# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

### FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)
of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): January 24, 2019



(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

001-35542

(Commission File number)

27-2290659

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1015 Penn Avenue
Suite 103
Wyomissing PA 19610
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(610) 933-2000 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

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

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### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On January 24, 2019, Customers Bancorp, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing unaudited financial information for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2018, a copy of which is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated by reference herein.

### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

The Company has posted to its website a slide presentation which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated into this Item 7.01 by reference.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 attached hereto and incorporated by reference into Item 2.02 and Item 7.01, respectively, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities under that Section. Furthermore, such information, including the exhibits attached hereto, shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into any of the Company's reports or filings with the SEC, whether made before or after the date hereof, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such report or filing. The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including the exhibits attached hereto, shall not be deemed an admission as to the materiality of any information in this Current Report on Form 8-K that is required to be disclosed solely to satisfy the requirements of Regulation FD.

### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

### SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

### CUSTOMERS BANCORP, INC.

By: <u>/s/ Carla A. Leibold</u> Name: Carla A. Leibold

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: January 24, 2019

### EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated January 24, 2019

99.2 Slide presentation dated January 2019



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# **Customers Bancorp Reports Net Income For Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2018**

Wyomissing, PA., January 24, 2019 - Customers Bancorp, Inc. (NYSE: CUBI) t he parent company of Customers Bank (collectively "Customers"), today reported:

- Customers Bancorp, Inc.'s ("CUBI") fourth quarter 2018 (" Q4 2018 ") net income to common shareholders was \$14.2 million, or \$0.44 per diluted share. Core earnings for Q4 2018 totaled \$17.0 million, or \$0.53 per diluted share (non-GAAP measures).
- CUBI's net income to common shareholders for 2018 ("FY 2018") was \$57.2 million, or \$1.78 per diluted share. Core earnings for FY 2018 totaled \$78.5 million, or \$2.43 per diluted share (non-GAAP measures), an increase of approximately 10% from 2017 ("FY 2017").

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)	USD		Per Share			USD	Per Share
Q4 2018 Net Income to Common Shareholders (GAAP)				FY 2018 Net Income to Common Shareholders (GAAP)	)		
Customers Bank Business Banking	\$ 17,521	\$	0.55	Customers Bank Business Banking	\$	70,698	\$ 2.19
BankMobile	(3,274)		(0.10)	BankMobile		(13,462)	(0.42)
Consolidated	\$ 14,247	\$	0.44	Consolidated	\$	57,236	\$ 1.78
Q4 2018 Core Earnings (Non-GAAP)				FY 2018 Core Earnings (Non-GAAP)			
Customers Bank Business Banking	\$ 19,911	\$	0.62	Customers Bank Business Banking	\$	88,633	\$ 2.75
BankMobile	(2,919)		(0.09)	BankMobile		(10,150)	(0.31)
Consolidated	\$ 16,992	\$	0.53	Consolidated	\$	78,483	\$ 2.43
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- Net interest margin, tax equivalent ("NIM") (a non-GAAP measure) was 2.57% in Q4 2018, an increase of 10 basis points from third quarter 2018 ("Q3 2018"). Excluding prepayment fees, NIM increased 15 basis points from Q3 2018.
- In late November 2018, BankMobile's first White Label banking partnership went live in beta test phase, offering BankMobile's best in class banking products to the partner's broad customer base. Even before any marketing or advertising efforts, the partnership generated nearly 4,500 funded deposit accounts just in one month, with over \$5 million in total deposits. We expect account openings and deposit growth to accelerate throughout 2019.
- In December 2018, Customers repurchased 719,200 shares of common stock at an average price of \$18.04 per share, or approximately 80% of tangible book value at December 31, 2018. An additional 31,159 shares were repurchased in January 2019 at an average price of \$18.35 per share.

- Efforts improved loan mix year-over-year, as core commercial and industrial loans, excluding commercial loans to mortgage companies, increased \$312 million, or 19.7%, and mortgages and other consumer loans increased \$392 million, or 119%. As planned, multi-family loans decreased \$361 million and commercial non-owner occupied real estate loans decreased \$93.6 million.
- Total assets were \$9.8 billion at both December 31, 2018 and 2017. Total deposits increased by \$342 million, or 5.0%, from December 31, 2017, with demand deposits increasing \$350 million, or 22%.
- Q4 2018 book value per common share was \$23.85 and tangible book value per common share (a non-GAAP measure) was \$23.32. Tangible book value per common share has increased at a compound annual growth rate of 10.2% over the past five years.
- Based on the January 18, 2019 closing price of \$20.97, Customers Bancorp common equity is trading at 0.90x tangible book value of \$23.32 (a non-GAAP measure) and 9.5x the 2019 consensus estimate of \$2.21.

Customers reported net income to common shareholders of \$14.2 million for Q4 2018, compared to \$2.4 million for Q3 2018, and \$18.0 million for Q4 2017. Fully diluted earnings per common share for Q4 2018 was \$0.44, compared to \$0.07 for Q3 2018 and \$0.55 for fourth quarter 2017 (" Q4 2017"). Customers also reported net income to common shareholders of \$57.2 million for FY 2018, compared to \$64.4 million for FY 2017. Fully diluted earnings per common share for FY 2018 was \$1.78, compared to \$1.97 for FY 2017. Core earnings (a non-GAAP measure) for FY 2018 totaled \$78.5 million, an increase of approximately 10% compared to \$72.0 million for FY 2017. Q4 2018, Q3 2018, Q4 2017, FY 2018 and FY 2017 include one or more significant notable items, such as executive severance expense, merger and acquisition-related expenses, losses realized from the sale of lower-yielding investment securities and multi-family loans as management strategically changed the mix of assets and liabilities on its balance sheet. Also excluded are investment securities gains and losses and impairment charges. These significant notable items are not included in Customers' disclosures of core earnings and other core performance metrics.

"In 2018, Customers Bancorp generated core earnings per share (a non-GAAP measure) of \$2.43, a year-over-year increase of approximately 10%. We are focused on improving profitability and quality of our balance sheet profile and generating an ROAA of 1.25% within 3-4 years. We are happy to report that earnings improved at both Customers Bank Business Banking and BankMobile segments and are optimistic about accelerating this trend. In 2018, commercial and industrial loans grew 20% and demand deposits grew 22%, while we decreased lower-yielding multi-family and commercial real estate loans by \$455 million, or approximately 10%. BankMobile launched its first major White Label partnership in 2018, which has started generating deposits but is still in its very early days. We also began repurchasing stock, which we considered very attractive trading at approximately 80% of tangible book value. In 2019, we will remain focused on further improving our profitability and our capital ratios, strengthening the balance sheet through a remix in our assets and liabilities, expanding our net interest margin and increasing our ROAA and ROCE," stated Jay Sidhu, CEO and Chairman of Customers Bank.

### **Strategic Priorities**

### Improve Profitability: Target a 2.75% NIM in 9-15 months and a 1.25% ROAA in 3-4 years

Customers expects to keep total assets relatively flat in 2019, with a focus on growing its core businesses with improving margins, capital and profitability. Through favorable mix shifts in both assets and liabilities, Customers expects to improve the overall quality of its balance sheet and deposit franchise, expand its net interest margin, enhance liquidity and improve interest rate sensitivity.

- Target ROAA in top quartile of peer group, which we expect will equate to a ratio of 1.25% or higher over the next 3-4 years.
- Expected shift in asset and funding mix is expected to drive a wider NIM to 2.75% and possibly higher in the next 9-15 months.
- BankMobile growth and maturity expected to enhance profitability; we expect BankMobile to be profitable by the end of 2019.
- Expense control; we expect very modest growth in most Customers Bank Business Banking segment expenses, and incremental spend in other areas driven by revenue growth.
- Core deposit and higher-yielding loan growth are strategic priorities. Customers currently has approximately \$270 million of deposits with a cost of 2.75% or greater that we expect to run off and replace with lower cost funding. Similarly, we have \$2.2 billion of loans with yields below 3.75% at December 31, 2018, of which \$1.8 billion are multi-family loans. We expect to run-off multi-family loans and replace them with higher-yielding earning assets.
- Maintain strong credit quality.

### **Build and Deploy Capital**

"We have excess capital above our targeted minimum tangible common equity ratio of 7.0%, which enabled us to commence a capital deployment strategy in 2018," Sidhu stated. "Capital ratios will continue to build in 2019 as we retain earnings and the balance sheet remains flat. We continue to evaluate the best uses for our excess capital," Sidhu continued.

The estimated total risk-based capital ratio was approximately 13.0% for Q4 2018 . The estimated common equity Tier 1 capital ratio was approximately 9.0% for Q4 2018 . The estimated Tier 1 leverage capital ratio was approximately 9.7% for Q4 2018 . The tangible common equity to tangible assets ratio (a non-GAAP measure) was 7.4% at December 31, 2018 .

### BankMobile Segment is Expected to Generate a Positive Earnings Contribution by Q4 2019

BankMobile, a division of Customers Bank, operates a branchless digital bank offering low cost banking services to over 1.0 million active deposit customers. Customers expects to retain BankMobile for a 2-3 year period, but will regularly evaluate the best options for BankMobile so it can continue to take advantage of the small issuer exemption under the Durbin Amendment.

BankMobile is expected to generate a positive contribution to Customers' earnings by Q4 2019, due in large part to expected core deposit growth from its first White Label banking partnership and fee changes being implemented in its student disbursement business. In late November 2018, BankMobile's first White Label banking partnership went live in beta test phase, offering BankMobile's best in class banking products to the partners's broad customer base. Even before any marketing efforts, the partnership generated nearly 4,500 funded deposit accounts with over \$5 million in total deposits in just one month. Account openings and deposit growth are expected to accelerate later this year when our partner begins to market the account.

In total, demand deposits generated by the BankMobile business averaged \$532 million for Q4 2018 with an average cost of 0.14%.

### Q4 and Full Year 2018 Overview

The following table presents a summary of key earnings and performance metrics for the quarter ended December 31, 2018 and the preceding four quarters and the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively:

