals. A review of individual loans in each respective portfolio is performed periodically to determine the appropriateness of risk ratings and to ensure loss exposure to the Association has been identified. See Note 3, *Loans and Allowance for Loan Losses*, from the latest Annual Report for further discussion.

Credit risk arises from the potential inability of an obligor to meet its repayment obligation. The Association manages credit risk associated with lending activities through an assessment of the credit risk profile of an individual obligor. The Association sets its own underwriting standards and lending policies that provide direction to loan officers and are approved by the board of directors.

A summary of loans outstanding at period end follows:

	<u>September 30, 2019</u>	<u>December 31, 2018</u>
Real estate mortgage	\$ 237,605	\$ 231,021
Production and intermediate-term	207,151	208,247
Loans to cooperatives	10,989	7,735
Processing and marketing	43,847	37,280
Farm-related business	39,592	37,199
Power and water/waste disposal	2,087	670
Rural residential real estate	1,749	1,593
Total loans	<u>\$ 543,020</u>	<u>\$ 523,745</u>

A substantial portion of the Association's lending activities is collateralized, and exposure to credit loss associated with lending activities is reduced accordingly.

The Association may purchase or sell participation interests with other parties in order to diversify risk, manage loan volume, and comply with Farm Credit Administration (FCA) regulations. The following tables present the principal balance of participation loans at periods ended:

September 30, 2019								
	Within CoBank District		Within Farm Credit System		Outside Farm Credit System		Total	
	Participations Purchased	Participations Sold	Participations Purchased	Participations Sold	Participations Purchased	Participations Sold	Participations Purchased	Participations Sold
Real estate mortgage	\$ 11,408	\$ 23,974	\$ 2,180	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ 13,588	\$ 23,974
Production and intermediate-term	1,512	247,466	-	620	-	-	1,512	248,086
Loans to cooperatives	10,998	-	-	-	-	-	10,998	-
Processing and marketing	13,675	52,439	-	-	-	-	13,675	52,439
Farm-related business	10,756	-	-	-	-	-	10,756	-
Power and water/waste disposal	2,098	-	-	-	-	-	2,098	-
Total	\$ 50,447	\$ 323,879	\$ 2,180	\$ 620	\$ -	-	\$ 52,627	\$ 324,499

December 31, 2018								
	Within CoBank District		Within Farm Credit System		Outside Farm Credit System		Total	
	Participations Purchased	Participations Sold	Participations Purchased	Participations Sold	Participations Purchased	Participations Sold	Participations Purchased	Participations Sold
Real estate mortgage	\$ 9,196	\$ 27,731	\$ 38	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ 9,234	\$ 27,731
Production and intermediate-term	1,681	235,670	-	-	-	-	1,681	235,670
Loans to cooperatives	7,740	-	-	-	-	-	7,740	-
Processing and marketing	13,081	41,663	-	-	-	-	13,081	41,663
Farm-related business	9,915	-	-	-	-	-	9,915	-
Power and water/waste disposal	670	-	-	-	-	-	670	-
Total	\$ 42,283	\$ 305,064	\$ 38	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ 42,321	\$ 305,064

A significant source of liquidity for the Association is the repayment of loans. The following table presents the contractual maturity distribution of loans by loan type at the latest period end:

September 30, 2019				
	Due Less than 1 Year	Due 1 Through 5 Years	Due After 5 Years	Total
Real estate mortgage	\$ 2,098	\$ 5,313	\$ 230,194	\$ 237,605
Production and intermediate term	14,629	55,676	136,846	207,151
Loans to cooperatives	-	9,240	1,749	10,989
Processing and marketing	15,047	4,939	23,861	43,847
Farm-related business	9,333	12,069	18,190	39,592
Power and water/waste disposal	-	-	2,087	2,087
Rural residential real estate	-	78	1,671	1,749
Total loans	\$ 41,107	\$ 87,315	\$ 414,598	\$ 543,020
Percentage	7.57%	16.08%	76.35%	100.00%

The recorded investment in a receivable is the face amount increased or decreased by applicable accrued interest and unamortized premium, discount, finance charges, or acquisition costs and may also reflect a previous direct write-down of the investment.

