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(Mark One)

[X] QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2018

or

[] TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from to

Commission file number 001-32964

THE FIRST OF LONG ISLAND CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York11-2672906(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

10 Glen Head Road, Glen Head, NY (Address of principal executive offices) (516) 671-4900 11545 (Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant: (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company," and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer Accelerated filer Non accelerated filer (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Emerging growth company Smaller reporting company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Yes No

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

Title of Each Class	Outstanding at July 31, 2018
Common stock, \$.10 par value per share	25,420,870

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PART 1. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (UNAUDITED)

(dollars in thousands)	June 30, 2018	December 31, 2017
Assets: Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 67,186	\$ 69,672
Investment securities: Held-to-maturity, at amortized cost (fair value of \$5,653 and \$7,749) Available-for-sale, at fair value	5,575 801,859 807,434	7,636 720,128 727,764
Loans: Commercial and industrial Secured by real estate:	103,490	109,623
Commercial mortgages Residential mortgages Home equity lines Consumer and other	1,273,470 1,792,213 78,746 6,690 3,254,609	1,193,007 1,558,564 83,625 5,533 2,950,352
Allowance for loan losses	(35,832) 3,218,777	(33,784) 2,916,568
Restricted stock, at cost Bank premises and equipment, net Bank-owned life insurance Pension plan assets, net Deferred income tax benefit Other assets	36,659 40,099 79,828 19,311 5,723 17,458 \$ 4,292,475	37,314 39,648 59,665 19,152 24,925 \$ 3,894,708
Liabilities: Deposits: Checking Savings, NOW and money market Time, \$100,000 and over Time, other	\$ 4,292,475 \$ 922,006 1,761,726 302,966 247,200 3,233,898	\$ 3,894,708 \$ 896,129 1,602,460 203,890 119,518 2,821,997
Short-term borrowings	255,907	281,141

Long-term debt	414,527	423,797
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	13,904	10,942
Deferred income taxes payable		2,381
	3,918,236	3,540,258
Stockholders' Equity:		
Common stock, par value \$.10 per share:		
Authorized, 80,000,000 shares;		
Issued and outstanding, 25,353,336 and 24,668,390 shares	2,535	2,467
Surplus	143,620	127,122
Retained earnings	238,447	224,315
	384,602	353,904
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax	(10,363)	546
	374,239	354,450
	\$ 4,292,475	\$ 3,894,708

See notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (UNAUDITED)

	Six Months Ended June 30,		Three Mor June 30,	onths Ended	
(in thousands, except per share data)	2018	2017	2018	2017	
Interest and dividend income:					
Loans	\$ 55,170	\$ 46,637	\$ 28,506	\$ 23,718	
Investment securities:					
Taxable	5,210	4,077	3,001	1,875	
Nontaxable	6,870	6,754	3,439	3,377	
	67,250	57,468	34,946	28,970	
Interest expense:					
Savings, NOW and money market deposits	5,698	3,065	3,158	1,574	
Time deposits	4,577	2,549	2,869	1,361	
Short-term borrowings	1,656	729	873	340	
Long-term debt	4,278	3,672	2,161	1,902	
	16,209	10,015	9,061	5,177	
Net interest income	51,041	47,453	25,885	23,793	
Provision for loan losses	2,315	2,081	803	1,293	
Net interest income after provision for loan losses	48,726	45,372	25,082	22,500	
Noninterest income:					
Investment Management Division income	1,157	1,050	576	528	
Service charges on deposit accounts	1,287	1,394	587	691	
Net gains on sales of securities		58		1	
Other	3,527	2,633	1,516	1,462	
	5,971	5,135	2,679	2,682	
Noninterest expense:					
Salaries	14,299	12,469	7,252	6,241	
Employee benefits and other personnel expense	4,415	3,650	2,245	1,812	
Occupancy and equipment	5,878	5,021	3,065	2,500	
Other	5,983	5,675	3,145	2,915	
	30,575	26,815	15,707	13,468	
Income before income taxes	24,122	23,692	12,054	11,714	
Income tax expense	2,696	5,478	1,739	2,581	
Net income	\$ 21,426	\$ 18,214	\$ 10,315	\$ 9,133	
Earnings per share:					
Basic	\$.85	\$.76	\$.41	\$.38	
Diluted	.84	.75	.40	.37	
Cash dividends declared per share	.30	.28	.15	.14	

See notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (UNAUDITED)

	Six Months	Ended	Three Months Ended		
	June 30,		June 30,		
(in thousands)	2018	2017	2018	2017	
Net income	\$ 21,426	\$ 18,214	\$ 10,315	\$ 9,133	
Other comprehensive income (loss):					
Change in net unrealized holding gains (losses) on					
available-for-sale securities	(14,828)	5,351	(3,094)	4,280	
Change in funded status of pension plan		9		4	
Change in net unrealized loss on derivative instrument	(406)		(406)		
Other comprehensive income (loss) before income taxes	(15,234)	5,360	(3,500)	4,284	
Income tax expense (benefit)	(4,602)	2,250	(1,054)	1,798	
Other comprehensive income (loss)	(10,632)	3,110	(2,446)	2,486	
Comprehensive income	\$ 10,794	\$ 21,324	\$ 7,869	\$ 11,619	

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY (UNAUDITED)

Six Months Ended June 30, 2018

					Ot	her		
	Common St	ock		Retained	Co	omprehensive		
(dollars in thousands)	Shares	Amount	Surplus	Earnings	Inc	come (Loss)	T	otal
Balance, January 1, 2018	24,668,390	\$ 2,467	\$ 127,122	\$ 224,315	\$	546	\$	354,450
Net income				21,426				21,426
Other comprehensive loss						(10,632)		(10,632)
Reclassification of stranded								
tax effects upon the adoption								
of ASU 2018-02				277		(277)		
Shares withheld upon the vesting								
and conversion of RSUs	(25,735)	(3)	(730)					(733)
Common stock issued under								
stock compensation plans	118,900	12	172					184
Common stock issued under								
dividend reinvestment and								
stock purchase plan	591,781	59	15,795					15,854
Stock-based compensation			1,261					1,261
Cash dividends declared				(7,571)				(7,571)
Balance, June 30, 2018	25,353,336	\$ 2,535	\$ 143,620	\$ 238,447	\$	(10,363)	\$	374,239
stock compensation plans Common stock issued under dividend reinvestment and stock purchase plan Stock-based compensation Cash dividends declared	591,781	59	15,795 1,261	,	\$	(10,363)	\$	15,854 1,261 (7,571)

Six Months Ended June 30, 2017

					Other	
	Common St	ock		Retained	Comprehensive	
(dollars in thousands)	Shares	Amount	Surplus	Earnings	Income (Loss)	Total
Balance, January 1, 2017	23,699,107	\$ 2,370	\$ 101,738	\$ 203,326	\$ (1,604)	\$ 305,830
Net income				18,214		18,214
Other comprehensive income					3,110	3,110
Shares withheld upon the vesting						
and conversion of RSUs	(19,339)	(2)	(525)			(527)
Common stock issued under						
stock compensation plans	126,878	13	618			631
Common stock issued under						
dividend reinvestment and						

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stock purchase plan	322,620	32	8,407			8,439
Stock-based compensation			1,331			1,331
Cash dividends declared				(6,753)		(6,753)
Balance, June 30, 2017	24,129,266	\$ 2,413	\$ 111,569	\$ 214,787 \$	1,506	\$ 330,275

See notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

	Six Months I June 30,	Ended
(in thousands)	2018	2017
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:		
Net income	\$ 21,426	\$ 18,214
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Provision for loan losses	2,315	2,081
Credit for deferred income taxes	(3,502)	(348)
Depreciation and amortization	2,003	1,713
Premium amortization on investment securities, net	965	1,608
Net gains on sales of securities		(58)
Stock-based compensation expense	1,261	1,331
Common stock issued in lieu of cash for director fees	31	27
Accretion of cash surrender value on bank-owned life insurance	(1,025)	(745)
Net pension credit	(159)	(59)
Decrease (increase) in other assets	3,204	(676)
Increase (decrease) in accrued expenses and other liabilities	2,444	(501)
Net cash provided by operating activities	28,963	22,587
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:		
Proceeds from sales of investment securities:		
Held-to-maturity		355
Available-for-sale		40,011
Proceeds from maturities and redemptions of investment securities:		
Held-to-maturity	3,187	3,762
Available-for-sale	39,574	58,931
Purchases of investment securities:		
Held-to-maturity	(1,098)	(1,883)
Available-for-sale	(137,126)	(19,462)
Net increase in loans	(304,524)	(228,637)
Proceeds from sale of other real estate owned	5,125	
Net decrease in restricted stock	655	1,233
Purchases of premises and equipment, net	(2,454)	(3,006)
Purchases of bank-owned life insurance	(20,000)	(25,000)
Net cash used in investing activities	(416,661)	(173,696)
Cash Flows From Financing Activities:		
Net increase in deposits	411,901	206,891
Net decrease in short-term borrowings	(25,234)	(70,995)
Proceeds from long-term debt	39,680	42,050
Repayment of long-term debt	(48,950)	(8,900)
Proceeds from issuance of common stock, net	15,854	8,439
Proceeds from exercise of stock options	153	604
Shares withheld upon the vesting and conversion of RSUs	(733)	(527)
Cash dividends paid	(7,459)	(6,672)
Net cash provided by financing activities	385,212	170,890
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(2,486)	19,781

Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year Cash and cash equivalents, end of period Supplemental Cash Flow Disclosures:	69,672 \$ 67,186	36,929 \$ 56,710
Cash paid for:		
Interest	\$ 15,720	\$ 10,008
Income taxes	365	5,933
Noncash investing and financing activities:		
Cash dividends payable	3,910	3,449
See notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements		

NOTES TO UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accounting and reporting policies of The First of Long Island Corporation ("Corporation") reflect banking industry practice and conform to generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") in the United States. In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is required to make estimates, such as the allowance for loan losses, and assumptions that affect the reported asset and liability balances, revenue and expense amounts, and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results could differ significantly from those estimates.