### CUSTOMERS BANCORP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

### EARNINGS SUMMARY - UNAUDITED

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data and stock price data	a)	Q4 2018	Q3 2018	Q2 2018	Q1 2018	Q4 2017	Full Year 2018	Full Year 2017
GAAP Profitability Metrics:								
Net income available to common shareholders	\$	14,247 \$	2,414 \$	20,048 \$	20,527 \$	18,000 \$	57,236 \$	64,378
Per share amounts:								
Earnings per share - basic	\$	0.45 \$	0.08 \$	0.64 \$	0.65 \$	0.58 \$	1.81 \$	2.10
Earnings per share - diluted	\$	0.44 \$	0.07 \$	0.62 \$	0.64 \$	0.55 \$	1.78 \$	1.97
Book value per common share	\$	23.85 \$	23.27 \$	22.70 \$	22.30 \$	22.42 \$	23.85 \$	22.42
CUBI stock price	\$	18.20 \$	23.53 \$	28.38 \$	29.15 \$	25.99 \$	18.20 \$	25.99
Average shares outstanding - basic		31,616,740	31,671,122	31,564,893	31,424,496	30,843,319	31,570,118	30,659,320
Average shares outstanding - diluted		32,051,030	32,277,590	32,380,662	32,273,973	32,508,030	32,233,098	32,596,677
Shares outstanding		31,003,028	31,687,340	31,669,643	31,466,271	31,382,503	31,003,028	31,382,503
Return on average assets ("ROAA")		0.71%	0.22%	0.89%	0.95%	0.84%	0.69%	0.77%
Return on average common equity ("ROCE")		7.58%	1.31%	11.32%	11.73%	10.11%	7.90%	9.38%
Efficiency ratio		69.99%	66.42%	64.35%	60.84%	62.42%	65.35%	61.53%
Non-GAAP Profitability Metrics (1):								
Core earnings	\$	16,992 \$	20,053 \$	20,841 \$	20,597 \$	18,086 \$	78,483 \$	71,971
Per share amounts:								
Core earnings per share - diluted	\$	0.53 \$	0.62 \$	0.64 \$	0.64 \$	0.56 \$	2.43 \$	2.21
Tangible book value per common share	\$	23.32 \$	22.74 \$	22.15 \$	21.74 \$	21.90 \$	23.32 \$	21.90
Net interest margin, tax equivalent		2.57%	2.47%	2.62%	2.67%	2.79%	2.58%	2.73%
Tangible common equity to tangible assets		7.36%	6.80%	6.33%	6.36%	7.00%	7.36%	7.00%
Core ROAA		0.82%	0.88%	0.91%	0.96%	0.85%	0.89%	0.85%
Core ROCE		9.05%	10.86%	11.76%	11.77%	10.15%	10.83%	10.49%
Pre-tax pre-provision core net income	\$	27,957 \$	31,821 \$	30,652 \$	33,757 \$	33,394 \$	124,410 \$	135,191
Core ROAA - pre-tax and pre-provision		1.12%	1.18%	1.15%	1.33%	1.30%	1.19%	1.33%
Core ROCE - pre-tax and pre-provision		12.96%	15.28%	15.26%	17.23%	16.72%	15.18%	17.60%
Core efficiency ratio		66.18%	62.99%	63.31%	60.72%	61.95%	63.23%	61.42%
Asset Quality:								
Net charge-offs	\$	2,154 \$	471 \$	427 \$	633 \$	1,130 \$	3,685 \$	6,067
Annualized net charge-offs to average total loans		0.10%	0.02%	0.02%	0.03%	0.05%	0.04%	0.07%
Non-performing loans ("NPLs") to total loans		0.32%	0.27%	0.29%	0.26%	0.30%	0.32%	0.30%
Reserves to NPLs		147.16%	174.56%	149.25%	173.02%	146.36%	147.16%	146.36%
Regulatory Capital Ratios (2):								
Common equity Tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets		8.96%	8.70%	8.61%	8.51%	8.81%	8.96%	8.81%
Tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets		11.58%	11.26%	11.16%	11.11%	11.58%	11.58%	11.58%
Total capital to risk-weighted assets		13.04%	12.69%	12.55%	12.55%	13.05%	13.04%	13.05%
Tier 1 capital to average assets (leverage ratio)		9.67%	8.91%	8.87%	9.03%	8.94%	9.67%	8.94%

<sup>(1)</sup> Non-GAAP measures exclude executive severance expense, merger and acquisition-related expenses, losses realized from the sale of lower-yielding investment securities and multi-family loans, investment securities gains and losses and impairment charges, and certain intangible assets. Please note that not each of the aforementioned adjustments affected the reported amount in each of the periods presented. Customers' reasons for the use of these non-GAAP measures and a detailed reconciliation between the non-GAAP measures and the comparable GAAP amounts are included at the end of this document.

<sup>(2)</sup> Regulatory capital ratios are estimated for Q4 2018 and FY 2018.

#### **Net Interest Income**

Net interest income totaled \$61.5 million in Q4 2018, a decrease of \$2.5 million from Q3 2018, principally due to a reduction in the average balance of interest earning assets of \$0.8 billion. Partially offsetting the decline in the average balance of interest earning assets was a 10 basis points expansion in tax equivalent NIM (a non-GAAP measure) reflecting efforts to re-mix the balance sheet to focus on higher-yielding assets and lower-cost funding. Compared to Q3 2018, total loan yields were 1 basis point lower at 4.37%, driven by a \$1.2 million reduction in loan prepayment fees to \$0.4 million. The reduction in loan prepayment fees reduced the yield on multi-family loans 13 basis points, the yield on total loans 6 basis points and the tax equivalent NIM (a non-GAAP measure) by 5 basis points. Securities yields increased 30 basis points sequentially to 3.60% reflecting a full quarter benefit from the sale of lower-yielding securities in Q3 2018; the cost of total deposits increased by a modest 4 basis points to 1.71%, as the average balance of non-interest bearing deposits increased \$151.5 million, and borrowing costs increased 39 basis points to 3.13%. Compared to the year-ago quarter, tax equivalent NIM (a non-GAAP measure) narrowed 22 basis points, which reflected a 71 basis points increase in the yield on securities and a 29 basis points increase in the yield on total loans, more than offset by a 79 basis points increase in the cost of deposits, and a 100 basis points increase in the cost of borrowings.

As planned, total loans outstanding decreased \$163 million, or 1.9%, to \$8.5 billion as of December 31, 2018 compared to December 31, 2017. Commercial and industrial loans, excluding commercial loans to mortgage companies, increased \$312 million to \$1.9 billion, up 19.7%; multi-family loans decreased \$361 million, or 9.9%, to \$3.3 billion; commercial non-owner-occupied real estate loans decreased \$94 million to \$1.1 billion; mortgages and other consumer loans increased \$392 million to \$722 million; and commercial loans to mortgage companies decreased \$383 million to \$1.5 billion.

Total deposits increased \$342 million, or 5.0%, to \$7.1 billion as of December 31, 2018 compared to total deposits of \$6.8 billion at December 31, 2017. Total demand deposit accounts increased \$350 million, or 22.2%, to \$1.9 billion, savings and money market deposits increased \$163 million, or 4.9%, to \$3.5 billion, and certificates of deposit accounts decreased \$172 million, or 9.0%, to \$1.7 billion. In July 2018, Customers launched a new digital, on-line banking business with a goal of gathering retail deposits. As of December 31, 2018, this new business generated \$333 million in retail deposits.

### Provision, Credit Quality and Risk Management

The provision for loan losses totaled \$1.4 million in Q4 2018, compared to \$2.9 million in Q3 2018 and \$0.8 million in Q4 2017. The Q4 2018 provision expense included \$0.5 million for growth in the consumer and commercial and industrial loan portfolios, net of the multi-family and commercial real estate loan run-off, and a \$1.2 million increase for impaired loans, offset in part by a benefit of \$0.3 million resulting from improved asset quality and lower incurred losses than previously estimated. Net charge-offs for Q4 2018 were \$2.2 million, or 10 basis points of annualized net charge-offs to average loans. Net charge-offs for FY 2018 were \$3.7 million, or 4 basis points of average loans, down from net charge-offs of \$6.1 million, or 7 basis points of average loans, for FY 2017.

Risk management is a critical component of how Customers creates long-term shareholder value, and Customers believes that asset quality is one of the most important risks in banking to be understood and managed. Customers believes that asset quality risks must be diligently addressed during good economic times with prudent underwriting standards so that when the economy deteriorates the bank's capital is sufficient to absorb all losses without threatening its ability to operate and serve its community and other constituents. "Customers' non-performing loans at December 31, 2018 were only 0.32% of total loans, compared to our peer group non-performing loans of approximately 0.73% in the most recent period available, and industry average non-performing loans of 1.16% in the most recent period available. Our expectation is superior asset quality performance in good times and in difficult years," said Mr. Sidhu.

#### Non-Interest Income

Non-interest income totaled \$19.9 million in Q4 2018, up \$17.8 million from \$2.1 million in Q3 2018. This increase was primarily due to the \$18.7 million loss realized from the sale of lower-yielding investment securities in Q3 2018. Compared to the year-ago quarter, non-interest income increased \$0.1 million from \$19.8 million in Q4 2017. Q4 2018 non-interest income included \$2.0 million of gains realized from the termination of interest rate swaps associated with the \$500 million of FHLB advances that were repaid in October 2018 and \$1.4 million of income earned on commercial operating leases generated by our Equipment Finance Group as that business continues to grow. Partially offsetting these increases was the loss of \$1.2 million realized from the sale of lower-yielding multi-family loans, reduced interchange and card revenue of \$0.6 million, and \$1.6 million of debit and prepaid card interchange expense, which prior to the adoption of the new revenue recognition standard in Q1 2018 was included in non-interest expense and reported as technology, communications and bank operations expense.

Non-interest income totaled \$59.0 million for FY 2018, down \$19.9 million from \$78.9 million for FY 2017. This decrease was primarily due to the \$18.7 million loss realized from the sale of investment securities in FY 2018 compared to gains of \$8.8 million realized in FY 2017, reduced interchange and card revenue and deposit fees totaling \$5.3 million mainly resulting from reduced transaction volumes at the BankMobile business segment, \$5.5 million of debit and prepaid card interchange expense recorded as a reduction in non-interest income beginning in Q1 2018, and \$2.2 million of reduced mortgage warehouse transactional fees primarily driven by reduced volumes. These decreases were offset in part by \$12.9 million of impairment losses recorded in FY 2017, \$4.8 million of income realized from the termination of interest rate swaps previously designated as cash flow hedges and increased income of \$4.7 million earned on commercial operating leases.

### Non-Interest Expense

Non-interest expense totaled \$57.0 million in Q4 2018, down \$0.1 million from \$57.1 million in Q3 2018. This decrease primarily resulted from reduced merger and acquisition related expenses of \$2.5 million offset in part by executive severance expenses of \$1.9 million. Compared to the year-ago quarter, non-interest expense increased \$2.3 million from \$54.8 million in Q4 2017. This increase primarily resulted from executive severance expense of \$1.9 million and increased depreciation expense on leased equipment of \$1.2 million, offset in part by reductions in other operating expenses as management continues its efforts to monitor and control expenses.

Non-interest expense totaled \$220.2 million in FY 2018, up \$4.6 million from \$215.6 million in FY 2017. This increase primarily resulted from increased salaries and employee benefits of \$9.3 million largely due to executive severance expense of \$1.9 million and increased full-time equivalents ("FTEs") year-over-year of 62, increased merger and acquisition-related expenses of \$4.0 million, and increased depreciation expense on leased equipment of \$3.9 million, offset in part by reductions in other operating expenses as management continues its efforts to monitor and control expenses.

#### Tax

The effective tax rate of 22.2% for Q4 2018 was primarily driven by an estimated research and development tax credit recorded in Q4 2018. In Q4 2017, Customers recorded a deferred tax asset re-measurement charge to its income tax expense of \$5.5 million as a result of the enactment of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017. This one-time tax effect was offset by a \$7.3 million benefit from exercises of employee stock options, principally by Customers' CEO, and vesting of restricted stock units.

Customers expects the 2019 effective tax rate to be around 24%.

### Profitability and Book Value

Customers' return on average assets was 0.71% in Q4 2018, compared to 0.22% in Q3 2018 and 0.84% in Q4 2017, and its return on average common equity was 7.58% in Q4 2018, compared to 1.31% in Q3 2018 and 10.11% in Q4 2017. The core return on average assets (a non-GAAP measure) was 0.82% in Q4 2018, compared to 0.88% in Q3

2018 and 0.85% in Q4 2017 and the core return on average common equity (a non-GAAP measure) was 9.05% in Q4 2018, compared to 10.86% in Q3 2018 and 10.15% in Q4 2017.

The Q4 2018 efficiency ratio was 70.0%, compared to 66.4% in Q3 2018 and 62.4% in Q4 2017. The core efficiency ratio (a non-GAAP measure) was 66.2% in Q4 2018, compared to 63.0% in Q3 2018 and 62.0% in Q4 2017.

The book value and tangible book value (a non-GAAP measure) per common share increased to \$23.85 and \$23.32 per share, respectively, at December 31, 2018, reflecting a CAGR of 10.4% and 10.2% over the past five years, respectively.

### **Segment Discussion**

Customers Bankorp has two operating segments: Customers Bank Business Banking and BankMobile.