The following table shows the recorded investment of loans, classified under the FCA Uniform Loan Classification System, as a percentage of the recorded investment of total loans by loan type as of:

	September 30, 2019	December 31, 2018		September 30, 2019	December 31, 2018
Real estate mortgage:			Farm-related business:		
Acceptable	77.12%	79.72%	Acceptable	77.29%	99.12%
OAEM	13.08	13.39	OAEM	22.40	0.22
Substandard/doubtful/loss	9.80	6.89	Substandard/doubtful/loss	0.31	0.66
	<u>100.00%</u>	<u>100.00%</u>		<u>100.00%</u>	<u>100.00%</u>
Production and intermediate-term:			Power and water/waste disposal:		
Acceptable	85.47%	84.99%	Acceptable	100.00%	100.00%
OAEM	9.33	9.37	OAEM	-	-
Substandard/doubtful/loss	5.20	5.64	Substandard/doubtful/loss	-	-
	<u>100.00%</u>	<u>100.00%</u>		<u>100.00%</u>	<u>100.00%</u>
Loans to cooperatives:			Rural residential real estate:		
Acceptable	100.00%	100.00%	Acceptable	88.18%	86.62%
OAEM	-	-	OAEM	11.82	13.38
Substandard/doubtful/loss	-	-	Substandard/doubtful/loss	-	-
	<u>100.00%</u>	<u>100.00%</u>		<u>100.00%</u>	<u>100.00%</u>
Processing and marketing:			Total loans:		
Acceptable	99.07%	98.92%	Acceptable	82.68%	84.90%
OAEM	-	-	OAEM	10.95	9.69
Substandard/doubtful/loss	0.93	1.08	Substandard/doubtful/loss	6.37	5.41
	<u>100.00%</u>	<u>100.00%</u>		<u>100.00%</u>	<u>100.00%</u>

The following tables provide an aging analysis of the recorded investment of past due loans as of:

	September 30, 2019					
	30 Through 89 Days Past Due	90 Days or More Past Due	Total Past Due	Not Past Due or Less Than 30 Days Past Due	Total Loans	
Real estate mortgage	\$ 1,284	\$ 1,132	\$ 2,416	\$ 236,652	\$ 239,068	
Production and intermediate-term	1,943	1,143	3,086	205,159	208,245	
Loans to cooperatives	-	-	-	11,024	11,024	
Processing and marketing	-	-	-	43,967	43,967	
Farm-related business	1,779	88	1,867	37,860	39,727	
Power and water/waste disposal	-	-	-	2,087	2,087	
Rural residential real estate	-	-	-	1,756	1,756	
Total	<u>\$ 5,006</u>	<u>\$ 2,363</u>	<u>\$ 7,369</u>	<u>\$ 538,505</u>	<u>\$ 545,874</u>	

	December 31, 2018					
	30 Through 89 Days Past Due	90 Days or More Past Due	Total Past Due	Not Past Due or Less Than 30 Days Past Due	Total Loans	
Real estate mortgage	\$ 1,095	\$ 680	\$ 1,775	\$ 230,322	\$ 232,097	
Production and intermediate-term	1,281	4,107	5,388	203,870	209,258	
Loans to cooperatives	-	-	-	7,761	7,761	
Processing and marketing	-	-	-	37,341	37,341	
Farm-related business	2,105	173	2,278	35,079	37,357	
Power and water/waste disposal	-	-	-	677	677	
Rural residential real estate	-	-	-	1,600	1,600	
Total	<u>\$ 4,481</u>	<u>\$ 4,960</u>	<u>\$ 9,441</u>	<u>\$ 516,650</u>	<u>\$ 526,091</u>	

Nonperforming assets (including accrued interest receivable as applicable) and related credit quality statistics at period end were as follows:

	September 30, 2019		December 31, 2018	
Nonaccrual loans:				
Real estate mortgage	\$	2,670	\$	1,085
Production and intermediate-term		4,910		4,168
Farm-related business		106		226
Total	\$	7,686	\$	5,479
Accruing restructured loans:				
Real estate mortgage	\$	1,950	\$	2,196
Production and intermediate-term		727		1,308
Total	\$	2,677	\$	3,504
Accruing loans 90 days or more past due:				
Total	\$	–	\$	–
Total nonperforming loans	\$	10,363	\$	8,983
Other property owned		–		–
Total nonperforming assets	\$	10,363	\$	8,983
Nonaccrual loans as a percentage of total loans		1.42%		1.05%
Nonperforming assets as a percentage of total loans and other property owned		1.91%		1.72%
Nonperforming assets as a percentage of capital		8.76%		8.28%

The following table presents information related to the recorded investment of impaired loans at period end. Impaired loans are loans for which it is probable that all principal and interest will not be collected according to the contractual terms of the loan.