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Corporation and its wholly-owned subsidiary, The First National Bank of Long Island ("Bank"). The Bank has two wholly owned subsidiaries: FNY Service Corp., an investment company, and The First of Long Island Agency, Inc. The Bank and FNY Service Corp. jointly own another subsidiary, The First of Long Island REIT, Inc., a real estate investment trust ("REIT"). The consolidated entity is referred to as the "Corporation" and the Bank and its subsidiaries are collectively referred to as the "Bank." All intercompany balances and amounts have been eliminated. For further information refer to the consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in the Corporation's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017.

The consolidated financial information included herein as of and for the periods ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 is unaudited. However, such information reflects all adjustments which are, in the opinion of management, necessary for a fair statement of results for the interim periods. The December 31, 2017 consolidated balance sheet was derived from the Corporation's December 31, 2017 audited consolidated financial statements. When appropriate, items in the prior year financial statements are reclassified to conform to the current period presentation.

2 - EARNINGS PER SHARE

The following table sets forth the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share ("EPS") for the periods indicated.

(dollars in thousands, except per share data) Net income

Six Months Ended		Three Months Ended			
June 30,		June 30,			
2018	2017	2018	2017		
\$ 21,426	\$ 18,214	\$ 10,315	\$ 9,133		

Income allocated to participating securities (1)	60	68	23	34
Income allocated to common stockholders	\$ 21,366	\$ 18,146	\$ 10,292	\$ 9,099
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Weighted average:				
Common shares	25,149,364	23,975,687	25,334,155	24,091,447
Dilutive stock options and restricted stock units (1)	188,918	257,063	173,661	249,901
	25,338,282	24,232,750	25,507,816	24,341,348
Earnings per share:				
Basic	\$.85	\$.76	\$.41	\$.38
Diluted	.84	.75	.40	.37

(1) Restricted stock units ("RSUs") awarded in 2016 accrue dividends at the same rate as the dividends declared by the Board of Directors on the Corporation's common stock. For purposes of computing EPS, these RSUs are considered to participate with common stock in the earnings of the Corporation and, therefore, the Corporation calculates basic and diluted EPS using the two-class method. Under the two-class method, net income for the period is allocated between common stockholders and participating securities according to dividends declared and participation rights in undistributed earnings. As a result, the RSUs awarded in 2016 are not included in the weighted average "dilutive stock options and restricted stock units" in the table above.

3 - COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Comprehensive income includes net income and other comprehensive income (loss). Other comprehensive income (loss) includes revenues, expenses, gains and losses that under GAAP are included in comprehensive income but excluded from net income. Other comprehensive income (loss) for the Corporation consists of unrealized holding gains or losses on available-for-sale securities and derivative instruments and changes in the funded status of the Bank's defined benefit pension plan, all net of related income taxes. Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) is recognized as a separate component of stockholders' equity.

The components of other comprehensive income (loss) and the related tax effects are as follows:

			Three Mor	nths
	Six Months	Ended	Ended	
	June 30,		June 30,	
(in thousands)	2018	2017	2018	2017
Change in net unrealized holding gains (losses) on				
available-for-sale securities:				
Change arising during the period	\$ (14,828)	\$ 5,408	\$ (3,094)	\$ 4,280
Reclassification adjustment for gains included in net income (1)	—	(57)		
	(14,828)	5,351	(3,094)	4,280
Tax effect	(4,480)	2,246	(932)	1,796
	(10,348)	3,105	(2,162)	2,484
Change in funded status of pension plan:				
Amortization of net actuarial loss included in net income (2)		9		4
Tax effect		4		2
		5		2
Change in net unrealized loss on derivative instrument:				
Change arising during the period	(496)		(496)	
Reclassification adjustment for net interest expense				
included in net income (3)	90		90	
	(406)		(406)	
Tax effect	(122)		(122)	
	(284)		(284)	—
Other comprehensive income (loss)	\$ (10,632)	\$ 3,110	\$ (2,446)	\$ 2,486

(1) Represents net realized gains arising from the sale of available-for-sale securities. The net realized gains are included in the consolidated statements of income in the line item, "Net gains on sales of securities." See "Note 4 - Investment Securities" for the income tax expense related to the net realized gains, which is included in the consolidated statements of income in the line item, "Income tax expense."

(2) Represents the amortization of net actuarial loss relating to the Corporation's defined benefit pension plan. This item is a component of net periodic pension cost (see "Note 7 – Defined Benefit Pension Plan").

(3) Represents the net interest expense recorded on a derivative transaction and included in the consolidated statements of income in the line item "Interest expense – short-term borrowings."

The following table sets forth the components of accumulated other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax:

Current Period Change due to						
Other Adoption						
of ASU	Balance					
2018-02 (1)	6/30/18					
\$ 361	\$ (7,387)					
(638)	(2,692)					
_	(284)					
\$ (277)	\$ (10,363)					
	Adoption of ASU 2018-02 (1) \$ 361 (638) 					

(1) The adoption of Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2018-02 "Reclassification of Certain Tax Effects from Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income" in the first quarter of 2018 allowed the Corporation to reclassify certain stranded tax effects arising from the enactment of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act ("Tax Act") in December 2017 from accumulated other comprehensive income to retained earnings. See "Note 11 – Adoption of New Accounting Standards" for more information regarding the effects of adopting ASU 2018-02.

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4 - INVESTMENT SECURITIES

The following tables set forth the amortized cost and estimated fair values of the Bank's investment securities.

	June 30, 2018						
		Gross Gross					
	Amortized	Unrealized	Unrealized	Fair			
(in thousands)	Cost	Gains	Losses	Value			
Held-to-Maturity Securities:							
State and municipals	\$ 5,060	\$ 55	\$ —	\$ 5,115			
Pass-through mortgage securities	295	17		312			
Collateralized mortgage obligations	220	6		226			
	\$ 5,575	\$ 78	\$ —	\$ 5,653			
Available-for-Sale Securities:							
State and municipals	\$ 461,047	\$ 4,833	\$ (5,444)	\$ 460,436			
Pass-through mortgage securities	74,603	24	(2,767)	71,860			
Collateralized mortgage obligations	276,781		(7,218)	269,563			
	\$ 812,431	\$ 4,857	\$ (15,429)	\$ 801,859			
	December 3	31, 2017					
Held-to-Maturity Securities:							
State and municipals	\$ 6,970	\$ 78	\$ —	\$ 7,048			
Pass-through mortgage securities	311	21	—	332			
Collateralized mortgage obligations	355	14		369			
	\$ 7,636	\$ 113	\$ —	\$ 7,749			
Available-for-Sale Securities:							
State and municipals	\$ 453,158	\$ 10,051	\$ (1,886)	\$ 461,323			
Pass-through mortgage securities	72,539	84	(1,232)	71,391			
Collateralized mortgage obligations	190,175	15	(2,776)	187,414			
	\$ 715,872	\$ 10,150	\$ (5,894)	\$ 720,128			

At June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, investment securities with a carrying value of \$460,671,000 and \$423,360,000, respectively, were pledged as collateral to secure public deposits and borrowed funds.

There were no holdings of any one issuer, other than the U.S. Government and its agencies, in an amount greater than 10% of stockholders' equity at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017.

Securities With Unrealized Losses. The following tables set forth securities with unrealized losses presented by the length of time the securities have been in a continuous unrealized loss position.

	June 30, 20 Less than 12 Months	18	12 Months or More		Total		
	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	
(in thousands)	Value	Loss	Value	Loss	Value	Loss	
State and municipals	\$ 153,335	\$ (2,896)	\$ 26,941	\$ (2,548)	\$ 180,276	\$ (5,444)	
Pass-through mortgage securities	19,588	(513)	47,729	(2,254)	67,317	(2,767)	
Collateralized mortgage obligations	211,754	(4,325)	57,754	(2,893)	269,508	(7,218)	
Total temporarily impaired	\$ 384,677	\$ (7,734)	\$ 132,424	\$ (7,695)	\$ 517,101	\$ (15,429)	
	December 3	31, 2017					
State and municipals	\$ 54,732	\$ (574)	\$ 28,723	\$ (1,312)	\$ 83,455	\$ (1,886)	
Pass-through mortgage securities	10,172	(81)	52,652	(1,151)	62,824	(1,232)	
Collateralized mortgage obligations	130,267	(1,230)	54,751	(1,546)	185,018	(2,776)	
Total temporarily impaired	\$ 195,171	\$ (1,885)	\$ 136,126	\$ (4,009)	\$ 331,297	\$ (5,894)	

Because the unrealized losses reflected in the preceding tables are deemed by management to be attributable to changes in interest rates and not credit losses, and because management does not have the intent to sell these securities and it is not more likely than not that it

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will be required to sell these securities before their anticipated recovery, the Bank does not consider these securities to be other-than-temporarily impaired at June 30, 2018.