The Customers Bank Business Banking segment reported net income available to common shareholders of \$17.5 million, or \$0.55 per diluted share, for Q4 2018, down from \$22.2 million, or \$0.68 per diluted share, for Q4 2017. The segment's core earnings for Q4 2018 totaled \$19.9 million, or \$0.62 per diluted share, compared to \$22.1 million, or \$0.68 per diluted share, for Q4 2017 (non-GAAP measures). The decrease in GAAP earnings resulted from NIM compression from reduced net interest income of \$8.6 million driven by higher funding costs as interest rates increased, executive severance expense of \$1.9 million and a \$1.2 million loss realized from the sale of lower-yielding multi-family loans, offset in part by reduced tax expense of \$7.2 million driven by lower enacted federal tax rates and lower taxable income.

The Customers Bank Business Banking segment reported net income available to common shareholders of \$70.7 million, or \$2.19 per diluted share, for FY 2018, down from \$77.6 million, or \$2.38 per diluted share, for FY 2017. The segment's core earnings for FY 2018 totaled \$88.6 million, or \$2.75 per diluted share, up from \$84.9 million, or \$2.60 per diluted share, for FY 2017 (non-GAAP measures). The decrease in GAAP earnings resulted from NIM compression from reduced net interest income of \$13.2 million driven by higher funding costs as interest rates increased, increased non-interest expenses of \$18.3 million and reduced non-interest income of \$7.3 million, offset in part by reductions in provision expense of \$2.7 million and tax expense of \$29.3 million driven by lower enacted federal tax rates and lower taxable income.

The BankMobile segment reported a net loss for Q4 2018 of \$3.3 million, or \$0.10 per diluted share. The segment's core loss (a non-GAAP measure) for Q4 2018 totaled \$2.9 million, or \$0.09 per diluted share, an improvement from a core loss (a non-GAAP measure) for Q4 2017 of \$4.0 million, or \$0.12 per diluted share.

The BankMobile segment reported a net loss for FY 2018 of \$13.5 million, or \$0.42 per diluted share. The segment's core loss (a non-GAAP measure) for FY 2018 totaled \$10.2 million, or \$0.31 per diluted share, an improvement from a core loss (a non-GAAP measure) for FY 2017 of \$12.9 million, or \$0.40 per diluted share. The improvement reflected an increase in net interest income, given the benefit of higher rates on BankMobile's low cost deposits, and reduced expenses, mitigated by lower fee income and an increase in provision expense as the segment began adding consumer loans.

Part of BankMobile's strategy to reach profitability in 2019 includes the addition of reasonable monthly and NSF fees in the the student disbursement business beginning at the end of Q1 2019. In order to incentivize desired behaviors, monthly fees can be waived and an attractive rate of interest can be earned for customers who meet certain requirements. BankMobile also intends to deploy its low-cost deposits into consumer loans to increase net interest income. This strategy is likely to be front-end loaded in 2019, with higher provision cost in the first half of the year and higher interest income in the second half of the year.

#### **Significantly Lowering Commercial Real Estate Concentration**

Customers' total commercial real estate ("CRE") loan exposures subject to regulatory concentration guidelines of \$4.4 billion as of December 31, 2018 included construction loans of \$70 million, multi-family loans of \$3.3 billion, and non-owner occupied commercial real estate loans of \$1.0 billion, which represent 361% of total risk-based capital on a combined basis, a reduction from 418% commercial real estate concentration as of December 31, 2017. Customers' loans subject to regulatory CRE concentration guidelines had 3 year cumulative growth of 10.6% in Q4 2018, a deceleration from 54.5% a year ago.

Customers' loans collateralized by multi-family properties were approximately 38.4% of Customers' total loan portfolio and approximately 270% of total risk-based capital at December 31, 2018, down from approximately 41.9% and 311%, respectively, at December 31, 2017. Following are some key characteristics of Customers' multi-family loan portfolio:

- · Principally concentrated in New York City with an emphasis on properties subject to some type of rent control; and principally to high net worth families;
- Average loan size is \$6.7 million;
- Median annual debt service coverage ratio is 139%;
- Median loan-to-value for the portfolio is 65.2%;
- All loans are individually stressed with an increase of 1% and 2% to the cap rate and an increase of 1.5% and 3% in loan interest rates;
- All properties are inspected prior to a loan being granted and inspected thereafter on an annual basis by dedicated portfolio managers or outside inspectors; and
- Credit approval process is independent of customer sales and portfolio management process.

### **Conference Call**

Date: Thursday, January 24, 2019

Time: 5:00 PM EST
US Dial-in: 855-719-5007

International Dial-in: 334-323-0517

Participant Code: 665552

Please dial in at least 10 minutes before the start of the call to ensure timely participation. Slides accompanying the presentation will be available on the company's website at http://customersbank.com/investor\_relations.php prior to the call. A playback of the call will be available beginning Thursday, January 24, 2019 at 8:00 PM EST until 8:00 PM EST on February 23, 2019. To listen, call within the United States 888-203-1112 or 719-457-0820 when calling internationally. Please use the replay pin number 8701039.

### **Institutional Background**

Customers Bancorp, Inc. is a bank holding company located in Wyomissing, Pennsylvania engaged in banking and related businesses through its bank subsidiary, Customers Bank. Customers Bank is a community-based, full-service bank with assets of approximately \$9.8 billion at December 31, 2018. A member of the Federal Reserve System with deposits insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, Customers Bank is an equal opportunity lender that provides a range of banking services to small and medium-sized businesses, professionals, individuals and families through offices in Pennsylvania, the District of Columbia, Illinois, New York, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and New Jersey. Committed to fostering customer loyalty, Customers Bank uses a High Tech/High Touch strategy that includes use of industry-leading technology to provide customers better access to their money, as well as

Concierge Banking® by appointment at customers' homes or offices 12 hours a day, seven days a week. Customers Bank offers a continually expanding portfolio of loans to small businesses, multi-family projects, mortgage companies and consumers.

Customers Bancorp, Inc.'s voting common shares are listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol CUBI. Additional information about Customers Bancorp, Inc. can be found on the company's website, www.customersbank.com.

#### "Safe Harbor" Statement

In addition to historical information, this press release may contain "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the "safe harbor" provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements include statements with respect to Customers Bancorp, Inc.'s strategies, goals, beliefs, expectations, estimates, intentions, capital raising efforts, financial condition and results of operations, future performance and business. Statements preceded by, followed by, or that include the words "may," "could," "should," "pro forma," "looking forward," "would," "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "estimate," "intend," "plan," or similar expressions generally indicate a forward-looking statement. These forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties that are subject to change based on various important factors (some of which, in whole or in part, are beyond Customers Bancorp, Inc.'s control). Numerous competitive, economic, regulatory, legal and technological factors, among others, could cause Customers Bancorp, Inc.'s financial performance to differ materially from the goals, plans, objectives, intentions and expectations expressed in such forward-looking statements. In addition, important factors relating to the acquisition of the Disbursements business, the combination of Customers' BankMobile business with the acquired Disbursements business, the implementation of Customers Bancorp, Inc.'s strategy to retain BankMobile for 2-3 years, the possibility that the expected benefits of retaining BankMobile for 2-3 years may not be achieved also could cause Customers Bancorp's actual results to differ from those in the forward-looking statements. Further, Customers' expectations with respect to the effects of the new tax law could be affected by future clarifications, amendments, and interpretations of such law. Customers Bancorp, Inc. cautions that the foregoing factors are not exclusive, and neither such factors nor any such forwardlooking statement takes into account the impact of any future events. All forward-looking statements and information set forth herein are based on management's current beliefs and assumptions as of the date hereof and speak only as of the date they are made. For a more complete discussion of the assumptions, risks and uncertainties related to our business, you are encouraged to review Customers Bancorp, Inc.'s filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including its most recent annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, subsequently filed quarterly reports on Form 10-Q and current reports on Form 8-K, including any amendments thereto, that update or provide information in addition to the information included in the Form 10-K and Form 10-Q filings, if any, Customers Bancorp, Inc. does not undertake to update any forward-looking statement whether written or oral, that may be made from time to time by Customers Bancorp, Inc. or by or on behalf of Customers Bank

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)												Twelve M	onths l	Ended
		Q4		Q3		Q2		Q1		Q4			nber 3	
		2018		2018		2018		2018		2017		2018		2017
Interest income:														
Loans	\$	94,248	\$	97,815	\$	95,240	\$	85,931	\$	91,229	\$	373,234	\$	339,936
Investment securities		6,277		8,495		9,765		8,672		4,136		33,209		25,153
Other		2,778		3,735		2,634		2,361		2,254		11,508		7,761
Total interest income		103,303		110,045		107,639		96,964		97,619		417,951		372,850
Interest expense:														
Deposits		34,029		32,804		24,182		19,793		18,649		110,808		67,582
Other borrowings		2,404		2,431		3,275		3,376		3,288		11,486		10,056
FHLB advances		3,662		9,125		11,176		7,080		5,697		31,043		21,130
Subordinated debt		1,684		1,684		1,684		1,684		1,685		6,737		6,739
Total interest expense		41,779		46,044		40,317		31,933		29,319		160,074		105,507
Net interest income		61,524		64,001		67,322		65,031		68,300		257,877		267,343
Provision for loan losses		1,385		2,924		(784)		2,117		831		5,642		6,768
Net interest income after provision for loan losses		60,139		61,077		68,106		62,914		67,469		252,235		260,575
Non-interest income:														
Interchange and card revenue		7,568		7,084		6,382		9,661		9,780		30,695		41,509
Deposit fees		2,099		2,002		1,632		2,092		2,121		7,824		10,039
Commercial lease income		1,982		1,419		1,091		862		552		5,354		647
Bank-owned life insurance		1,852		1,869		1,869		2,031		1,922		7,620		7,219
Mortgage warehouse transactional fees		1,495		1,809		1,967		1,887		2,206		7,158		9,345
(Loss) gain on sale of SBA and other loans		(110)		1,096		947		1,361		1,178		3,294		4,223
Mortgage banking income		73		207		205		121		173		606		875
Impairment loss on investment securities		_		_		_		_		_		_		(12,934)
(Loss) gain on sale of investment securities		_		(18,659)		_		_		268		(18,659)		8,800
Other		4,918		5,257		2,034		2,895		1,540		15,106		9,187
Total non-interest income	<u> </u>	19,877		2,084		16,127		20,910		19,740		58,998		78,910
Non-interest expense:														
Salaries and employee benefits		26,706		25,462		27,748		24,925		25,948		104,841		95,518
Technology, communication and bank operations		11,531		11,657		11,322		9,943		12,637		44,454		45,885
Professional services		5,674		4,743		3,811		6,008		7,010		20,237		28,051
Occupancy		2,933		2,901		3,141		2,834		2,937		11,809		11,161
FDIC assessments, non-income taxes, and regulatory fees		1,892		2,415		2,135		2,200		1,290		8,642		7,906
Commercial lease depreciation		1,550		1,103		920		815		386		4,388		522
Advertising and promotion		917		820		319		390		361		2,446		1,470
Merger and acquisition related expenses		470		2,945		869		106		410		4,391		410
Loan workout		360		516		648		659		522		2,183		2,366
Other real estate owned expense		285		66		58		40		20		449		570
Other		4,727		4,476		2,779		4,360		3,267		16,339		21,747
Total non-interest expense		57,045		57,104		53,750		52,280		54,788		220,179		215,606
Income before income tax expense		22,971		6,057		30,483		31,544		32,421		91,054		123,879
Income tax expense		5,109		28		6,820		7,402		10,806		19,359		45,042
Net income		17,862		6,029		23,663		24,142		21,615		71,695		78,837
Preferred stock dividends		3,615		3,615		3,615		3,615		3,615		14,459		14,459
Net income available to common shareholders	\$	14,247	\$	2,414	\$	20,048	\$	20,527	\$	18,000	\$	57,236	\$	64,378
Basic earnings per common share	\$	0.45	\$	0.08	\$	0.64	s	0.65	\$	0.58	\$	1.81	\$	2.10
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### CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET - UNAUDITED

