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Forward Looking Statements:

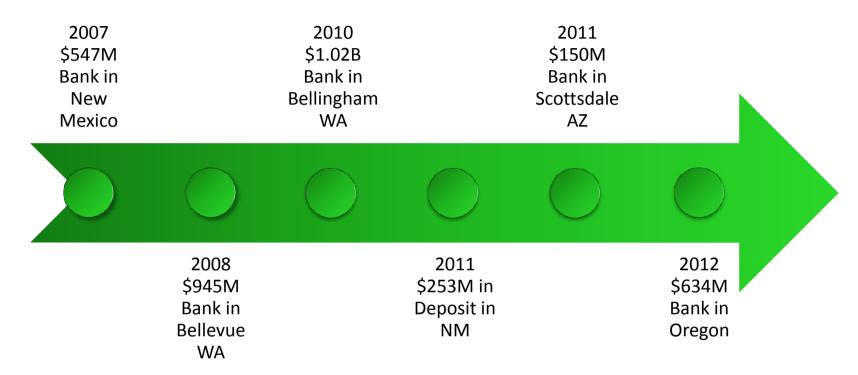
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Company Profile:

- Since 1917
- 188 Branches in Eight Western States
- Consumer Lending
- Commercial Real Estate
- Business Banking
- Strong Capital, High Asset Quality, Low-cost provider
- Portfolio Lender
- Profitable every year since 1982 IPO
- 17 Acquisitions since IPO
- Largest Bank Headquartered in Pacific Northwest



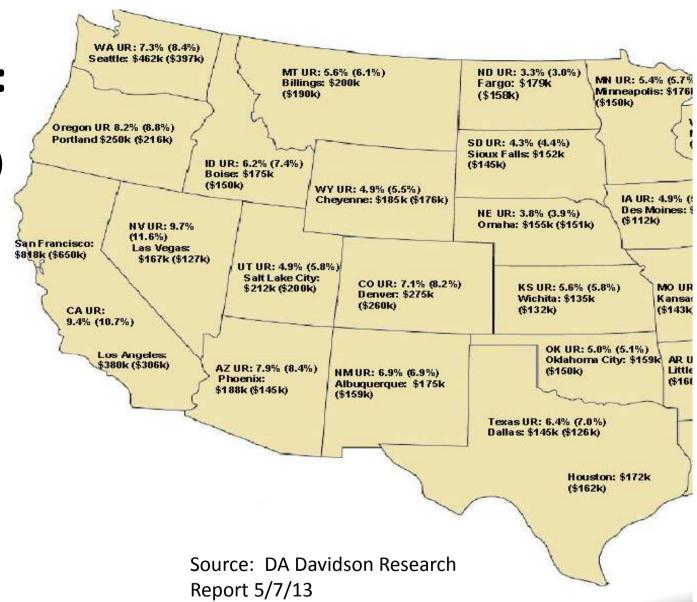
History of Acquisitions:

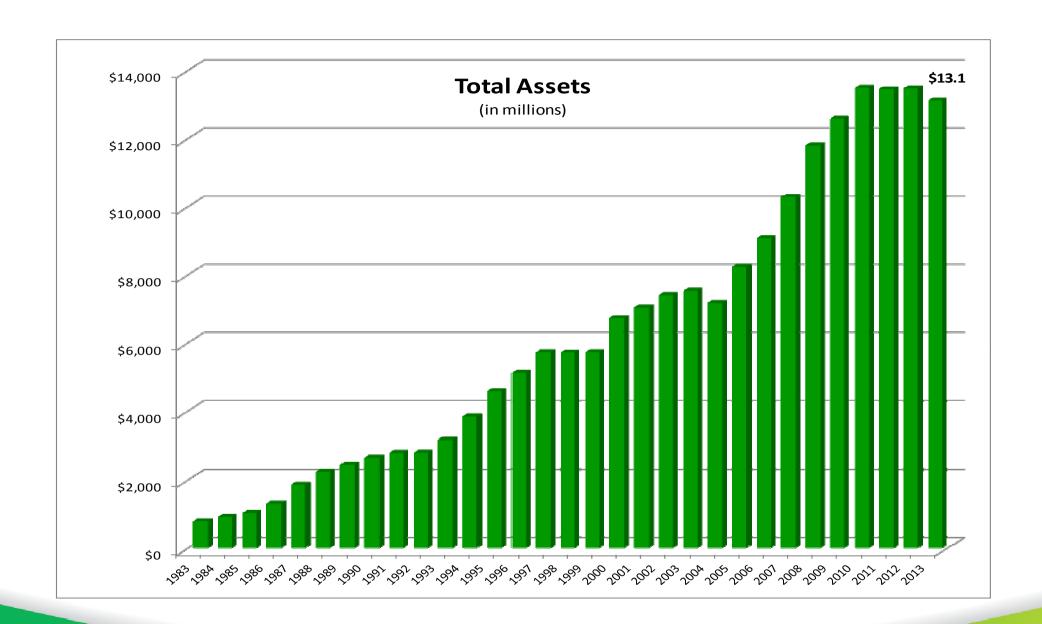


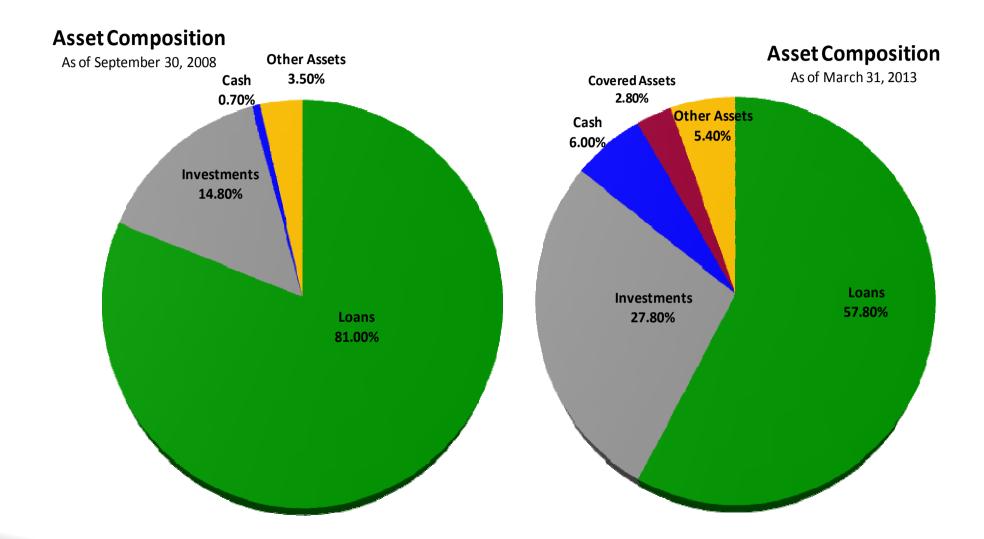
Since going public in 1982, we have successfully integrated 17 acquisitions.

Market Updates:

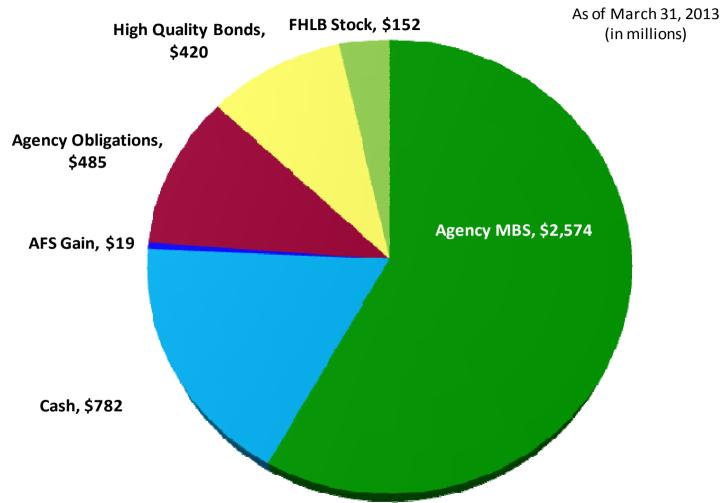
Current vs. Prior Year Unemployment Rate (UR) Median Home Price