Sales of Available-for-Sale Securities. Sales of available-for-sale securities were as follows:

	Three		
Six Months	Months		
Ended	Ended		
June 30,	June 30,		
2018 2017	2018 2017		
\$ \$ 40,011	\$ _\$ _		
\$ \$ 366	\$ _\$ _		
— (309)			
\$ \$ 57	\$ _\$ _		
	Ended June 30, 2018 2017 \$ \$ 40,011 \$ \$ 366 (309)		

Income tax expense related to the net realized gains for the six months ended June 30, 2017 was \$24,000.

Sales of Held-to-Maturity Securities. There were no sales of held-to-maturity securities during the six months ended June 30, 2018. During the second quarter of 2017, the Bank sold one municipal security that was classified as held-to-maturity. The sale was in response to a significant deterioration in the creditworthiness of the issuer. The security sold had a carrying value of \$354,000 at the time of sale and the Bank realized a gain upon sale of \$1,000.

Maturities. The following table sets forth by maturity the amortized cost and fair value of the Bank's state and municipal securities at June 30, 2018 based on the earlier of their stated maturity or, if applicable, their pre-refunded date. The remaining securities in the Bank's investment securities portfolio are mortgage-backed securities, consisting of pass-through mortgage securities and collateralized mortgage obligations. Although these securities are expected to have substantial periodic repayments they are reflected in the table below in aggregate amounts.

(in thousands)

Held-to-Maturity Securities:		
Within one year	\$ 2,988	\$ 2,995
After 1 through 5 years	2,072	2,120
After 5 through 10 years		
After 10 years		
Mortgage-backed securities	515	538
	\$ 5,575	\$ 5,653
Available-for-Sale Securities:		
Within one year	\$ 42,866	\$ 43,606
After 1 through 5 years	74,020	74,586
After 5 through 10 years	172,977	173,052
After 10 years	171,184	169,192
Mortgage-backed securities	351,384	341,423
	\$ 812,431	\$ 801,859

5 - LOANS

The following tables set forth by class of loans the amount of loans individually and collectively evaluated for impairment and the portion of the allowance for loan losses allocable to such loans.

	June 30, 2018							
	Loans		Allowance for Loan Losses					
	Individua	alGollectively	Individ Gadly ectively					
	Evaluate	d Eonaluated for	Ending	Evaluated afor Ending				
(in thousands)	Impairm	erImpairment	Balance	Balance Impairment				
Commercial and industrial	\$ 35	\$ 103,455	\$ 103,490	\$ _ \$	1,298	\$ 1,298		
Commercial mortgages:								
Multifamily		744,623	744,623		7,048	7,048		
Other		432,284	432,284		4,768	4,768		
Owner-occupied	525	96,038	96,563		911	911		
Residential mortgages:								
Closed end	2,149	1,790,064	1,792,213	16	20,937	20,953		
Revolving home equity		78,746	78,746		775	775		
Consumer and other	342	6,348	6,690		79	79		
	\$ 3,051	\$ 3,251,558	\$ 3,254,609	\$ 16 \$	35,816	\$ 35,832		
	_							
		er 31, 2017						
Commercial and industrial	\$ 48	\$ 109,575	\$ 109,623	\$ — \$	1,441	\$ 1,441		
Commercial mortgages:								
Multifamily		682,593	682,593	—	6,423	6,423		
Other		414,783	414,783	—	4,734	4,734		
Owner-occupied	531	95,100	95,631		1,076	1,076		
Residential mortgages:								
Closed end	1,368	1,557,196	1,558,564	18	19,329	19,347		
Revolving home equity		83,625	83,625		689	689		
Consumer and other	—	5,533	5,533		74	74		
	\$ 1,947	\$ 2,948,405	\$ 2,950,352	\$ 18 \$	33,766	\$ 33,784		

The following tables present the activity in the allowance for loan losses for the periods indicated.

	Balance					Pr	ovision for	Balance
	at					Lo	an Losses	at
(in thousands)	1/1/18	Cł	nargeoffs	Re	coveries	(C	redit)	6/30/18
Commercial and industrial	\$ 1,441	\$	304	\$	6	\$	155	\$ 1,298
Commercial mortgages:								

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Multifamily Other Owner-occupied Residential mortgages:	6,423 4,734 1,076			625 34 (165)	7,048 4,768 911
Closed end Revolving home equity Consumer and other	19,347 689 74 \$ 33,784	20 49 	100 — \$ 106	1,526 135 5 \$ 2,315	20,953 775 79 \$ 35,832
Commercial and industrial Commercial mortgages:	Balance at 4/1/18 \$ 1,264	Chargeoffs \$ 230	Recoveries \$6	Provision for Loan Losses (Credit) \$ 258	Balance at 6/30/18 \$ 1,298
Multifamily Other Owner-occupied Residential mortgages:	6,769 4,780 918	 		279 (12) (7)	7,048 4,768 911
Closed end Revolving home equity Consumer and other	20,666 682 75 \$ 35,154	 \$ 230	99 — \$ 105	188 93 4 \$ 803	20,953 775 79 \$ 35,832

(in thousands) Commercial and industrial	Balance at 1/1/17 \$ 1,408	Chargeoffs \$ 6	Recoveries \$ 7	Provision for Loan Losses (Credit) \$ 135	Balance at 6/30/17 \$ 1,544
Commercial mortgages: Multifamily	6,119			(198)	5,921
Other	4,296			378	4,674
Owner-occupied	959		_	726	1,685
Residential mortgages:)))			720	1,005
Closed end	15,740		2	1,293	17,035
Revolving home equity	1,401		_	(198)	1,203
Consumer and other	134	6	1	(55)	74
	\$ 30,057	\$ 12	\$ 10	\$ 2,081	\$ 32,136
	Balance at			Provision for Loan Losses	Balance at
		Chargeoffs	Recoveries	for Loan	Balance
Commercial and industrial Commercial mortgages:	at	Chargeoffs \$ —	Recoveries \$ 4	for Loan Losses	Balance at
	at 4/1/17	•		for Loan Losses (Credit)	Balance at 6/30/17
Commercial mortgages:	at 4/1/17 \$ 1,527	•		for Loan Losses (Credit) \$ 13	Balance at 6/30/17 \$ 1,544
Commercial mortgages: Multifamily	at 4/1/17 \$ 1,527 5,806	•		for Loan Losses (Credit) \$ 13 115	Balance at 6/30/17 \$ 1,544 5,921
Commercial mortgages: Multifamily Other	at 4/1/17 \$ 1,527 5,806 4,303 998	•		for Loan Losses (Credit) \$ 13 115 371	Balance at 6/30/17 \$ 1,544 5,921 4,674
Commercial mortgages: Multifamily Other Owner-occupied Residential mortgages: Closed end	at 4/1/17 \$ 1,527 5,806 4,303 998 16,758	•		for Loan Losses (Credit) \$ 13 115 371 687 276	Balance at 6/30/17 \$ 1,544 5,921 4,674 1,685 17,035
Commercial mortgages: Multifamily Other Owner-occupied Residential mortgages: Closed end Revolving home equity	at 4/1/17 \$ 1,527 5,806 4,303 998 16,758 1,339	\$	\$ 4 1	for Loan Losses (Credit) \$ 13 115 371 687 276 (136)	Balance at 6/30/17 \$ 1,544 5,921 4,674 1,685 17,035 1,203
Commercial mortgages: Multifamily Other Owner-occupied Residential mortgages: Closed end	at 4/1/17 \$ 1,527 5,806 4,303 998 16,758	•	\$ 4 	for Loan Losses (Credit) \$ 13 115 371 687 276	Balance at 6/30/17 \$ 1,544 5,921 4,674 1,685 17,035

For individually impaired loans, the following tables set forth by class of loans at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 the recorded investment, unpaid principal balance and related allowance. The tables also set forth the average recorded investment of individually impaired loans and interest income recognized while the loans were impaired during the six and three months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017. The recorded investment is the unpaid principal balance of the loans less any interest payments applied to principal and any direct chargeoffs plus or minus net deferred loan costs and fees. Any principal and interest payments received on nonaccrual impaired loans are applied to the recorded investment in the loans. The Bank recognizes interest income on other impaired loans using the accrual method of accounting.