	September 30, 2019		December 31, 2018	
Impaired nonaccrual loans:				
Current as to principal and interest	\$	4,860	\$	519
Past due		2,826		4,960
Total	\$	7,686	\$	5,479
Impaired accrual loans:				
Restructured	\$	2,677	\$	3,504
90 days or more past due		–		–
Total	\$	2,677	\$	3,504
Total impaired loans	\$	10,363	\$	8,983
Additional commitments to lend	\$	–	\$	3

The following tables present additional impaired loan information at period end. Unpaid principal balance represents the contractual principal balance of the loan.

Impaired loans:	September 30, 2019			Three Months Ended September 30, 2019		Nine Months Ended September 30, 2019	
	Recorded Investment	Unpaid Principal Balance	Related Allowance	Average Impaired Loans	Interest Income Recognized on Impaired Loans	Average Impaired Loans	Interest Income Recognized on Impaired Loans
With a related allowance for credit losses:							
Real estate mortgage	\$ 2,670	\$ 3,652	\$ 138	\$ 2,701	\$ –	\$ 2,601	\$ 9
Production and intermediate-term	4,910	5,743	305	4,967	–	4,784	17
Farm-related business	106	168	8	107	–	103	–
Total	\$ 7,686	\$ 9,563	\$ 451	\$ 7,775	\$ –	\$ 7,488	\$ 26
With no related allowance for credit losses:							
Real estate mortgage	\$ 1,950	\$ 1,937	\$ –	\$ 1,973	\$ –	\$ 1,900	\$ 7
Production and intermediate-term	727	721	–	735	–	708	2
Farm-related business	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total	\$ 2,677	\$ 2,658	\$ –	\$ 2,708	\$ –	\$ 2,608	\$ 9
Total impaired loans:							
Real estate mortgage	\$ 4,620	\$ 5,589	\$ 138	\$ 4,674	\$ –	\$ 4,501	\$ 16
Production and intermediate-term	5,637	6,464	305	5,702	–	5,492	19
Farm-related business	106	168	8	107	–	103	–
Total	\$ 10,363	\$ 12,221	\$ 451	\$ 10,483	\$ –	\$ 10,096	\$ 35

	December 31, 2018			Year Ended December 31, 2018	
	Recorded Investment	Unpaid Principal Balance	Related Allowance	Average Impaired Loans	Interest Income Recognized on Impaired Loans
Impaired loans:					
With a related allowance for credit losses:					
Real estate mortgage	\$ 1,085	\$ 1,921	\$ 55	\$ 829	\$ 52
Production and intermediate-term	4,168	4,678	251	3,183	200
Farm-related business	226	251	34	172	11
Total	\$ 5,479	\$ 6,850	\$ 340	\$ 4,184	\$ 263
With no related allowance for credit losses:					
Real estate mortgage	\$ 2,196	\$ 2,190	\$ –	\$ 1,676	\$ 105
Production and intermediate-term	1,308	1,332	–	999	62
Farm-related business	–	–	–	–	–
Total	\$ 3,504	\$ 3,522	\$ –	\$ 2,675	\$ 167
Total impaired loans:					
Real estate mortgage	\$ 3,281	\$ 4,111	\$ 55	\$ 2,505	\$ 157
Production and intermediate-term	5,476	6,010	251	4,182	262
Farm-related business	226	251	34	172	11
Total	\$ 8,983	\$ 10,372	\$ 340	\$ 6,859	\$ 430

A summary of changes in the allowance for loan losses and recorded investment in loans for each reporting period follows:

	Real Estate Mortgage	Production and Intermediate-term	Agribusiness*	Power and Water/Waste Disposal	Rural Residential Real Estate	Total
Activity related to the allowance for credit losses:						
Balance at June 30, 2019	\$ 3,086	\$ 2,638	\$ 270	\$ 1	\$ 7	\$ 6,002
Charge-offs	(65)	–	–	–	–	(65)
Recoveries	1	1	–	–	–	2
Provision for loan losses	344	(313)	225	6	5	267
Balance at September 30, 2019	\$ 3,366	\$ 2,326	\$ 495	\$ 7	\$ 12	\$ 6,206
Balance at December 31, 2018	\$ 3,269	\$ 2,718	\$ 284	\$ 1	\$ 7	\$ 6,279
Charge-offs	(122)	–	–	–	–	(122)
Recoveries	1	30	–	–	–	31
Provision for loan losses	218	(422)	211	6	5	18
Balance at September 30, 2019	\$ 3,366	\$ 2,326	\$ 495	\$ 7	\$ 12	\$ 6,206
Balance at June 30, 2018	\$ 2,831	\$ 2,625	\$ 317	\$ 1	\$ 7	\$ 5,781
Charge-offs	–	–	–	–	–	–
Recoveries	–	1	–	–	–	1
Provision for loan losses	354	(93)	(3)	–	4	262
Balance at September 30, 2018	\$ 3,185	\$ 2,533	\$ 314	\$ 1	\$ 11	\$ 6,044
Balance at December 31, 2017	\$ 2,902	\$ 2,705	\$ 326	\$ –	\$ 8	\$ 5,941
Charge-offs	–	–	–	–	–	–
Recoveries	–	3	–	–	–	3
Provision for loan losses	283	(175)	(12)	1	3	100
Balance at September 30, 2018	\$ 3,185	\$ 2,533	\$ 314	\$ 1	\$ 11	\$ 6,044
Allowance on loans evaluated for impairment:						
Individually	\$ 138	\$ 305	\$ 8	\$ –	\$ –	\$ 451
Collectively	3,228	2,021	487	7	12	5,755
Balance at September 30, 2019	\$ 3,366	\$ 2,326	\$ 495	\$ 7	\$ 12	\$ 6,206
Individually	\$ 55	\$ 251	\$ 34	\$ –	\$ –	\$ 340
Collectively	3,214	2,467	250	1	7	5,939
Balance at December 31, 2018	\$ 3,269	\$ 2,718	\$ 284	\$ 1	\$ 7	\$ 6,279
Recorded investment in loans evaluated for impairment:						
Individually	\$ 2,670	\$ 4,910	\$ 106	\$ –	\$ –	\$ 7,686
Collectively	236,398	203,335	94,612	2,087	1,756	538,188
Balance at September 30, 2019	\$ 239,068	\$ 208,245	\$ 94,718	\$ 2,087	\$ 1,756	\$ 545,874
Individually	\$ 3,129	\$ 5,480	\$ 226	\$ –	\$ –	\$ 8,835
Collectively	228,968	203,778	82,233	677	1,600	517,256
Balance at December 31, 2018	\$ 232,097	\$ 209,258	\$ 82,459	\$ 677	\$ 1,600	\$ 526,091

*Includes the loan types: Loans to cooperatives, Processing and marketing, and Farm-related business.

A restructuring of a debt constitutes a troubled debt restructuring (TDR) if the creditor for economic or legal reasons related to the debtor's financial difficulties grants a concession to the debtor that it would not otherwise consider. The following tables present additional information about pre-modification and post-modification outstanding recorded investment and the effects of the modifications that occurred during the periods presented. There were no new TDRS that occurred during the three months ended September 30, 2019.

Outstanding Recorded Investment	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2019				Charge-offs
	Interest Concessions	Principal Concessions	Other Concessions	Total	
Pre-modification:					
Real estate mortgage	\$ 53	\$ 811	\$ –	\$ 864	
Production and intermediate-term	36	576	–	612	
Total	\$ 89	\$ 1,387	\$ –	\$ 1,476	
Post-modification:					
Real estate mortgage	\$ 53	\$ 812	\$ –	\$ 865	\$
Production and intermediate-term	36	576	–	612	
Total	\$ 89	\$ 1,388	\$ –	\$ 1,477	\$

Outstanding Recorded Investment	Three Months Ended September 30, 2018				Charge-offs
	Interest Concessions	Principal Concessions	Other Concessions	Total	
Pre-modification:					
Real estate mortgage	\$ –	\$ 1,064	\$ 239	\$ 1,303	
Production and intermediate-term	136	762	239	1,137	
Farm-related business	47	–	–	47	
Total	\$ 183	\$ 1,826	\$ 478	\$ 2,487	
Post-modification:					
Real estate mortgage	\$ –	\$ 1,064	\$ 239	\$ 1,303	\$ –
Production and intermediate-term	136	762	239	1,137	–
Farm-related business	47	–	–	47	–
Total	\$ 183	\$ 1,826	\$ 478	\$ 2,487	\$ –

Outstanding Recorded Investment	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2018				Charge-offs
	Interest Concessions	Principal Concessions	Other Concessions	Total	
Pre-modification:					
Real estate mortgage	\$ –	\$ 1,673	\$ 239	\$ 1,912	
Production and intermediate-term	136	768	239	1,143	
Farm-related business	47	–	–	47	
Total	\$ 183	\$ 2,441	\$ 478	\$ 3,102	
Post-modification:					
Real estate mortgage	\$ –	\$ 1,673	\$ 239	\$ 1,912	\$ –
Production and intermediate-term	136	768	239	1,143	–
Farm-related business	47	–	–	47	–
Total	\$ 183	\$ 2,441	\$ 478	\$ 3,102	\$ –

Interest concessions may include interest forgiveness or interest deferment. Principal concessions may include principal forgiveness, principal deferment, or maturity extension. Other concessions may include additional compensation received which might be in the form of cash or other assets.