(Dollars in thousands)	n	ecember 31,	s	eptember 30,		June 30,		March 31,	December 31,		
	D	2018		2018		2018		2018	b	2017	
ASSETS		2010		2010		2010		2010		2017	
Cash and due from banks	\$	17,696	\$	12,943	\$	22,969	\$	9,198	\$	20,388	
Interest-earning deposits	•	44,439		653,091	•	228,757	-	206,213	*	125,935	
Cash and cash equivalents		62,135		666,034		251,726		215,411	-	146,323	
Investment securities, at fair value		665,012		668,851		1,161,000		1,181,661		471,371	
Loans held for sale		1,507		1,383		1,043		662		146,077	
Loans receivable, mortgage warehouse, at fair value		1,405,420		1,516,327		1,930,738		1,874,853		1,793,408	
Loans receivable		7,138,074		7,239,950		7,181,726		6,943,566		6,768,258	
Allowance for loan losses		(39,972)		(40,741)		(38,288)		(39,499)		(38,015)	
Total loans receivable, net of allowance for loan losses		8,503,522		8,715,536	-	9,074,176		8,778,920		8,523,651	
FHLB, Federal Reserve Bank, and other restricted stock		89,685		74,206		136,066		130,302		105,918	
Accrued interest receivable		32,955		32,986		33,956		31,812		27,021	
Bank premises and equipment, net		11,063		11,300		11,224		11,556		11,955	
Bank-owned life insurance		264,559		263,117		261,121		259,222		257,720	
Other real estate owned		816		1,450		1,705		1,742		1,726	
Goodwill and other intangibles		16,499		16,825		17,150		17,477		16,295	
Other assets		185,672		165,416		143,679		140,501		131,498	
Total assets	\$	9,833,425	\$	10,617,104	\$	11,092,846	\$	10,769,266	\$	9,839,555	
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY											
Demand, non-interest bearing deposits	\$	1,122,171	\$	1,338,167	\$	1,090,744	\$	1,260,853	\$	1,052,115	
Interest-bearing deposits		6,020,065		7,175,547		6,205,210		5,781,606		5,748,027	
Total deposits		7,142,236		8,513,714		7,295,954		7,042,459		6,800,142	
Federal funds purchased		187,000		_		105,000		195,000		155,000	
FHLB advances		1,248,070		835,000		2,389,797		2,252,615		1,611,860	
Other borrowings		123,871		123,779		186,888		186,735		186,497	
Subordinated debt		108,977		108,953		108,929		108,904		108,880	
Accrued interest payable and other liabilities		66,455		80,846		70,051		64,465		56,212	
Total liabilities		8,876,609		9,662,292		10,156,619		9,850,178		8,918,591	
Preferred stock		217,471		217,471		217,471		217,471		217,471	
Common stock		32,252		32,218		32,200		31,997		31,913	
Additional paid in capital		434,314		431,205		428,796		424,099		422,096	
Retained earnings		316,651		302,404		299,990		279,942		258,076	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(22,663)		(20,253)		(33,997)		(26,188)		(359)	
Treasury stock, at cost		(21,209)	_	(8,233)		(8,233)	_	(8,233)		(8,233)	
Total shareholders' equity		956,816		954,812		936,227		919,088		920,964	
Total liabilities & shareholders' equity	\$	9,833,425	\$	10,617,104	\$	11,092,846	\$	10,769,266	\$	9,839,555	

# CUSTOMERS BANCORP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES AVERAGE BALANCE SHEET / NET INTEREST MARGIN (UNAUDITED)

(Dollars in thousands)

Three Months Ended												
		Decem	ber 31,		Septen	iber 30,		Decem	ber 31,			
		20	018		20	018		20	17			
	Ave	rage Balance	Average Yield or Cost (%)	Av	verage Balance	Average Yield or Cost (%)	A	verage Balance	Average Yield or Cost (%)			
Assets												
Interest earning deposits	\$	185,145	2.24%	\$	309,588	1.97%	\$	204,762	1.33%			
Investment securities		697,474	3.60%		1,029,857	3.30%		572,071	2.89%			
Loans:												
Commercial loans to mortgage companies		1,409,197	5.03%		1,680,441	5.02%		1,789,230	4.36%			
Multi-family loans		3,445,267	3.76%		3,555,223	3.89%		3,716,104	3.81%			
Commercial and industrial		1,823,189	4.93%		1,782,500	4.83%		1,560,778	4.21%			
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate		1,224,750	4.10%		1,255,206	4.03%		1,300,329	4.14%			
All other loans		660,007	5.04%		594,528	4.80%		508,680	4.49%			
Total loans		8,562,410	4.37%		8,867,898	4.38%		8,875,121	4.08%			
Other interest-earning assets		73,091	9.41%		111,600	7.81%		107,033	5.81%			
Total interest earning assets		9,518,120	4.31%		10,318,943	4.24%	-	9,758,987	3.97%			
Non-interest earning assets		429,247			409,396			404,694				
Total assets	\$	9,947,367		\$	10,728,339		\$	10,163,681				
Liabilities												
Total interest bearing deposits (1)	\$	6,650,598	2.03%	\$	6,665,384	1.95%	\$	5,982,054	1.24%			
Borrowings		983,540	3.13%		1,918,577	2.74%		1,990,497	2.13%			
Total interest bearing liabilities		7,634,138	2.17%		8,583,961	2.13%		7,972,551	1.46%			
Non-interest bearing deposits (1)		1,261,330			1,109,819			1,194,038				
Total deposits & borrowings		8,895,468	1.86%		9,693,780	1.89%		9,166,589	1.27%			
Other non-interest bearing liabilities		89,202			84,786			72,986				
Total liabilities		8,984,670			9,778,566			9,239,575				
Common equity		745,226			732,302			706,635				
Preferred stock		217,471			217,471			217,471				
Shareholders' equity		962,697			949,773		_	924,106				
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$	9,947,367		\$	10,728,339		\$	10,163,681				
Net interest margin			2.57%			2.46%			2.78%			
Net interest margin tax equivalent (2)			2.57%			2.47%			2.79%			

<sup>(1)</sup> Total costs of deposits (including interest bearing and non-interest bearing) were 1.71%, 1.67% and 1.03% for the three months ended December 31, 2018, September 30, 2018, and December 31, 2017, respectively.

<sup>(2)</sup> Non-GAAP measure. A detailed reconciliation between the non-GAAP measure and the comparable GAAP amount is included at the end of this document.

# CUSTOMERS BANCORP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES AVERAGE BALANCE SHEET / NET INTEREST MARGIN (UNAUDITED)

(Dollars in thousands)

(Dottars in moustains)			Twelve M	onths E	nded	
		Decembe	er 31,		Decembe	er 31,
		2018	3		2017	7
	_	Average Balance	Average Yield or Cost (%)	A	verage Balance	Average Yield or Cost (%)
Assets						
Interest earning deposits	\$	217,168	1.90%	\$	296,305	1.06%
Investment securities		1,005,688	3.30%		870,979	2.89%
Loans:						
Commercial loans to mortgage companies		1,610,168	4.92%		1,748,575	4.20%
Multi-family loans		3,549,511	3.82%		3,551,683	3.72%
Commercial and industrial		1,743,696	4.72%		1,452,805	4.17%
Non-owner occupied commercial real estate		1,257,545	4.03%		1,293,173	3.96%
All other loans		517,800	4.93%		503,532	4.44%
Total loans	_	8,678,720	4.30%		8,549,768	3.98%
Other interest-earning assets		110,223	6.71%		103,710	4.46%
Total interest earning assets Non-interest earning assets	_	10,011,799	4.17%		9,820,762	3.80%
		406,303			376,948	
Total assets	\$	10,418,102		\$	10,197,710	
Liabilities						
Total interest bearing deposits (1)	\$	6,251,004	1.77%	\$	6,158,758	1.10%
Borrowings		1,951,921	2.52%		1,875,431	2.02%
Total interest-bearing liabilities	_	8,202,925	1.95%	-	8,034,189	1.31%
Non-interest-bearing deposits (1)		1,189,638			1,187,324	
Total deposits & borrowings	_	9,392,563	1.70%	-	9,221,513	1.14%
Other non-interest bearing liabilities		83,563			72,714	
Total liabilities	_	9,476,126		-	9,294,227	•
Common equity		724,505			686,012	
Preferred stock		217,471			217,471	
Shareholders' equity	_	941,976			903,483	•
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$	10,418,102		\$	10,197,710	
Net interest margin			2.58%			2.72%
Net interest margin tax equivalent (2)			2.58%			2.73%

<sup>(1)</sup> Total costs of deposits (including interest bearing and non-interest bearing) were 1.49% and 0.99% for the twelve months ended December 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

<sup>(2)</sup> Non-GAAP measure. A detailed reconciliation between the non-GAAP measure and the comparable GAAP amount is included at the end of this document.

### **SEGMENT REPORTING - UNAUDITED**

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

Basic earnings (loss) per common share

Diluted earnings (loss) per common share

The following tables present Customers' business segment results for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2018 and 2017:

Three Months Ended December 31, 2018 Three Months Ended December 31, 2017 **Customers Bank Customers Bank** Consolidated **Business Banking Business Banking** BankMobile BankMobile Consolidated Interest income (1) 103,303 \$ 98,129 \$ 5,174 \$ \$ 94,407 \$ 3,212 \$ 97,619 Interest expense 41,592 187 41,779 29,304 15 29,319 Net interest income 56,537 4,987 61,524 65,103 3,197 68,300 Provision for loan losses 1,385 (200)1,585 179 652 831 Non-interest income 9,352 10,525 19,877 8,200 11,540 19,740 Non-interest expense 38,778 18,267 57,045 33,900 20,888 54,788 Income (loss) before income tax expense (benefit) 27,311 (4,340)22,971 39,224 (6,803)32,421 Income tax expense (benefit) 6.175 (1,066)5.109 13.369 (2,563)10,806 Net income (loss) 21,136 (3,274)17,862 25,855 (4,240)21,615 Preferred stock dividends 3,615 3,615 3,615 3,615 Net income (loss) available to common shareholders 17,521 (3,274) 14,247 22,240 (4,240) 18,000

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	Twelve	Mon	ths Ended December	31, 2	018	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2017							
	Customers Bank usiness Banking		BankMobile		Consolidated		Customers Bank Business Banking		BankMobile		Consolidated		
Interest income (2)	\$ 400,948	\$	17,003	\$	417,951	\$	359,931	\$	12,919	\$	372,850		
Interest expense	159,674		400		160,074		105,438		69		105,507		
Net interest income	241,274		16,603		257,877		254,493		12,850		267,343		
Provision for loan losses	2,928		2,714		5,642		5,638		1,130		6,768		
Non-interest income	17,499		41,499		58,998		24,788		54,122		78,910		
Non-interest expense	146,946		73,233		220,179		128,604		87,002		215,606		
Income (loss) before income tax expense (benefit)	108,899		(17,845)		91,054		145,039		(21,160)		123,879		
Income tax expense (benefit)	23,742		(4,383)		19,359		53,013		(7,971)		45,042		
Net income (loss)	85,157		(13,462)		71,695		92,026		(13,189)		78,837		
Preferred stock dividends	14,459		_		14,459		14,459		_		14,459		
Net income (loss) available to common shareholders	\$ 70,698	\$	(13,462)	\$	57,236	\$	77,567	\$	(13,189)	\$	64,378		
Basic earnings (loss) per common share	\$ 2.24	\$	(0.43)	\$	1.81	\$	2.53	\$	(0.43)	\$	2.10		
Diluted earnings (loss) per common share	\$ 2.19	\$	(0.42)	\$	1.78	\$	2.38	\$	(0.41)	\$	1.97		
As of December 31, 2018 and 2017													
Goodwill and other intangibles	\$ 3,629	\$	12,870	\$	16,499	\$	3,630	\$	12,665	\$	16,295		
Total assets	\$ 9,688,146	\$	145,279	\$	9,833,425	\$	9,769,996	\$	69,559	\$	9,839,555		
Total deposits	\$ 6,766,378	\$	375,858	\$	7,142,236	\$	6,400,310	\$	399,832	\$	6,800,142		
Total non-deposit liabilities	\$ 1,719,225	\$	15,148	\$	1,734,373	\$	2,106,919	\$	11,530	\$	2,118,449		