(in thousands) With no related allowance recorded:	June 30, 2018 Unpaid Recorded Principal InvestmenBalance		Related Allowance	Six Months E June 30, 2018 Average Inte Recorded Inc InvestmenRec	} erest ome	Three Months Ended June 30, 2018 Average Interest Recorded Income InvestmenRecognized	
Commercial and industrial	\$ 35	\$ 35	\$ —	\$68 \$	2	\$37 \$	1
Commercial mortgages -							
owner-occupied	525	608	—	539	12	526	6
Residential mortgages - closed end	1,887	1,894		1,929	3	1,894	2
Consumer and other	342	342		231	6	344	5
With an allowance recorded:							
Residential mortgages - closed end	262	262	16	276	6	264	3
Total:							
Commercial and industrial	35	35		68	2	37	1
Commercial mortgages -							
owner-occupied	525	608		539	12	526	6
Residential mortgages - closed end	2,149	2,156	16	2,205	9	2,158	5
Consumer and other	342	342		231	6	344	5
	\$ 3,051	\$ 3,141	\$ 16	\$ 3,043 \$	29	\$ 3,065 \$	17

				Six Months I	Ended	Three Month	s Ended
	Decembe	er 31, 2017		June 30, 201		June 30, 201	
		Unpaid		Average Int		Average Int	
		d Principal	Related	Recorded Ind		Recorded Inc	
(in thousands)	Investme	enBalance	Allowance	InvestmenRe	cognized	InvestmenRe	cognized
With no related allowance recorded:							
Commercial and industrial	\$ 48	\$ 48	\$ —	\$ 81 \$	2	\$ 63 \$	
Commercial mortgages -							
owner-occupied	531	615		549	11	547	7
Residential mortgages - closed end	1,095	1,102		266		261	
With an allowance recorded:							
Commercial and industrial	—		—	99	—	99	—
Commercial mortgages -							
owner-occupied				7,130		7,107	
Residential mortgages:							
Closed end	273	272	18	387	9	383	—
Revolving home equity	—		—	1,480	—	1,475	—
Total:							
Commercial and industrial	48	48	—	180	2	162	
Commercial mortgages -							
owner-occupied	531	615	—	7,679	11	7,654	7
Residential mortgages:							
Closed end	1,368	1,374	18	653	9	644	
Revolving home equity			—	1,480		1,475	
	\$ 1,947	\$ 2,037	\$ 18	\$ 9,992 \$	22	\$ 9,935 \$	7

Aging of Loans. The following tables present the aging of the recorded investment in loans by class of loans.

June 30, 2018

			Past Due		Total Past		
			90 Days or		Due Loans &	5	
	30-59 Da	y60- 89 Days	More and	Nonaccrual	Nonaccrual		Total
(in thousands)	Past Due	Past Due	Still Accruin	ngLoans	Loans	Current	Loans
Commercial							
and industrial	\$ —	\$ 178	\$	\$ —	\$ 178	\$ 103,312	\$ 103,490
Commercial mortgages:							
Multifamily				—		744,623	744,623
Other				—		432,284	432,284
Owner-occupied				—		96,563	96,563
Residential mortgages:							
Closed end	1,575			1,797	3,372	1,788,841	1,792,213
Revolving home equity	110	252			362	78,384	78,746

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Consumer and other	6		_				_		6		6,684	6,690
	\$ 1,691	\$	430	\$		\$	1,797	\$	3,918	5	5 3,250,691	\$ 3,254,609
	Decembe	er 3	1, 2017									
Commercial												
and industrial	\$ 20	\$		\$		\$		\$	20	5	6 109,603	\$ 109,623
Commercial mortgages:												
Multifamily											682,593	682,593
Other											414,783	414,783
Owner-occupied											95,631	95,631
Residential mortgages:												
Closed end	2,186		21				1,000		3,207		1,555,357	1,558,564
Revolving home equity	522						—		522		83,103	83,625
Consumer and other	7								7		5,526	5,533
	\$ 2,735	\$	21	\$		\$	1,000	\$	3,756	5	5 2,946,596	\$ 2,950,352

There were no loans in the process of foreclosure nor did the Bank hold any foreclosed residential real estate property at June 30, 2018 or December 31, 2017. In 2017, the Bank took a deed-in-lieu of foreclosure for one commercial real estate property. The property was recorded as other real estate owned at December 31, 2017 and had a carrying value of \$5,125,000, which was net of a valuation allowance of \$725,000. Other real estate owned at December 31, 2017 consisted solely of this property and was included in the consolidated balance sheet under "Other assets." The Bank sold the property for its carrying value in the first quarter of 2018.

Troubled Debt Restructurings. A restructuring constitutes a troubled debt restructuring when it includes a concession by the Bank and the borrower is experiencing financial difficulty. In order to determine whether a borrower is experiencing financial difficulty, an evaluation is performed of the probability that the borrower will be in payment default on any of its debt in the foreseeable future without the modification. The Bank performs the evaluation under its internal underwriting policy.

During the six months ended June 30, 2018, the Bank modified two consumer loans to a single borrower into one loan in a troubled debt restructuring amounting to \$350,000. The term of the restructured loan was extended for 12-months and the post-modification interest rate was lower than the current market rate for new debt with similar risk. The Bank did not modify any loans in troubled debt restructurings during the first six months of 2017.

At June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, the Bank had an allowance for loan losses of \$16,000 and \$18,000, respectively, allocated to specific troubled debt restructurings. The Bank had no commitments to lend additional amounts in connection with loans that were classified as troubled debt restructurings.

There were no troubled debt restructurings for which there was a payment default during the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 that were modified during the twelve-month period prior to default. A loan is considered to be in payment default once it is 90 days contractually past due under the modified terms.

Risk Characteristics. Credit risk within the Bank's loan portfolio primarily stems from factors such as changes in the borrower's financial condition, credit concentrations, changes in collateral values, economic conditions and environmental contamination of properties securing mortgage loans. The Bank's commercial loans, including those secured by real estate mortgages, are primarily made to small and medium-sized businesses. Such loans sometimes involve a higher degree of risk than those to larger companies because such businesses may have shorter operating histories, higher debt-to-equity ratios and may lack sophistication in internal record keeping and financial and operational controls. In addition, most of the Bank's loans are made to businesses and consumers on Long Island and in the boroughs of New York City, and a large percentage of these loans are mortgage loans secured by properties located in those areas. The primary sources of repayment for residential and commercial mortgage loans include employment of the borrowers, the businesses of the borrowers and cash flows from the underlying properties. In the case of multifamily mortgage loans, a substantial portion of the underlying properties are rent stabilized or rent controlled. These sources of repayment are dependent on, among other things, the strength of the local economy.

Credit Quality Indicators. The Corporation categorizes loans into risk categories based on relevant information about the borrower's ability to service their debt including, but not limited to, current financial information for the borrower and any guarantors, payment experience, credit underwriting documentation, public records, due diligence checks and current economic trends.

Commercial and industrial loans and commercial mortgage loans are risk rated utilizing a ten point rating system. The ten point risk rating system is described hereinafter.

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Risk	
Rating	

- 1 2 Cash flow is of high quality and stable. Borrower has very good liquidity and ready access to traditional sources of credit. This category also includes loans to borrowers secured by cash and/or marketable securities within approved margin requirements.
- 3-4 Cash flow quality is strong, but shows some variability. Borrower has good liquidity and asset quality. Borrower has access to traditional sources of credit with minimal restrictions.
- 5-6 Cash flow quality is acceptable but shows some variability. Liquidity varies with operating cycle and assets provide an adequate margin of protection. Borrower has access to traditional sources of credit, but generally on a secured basis.
- 7 Watch Cash flow has a high degree of variability and subject to economic downturns. Liquidity is strained and the ability of the borrower to access traditional sources of credit is diminished.
- 8 Special Mention The borrower has potential weaknesses that deserve management's close attention. If left uncorrected, these potential weaknesses may result in deterioration of the repayment prospects for the loan or in the Bank's credit position at some future date. Special mention assets are not adversely classified and do not expose the Bank to risk sufficient to warrant adverse classification.
- 9 Substandard Loans are inadequately protected by the current sound worth and paying capacity of the borrower or the collateral pledged, if any. Loans so classified have a well-defined weakness or weaknesses that jeopardize the liquidation of the debt. They are characterized by the distinct possibility that the Bank will sustain some loss if the deficiencies are not corrected.
- 10 Doubtful Loans have all the inherent weaknesses of those classified substandard with the added characteristic that the weaknesses make collection or liquidation in full, on the basis of currently existing facts, conditions and values, highly questionable and improbable.

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Risk ratings on commercial and industrial loans and commercial mortgages are initially assigned during the underwriting process and affirmed as part of the approval process. The ratings are periodically reviewed and evaluated based on borrower contact, credit department review or independent loan review.

The Bank's loan risk rating and review policy establishes requirements for the annual review of commercial real estate and commercial and industrial loans. The requirements include details of the scope of coverage and selection process based on loan-type and risk rating. Among other things, at least 80% of the recorded investment of commercial real estate loans as of December 31 of the prior year must be reviewed annually. Lines of credit are also reviewed annually at each proposed reaffirmation. The frequency of the review of other loans is determined by the Bank's ongoing assessments of the borrower's condition.

Residential mortgage loans, revolving home equity lines and other consumer loans are risk rated utilizing a three point rating system. In most cases, the borrower's credit score dictates the risk rating. However, regardless of credit score, loans that are on management's watch list or have been criticized or classified by management are assigned a risk rating of 3. A credit score is a tool used in the Bank's loan approval process, and a minimum score of 680 is generally required for new loans. Credit scores for each borrower are updated at least annually. The risk ratings along with their definitions are as follows:

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Risk Rating

- 1 Credit score is equal to or greater than 680.
- 2 Credit score is 635 to 679.
- 3 Credit score is below 635 or, regardless of credit score, the loan has been classified, criticized or placed on watch by management.

The following tables present the recorded investment in commercial and industrial loans and commercial mortgage loans by class of loans and risk rating. Loans shown as Pass are all loans other than those risk rated Watch, Special Mention, Substandard or Doubtful.