The following table presents outstanding recorded investment for TDRs that occurred during the previous twelve months and for which there was a subsequent payment default during the period. Payment default is defined as a payment that was thirty days or more past due.

Defaulted troubled debt restructurings:	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2019	2018	2019	2018
Real estate mortgage	\$ –	\$ 241	\$ –	\$ 241
Production and intermediate-term	–	161	–	161
Total	\$ –	\$ 402	\$ –	\$ 402

The following table provides information at period end on outstanding loans restructured in troubled debt restructurings. These loans are included as impaired loans in the impaired loan table:

	Total TDRs		Nonaccrual TDRs	
	September 30, 2019	December 31, 2018	September 30, 2019	December 31, 2018
Real estate mortgage	\$ 2,996	\$ 2,869	\$ 1,046	\$ 673
Production and intermediate-term	1,434	1,547	707	239
Farm-related business	17	45	17	45
Total loans	\$ 4,447	\$ 4,461	\$ 1,770	\$ 957
Additional commitments to lend	\$ —	\$ 3		

The following table presents information as of period end:

	September 30, 2019
Carrying amount of foreclosed residential real estate properties held as a result of obtaining physical possession	\$ —
Recorded investment of consumer mortgage loans secured by residential real estate for which formal foreclosure proceedings are in process	\$ —

Note 3 — Capital

Please see the 2018 Annual Report to Shareholders, particularly Note 7 *Members' Equity*, for a description of the Association's capitalization policies. The Association's requirement for purchased equities (stock and participation certificates) is presently the legal minimum of 2.0 percent of the loan not to exceed \$1 thousand.

The patronage distribution for 2018 was \$6.101 million and was distributed 100 percent in cash on April 4, 2019. A special mid-year patronage of \$1.848 million was declared in August 2018 and was distributed 100 percent in cash on October 26, 2018. A year-end patronage distribution program is also in effect for 2019. The amount of the year-end patronage distribution for 2019 will depend on financial results for the year as a whole and is therefore not known with certainty at this time. Management believes it is probable that the 2019 patronage distribution will be paid 100 percent in cash.

Note 4 — Fair Value Measurement

Fair value is defined as the exchange price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants in the principal or most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

Accounting guidance establishes a hierarchy for disclosure of fair value measurements to maximize the use of observable inputs, that is, inputs that reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing an asset or liability based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. The hierarchy is based upon the transparency of inputs to the valuation of an asset or liability as of the measurement date. A financial instrument's categorization within the hierarchy tiers is based upon the lowest level of input that is

significant to the fair value measurement. The classifications within the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

Level 1 inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets.

Level 2 inputs include quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets; quoted prices in markets that are not active; and inputs that are observable, or can be corroborated, for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 inputs are unobservable and supported by little or no market activity. Valuation is determined using pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies, or similar techniques, and could include significant management judgment or estimation. Level 3 assets and liabilities also could include instruments whose price has been adjusted based on dealer quoted pricing that is different than the third-party valuation or internal model pricing.

For a complete discussion of the inputs and other assumptions considered in assigning various assets and liabilities to the fair value hierarchy levels, see Note 8, *Fair Value Measurement* in the 2018 Annual Report to Shareholders.

There were no Level 3 assets or liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis for the periods presented. The Association had no transfers of assets or liabilities into or out of Level 1 or Level 2 during the periods presented.

Fair values are estimated at each period end date for assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis. Other Financial Instruments are not measured at fair value in the statement of financial position, but their fair values are estimated as of each period end date. The following tables summarize the carrying amounts of these assets and liabilities at period end, and their related fair values.