<sup>(2)</sup> Amounts reported include funds transfer pricing of \$15.7 million and \$12.9 million for the twelve months ended December 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively

<sup>0.55</sup> (1) Amounts reported include funds transfer pricing of \$3.8 million and \$3.2 million for the three months ended December 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

The following tables present Customers' business segment results for the quarter ended December 31, 2018 and the preceding four quarters:

### **Customers Bank Business Banking:**

	Q4 2018		 Q3 2018	Q2 2018			Q1 2018	Q4 2017
Interest income (1)	\$	98,129	\$ 106,156	\$	104,110	\$	92,554	\$ 94,407
Interest expense		41,592	45,982		40,182		31,917	29,304
Net interest income		56,537	 60,174		63,928		60,637	 65,103
Provision for loan losses		(200)	2,502		(1,247)		1,874	179
Non-interest income (loss)		9,352	(7,756)		7,465		8,439	8,200
Non-interest expense		38,778	36,115		37,721		34,331	33,900
Income before income tax expense		27,311	 13,801		34,919		32,871	 39,224
Income tax expense		6,175	1,930		7,910		7,728	13,369
Net income		21,136	 11,871		27,009		25,143	 25,855
Preferred stock dividends		3,615	3,615		3,615		3,615	3,615
Net income available to common shareholders	\$	17,521	\$ 8,256	\$	23,394	\$	21,528	\$ 22,240
Basic earnings per common share	\$	0.55	\$ 0.26	\$	0.74	\$	0.69	\$ 0.72
Diluted earnings per common share	\$	0.55	\$ 0.26	\$	0.72	\$	0.67	\$ 0.68

<sup>(1)</sup> Amounts reported include funds transfer pricing of \$3.8 million, \$3.9 million, \$3.5 million, \$4.4 million and \$3.2 million for the three months ended December 31, 2018, September 30, 2018, June 30, 2018, March 31, 2018, and December 31, 2017, respectively.

### BankMobile:

	Q4 2018	Q3 2018	Q2 2018	Q1 2018	Q4 2017
Interest income (2)	\$ 5,174	\$ 3,889	\$ 3,529	\$ 4,410	\$ 3,212
Interest expense	187	62	135	16	15
Net interest income	 4,987	 3,827	3,394	 4,394	 3,197
Provision for loan losses	1,585	422	463	243	652
Non-interest income	10,525	9,840	8,662	12,471	11,540
Non-interest expense	18,267	20,989	16,029	17,949	20,888
Loss before income tax benefit	 (4,340)	 (7,744)	 (4,436)	 (1,327)	 (6,803)
Income tax benefit	(1,066)	(1,902)	(1,090)	(326)	(2,563)
Net loss available to common shareholders	\$ (3,274)	\$ (5,842)	\$ (3,346)	\$ (1,001)	\$ (4,240)
Basic loss per common share	\$ (0.10)	\$ (0.18)	\$ (0.11)	\$ (0.03)	\$ (0.14)
Diluted loss per common share	\$ (0.10)	\$ (0.18)	\$ (0.10)	\$ (0.03)	\$ (0.13)

<sup>(2)</sup> Amounts reported include funds transfer pricing of \$3.8 million, \$3.9 million, \$3.5 million, \$4.4 million and \$3.2 million for the three months ended December 31, 2018, September 30, 2018, June 30, 2018, March 31, 2018, and December 31, 2017, respectively.

PERIOD END I	LOAN COMPOSITION	(UNAUDITED)
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(Dollars in thousands)									
	Ι	December 31,	S	September 30,		June 30,		March 31,	December 31,
		2018		2018	_	2018	_	2018	 2017
Commercial:									
Multi-family	\$	3,285,297	\$	3,504,540	\$	3,542,770	\$	3,645,374	\$ 3,646,572
Mortgage warehouse		1,461,810		1,574,731		1,987,306		1,931,320	1,844,607
Commercial & industrial		1,894,887		1,783,300		1,755,183		1,648,324	1,582,667
Commercial real estate non-owner occupied		1,125,106		1,157,849		1,155,998		1,195,903	1,218,719
Construction		56,491		95,250		88,141		81,102	 85,393
Total commercial loans		7,823,591		8,115,670		8,529,398		8,502,023	8,377,958
Consumer:									
Residential		568,068		511,236		494,265		226,501	235,928
Manufactured housing		79,731		82,589		85,328		87,687	90,227
Other consumer		74,035		51,210		3,874		3,570	3,547
Total consumer loans		721,834		645,035		583,467		317,758	 329,702
Deferred (fees)/costs and unamortized (discounts)/premiums, net		(424)		(3,045)		642		(700)	 83
Total loans	\$	8,545,001	\$	8,757,660	\$	9,113,507	\$	8,819,081	\$ 8,707,743

### CUSTOMERS BANCORP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

### PERIOD END DEPOSIT COMPOSITION (UNAUDITED)

(Dollars in thousands)								_
	D	ecember 31,	S	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	Ι	December 31,
		2018		2018	 2018	 2018		2017
Demand, non-interest bearing	\$	1,122,171	\$	1,338,167	\$ 1,090,744	\$ 1,260,853	\$	1,052,115
Demand, interest bearing		803,948		833,176	623,343	510,418		523,848
Savings		384,545		275,825	38,457	36,584		38,838
Money market		3,097,391		3,673,065	3,471,249	3,345,573		3,279,648
Time deposits		1,734,181		2,393,481	2,072,161	1,889,031		1,905,693
Total deposits	\$	7,142,236	\$	8,513,714	\$ 7,295,954	\$ 7,042,459	\$	6,800,142

### ASSET QUALITY - UNAUDITED

(Dollars in thousands)			December 31	1 2018			As of	September 3	0.2018			As of	December 3	1 2017	
,,		Non Accrual	Total Credit	NPLs / Total	Total Reserves		Non Accrual	Total Credit	NPLs / Total	Total Reserves		Non Accrual	Total Credit	NPLs / Total	Total Reserves
Loan Type	Total Loans	/NPLs	Reserves	Loans	to Total NPLs	Total Loans	/NPLs	Reserves	Loans	to Total NPLs	Total Loans	/NPLs	Reserves	Loans	to Total NPLs
Originated Loans															
Multi-family	\$ 3,282,903	\$ 1,155	\$ 11,524	0.04%	997.75%	\$ 3,502,079	\$ 1,343	\$ 11,829	0.04%	880.79%	\$ 3,499,760	s –	\$ 12,169	-%	%
Commercial & Industrial (1)	1,874,779	18,543	14,866	0.99%	80.17%	1,760,668	14,316	15,268	0.81%	106.65%	1,546,109	18,478	13,369	1.20%	72.35%
Commercial Real Estate Non-Owner Occupied	1,111,903	_	4,093	%	%	1,144,214	_	4,246	%	%	1,199,053	_	4,564	%	%
Residential	107,070	1,999	2,013	1.87%	100.70%	106,052	2,055	2,048	1.94%	99.66%	107,742	1,506	2,119	1.40%	140.70%
Construction	56,491	_	624	-%	%	95,250	_	1,062	-%	-%	85,393	_	979	-%	%
Other Consumer (2)	1,874	_	131	-%	%	1,359	_	103	-%	-%	1,292	_	77	-%	%
Total Originated Loans (3)	6,435,020	21,697	33,251	0.34%	153.25%	6,609,622	17,714	34,556	0.27%	195.08%	6,439,349	19,984	33,277	0.31%	166.52%
Loans Acquired															
Bank Acquisitions	125,718	4,104	3,224	3.26%	78.56%	131,854	4,006	3,773	3.04%	94.18%	149,400	4,472	4,558	2.99%	101.92%
Loan Purchases	577,760	1,693	3,985	0.29%	235.38%	501,519	1,921	2,939	0.38%	152.99%	179,426	1,959	825	1.09%	42.11%
Total Acquired Loans	703,478	5,797	7,209	0.82%	124.36%	633,373	5,927	6,712	0.94%	113.24%	328,826	6,431	5,383	1.96%	83.70%
Deferred (fees) costs and unamortized (discounts)	(424)			_%	-%	(2.045)			_%	_%	83			_%	-%
premiums, net	(424)	27,494	40.460	0.39%		(3,045)	22.641	41.268		174.56%		26,415	38,660	0.39%	146.36%
Loans Receivable  Loans Receivable.	7,138,074	27,494	40,460	0.39%	147.16%	7,239,950	23,641	41,268	0.33%	1/4.56%	6,768,258	26,415	38,660	0.39%	146.36%
Mortgage Warehouse, at Fair Value	1,405,420	_	_	%	%	1,516,327	_	_	%	%	1,793,408	_	_	%	%
Total Loans Held for Sale	1,507	_	_	-%	-%	1,383	_	_	-%	-%	146,077	_	_	-%	-%
Total Portfolio	\$ 8,545,001	S 27,494	S 40,460	0,32%	147,16%	\$ 8,757,660	S 23,641	S 41,268	0.27%	174.56%	\$ 8,707,743	s 26,415	S 38,660	0,30%	146.36%

<sup>(1)</sup> Commercial & industrial loans, including owner occupied commercial real estate loans.

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes activity for BankMobile related loans, primarily overdrawn deposit accounts.

<sup>(3)</sup> Does not include loans receivable, mortgage warehouse, at fair value.

(Dollars in thousands)							
(Dottars in inousanus)	Q4		Q3	Q2	Q1		Q4
	2018		2018	2018	2018		2017
Originated Loans							
Commercial & Industrial (1)	\$ 1,490	\$	86	\$ 140	\$ 54	\$	(109)
Commercial Real Estate Non-Owner Occupied	_		_	_	_		731
Residential	35		_	42	_		3
Other Consumer (2)	664		434	459	254		686
Total Net Charge-offs (Recoveries) from Originated Loans	 2,189	-	520	 641	 308		1,311
Loans Acquired							
Bank Acquisitions	(35)		(49)	(214)	325		(181)
Loan Purchases	_		_	_	_		_
Total Net Charge-offs (Recoveries) from Acquired Loans	(35)		(49)	(214)	 325	_	(181)
Total Net Charge-offs from Loans Held for Investment	\$ 2,154	\$	471	\$ 427	\$ 633	\$	1,130

<sup>(1)</sup> Commercial & industrial loans, including owner occupied commercial real estate.

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes activity for BankMobile related loans, primarily overdrawn deposit accounts.

### RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP MEASURES - UNAUDITED

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)

Customers believes that the non-GAAP measurements disclosed within this document are useful for investors, regulators, management and others to evaluate our results of operations and financial condition relative to other financial institutions. Presentation of these non-GAAP financial measures is consistent with how Customers evaluates its performance internally and these non-GAAP financial measures are frequently used by securities analysts, investors, and other interested parties in the evaluation of companies in Customers' industry. These non-GAAP financial measures exclude from corresponding GAAP measures the impact of certain elements that we do not believe are representative of our financial results, which we believe enhance an overall understanding of our performance. Investors should consider our performance and financial condition as reported under GAAP and all other relevant information when assessing our performance or financial condition. Although non-GAAP financial measures are frequently used in the evaluation of a company, they have limitations as analytical tools and should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for analysis of our results of operations or financial condition as reported under GAAP.

The following tables present reconciliations of GAAP to non-GAAP measures disclosed within this document.