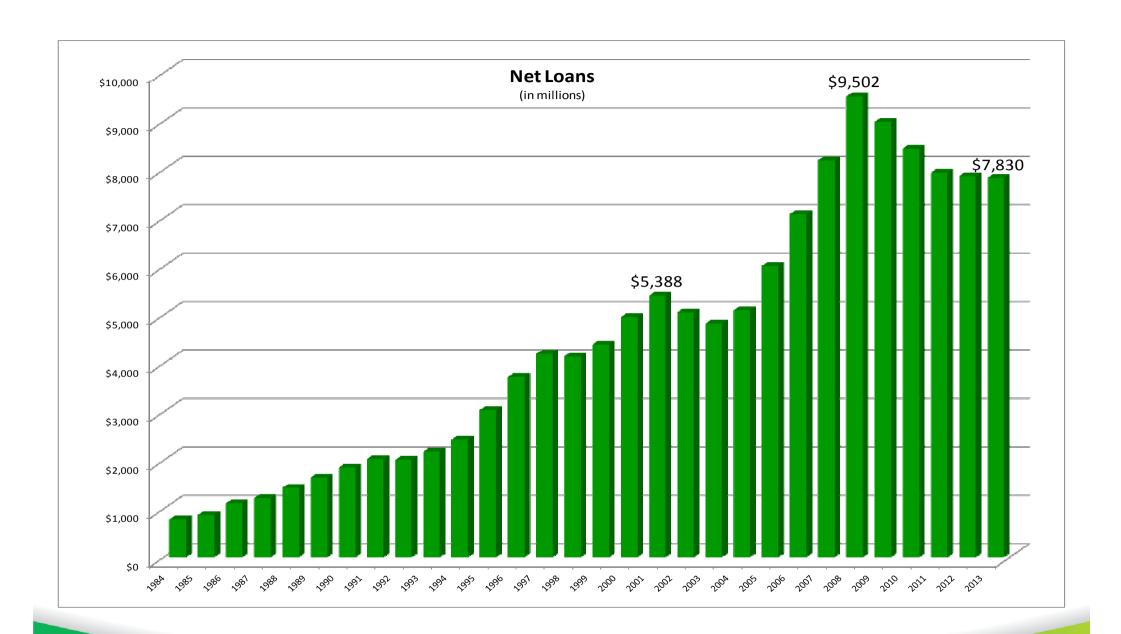




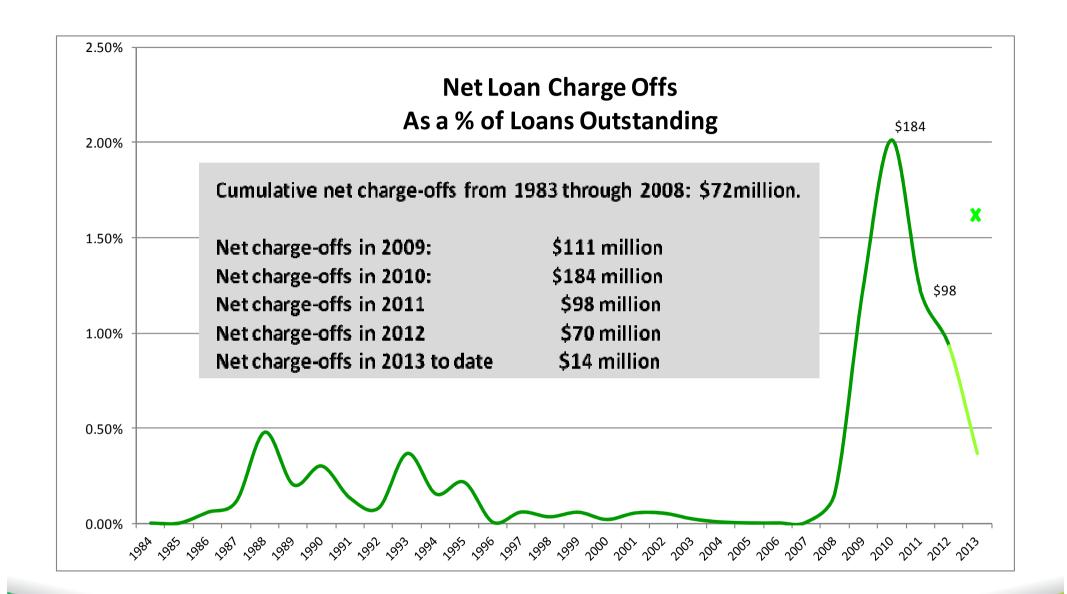


Investments As of March 31, 2013





	3/31/2013		9/30/2008			
Gross Loan Portfolio by Category	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>%</u>	\$ Change	% Change
Single-Family Residential	\$ 5,454,807	66.0%	\$ 6,868,956	69.3%	\$ (1,414,149)	-20.6%
Construction - Speculative	124,040	1.5%	439,616	4.4%	(315,576)	-71.8%
Construction - Custom	218,546	2.6%	317,894	3.2%	(99,348)	-31.3%
Land - Acquisition & Development	135,831	1.6%	724,421	7.3%	(588,590)	-81.2%
Land - Consumer Lot Loans	134,812	1.6%	210,816	2.1%	(76,004)	-36.1%
Multi-Family	765,050	9.3%	683,508	6.9%	81,542	11.9%
Commercial Real Estate	878,851	10.6%	282,138	2.8%	596,713	211.5%
Commercial & Industrial	332,353	4.0%	151,844	1.5%	180,509	118.9%
HELOC	156,034	1.9%	80,407	0.8%	75,627	94.1%
Consumer	66,973	0.8%	153,072	1.5%	(86,099)	-56.2%
	8,267,297	<u>100%</u>	9,912,672	<u>100%</u>	(1,645,375)	-16.6%