	June 30, 201	8				
	Internally As	ssigned Risl	c Rating			
			Special			
(in thousands)	Pass	Watch	Mention	Substandard	Doubtful	Total
Commercial and industrial	\$ 102,243	\$ 450	\$ 762	\$ 35	\$ —	\$ 103,490

Commercial mortgages:						
Multifamily	735,274	2,326	7,023			744,623
Other	407,726	_	24,558			432,284
Owner-occupied	93,700	_	2,338	525		96,563
	\$ 1,338,943	\$ 2,776	\$ 34,681	\$ 560	\$ 	\$ 1,376,960
	December 31	, 2017				
Commercial and industrial	\$ 108,846	\$ 450	\$ 279	\$ 48	\$ 	\$ 109,623
Commercial mortgages:						
Multifamily	673,128	2,354	7,111			682,593
Other	404,379	7,567	2,837			414,783
Owner-occupied	93,618		1,482	531		95,631
	\$ 1,279,971	\$ 10,371	\$ 11,709	\$ 579	\$ —	\$ 1,302,630

The following tables present the recorded investment in residential mortgage loans, home equity lines and other consumer loans by class of loans and risk rating. Loans shown as Pass are all loans other than those risk rated by management as Watch, Special Mention, Substandard or Doubtful.

	June 30, 2018 Internally Ass		k Rating Special			
(in thousands)	Pass	Watch	Mention	Substandard	Doubtful	Total
Residential mortgages:						
Closed end	\$ 1,789,214	\$ 850	\$ —	\$ 2,149	\$ —	\$ 1,792,213
Revolving home equity	77,760		986			78,746
Consumer and other	6,135			342		6,477
	\$ 1,873,109	\$ 850	\$ 986	\$ 2,491	\$ —	\$ 1,877,436
	December 31	, 2017				
Residential mortgages:						
Closed end	\$ 1,554,168	\$ 2,200	\$ 828	\$ 1,368	\$ —	\$ 1,558,564
Revolving home equity	82,665	256	704			83,625
Consumer and other	5,236					5,236
	\$ 1,642,069	\$ 2,456	\$ 1,532	\$ 1,368	\$ —	\$ 1,647,425

Deposit account overdrafts were \$213,000 and \$297,000 at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively. Overdrafts are not assigned a risk rating and are therefore excluded from consumer loans in the tables above.

6 - STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION

On April 22, 2014, the stockholders of the Corporation approved the 2014 Equity Incentive Plan ("2014 Plan"). Upon approval of the 2014 Plan, no further awards could be made under the 2006 Stock Compensation Plan ("2006 Plan").

2014 Plan. Under the 2014 Plan, awards may be granted to employees and non-employee directors as non-qualified stock options ("NQSOs"), stock appreciation rights ("SARs"), restricted stock awards, RSUs, or any combination thereof, any of which may be subject to performance-based vesting conditions. Awards may also be granted to employees as incentive stock options ("ISOs"). The exercise price of stock options and SARs granted under the 2014 Plan may not be less than the fair market value of the Corporation's common stock on the date the stock option or SAR is granted. The 2014 Plan is administered by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors. Almost all of the awards granted to date under the 2014 Plan are RSUs. All awards granted under the 2014 Plan will immediately vest upon an involuntary termination following a change in control, total and permanent disability, as defined, or death, and with certain exceptions, will immediately vest in the event of retirement, as defined.

The Corporation has 2,250,000 shares of common stock reserved for awards under the 2014 Plan. Awards granted under the 2006 Plan that expire or are forfeited after April 22, 2014 will be added to the number of shares of common stock reserved for issuance of awards under the 2014 Plan. All of the 2,250,000 shares may be issued upon the exercise of stock options or SARs. A maximum of 787,500 shares may be issued as restricted stock awards or upon the conversion of RSUs. At June 30, 2018, 1,861,990 equity awards remain available to be granted under the 2014 Plan of which 403,403 may be granted as restricted stock awards or RSUs.

Details of RSUs. The following table summarizes the vesting schedule of RSUs outstanding at June 30, 2018 by the year they were originally granted.

		Granted During the Year Ended December 31,						
	Total	2018 2017 2016 2015						
Number of RSUs:								
Granted during the year	385,159	70,688	94,329	107,274	112,868			
Outstanding at June 30, 2018	222,939	65,514	76,033	75,911	5,481			
RSUs scheduled to vest during:								
2018	88,203	14,357		68,365	5,481			
2019	91,582	21,179	62,857	7,546				
2020	18,707	8,781	9,926					
2021	24,447	21,197	3,250					
	222,939	65,514	76,033	75,911	5,481			

The RSUs in the table above include performance-based RSUs with vesting based on the financial performance of the Corporation in 2018 and 2019 and service-based RSUs with various service-based vesting periods. The grant date fair value of RSUs awarded in 2016 is equal to the market price of the shares underlying the awards on the grant date. RSUs awarded in 2016 accrue dividends at the same rate as dividends declared by the Board of Directors on the Corporation's common stock. The grant date fair value of RSUs awarded in 2015, 2017 and 2018 is equal to the market price of the shares underlying the awards on the grant date, discounted for dividends that are not paid on these RSUs.

The following table presents a summary of RSUs outstanding at June 30, 2018 and changes during the six month period then ended.

	Number of	Weighted- Average Grant-Date	Weighted- Average Remaining Contractual	Aggregate Intrinsic Value (in
	RSUs	Fair Value	Term (yrs.)	thousands)
Outstanding at January 1, 2018	274,134	\$ 19.64		
Granted	70,688	27.10		
Converted	(102,241)	15.53		
Forfeited	(19,642)	23.35		
Outstanding at June 30, 2018	222,939	\$ 23.56	1.15	\$ 5,540
Vested and Convertible at June 30, 2018		\$ —		\$ —

The performance-based RSUs granted in 2018 and 2017 have a maximum payout potential of 1.50 and 1.25 shares of the Corporation's common stock, respectively, for each RSU awarded. All other RSUs outstanding at June 30, 2018 have a maximum payout potential of one share of the Corporation's common stock for each RSU awarded. All of the RSUs outstanding at June 30, 2018 are currently expected to vest and become convertible in the future. The total intrinsic value of RSUs converted during the first six months of 2018 and 2017 was \$2,911,000 and \$1,779,000, respectively.

2006 Plan. The 2006 Plan was approved by the stockholders of the Corporation on April 18, 2006. The 2006 Plan permitted the granting of stock options, SARs, restricted stock awards and RSUs to employees and non-employee directors. Under the terms of the 2006 Plan, stock options and SARs could not have an exercise price that was less than 100% of the fair market value of one share of the underlying common stock on the date of grant. Through December 31, 2011, equity grants to executive officers and directors under the 2006 Plan consisted of a combination of NQSOs and RSUs, while equity grants to other officers consisted solely of NQSOs. Beginning in 2012, equity grants under the 2006 Plan consisted solely of RSUs. Stock options granted under the 2006 Plan have a five year

vesting period and a ten year term.

Fair Value of Stock Options. The grant date fair value of options was estimated on the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option pricing model. Substantially all outstanding stock options were expensed in prior years.

Stock Option Activity. The following table presents a summary of options outstanding at June 30, 2018, and changes during the six month period then ended.

	Number of	Weighted- Average Exercise	Weighted- Average Remaining Contractual	Aggregate Intrinsic Value
Outstanding at January 1, 2018 Exercised	Options 159,807 (15,518)	Price \$ 11.35 9.85	Term (yrs.)	(in thousands)
Forfeited or expired Outstanding at June 30, 2018 Exercisable at June 30, 2018	 144,289 143,989	 \$ 11.51 \$ 11.50	1.37 1.36	\$ 1,925 \$ 1,922

All options outstanding at June 30, 2018 are either fully vested or expected to vest. The total intrinsic value of options exercised during the first six months of 2018 and 2017 was \$278,000 and \$1,062,000, respectively.

Compensation Expense. The Corporation recorded compensation expense for share-based payments of \$1,261,000 and \$1,331,000 and recorded related income tax benefits of \$380,000 and \$559,000 for the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

Unrecognized Compensation Cost. As of June 30, 2018, there was \$1,604,000 of total unrecognized compensation cost related to non-vested equity awards comprised of \$2,000 for stock options and \$1,602,000 for RSUs. The total cost is expected to be recognized over a weighted-average period of 1.2 years, which is based on weighted-average periods of 1.9 years and 1.2 years for stock options and RSUs, respectively.

Cash Received and Tax Benefits Realized. Cash received from stock option exercises for the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 was \$153,000 and \$604,000, respectively. Tax benefits from stock option exercises for the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 were \$84,000 and \$445,000, respectively.

Other. No cash was used to settle stock options during the first six months of 2018 or 2017. The Corporation uses newly issued shares to settle stock option exercises and for the conversion of RSUs. During the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, 1,141 and 976 shares, respectively, of the Corporation's common stock were issued to a member of the Board of Directors in payment of director fees.

7 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN

The following table sets forth the components of net periodic pension credit.

			Three M	onths	
	Six Month	s Ended	Ended		
	June 30,		June 30,		
(in thousands)	2018	2017	2018	2017	
Service cost	\$ 685	\$ 607	\$ 343	\$ 303	
Interest cost	794	795	397	397	
Expected return on plan assets	(1,638)	(1,470)	(819)	(734)	
Amortization of net actuarial loss		9		4	
Net pension credit	\$ (159)	\$ (59)	\$ (79)	\$ (30)	

As a result of the adoption of ASU 2017-07, for all periods presented, the components of net pension credit other than the service cost component were included in the line item "Other noninterest income" in the consolidated statements of income. The service cost component was included in the line item "Salaries" in the consolidated statements of income. See "Note 11 – Adoption of New Accounting Standards" for more information regarding the provisions of ASU 2017-07.