Core Earnings - Customers Bancorp	 Q4	2018	_	Q3 :	2018		 Q2 2	2018		 Q1 2	018		 Q4 2	017	
	USD	Per share		USD	Ре	er share	USD	Pe	r share	USD	Pe	r share	USD	Per	r share
GAAP net income to common shareholders	\$ 14,247	\$ 0.44	\$	2,414	\$	0.07	\$ 20,048	\$	0.62	\$ 20,527	\$	0.64	\$ 18,000	\$	0.55
Reconciling items (after tax):															
Executive severance expense	1,421	0.04		_		_	_		_	_		_	_		_
Merger and acquisition related expenses	355	0.01		2,222		0.07	655		0.02	80		_	256		0.01
Losses on sale of multi-family loans	868	0.03		_		_	_		_	_		_	_		_
Losses (gains) on investment securities	 101	_		15,417		0.48	 138		_	 (10)			 (170)		_
Core earnings	\$ 16,992	\$ 0.53	\$	20,053	\$	0.62	\$ 20,841	\$	0.64	\$ 20,597	\$	0.64	\$ 18,086	\$	0.56

Core Earnings - Customers Bancorp	Twelve Mo December			 Twelve Mor December		
	USD	P	er share	USD	Per	r share
GAAP net income to common shareholders	\$ 57,236	\$	1.78	\$ 64,378	\$	1.97
Reconciling items (after tax):						
Impairment loss on equity securities	_		_	12,934		0.40
Executive severance expense	1,421		0.04	_		_
Merger and acquisition related expenses	3,312		0.10	256		0.01
Losses on sale of multi-family loans	868		0.03	_		_
Losses (gains) on investment securities	 15,646		0.49	 (5,597)		(0.17)
Core earnings	\$ 78,483	\$	2.43	\$ 71,971	\$	2.21

### RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP MEASURES - UNAUDITED (CONTINUED)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)

### Core Return on Average Assets - Customers Bancorp

	 Twelve Months I	Ended 1	December 31,					
	 2018		2017	Q4 2018	 Q3 2018	 Q2 2018	Q1 2018	 Q4 2017
GAAP net income	\$ 71,695	\$	78,837	\$ 17,862	\$ 6,029	\$ 23,663	\$ 24,142	\$ 21,615
Reconciling items (after tax):								
Impairment loss on equity securities	_		12,934	_	_	_	_	_
Executive severance expense	1,421		_	1,421	_	_	_	_
Merger and acquisition related expenses	3,312		256	355	2,222	655	80	256
Losses on sale of multi-family loans	868		_	868	_	_	_	_
Losses (gains) on investment securities	 15,646		(5,597)	 101	15,417	138	 (10)	(170)
Core net income	\$ 92,942	\$	86,430	\$ 20,607	\$ 23,668	\$ 24,456	\$ 24,212	\$ 21,701
Average total assets	\$ 10,418,102	s	10,197,710	\$ 9,947,367	\$ 10,728,339	\$ 10,721,190	\$ 10,275,707	\$ 10,163,681
Core return on average assets	0.89%		0.85%	0.82%	0.88%	0.91%	0.96%	0.85%

### Core Net Income and Core ROAA - Pre-Tax Pre-Provision -Customers Bancorp

Twelve Months Ended December 31, Q4 2017 2018 2017 Q4 2018 Q3 2018 Q2 2018 Q1 2018 GAAP net income 71,695 78,837 17,862 6,029 23,663 24,142 21,615 Reconciling items: 19,359 45,042 28 6,820 7,402 Income tax expense 5,109 10,806 2,924 Provision for loan losses 5,642 6,768 1,385 (784) 2,117 831 Impairment loss on equity securities 12,934 1,869 1,869 Executive severance expense 4,391 410 470 2.945 Merger and acquisition related expenses 869 106 410 Losses on sale of multi-family loans 1,161 1,161 Losses (gains) on investment securities 20,293 (8,800) 101 19,895 (10) (268) Core net income - pre-tax pre-provision 124,410 135,191 27,957 31,821 30,652 33,757 33,394 Average total assets 10,418,102 10,197,710 9,947,367 10,728,339 10,721,190 10,275,707 10,163,681 Core ROAA - pre-tax pre-provision 1.19% 1.33% 1.12% 1.18% 1.15% 1.33% 1.30%

### RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP MEASURES - UNAUDITED (CONTINUED)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)

### Core Return on Average Common Equity -Customers Bancorp

	T	welve Months E	nded	December 31,					
		2018		2017	Q4 2018	 Q3 2018	 Q2 2018	 Q1 2018	 Q4 2017
GAAP net income to common shareholders	\$	57,236	\$	64,378	\$ 14,247	\$ 2,414	\$ 20,048	\$ 20,527	\$ 18,000
Reconciling items (after tax):									
Impairment loss on equity securities		_		12,934	_	_	_	_	_
Executive severance expense		1,421		_	1,421	_	_	_	_
Merger and acquisition related expenses		3,312		256	355	2,222	655	80	256
Losses on sale of multi-family loans		868		_	868	_	_	_	_
Losses (gains) on investment securities		15,646		(5,597)	101	 15,417	 138	 (10)	 (170)
Core earnings	\$	78,483	\$	71,971	\$ 16,992	\$ 20,053	\$ 20,841	\$ 20,597	\$ 18,086
Average total common shareholders' equity	\$	724,505	\$	686,012	\$ 745,226	\$ 732,302	\$ 710,549	\$ 709,464	\$ 706,635
Core return on average common equity		10.83%		10.49%	9.05%	10.86%	11.76%	11.77%	10.15%

### Core ROCE - Pre-Tax Pre-Provision - Customers Bancorp

	T	welve Months E	nded I	December 31,					
		2018		2017	 Q4 2018	 Q3 2018	Q2 2018	Q1 2018	 Q4 2017
GAAP net income to common shareholders	\$	57,236	\$	64,378	\$ 14,247	\$ 2,414	\$ 20,048	\$ 20,527	\$ 18,000
Reconciling items:									
Income tax expense		19,359		45,042	5,109	28	6,820	7,402	10,806
Provision for loan losses		5,642		6,768	1,385	2,924	(784)	2,117	831
Impairment loss on equity securities		_		12,934	_	_	_	_	_
Executive severance expense		1,869		_	1,869	_	_	_	_
Merger and acquisition related expenses		4,391		410	470	2,945	869	106	410
Losses on sale of multi-family loans		1,161		_	1,161	_	_	_	_
Losses (gains) on investment securities		20,293		(8,800)	 101	 19,895	 84	(10)	 (268)
Pre-tax pre-provision core net income available to common shareholders		109,951		120,732	24,342	28,206	27,037	30,142	29,779
Average total common shareholders' equity	\$	724,505	\$	686,012	\$ 745,226	\$ 732,302	\$ 710,549	\$ 709,464	\$ 706,635
Core ROCE - pre-tax pre-provision		15.18%		17.60%	12.96%	15.28%	15.26%	17.23%	16.72%

### RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP MEASURES - UNAUDITED (CONTINUED)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)

### Net Interest Margin, Tax Equivalent -Customers Bancorp

Twelve Months Ended December 31,

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	2018		2017		Q4 2018	Q3 2018	Q2 2018		Q1 2018	Q4 2017
GAAP net interest income	\$ 257,877	\$	267,343	\$	61,524	\$ 64,001	\$ 67,322	\$	65,031	\$ 68,300
Tax-equivalent adjustment	685		645		171	172	171		171	245
Net interest income tax equivalent	\$ 258,562	\$	267,988	\$	61,695	\$ 64,173	\$ 67,493	S	65,202	\$ 68,545
Average total interest earning assets	\$ 10,011,799	\$	9,820,762	\$	9,518,120	\$ 10,318,943	\$ 10,329,530	\$	9,881,220	\$ 9,758,987
Net interest margin, tax equivalent	2.58%		2.73%		2.57%	2.47%	2.62%		2.67%	2.79%

### Core Efficiency Ratio - Customers Bancorp

Core efficiency ratio (1)

Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2018 2017 Q4 2018 Q3 2018 Q2 2018 Q1 2018 Q4 2017 GAAP net interest income \$ 257,877 267,343 \$ 61,524 64,001 \$ 67,322 \$ 65,031 \$ 68,300 \$ \$ GAAP non-interest income \$ 58,998 \$ 78,910 \$ 19,877 \$ 2,084 \$ 16,127 \$ 20,910 \$ 19,740 Losses (gains) on investment securities 20,293 (8,800) 101 19,895 84 (10) (268) Losses on sale of multi-family loans 1,161 1,161 12,934 Impairment loss on equity securities Core non-interest income 80,452 83,044 21,139 21,979 16,211 20,900 19,472 Core revenue 338,329 350,387 82,663 85,980 83,533 85,931 87,772 GAAP non-interest expense 220,179 \$ 215,606 57,045 \$ 57,104 S 53,750 \$ 52,280 \$ 54,788 (1,869) Executive severance expense (1,869)Merger and acquisition related expenses (4,391) (410) (470) (2,945) (869) (106) (410) Core non-interest expense 213,919 \$ 215,196 \$ 54,706 54,159 \$ 52,881 \$ 52,174 \$ 54,378

63.23%

66.18%

62.99%

63.31%

60.72%

61.95%

61.42%

<sup>(1)</sup> Core efficiency ratio calculated as core non-interest expense divided by core revenue.

### RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP MEASURES - UNAUDITED (CONTINUED)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)

### Tangible Common Equity to Tangible Assets - Customers Bancorp

	Q4 2018	Q3 2018	Q2 2018	Q1 2018	Q4 2017
GAAP - Total shareholders' equity	\$ 956,816	\$ 954,812	\$ 936,227	\$ 919,088	\$ 920,964
Reconciling items:					
Preferred stock	(217,471)	(217,471)	(217,471)	(217,471)	(217,471)
Goodwill and other intangibles	(16,499)	(16,825)	(17,150)	(17,477)	(16,295)
Tangible common equity	\$ 722,846	\$ 720,516	\$ 701,606	\$ 684,140	\$ 687,198
Total assets	\$ 9,833,425	\$ 10,617,104	\$ 11,092,846	\$ 10,769,266	\$ 9,839,555
Reconciling items:					
Goodwill and other intangibles	 (16,499)	 (16,825)	(17,150)	 (17,477)	 (16,295)
Tangible assets	\$ 9,816,926	\$ 10,600,279	\$ 11,075,696	\$ 10,751,789	\$ 9,823,260
Tangible common equity to tangible assets	7.36%	6.80%	6.33%	6.36%	7.00%

### Tangible Book Value per Common Share - Customers Bancorp

	Q4 2018		 Q3 2018	 Q2 2018	 Q1 2018	Q4 2017
GAAP - Total Shareholders' Equity	\$	956,816	\$ 954,812	\$ 936,227	\$ 919,088	\$ 920,964
Reconciling Items:						
Preferred Stock		(217,471)	(217,471)	(217,471)	(217,471)	(217,471)
Goodwill and Other Intangibles		(16,499)	 (16,825)	 (17,150)	 (17,477)	(16,295)
Tangible Common Equity	\$	722,846	\$ 720,516	\$ 701,606	\$ 684,140	\$ 687,198
Common shares outstanding		31,003,028	31,687,340	31,669,643	31,466,271	31,382,503
Tangible Book Value per Common Share	\$	23.32	\$ 22.74	\$ 22.15	\$ 21.74	\$ 21.90

### Tangible Book Value per Common Share - CAGR - Customers Bancorp

	2018		2017	2016		 2015	 2014	2013
GAAP - Total Shareholders' Equity	\$ 956,816	\$	920,964	\$	855,872	\$ 553,902	\$ 443,145	\$ 386,623
Reconciling Items:								
Preferred Stock	(217,471)		(217,471)		(217,471)	(55,569)	_	_
Goodwill and Other Intangibles	 (16,499)		(16,295)		(17,621)	 (3,651)	 (3,664)	(3,676)
Tangible Common Equity	\$ 722,846	\$	687,198	\$	620,780	\$ 494,682	\$ 439,481	\$ 382,947
Common shares outstanding	31,003,028		31,382,503		30,289,917	26,901,801	26,745,529	26,646,566
Tangible Book Value per Common Share CAGR	\$ 23.32 10.17%	\$	21.90	\$	20.49	\$ 18.39	\$ 16.43	\$ 14.37

### RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP MEASURES - UNAUDITED (CONTINUED)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)

Core Earnings - Customers Bank Business Banking Segment	 Q4 2018			Q3 2018				Q2 2018				 Q1 2018				Q4 2017		
	USD	P	er share		USD	P	er share		USD	Pe	er share	USD	Pe	er share		USD	Per s	share
GAAP net income to common shareholders	\$ 17,521	\$	0.55	\$	8,256	\$	0.26	\$	23,394	\$	0.72	\$ 21,528	\$	0.67	\$	22,240	\$	0.68
Reconciling items (after tax):																		
Executive severance expense	1,421		0.04		_		_		_		_	_		_		_		_
Losses on sale of multi-family loans	868		0.03		_		_		_		_	_		_		_		_
Losses (gains) on investment securities	 101				15,417		0.48		138		_	 (10)		_		(170)		
Core earnings	\$ 19,911	\$	0.62	\$	23,673	\$	0.73	\$	23,532	\$	0.73	\$ 21,518	\$	0.67	\$	22,070	\$	0.68

Core Earnings - Customers Bank Business Banking Segment	Twe	lve Months E 31, 2		Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2017					
		USD	Pe	er share		USD	Per share		
GAAP net income to common shareholders	\$	70,698	\$	2.19	\$	77,567 \$	2.38		
Reconciling items (after tax):									
Executive severance expense		1,421		0.04		_	_		
Impairment loss on equity securities		_		_		12,934	0.40		
Losses on sale of multi-family loans		868		0.03		_	_		
Losses (gains) on investment securities		15,646		0.49		(5,597)	(0.17)		
Core earnings	\$	88,633	\$	2.75	\$	84,904 \$	2.60		

Core Loss - BankMobile Segment	 Q4 2018			Q3 2018				Q2 20	18	Q1 2018				Q4 2017		
	USD	Per share		USD	P	er share		USD	Per share		USD	Per share		USD	Per share	
GAAP net loss to common shareholders	\$ (3,274) \$	(0.10)	\$	(5,842)	\$	(0.18)	\$	(3,346) 5	\$ (0.10)	\$	(1,001) \$	(0.03)	\$	(4,240) \$	(0.13)	
Reconciling items (after tax):																
Merger and acquisition related expenses	 355	0.01		2,222		0.07	_	655	0.02		80	_		256	0.01	
Core loss	\$ (2,919) \$	(0.09)	\$	(3,620)	\$	(0.11)	\$	(2,691) 5	\$ (0.08)	\$	(921) \$	(0.03)	\$	(3,984) \$	(0.12)	

Core Loss - BankMobile Segment	Twe	elve Months End 31, 2018		Tw	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2017			
		USD	Per share		USD	Per share		
GAAP net loss to common shareholders	\$	(13,462) \$	(0.42)	\$	(13,189) \$	(0.41)		
Reconciling items (after tax):								
Merger and acquisition related expenses		3,312	0.10		256	0.01		
Core loss	\$	(10,150) \$	(0.31)	\$	(12,933) \$	(0.40)		





Executing On Our Unique Higher Performing Banking Model

Q4 2018 Investor Presentation January, 2019

NYSE: CUBI



### **Investment Proposition**



### Highly Focused, Innovative, Relationship Banking Based Commercial Bank

Business bank with a unique private banking service model; approximately \$10 billion in assets Highly skilled teams targeting privately held businesses and high net worth families

### Strong Organic Growth, Well Capitalized, Branch Lite Bank in Attractive Markets

Target market from Boston to Washington DC along Interstate 95, and Chicago Robust risk management driven business strategy

### Significantly Improving Profitability & Efficient Operations

Operating efficiencies offset tighter margins and generate sustainable profitability

Target 1.25% ROAA and double digit ROTCE in 3-4 years

### Strong Credit Quality & Expanding Margin

Unwavering underwriting standards

Loan portfolio performance consistently better than industry and peers

### Attractive Valuation

January 18, 2019 share price of \$20.97, 9.5x street estimated 2019 EPS of \$2.21 and  $0.9x \ tangible \ book \ value \ of $23.32^{(1)}$  December 31, 2018 tangible book value $^{(1)}$  of \$23.32, which has grown at a CAGR of 10% over the last 5 years

### BankMobile

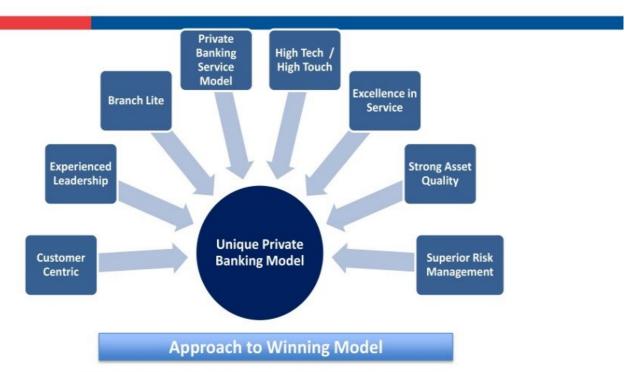
We expect to retain BankMobile, our disruptive digital banking strategy, for the next 2-3 years and are excited about our first White Label partnership



# **Customers Bank Business Banking**

### Customers' Single Point of Contact Model

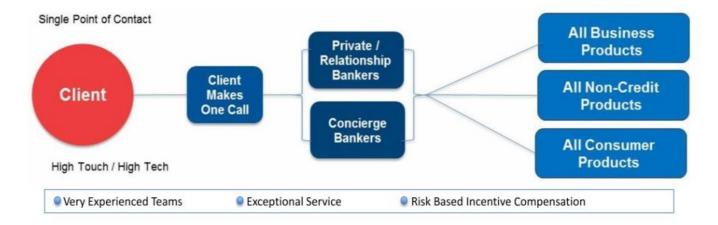




Relationship driven but never deviate from following critical success factors

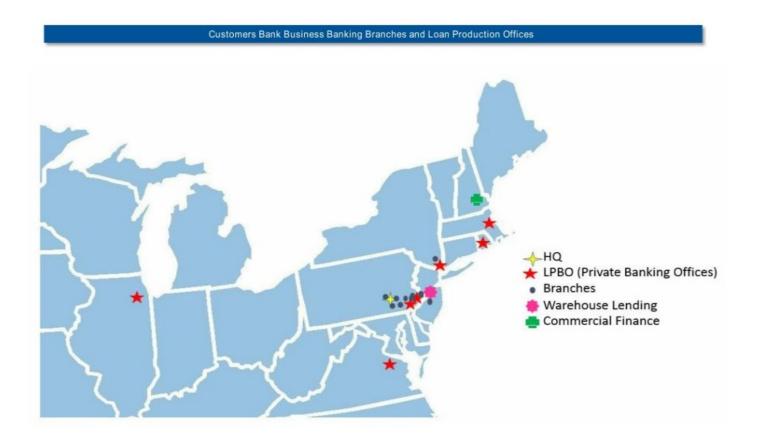
- · Only focus on very strong credit quality niches
  - Very strong risk management culture
- · Operate at lower efficiency ratio than peers to deliver sustainable strong profitability and growth
  - Always attract and retain top quality talent
  - · Culture of innovation and continuous improvement





**Business Banking Focus -** ~95% of Customers Bank Business Banking Segment revenues are from commercial business units







# BankMobile

One of America's Fastest Growing Digital Banks for Consumers



## Critical success factors

- 1. Unique and exponentially better customer acquisition strategy
- Customer engagement and customer for life profitability strategy
- 3. Unique technology, contractual relationships, and Durbin create barriers to entry
- 4. Long-term profitability better than traditional banks



#### **Customer Acquisition:**

- Unique Customer Acquisition Model
- Touches about 1 in every 3 college bound students in the U.S. each year
- 29% of Higher Ed. Market share for disbursements / payments business
- Leverage white label partners captive customer base via BAAS business model



### Profitable Service Model:

- No Legacy Branch Network; Mobile-First Business Model
- Low Cost Deposit Generation Engine
- Transaction revenues on Customer Payment Activities
- Incentive sharing with White Label Partners

## Target Customer



### Engagement:

- Checking, savings, personal loans, credit cards
- Low fee account structure
- · Strong UX, easy to use product
- Budgeting tools, rewards for good financial behavior and academic performance
- Relevant partnerships (skill development, discounts, jobs, etc.)
- Credit building tools



#### Valuable Insights:

- . Data Analytics for sales & service
- Digital Marketing for reach & engagement
- Tailored Banking Offerings by Customer Segment
- WOW Experiences for Customers







Besides student disbursements, our biggest focus over the last two years has been the development of "Banking as a Service" model

- Spent significantly in R&D, technology and product development for White Label
- Expected to be a very customer friendly product offering
- · We will have more to share later this year
- · T-Mobile partnership launched in beta stage

T-Mobile Partnership

# BankMobile - Long-term profitability



- · 2% or higher ROA which is significantly better than traditional banks
- Uniqueness of Durbin a significant competitive advantage that benefits our partners and our customers
- High volume and low cost customer acquisition \$19 for BankMobile student business versus \$100 \$400 for traditional banks
- A very unique offering to potentially attract millions of consumers for primary checking accounts and building potentially billions of no to very low cost stable deposits



# Customers Bancorp, Inc.

Strategic Priorities

## Strategic Priorities



#### 1) Create shareholder value through improved profitability

- · We target an ROAA of 1.25% in the next 3-4 years
- · We target a double digit ROTCE in the next 3-4 years
- We target a NIM of 2.75%+ in the next 9-15 months

#### 2) Focus and grow core banking operations

- We expect to grow our core banking franchise (low cost deposits, C&I lending) through reductions in non-core areas (multi-family loans and high cost wholesale funding)
- We expect to manage the size of the consolidated balance sheet to optimize capital and profitability while preserving full interchange income from debit cards

#### 3) Grow BankMobile for 2-3 years before monetizing the investment

- · We expect to retain BankMobile for 2-3 years, but will regularly assess our alternatives
- We expect BankMobile to generate a positive contribution to Customers' earnings by the end of 2019
- . We are excited about BankMobile's new White Label partner, which we expect to generate significant low cost deposit growth

#### 4) Strengthen our mix

- We sold \$495 million of lower yielding securities in Q3 and \$55 million of lower yielding multi-family loans in Q4 which were funded with high cost borrowings
- We expect to grow C&I lending and consumer lending and create space on the balance sheet with multi-family reductions
- We expect to grow low cost deposits and run-off high cost funding; we currently have approximately \$270 million of deposits with a cost of 2.75%+

#### 5) Deploy excess capital to benefit shareholders

- . We expect to continue to deploy excess capital, while maintaining a TCE ratio above our 7.0% target
- Our board will evaluate the best options for excess capital, including share repurchases and calling preferred shares when they become callable

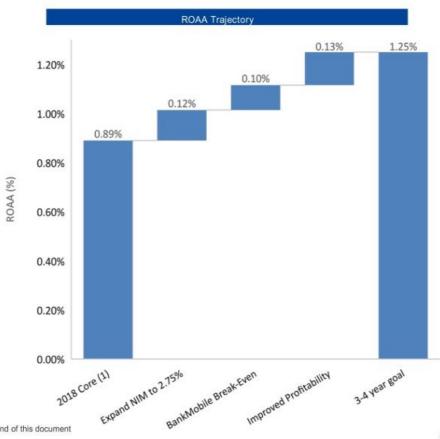
# Strategic Priorities: Improving Profitability



We target an ROAA of 1.25% in 3-4 years, double digit ROTCE. We can get there through:

- 2.75% NIM
- · Eliminating BankMobile losses
- · Other profitability improvements
  - · Improving efficiency
  - · Growth in fee income
  - · BankMobile profitability
  - A NIM wider than 2.75%

We target \$4 of EPS in the next 3-4 years.