Accounting Guidance:

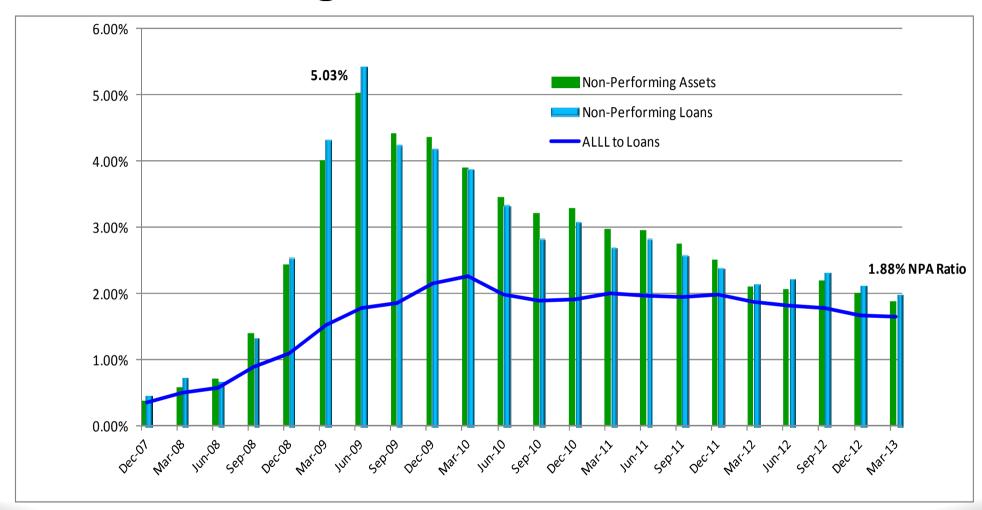
A modification is a Troubled Debt Restructuring if:

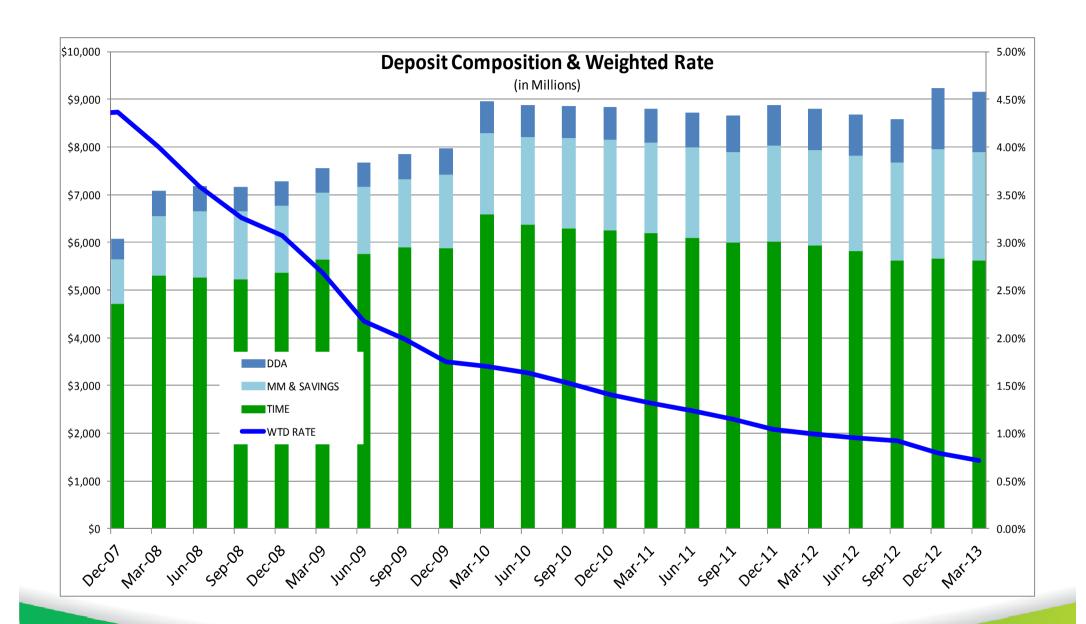
- 1) Borrower is experiencing financial difficulties.
- 2) A concession is made.