		September 30, 2019				
		Total Carrying Amount	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total Fair Value
Recurring Measurements						
Assets:						
Recurring Assets	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Liabilities:						
Recurring Liabilities	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Nonrecurring Measurements						
Assets:						
Impaired loans	\$	7,235	\$	-	\$	7,235
Other property owned		-		-		-
Nonrecurring Assets	\$	7,235	\$	-	\$	7,235
Other Financial Instruments						
Assets:						
Cash	\$	49	\$	49	\$	-
Loans		529,579		-		542,610
Other Financial Assets	\$	529,628	\$	49	\$	542,610
Liabilities:						
Notes payable to CoBank	\$	448,869	\$	-	\$	450,365
Other Financial Liabilities	\$	448,869	\$	-	\$	450,365
		December 31, 2018				
		Total Carrying Amount	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total Fair Value
Recurring Measurements						
Assets:						
Recurring Assets	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Liabilities:						
Recurring Liabilities	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Nonrecurring Measurements						
Assets:						
Impaired loans	\$	5,139	\$	-	\$	5,139
Other property owned		-		-		-
Nonrecurring Assets	\$	5,139	\$	-	\$	5,139
Other Financial Instruments						
Assets:						
Cash	\$	90	\$	90	\$	-
Loans		512,327		-		523,810
Other Financial Assets	\$	512,417	\$	90	\$	523,810
Liabilities:						
Notes payable to CoBank	\$	431,926	\$	-	\$	429,828
Other Financial Liabilities	\$	431,926	\$	-	\$	429,828

SENSITIVITY TO CHANGES IN SIGNIFICANT UNOBSERVABLE INPUTS

Discounted cash flow or similar modeling techniques are generally used to determine the recurring fair value measurements for Level 3 assets and liabilities. Use of these techniques requires determination of relevant inputs and assumptions, some of which represent significant unobservable inputs as indicated in the tables that follow. Accordingly, changes in these unobservable inputs may have a significant impact on fair value.

Certain of these unobservable inputs will (in isolation) have a directionally consistent impact on the fair value of the instrument for a given change in that input. Alternatively, the fair value of the instrument may move in an opposite direction for a given change in another input. Where multiple inputs are used within the valuation technique of an asset or liability, a change in one input in a certain direction may be offset by an opposite change in another input having a potentially muted impact to the overall fair value of that particular instrument. Additionally, a change in one unobservable input may result in a change to another unobservable input (that is, changes in certain inputs are interrelated with one another), which may counteract or magnify the fair value impact.

Inputs to Valuation Techniques

Management determines the Association's valuation policies and procedures. The Bank performs the majority of the Association's valuations. The fair value measurements are analyzed on a quarterly basis. For other valuations, documentation is obtained for third party information, such as pricing, and periodically evaluated alongside internal information and pricing that is available.

Quoted market prices are generally not available for the instruments presented below. Accordingly fair values are based on judgments regarding anticipated cash flows, future expected loss experience, current economic conditions, risk characteristics of various financial instruments, and other factors. These estimates involve uncertainties and matters of judgment, and therefore cannot be determined with precision. Changes in assumptions could significantly affect the estimates.

Quantitative Information about Recurring and Nonrecurring Level 3 Fair Value Measurements

	Fair Value	Valuation Technique(s)	Unobservable Input	Range
Impaired loans and other property owned	\$ 7,235	Appraisal	Income and expense	*
			Comparable sales	*
			Replacement cost	*
			Comparability adjustments	*

* Ranges for this type of input are not useful because each collateral property is unique.

Information about Other Financial Instrument Fair Value Measurements

	Valuation Technique(s)	Input
Cash	Carrying value	Par/principal and appropriate interest yield
Loans	Discounted cash flow	Prepayment forecasts Probability of default Loss severity
Notes payable to CoBank, ACB	Discounted cash flow	Prepayment forecasts Probability of default Loss severity

Note 5 — Commitments and Contingent Liabilities

From time to time, legal actions are pending against the Association in which claims for money damages are asserted. On at least a quarterly basis, the Association assesses its liabilities and contingencies in connection with outstanding legal proceedings utilizing the latest information available. While the outcome of legal proceedings is inherently uncertain, on the basis of information presently available, management, after consultation with legal counsel, is of the opinion that the ultimate liability, if any, from these actions, would not be material in relation to the financial position of the Association. Because it is not probable that the Association will incur a loss or the loss is not estimable, no liability has been recorded for any claims that may be pending.

Note 6 — Subsequent Events

The Association evaluated subsequent events and determined there were none requiring additional disclosure through November 7, 2019, which was the date the consolidated financial statements were issued.

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