The Bank makes cash contributions to the pension plan ("Plan") which comply with the funding requirements of applicable federal laws and regulations. For funding purposes, the laws and regulations set forth both minimum required and maximum tax-deductible contributions. The Bank has no minimum required pension contribution for the Plan year ending September 30, 2018 and it cannot make a tax-deductible contribution for the tax year beginning January 1, 2018.

8 - FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Financial Instruments Recorded at Fair Value. When measuring fair value, the Corporation uses a fair value hierarchy, which is designed to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. The hierarchy involves three levels of inputs that may be used to measure fair value:

Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Corporation has the ability to access at the measurement date.

Level 2: Significant other observable inputs other than Level 1 prices such as quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets; quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active; or inputs other than quoted prices that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data.

Level 3: Significant unobservable inputs that reflect the Corporation's own assumptions about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing an asset or liability.

The Corporation deems transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy to have occurred on the date of the event or change in circumstance that caused the transfer. There were no transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy during the six months ended June 30, 2018 or 2017.

The fair values of the Corporation's financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 are set forth in the tables that follow. These values are determined using matrix pricing (Level 2 inputs). Matrix pricing, which is a mathematical technique widely used in the industry to value debt securities, does not rely exclusively on quoted prices for the specific securities but rather on the relationship of such securities to other benchmark quoted securities.

	Fair Value Measurements Using:						
		Quoted Prices		Significant		a	
		in Activ		Other		Significant Unobservable	
		Markets	al Assets	Observable Inputs		Inputs	
(in thousands)	Total	(Level 1			Level 2)	(Level	3)
June 30, 2018:	Iotui		.,	(1	201012)	(Level	5)
Financial Assets:							
Available-for-Sale Securities:							
State and municipals	\$ 460,436	\$		\$	460,436	\$	
Pass-through mortgage securities	71,860				71,860		
Collateralized mortgage obligations	269,563				269,563		
	\$ 801,859	\$	—	\$	801,859	\$	—
Financial Liabilities:	* 10 5	*			10.5	*	
Derivative - interest rate swap	\$ 406	\$		\$	406	\$	
December 21, 2017.							
December 31, 2017: Financial Assets:							
Available-for-Sale Securities:							
State and municipals	\$ 461,323	\$		\$	461,323	\$	
Pass-through mortgage securities	71,391	Ŧ		Ŧ	71,391	Ŧ	
Collateralized mortgage obligations	187,414				187,414		
	\$ 720,128	\$	_	\$	720,128	\$	

Assets measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis at December 31, 2017, are set forth in the table that follows. There were no assets measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis at June 30, 2018. Real estate appraisals utilized in measuring the fair value of impaired loans, if any, may employ a single valuation approach or a combination of approaches including comparable sales and the income approach. Adjustments are routinely made in the appraisal process by the independent appraisers to adjust for differences between the comparable sales and income data available. In arriving at fair value, the Corporation adjusts the value set forth in the appraisal by deducting costs to sell and a distressed sale adjustment when appropriate. The adjustments made by the appraisers and the Corporation are deemed to be significant unobservable inputs and therefore result in a Level 3 classification of the inputs used for determining the fair value of impaired loans.

		Fair Value Measurements Using: Quoted PricesSignificant in					
		ActiveOther Significat Markets					
		for Observable Unobserva Identical					
		AssetsInputs (Level			Inputs		
(in thousands) December 31, 2017:	Total	1)	(Leve)	12)	(Le	vel 3)	
Other real estate owned	\$ 5,125	\$ —	\$		\$	5,125	

The Corporation had no impaired loans recorded at fair value at June 30, 2018 or December 31, 2017. During the six months ended June 30, 2017, the Corporation recorded a provision for loan losses of \$868,000 for impaired loans measured at fair value.

The other real estate owned in the preceding table is one commercial real estate property acquired by deed-in-lieu of foreclosure. A valuation allowance of \$725,000 was recorded and included in other noninterest expense in the consolidated statements of income for the year ended December 31, 2017. The Bank sold the property for its carrying value in the first quarter of 2018.

Financial Instruments Not Recorded at Fair Value. Fair value estimates are made at a specific point in time. Such estimates are generally subjective in nature and dependent upon a number of significant assumptions associated with each financial instrument or group of similar financial instruments, including estimates of discount rates, risks associated with specific financial instruments such as liquidity, credit and nonperformance risk, estimates of future cash flows, and relevant available market information. Changes in assumptions could significantly affect the estimates. In addition, fair value estimates do not reflect the value of anticipated future

business, premiums or discounts that could result from offering for sale at one time the Corporation's entire holdings of a particular financial instrument, or the tax consequences of realizing gains or losses on the sale of financial instruments.

The following table sets forth the carrying amounts and estimated fair values of financial instruments that are not recorded at fair value in the Corporation's financial statements.

	Level of Fair Value	June 30, 2018 Carrying		December 31 Carrying	2017	
(in thousands)	Hierarchy	Amount	Fair Value	Amount	Fair Value	
Financial Assets:						
Cash and cash equivalents	Level 1	\$ 67,186	\$ 67,186	\$ 69,672	\$ 69,672	
Held-to-maturity securities	Level 2	3,754	3,832	5,030	5,143	
Held-to-maturity securities	Level 3	1,821	1,821	2,606	2,606	
Loans	Level 3	3,218,777	3,051,079	2,916,568	2,855,812	
Restricted stock	Level 1	36,659	36,659	37,314	37,314	
Financial Liabilities:						
Checking deposits	Level 1	922,006	922,006	896,129	896,129	
Savings, NOW and money market deposits	Level 1	1,761,726	1,761,726	1,602,460	1,602,460	
Time deposits	Level 2	550,166	545,894	323,408	323,108	
Short-term borrowings	Level 1	255,907	255,907	281,141	281,141	
Long-term debt	Level 2	414,527	405,511	423,797	418,465	

The Corporation adopted ASU 2016-01 on January 1, 2018 and applied the provisions of the standard prospectively to the fair value amounts in the table above.

9 - REVENUE FROM CONTRACTS WITH CUSTOMERS

As described in "Note 11 – Adoption of New Accounting Standards," the Bank adopted ASU 2014-09 "Revenue from Contracts with Customers" and all subsequent amendments on January 1, 2018. The majority of the Bank's income streams are outside of the scope of ASU 2014-09, such as interest and dividend income on loans and securities. Income streams that are within the scope of ASU 2014-09 are recorded in the noninterest income section of the consolidated statements of income and include the following types of fees earned from the Bank's contracts with customers.

Investment Management Division Revenues. The Bank holds customer assets in a fiduciary capacity and provides various services, including trust account services, estate settlement, custody and asset management. The services are performed for customers over time, requiring a time-based measure of progress. Fees are assessed based on market values of customer assets held or under management as of a certain point in time, and income cannot be estimated prior to the end of the measurement period. Volatility in equity and other market values will impact the amount of revenue that will be earned. Fees are generally earned and collected on a monthly or quarterly basis, accrued to income as earned and included in the consolidated statements of income in the line item "Investment Management Division income."

Deposit Account Revenues. Fees are earned and collected on a monthly basis for account maintenance and activity-based service charges on deposit accounts. The services are performed for customers over time, requiring a time-based measure of progress. Customers may be required to maintain minimum balances and average balances. Additional fees may also be earned for overdrafts, replacement of debit cards, bill payment, lockbox services and ACH services, among others, and are earned and collected as transactions take place. All deposit account fees are accrued to income as earned, either monthly or at the point of sale, and included in the consolidated statements of income in the line item "Service charges on deposit accounts."

Transaction and Branch Service Fees. The following revenue streams are components of "Other noninterest income" on the consolidated statements of income. These components totaled \$985,000 and \$928,000 for the six months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively. Other items included in "Other noninterest income," such as bank-owned life insurance ("BOLI") income, non-service components of net pension cost and real estate tax refunds are outside of the scope of ASU 2014-09.

Debit/Credit Card Revenues. The Bank earns a fee when its customers use their debit or credit cards in point-of-sale transactions. These fees are generally known as interchange fees. Interchange fees from cardholder transactions represent a percentage of the underlying transaction value and are recorded daily, concurrently with the transaction processing services provided to the cardholder.

Branch Services Revenues. The Bank charges fees for safe deposit box rentals, wire transfers, money orders, checkbook printing, official checks and ATM usage. Fees are earned, collected and generally recorded as revenue when the service is provided.

Investment Advisory Services. The Bank provides branch space to a third party who sells financial products to the Bank's customers and pays commissions to the Bank based on the products sold. Commissions are variable and based on the market values of financial assets sold. Commissions are accrued to income as earned and collected.

10 - DERIVATIVES

As part of its asset liability management, the Corporation utilizes an interest rate swap agreement to help manage its interest rate risk position. The notional amount of the interest rate swap does not represent the amount exchanged by the parties. The exchange of cash flows is determined by reference to the notional amount and the other terms of the interest rate swap agreement.

The Bank entered into an interest rate swap with a notional amount totaling \$150 million on May 22, 2018, which was designated as a cash flow hedge of certain Federal Home Loan Bank ("FHLB") advances included in short-term borrowings on the consolidated balance sheet. The swap was determined to be fully effective during the period presented and therefore no amount of ineffectiveness has been included in net income. The aggregate fair value of the swap is recorded in other liabilities, with changes in fair value net of related income taxes recorded in other comprehensive income (loss). The amount included in accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) would be reclassified to current earnings should the hedge no longer be considered effective. The Corporation expects the hedge to remain fully effective during the remaining term of the swap.