Most importantly – Current GAAP says <u>once a TDR</u>, <u>always a TDR</u>.

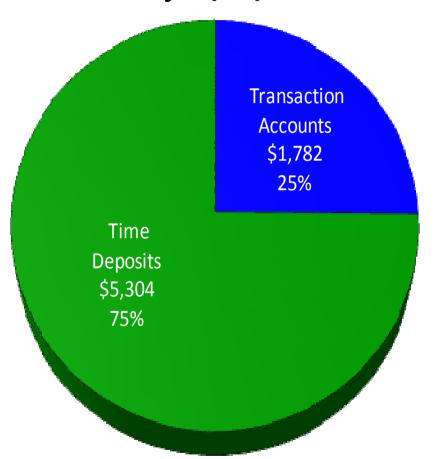
Total TDR's as of 03/31/13			
	Balance		
Performing TDR's	\$ 379,637,185	91.1%	
Perf. Del 30 to 90 days	15,439,394	3.7%	
Non-Performing TDR's	21,760,921	5.2%	
Total TDR's	416,837,501	100%	
Performing TDR's			
Month	ns since Modification		
3 Mo	51,150,196	13.5%	
6 Mo	24,702,325	6.5%	
9 Mo	40,884,934	10.8%	
12 Mo	56,220,141	14.8%	
15 Mo	41,696,977	11.0%	
18 Mo	41,042,381	10.8%	
Over 18 Mo	123,940,232	32.6%	
Total Current TDR's	379,637,185	100%	

Non-Performing Assets & Allowance Trends:

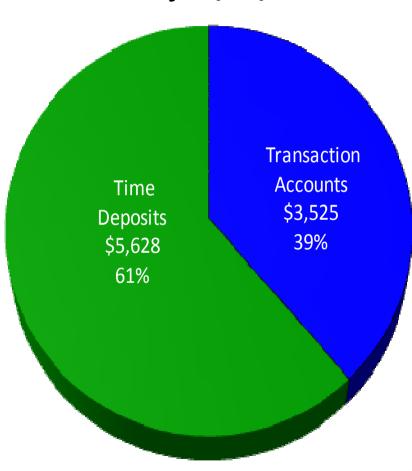




Deposit Compostion As of 03/31/2008



Deposit Composition As of 03/31/2013



Capita	l – Mar	ket Com	nparison:
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Common (in Billions) **Tangible Eqty/Tang** Total **Asset** TCE / TA Assts (%) **RANK Company Name Assets** Rank **Assets** JPMorgan Chase & Co. 2,359.1 2,309.0 93 6.67 Bank of America Corp. 2,210.0 2,135.0 7.59 79 3 Citigroup Inc. 1,864.7 1.835.2 8.80 51 Wells Fargo & Co. 1,423.0 1,390.2 9.07 43 4 Bank of New York Mellon Corp. 359.0 5 336.1 4.28 99 353.9 343.7 8.76 54 U.S. Bancorp 6 8.68 Capital One Financial Corp. 312.9 298.3 56 PNC Financial Services Group 8 10.82 18 305.1 295.3 State Street Corp. 222.6 9 214.1 5.77 98 HSBC USA Inc. 196.6 10 194.3 8.03 68 Washington Federal, Inc. 58 12.9 13.0 13.1

Source: SNL as of March 2013.

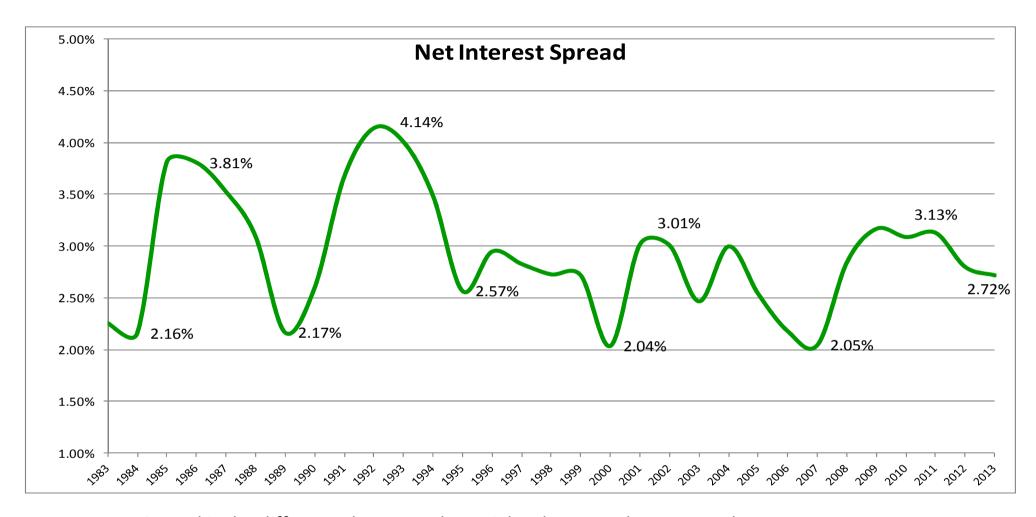
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Potential earnings power provided by excess capital

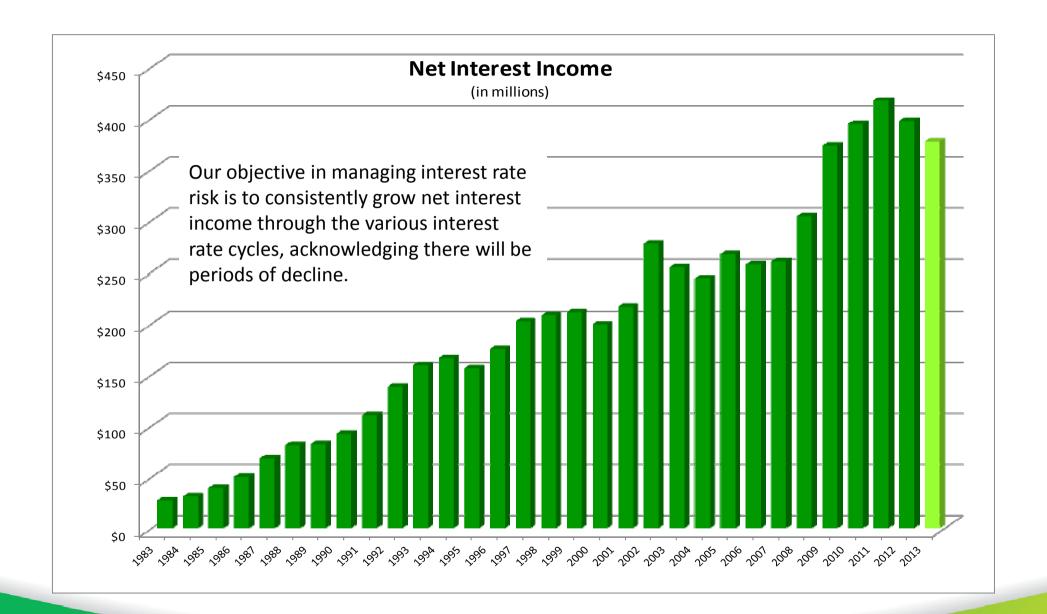
Т	CE Ratio	Total Assets	Incremental Assets
	11.00%	15,193,600	2,077,767
	10.00%	16,712,960	3,597,127
	9.00%	18,569,956	5,454,123
	8.00%	20,891,200	7,775,367

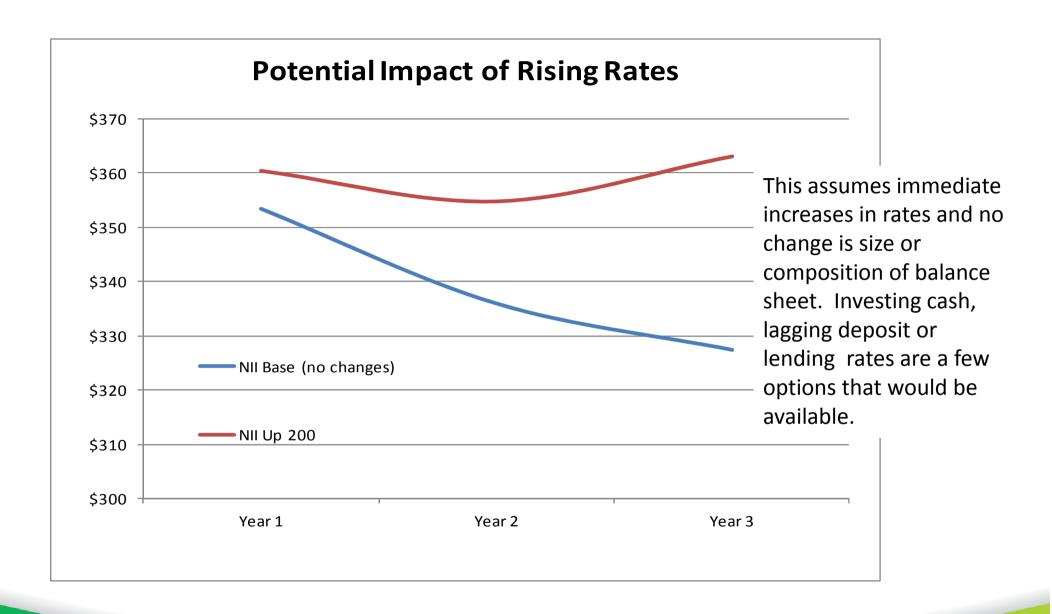
Earning Power			
Hypothetical Re 0.90 %	eturn on Increment 1.00%	tal Assets 1.10%	
18,700	20,778	22,855	
32,374	35,971	39,568	
49,087	54,541	59,995	
69 978	77 754	85 529	