The following table summarizes information about the interest rate swap designated as a cash flow hedge at June 30, 2018.

Notional amount	\$150 million
Weighted average fixed pay rate	2.90%
Weighted average 3-month LIBOR receive rate	2.33%
Weighted average maturity	2.94 Years

Interest expense recorded on the swap transaction totaled \$90,000 for the six months ended June 30, 2018 and is included in the line item "Interest expense – short-term borrowings" in the consolidated statements of income. Amounts reported in accumulated other comprehensive income related to the derivative will be reclassified to interest income/expense as interest payments are received/made on the Bank's variable-rate assets/liabilities. During the six months ended June 30, 2018, the Corporation had \$90,000 of reclassifications to interest expense. During the next twelve months, the Corporation estimates that \$480,000 will be reclassified as an increase to interest expense.

The following table presents the net losses recorded in the consolidated statements of income and the consolidated statements of comprehensive income relating to the cash flow derivative instrument for the six months ended June 30, 2018.

			Amount of		
			Loss		
	Amount of	Amount of	Recognized		
	loss	Loss	in Other		
	Recognized	Reclassified	Noninterest		
	in OCI	from OCI	Income		
	(Effective	to Interest	(Ineffective		
(in thousands)	Portion)	Expense	Portion)		
Interest rate contract	\$ 496	\$ 90	\$ -		

The following table reflects the amounts relating to the cash flow hedge included in the consolidated balance sheet at June 30, 2018.

	Notional	Fair Value		ue
(in thousands)	Amount	Asse	tLi	ability
Included in other assets or other liabilities		\$ -	\$	406
Interest rate swap related to FHLB advances	\$ 150,000			

Credit Risk Related Contingent Features. The Bank's agreement with its derivative counterparty sets forth minimum collateral posting thresholds. If the termination value of the derivative is a net asset position, the counterparty is required to post collateral against its obligations to the Bank under the agreement. However, if the termination value of the derivative is a net liability position, the Bank is required to post collateral to the counterparty. At June 30, 2018, the Bank posted collateral of \$509,000 to its counterparty under the agreement which is in a net liability position. If the Bank had breached any of these provisions at June 30, 2018, it could have been required to settle its obligations under the agreement at the termination value.

11 – ADOPTION OF NEW ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

In May 2014, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued ASU 2014-09 "Revenue from Contracts with Customers." The amendments in ASU 2014-09 provide a comprehensive framework for addressing revenue recognition issues that can be applied to all contracts with customers. While the guidance in ASU 2014-09 supersedes most existing industry-specific revenue recognition accounting guidance, much of a bank's revenue comes from financial instruments such as debt securities and loans that are scoped-out of the guidance. The amendments in ASU 2014-09 also include improved disclosures to enable users of financial statements to better understand the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenue that is recognized. For public entities such as the Corporation, ASU 2014-09, as amended, is effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2017. The adoption of ASU 2014-09 and all subsequent amendments on January 1, 2018, using the modified retrospective transition method, did not impact the Corporation's financial position or results of operations and, as such, no cumulative effect adjustment was recorded. See "Note 9 – Revenue from Contracts with Customers" for disclosures pertaining to the revenue streams within the scope of ASU 2014-09.

In January 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-01 "Financial Instruments – Overall." The amendments in ASU 2016-01 are intended to improve the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of financial assets and liabilities to provide users of financial statements with information that is more useful for decision-making purposes. For public entities such as the Corporation, the amendments in ASU 2016-01 are effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2017. The adoption of ASU 2016-01 on January 1, 2018 did not have an impact on the Corporation's financial position or results of operations, but resulted in the prospective application of an exit price notion in the determination of the fair value of certain financial instruments as disclosed in "Note 8 – Fair Value of Financial Instruments." Adoption of the ASU also resulted in the elimination of disclosures regarding the methods and assumptions used to estimate fair value. The Bank's FHLB and Federal Reserve Bank ("FRB") stock, included under the line item "Restricted stock, at cost" in the consolidated balance sheets, are specifically excluded from the scope of the ASU.

In August 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-15 "Classification of Certain Cash Receipts and Cash Payments." ASU 2016-15 affects all entities that are required to present a statement of cash flows under Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") Topic 230, Statement of Cash Flows, and other ASC Topics, addressing eight specific cash flow issues with the objective of reducing diversity in practice. ASU 2016-15 is effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2017. The adoption of ASU 2016-15 on January 1, 2018 did not have a material impact on the Corporation's cash flows or disclosures.

In March 2017, the FASB issued ASU 2017-07 "Improving the Presentation of Net Periodic Pension Cost and Net Periodic Postretirement Benefit Cost." ASU 2017-07 applies to all employers that offer to their employees defined benefit pension plans, other postretirement benefit plans or other types of benefits accounted for under ASC Topic 715. The ASU requires, among other things, that an employer disaggregate the service cost component from other components of net benefit cost and provides explicit guidance on how to present the service cost component and other components of net benefit cost in the income statement. ASU 2017-07 is effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2017. The adoption of ASU 2017-07 on January 1, 2018 resulted in revised income statement classifications of the components of net periodic pension cost for all periods presented. The Corporation used the amounts disclosed in "Note 7 – Defined Benefit Pension Plan" as the basis for applying the

retrospective presentation requirements of the ASU. See Note 7 for details of the reclassified amounts. The other amendments in the ASU did not impact the Corporation's financial position or results of operations.

In February 2018, the FASB issued ASU 2018-02 "Reclassification of Certain Tax Effects from Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income." ASU 2018-02 affects any entity that has items of other comprehensive income for which the related tax effects are presented in other comprehensive income. The ASU allows a reclassification from accumulated other comprehensive income to retained earnings for stranded tax effects resulting from the Tax Act which was signed into law on December 22, 2017. ASU 2018-02 is effective for all entities for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2018. Early adoption is permitted, including adoption in any interim period. Management early-adopted the ASU in the first quarter of 2018 and reclassified \$277,000 of stranded tax effect credits from accumulated other comprehensive income to retained earnings on January 1, 2018. The reclassification had no net impact on the Corporation's financial position or results of operations.

12 - IMPACT OF ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

The pronouncements discussed in this section are not intended to be an all-inclusive list and should be read in conjunction with the disclosure of issued but not yet effective accounting standards in the Corporation's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017 and Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2018.

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-02 "Leases." ASU 2016-02 affects any entity that enters into a lease and is intended to increase the transparency and comparability of financial statements among organizations. The ASU requires, among other changes, a lessee to recognize on its balance sheet a lease asset and a lease liability for those leases previously classified as operating leases. The lease asset would represent the right to use the underlying asset for the lease term and the lease liability would represent the discounted value of the required lease payments to the lessor. The ASU would also require entities to disclose key information about leasing arrangements. ASU 2016-02 is effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2018. Upon implementation of the ASU, the Corporation's assets and liabilities will increase due to the recognition of lease assets and lease

obligations. Management has allocated staffing resources and is in the process of implementing the ASU utilizing third-party software. In addition, management is evaluating the impact that other aspects of ASU 2016-02 will have on the Corporation's financial position, results of operations and disclosures.

In June 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-13 "Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments." ASU 2016-13 affects entities holding financial assets that are not accounted for at fair value, including loans, debt securities and other financial assets. The ASU requires financial assets measured at amortized cost to be presented at the net amount expected to be collected by recording an allowance for credit losses. ASU 2016-13 is effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2019. Early adoption is permitted beginning after December 15, 2018, including interim periods within those fiscal years. Management has established an internal committee to manage the implementation of the ASU. The committee is led by the Bank's Chief Accounting Officer and includes the Chief Financial Officer and Chief Risk Officer. A broader group of Bank staff has been identified to assist in implementing the ASU including representatives of the Bank's loan operations, credit administration, lending, investments and technology functions. The committee has selected and engaged a third-party software provider, developed an implementation timeline, accumulated the historical data needed to implement the ASU and is evaluating the accuracy and completeness of the Bank's historical data included in the new allowance model. In addition, the committee continues to analyze the ASU to understand the impact that it will have on the Corporation's financial position, results of operations and disclosures.

ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following is management's discussion and analysis of The First of Long Island Corporation's financial condition and operating results during the periods included in the accompanying consolidated financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with such financial statements. The Corporation's financial condition and operating results principally reflect those of its wholly-owned subsidiary, The First National Bank of Long Island, and subsidiaries wholly-owned by the Bank, either directly or indirectly, FNY Service Corp., The First of Long Island REIT, Inc. and The First of Long Island Agency, Inc. The consolidated entity is referred to as the Corporation and the Bank and its subsidiaries are collectively referred to as the Bank. Although the Bank's primary service area is currently Nassau and Suffolk Counties, Long Island and the New York City boroughs of Queens and Brooklyn, it does have two commercial banking branches in Manhattan. Expansion of the Bank's branch distribution system, particularly in the New York City boroughs of Queens and Brooklyn, is an ongoing initiative.