Earning Power			
% Change in Earnings			
0.90%	1.00%	1.10%	
13%	15%	16%	
23%	25%	28%	
34%	38%	42%	
49%	55%	60%	



Net Interest Spread is the difference between the weighted averaged rate earned on assets and the weighted average rate paid on liabilities.

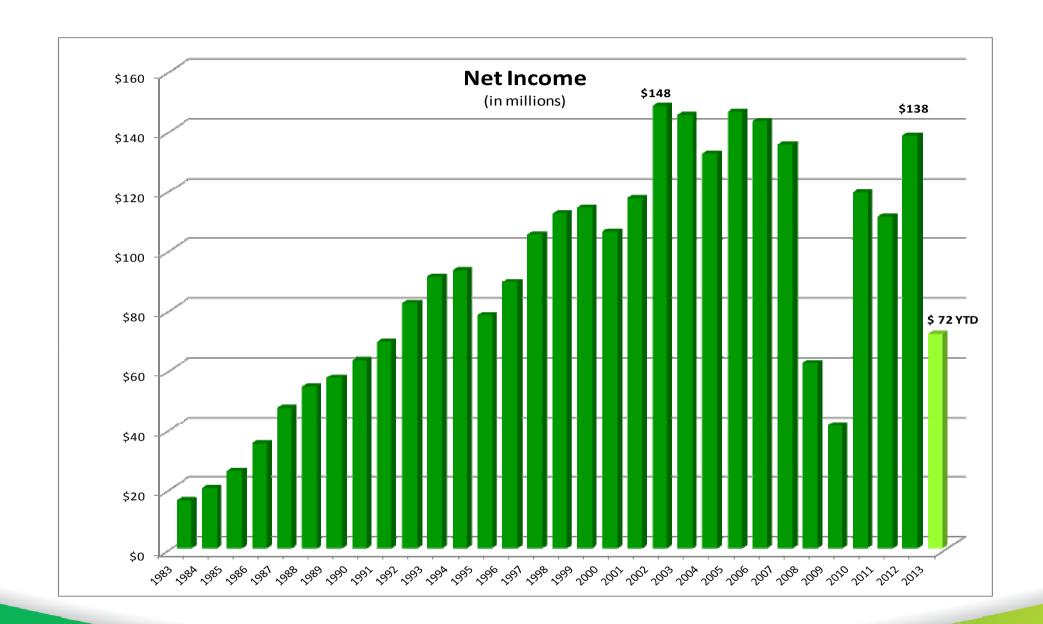


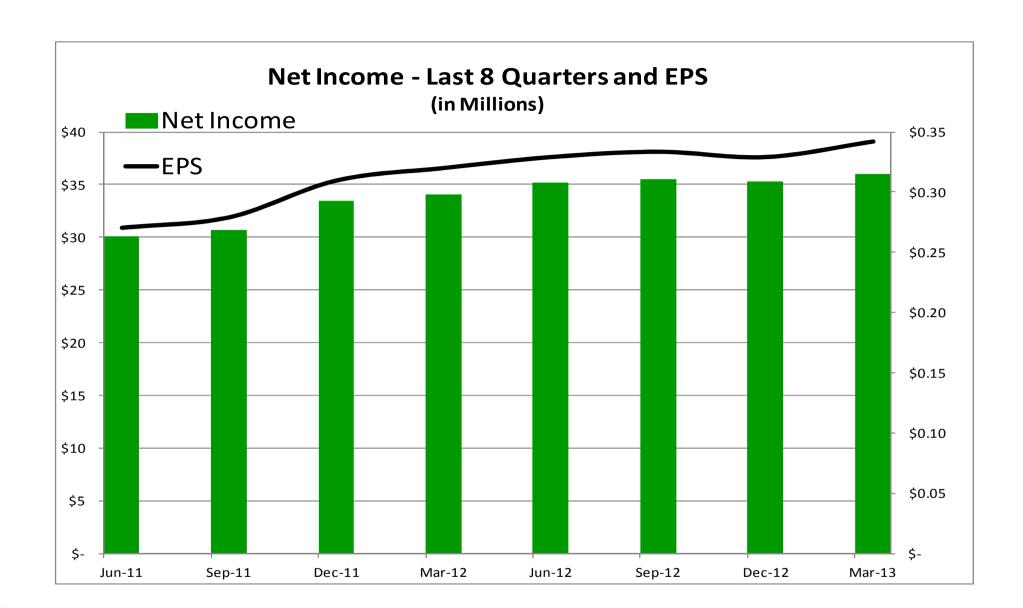


Efficiency:

	Peer Group Average* 03-31-13	Washington Federal 03-31-13
Efficiency Ratio	61.77%	41.55%
Operating Expenses to Average Assets	1.49%	1.26%

^{*100} Largest Public Banks and Thrifts - Source: SNL Financial





Performance Ratios:

	Peer Group Average* 3-31-13	Washington Federal 3-31-13
Return on Average Equity (ROE)	8.56%	7.49%
Return on Average Assets (ROA)	.97%	1.10%

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Returning Capital to Shareholders:

WAFD has paid 121 consecutive quarterly cash dividends.

Increased cash dividend \$.01 or 12.5% in March.

Current cash dividend of \$.09 provides a yield of 2.11% based on recent prices.

Year to date through March 31 the Company has returned 100% of net income to shareholders.

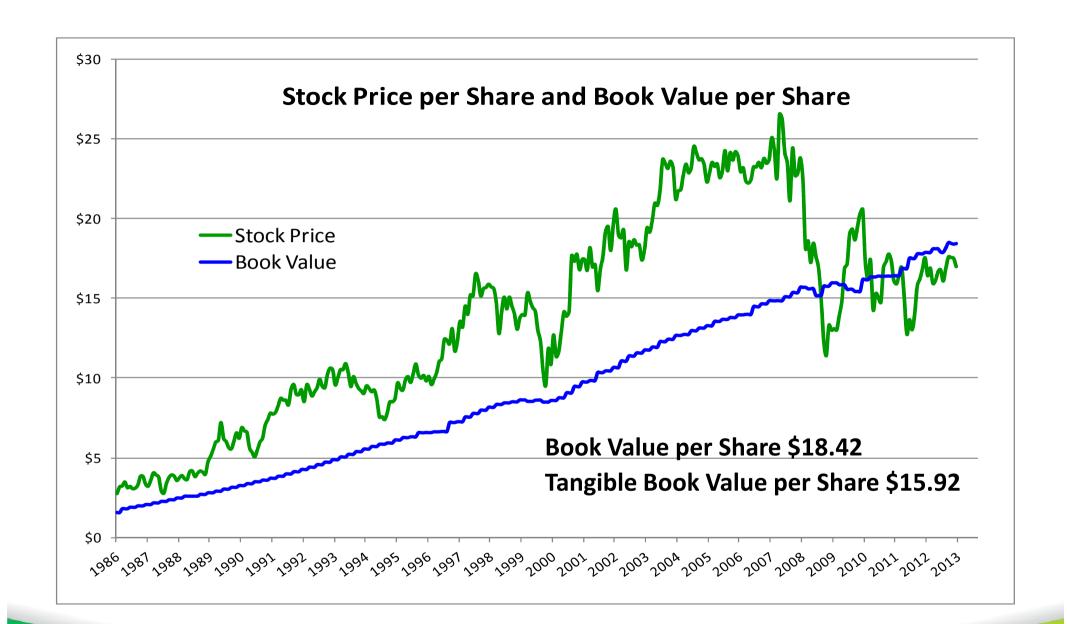
For the 3rd Quarter through May 2, we have repurchased 975,000 shares at a wtd avg price of \$16.56.

Application to Convert to National Bank:

No meaningful change in the way we do business today.

Why are we making the change:

- 1. National bank charter aligns best with our business plan
- 2. Perception in the market place
- 3. Regulation





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