Overview

Net income and earnings per share for the first six months of 2018 were \$21.4 million and \$.84, respectively, representing increases over the same period last year of 17.6% and 12.0%, respectively. Dividends per share increased 7.1%, from \$.28 for the first six months of 2017 to \$.30 for the current six-month period. Returns on average assets (ROA) and average equity (ROE) for the first six months of 2018 were 1.05% and 11.77%, respectively, versus 1.01% and 11.44%, respectively, for the same period last year. Book value per share increased from \$14.37 at year-end 2017 to \$14.76 at the close of the current quarter. The credit quality of the Bank's loan and securities portfolios remains

excellent.

Analysis of Earnings – Six Month Periods. Net income for the first six months of 2018 was \$21.4 million, an increase of \$3.2 million, or 17.6%, over the same period last year. The increase is attributable to increases in net interest income of \$3.6 million, or 7.6%, and noninterest income of \$836,000, or 16.3%, and a decrease in income tax expense of \$2.8 million. These items were partially offset by increases in noninterest expense of \$3.8 million, or 14.0%, and the provision for loan losses of \$234,000.

The increase in net interest income is primarily attributable to growth in the average balance of loans of \$453.4 million, or 17.0%. Loans grew primarily with increases in residential and commercial mortgage loans. The average balance of securities remained essentially unchanged. The first quarter 2018 purchase of \$106 million GNMA mortgage-backed securities to replenish on-balance sheet liquidity was offset by portfolio runoff and a decline in the market value of available-for-sale securities. The purchase was funded almost entirely by brokered certificates of deposit.

Growth in the average balance of loans was funded by increases in the average balances of noninterest-bearing checking deposits, interest-bearing deposits, borrowings and stockholders' equity. Substantial contributors to the growth in deposits were new branch openings, the Bank's ongoing municipal deposit initiative, deposit promotions with particular emphasis on time deposits and the aforementioned issuance of brokered certificates of deposit. Substantial contributors to the growth in stockholders' equity were net income and the ongoing issuance of shares under the Corporation's Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan ("DRIP"), partially offset by cash dividends declared. During the first six months of 2018, the sale of shares under the DRIP contributed \$15.9 million to capital.

Net interest margin for the first six months of 2018 was 2.66%, down 25 basis points from 2.91% for the same period in 2017. The decrease in net interest margin is largely attributable to: (1) yield curve flattening resulting from a significant increase in the federal funds target rate with lesser increases in intermediate and longer-term interest rates; (2) timing difference between the repricing of interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities in a rising rate environment; (3) competitive pressure to raise deposit rates to fund

growth; (4) a reduction in prepayment penalties and late charges; and (5) a reduction in the statutory federal income tax rate from 35% for the first six months of 2017 to 21% for the current six-month period. When comparing the first six months of this year to the same period last year, these factors largely account for the significant increases experienced by the Bank in the cost of its non-maturity deposits and short-term borrowings of 26 basis points and 96 basis points, respectively, with a more modest increase occurring in its loan portfolio yield of four basis points and a decrease in the securities portfolio yield of 16 basis points.

The \$234,000 increase in the provision for loan losses for the first six months of 2018 versus the same period last year is largely due to more loan growth and chargeoffs in the current six-month period and a larger decrease in the allowance for loan losses in the 2017 period from improved economic conditions. Loans grew \$304 million in the first six months of this year versus \$229 million in the same period last year. The impact of these items was partially offset by a larger increase in specific reserves in the 2017 period and a larger reduction in the provision for loan losses in the 2018 period versus the same period last year due to a decrease in historical loss rates.

The \$836,000 increase in noninterest income is primarily attributable to increases in income from BOLI, and a larger net credit relating to the non-service components of the Bank's defined benefit pension plan. These increases were partially offset by refunds related to sales tax and telecommunications charges and the elimination of accrued circuit termination charges in the 2017 period.

The \$3.8 million increase in noninterest expense is primarily attributable to increases in salaries, employee benefits and other personnel expense, occupancy and equipment expense, marketing expense and other real estate owned expense.

The \$2.8 million decrease in income tax expense is mainly due to a reduction in the statutory federal income tax rate from 35% last year to 21% effective January 1, 2018 pursuant to the Tax Act, the recognition in the current six-month period of the tax benefits of New York State and New York City net operating loss carryforwards that originated in 2017 and higher tax benefits in the current six-month period from BOLI.

Asset Quality. The Bank's allowance for loan losses to total loans decreased from 1.15% at year-end 2017 to 1.12% at March 31, 2018 and then to 1.10% at June 30, 2018. The decrease is primarily due to adjustments to certain qualitative factors to reflect improved economic conditions and reductions in historical loss rates and growth rates on certain pools of loans. The provision for loan losses was \$2.3 million and \$2.1 million in the first six months of 2018 and 2017, respectively. The amount of the provision in each period was driven mainly by loan growth offset by improved economic conditions. The provision was further impacted by reductions in historical loss rates and growth rate trends on several pools of loans in the first six months of 2018 and an increase in specific reserves on loans individually deemed to be impaired in the 2017 period.

The credit quality of the Bank's loan portfolio remains excellent. Nonaccrual loans amounted to \$1.8 million, or .06% of total loans outstanding at June 30, 2018, compared to \$1.0 million, or .03%, at December 31, 2017. The increase is

primarily attributable to one impaired loan transferred to nonaccrual status during the second quarter. Troubled debt restructurings amounted to \$1.3 million, or .04% of total loans outstanding, at June 30, 2018. Of the troubled debt restructurings, \$1.25 million are performing in accordance with their modified terms and \$91,000 are nonaccrual and included in the aforementioned amount of nonaccrual loans. Loans past due 30 through 89 days amounted to \$2.1 million, or .07% of total loans outstanding, at June 30, 2018, compared to \$2.8 million, or .09%, at December 31, 2017.

The credit quality of the Bank's securities portfolio also remains excellent. The Bank's mortgage securities are backed by mortgages underwritten on conventional terms, with 83% of these securities being full faith and credit obligations of the U.S. government and the balance being obligations of U.S. government sponsored entities. The remainder of the Bank's securities portfolio principally consists of high quality, general obligation municipal securities rated AA or better by major rating agencies. In selecting municipal securities for purchase, the Bank uses credit agency ratings for screening purposes only and then performs its own credit analysis. On an ongoing basis, the Bank periodically assesses the credit strength of the municipal securities in its portfolio and makes decisions to hold or sell based on such assessments.

Key Strategic Initiatives and Challenges We Face. The Bank's strategy remains focused on increasing shareholder value through loan and deposit growth and the maintenance of stellar credit quality and a strong efficiency ratio. We will continue to open small branches but at a slower pace.

In response to the flattening yield curve, management is making the tactical changes discussed hereinafter in an attempt to stabilize and improve net interest margin and reduce operating expenses and thereby enable continued earnings growth. However, net interest margin and earnings are expected to be negatively impacted by several more increases in the federal funds rate that are anticipated this year. Management will continue to be measured and disciplined in its approach to the extension of credit and will not meaningfully loosen its underwriting standards in an attempt to improve net interest margin.

With respect to its lending activities, the Bank will continue to prudently manage concentration and credit risk and maintain its broker and correspondent relationships. Commercial mortgage loans will be emphasized over residential mortgage loans. Small business credit scored loans, equipment finance loans and Small Business Administration (SBA) loans, along with the Bank's traditional commercial

and industrial loan products, will be originated to diversify the Bank's loan portfolio and help mitigate the impact on net interest margin of the flattening yield curve.

The Bank's branch distribution system currently consists of 52 branches in Nassau and Suffolk Counties, Long Island and the New York City boroughs of Queens, Brooklyn and Manhattan. The Bank expects to open one or two more branches over the next 12 months and continues to consider sites for further expansion. In addition, management is also focused on growing noninterest income from existing and potential new sources, which may include the development or acquisition of fee-based businesses.

In May of this year, the Economic Growth, Regulatory Relief and Consumer Protection Act was signed into law. Management is currently evaluating the impact of the Act but does not believe it to be significant to the Bank's business or operations.

In the current environment, banking regulators are concerned about, among other things, growth, commercial real estate concentrations, underwriting of commercial real estate and commercial and industrial loans, capital levels, liquidity, cyber security and predatory sales practices. Regulatory requirements, the cost of compliance and vigilant supervisory oversight are exerting downward pressure on revenues and upward pressure on required capital levels and operating expenses.

Net Interest Income

Average Balance Sheet; Interest Rates and Interest Differential. The following table sets forth the average daily balances for each major category of assets, liabilities and stockholders' equity as well as the amounts and average rates earned or paid on each major category of interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities. The average balances of investment securities include unrealized gains and losses on available-for-sale securities, and the average balances of loans include nonaccrual loans.

	Six Months Ended June 30,						
	2018			2017			
	Average	Interest/	Average	Average	Interest/	Average	
(dollars in thousands)	Balance	Dividends	Rate	Balance	Dividends	Rate	
Assets:							
Interest-earning bank balances	\$ 30,322	\$ 255	1.70 %	\$ 24,230	\$ 112	.93 %	
Investment securities:							
Taxable	340,633	4,955	2.91	353,489	3,965	2.24	
Nontaxable (1)	466,366	8,696	3.73	458,100	10,391	4.54	
Loans (1)	3,127,670	55,173	3.53	2,674,256	46,644	3.49	
Total interest-earning assets	3,964,991	69,079	3.48	3,510,075	61,112	3.48	
Allowance for loan losses	(35,138)			(31,082)			
Net interest-earning assets	3,929,853			3,478,993			
Cash and due from banks	36,685						