(1) A non-GAAP measure; refer to the reconciliation schedules at the end of this document

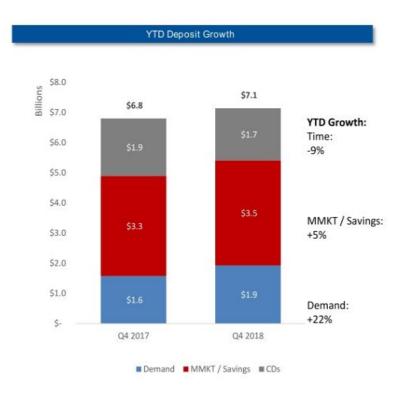


## Projected Balance Sheet Mix Shifts

Ending Balance Sheet Growth (\$ in millions)	Dec 2017	Dec 2018	2018 Change	Targeted Balance Sheet Shifts in 2019
Cash and Deposits	126	44	(82)	
Investment Securities	471	665	194	
Multi Family Loans	3,647	3,285	(362)	~\$700 million to \$1.2 billion reduction in Multifamily & CRE
ORE Loans	1,304	1,181	(124)	~\$700 million to \$1.2 billion reduction in wartinarmily & CRE
Warehouse	1,845	1,462	(383)	
C&I Loans	1,583	1,895	312	\$500 million of growth in C&I loans at 5.25%+
Mortgage & Home Equity	236	568	332	
Manufactured Housing	90	80	(10)	
Other Consumer	3	74	71	\$400 million of growth in Consumer Loans at 8% to 12%
Loans	8,708	8,545	(163)	
Allowance for Loan Losses	(38)	(40)	(2)	
Loans, Net of Allowance	8,670	8,505	(165)	
Other Assets	573	619	46	
Total Assets	9,840	9,833	(7)	De minimis asset growth in 2019, with mix shift towards higher yielding assets
Non Interest Bearing Deposits	1,052	1,122	70	
Interest Checking	524	804	280	
Money Market	3,279	3,097	(182)	
Savings	39	385	346	
CDs	1,906	1,734	(172)	
Total Deposits	6,800	7,142	342	In 2019, we will continue to focus on growing core deposits, and running off higher cost
Borrowings	2,062	1,668	(394)	borrowings and deposits
Other Liabilities	57	67	10	
Total Liabilities	8,919	8,877	(42)	
Equity	921	956	35	
Total Liabilities and Equity	9,840	9,833	(7)	

# 2018 Deposits: Growth In The Right Areas



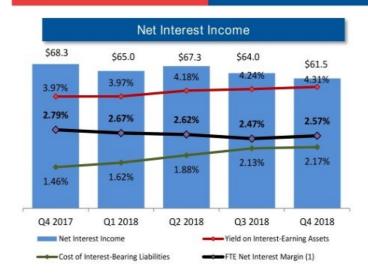


We are improving our funding mix as we replace higher cost funding with lower cost core deposits from BankMobile, our Digital Direct Bank, and core business units

Source: Company Data

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FTE NIM<sup>(1)</sup> expanded 10 bps sequentially to 2.57%

- · 8 bps NIM benefit from asset yields
  - -5 bps headwind from reduction in prepayment income
  - · +13 bps benefit from increase in asset yields
- · 3 bps NIM benefit from liabilities
  - · -3 bps pressure from higher deposit costs
  - · -4 bps pressure from higher borrowing costs
  - · +10 bps benefit from favorable funding mix shift

Margin is expected to reach 2.75% in 9-15 months

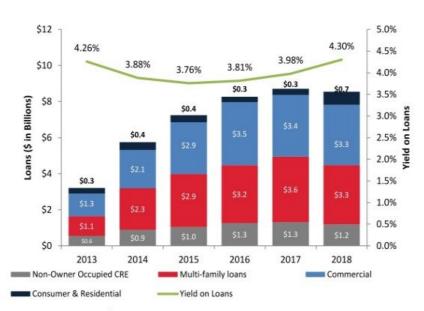
### Steps to mitigate core margin pressure

- · We have sold certain lower yielding securities and loans, funded with higher cost borrowings
- · Expect significant growth in low cost BankMobile White Label and Disbursement deposits to replace higher cost funding
- · Expect multi-family loans to decline; we will grow higher yielding consumer loans
- · Significantly limiting originations of loans with yields below 5.25%
- Implemented product and channel strategies (including digital channel for Customers Bank) to grow core deposits in the short and long term

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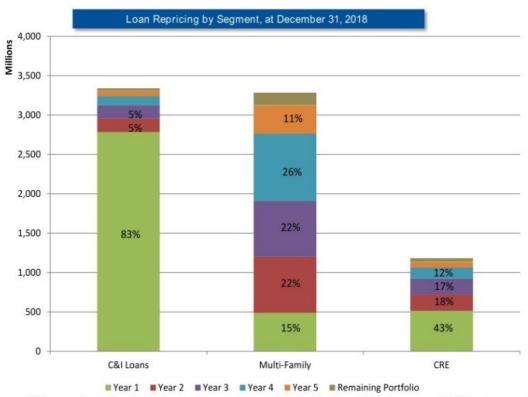
## Loan Growth



#### Q4 2018 loans totaled \$8.5 Billion

- The yield on loans increased 29 bps from Q4 2017; sequentially yields would have increased 6 bps if not for the \$1.2 million decline in prepayment income
- · 20% YOY growth in C&I (excluding commercial loans to mortgage companies)
- · 10% YOY decline in multi-family loans

Source: Company data 18

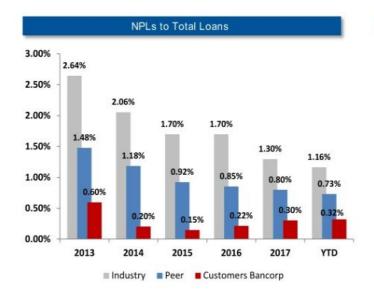


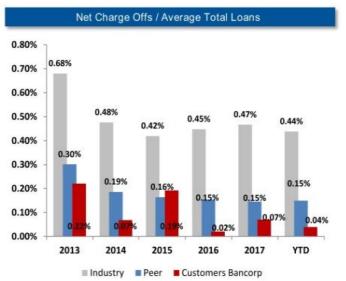
- 83% of our C&I loans, including loans to mortgage companies, 43% of our CRE loans, and 15% of our multi-family loans reprice within 1 year
- C&I loans (including those to mortgage companies) make up 43% of our total loans
  \*Repricing includes the following: contractual loan repricing and maturities, contractual principal payments, and assumed loan prepayments

# **Outstanding Credit Quality**



## Credit metrics remain better than peers





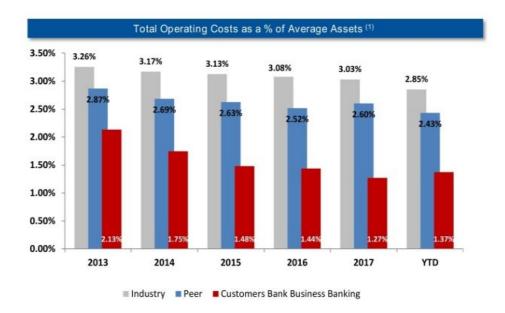
Note: Customers 2015 charge-offs includes 12 bps for a \$9 million fraudulent loan

Source: S&P Global, Company data. Peer data consists of Northeast and Mid-Atlantic banks and thrifts with comparable asset size and predominantly commercial business focused loan portfolios as further described in our 2018 proxy. Industry data includes all commercial and savings banks. Peer and industry data as of September 30, 2018. Industry and peer data in the current YTD period is not yet available for all companies.

## Superior Operating Efficiency and Costs



Our Customers Bank Business Banking Segment operating costs, as a percentage of average assets, are at least 100 bps lower than peers and nearly 150 bps lower than the industry



(1) Source: S&P Global and Company data. Data based on Customers Bank Business Banking Segment unless labeled Consolidated. Peer data consists of Northeast and Mid-Atlantic banks and thrifts with comparable asset size and predominantly commercial business focused loan portfolios as further described in our 2018 proxy. Industry data includes all commercial and savings banks. Peer and industry data as of September 30, 2018. Industry and peer data in the current YTD period is not yet available for all companies.



# Customers Bancorp, Inc.

Q4'18 Financial Highlights



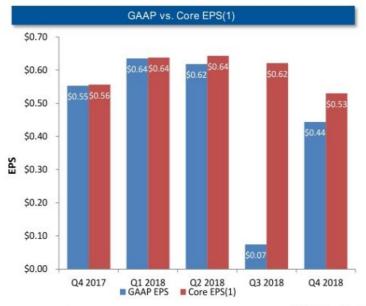
	Consolidated	Customers Bank Business Banking Segment
GAAP Diluted Earnings Per Share (EPS)	\$0.44	\$0.55
Core Diluted Earnings Per Share (EPS) (1)	\$0.53	\$0.62
GAAP Net Income Available to Common (\$ millions)	\$14.2	\$17.5
Core Earnings (\$ millions) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$17.0	\$19.9
Tangible Book Value (TBV) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$23.32	
Return on Average Assets (ROAA)	0.71%	0.85%
Core ROAA (1)	0.82%	0.95%
Return on Average Common Equity (ROACE)	7.58%	9.80%
Core ROACE (1)	9.05%	11.1%
Efficiency	70%	59%

Valuation	n <sup>(2)</sup>
January 18 Price	\$20.97
P/E 2019	9.5x
P/E 2020	8.4x
P/TBV <sup>(2)</sup>	0.90x

### Q4 2018 Highlights

- 10% YOY growth in core FY 2018 EPS
- 20% YOY growth in C&I lending (excluding loans to mortgage companies)
- 10% YOY decline in Multi-family loans
- 5% YOY growth in total deposits
- Pristine credit quality
- A non-GAAP measure; refer to the reconciliation schedules at the end of this document
   2019 and 2020 consensus EPS estimates of \$2.21 and \$2.50, respectively, were sourced from S&P Global





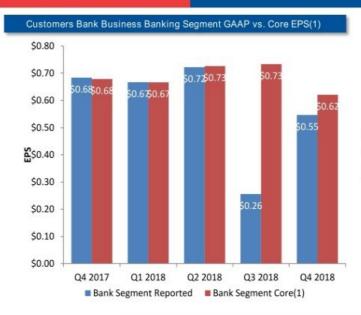
# Q4 2018 Net Income to Common Shareholders of \$14.2 million, and Diluted Earnings Per Common Share of \$0.44.

- \$0.55 of diluted EPS from the Customers Bank Business Banking segment; \$0.62 core EPS<sup>(1)</sup> from the Customers Bank Business Banking segment
- \$0.10 of diluted loss per share and \$0.09 core diluted loss<sup>(1)</sup> per share from the BankMobile segment. Results includes a 3.20% earnings rate on BankMobile's excess low cost deposits.

	Q4 2017	Q1 2018	Q2 2018	Q3 2018	Q4 2018
GAAP EPS	\$0.55	\$0.64	\$0.62	\$0.07	\$0.44
Notable Items:					
Executive severance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.04
Losses on sale of multi-family loans	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.03
Merger and acquisition related expenses	\$0.01	\$0.00	\$0.02	\$0.07	\$0.01
Securities (gains) losses	(\$0.00)	(\$0.00)	\$0.00	\$0.48	\$0.00
Core EPS(1)	\$0.56	\$0.64	\$0.64	\$0.62	\$0.53

# Q4 2018 Highlights: Customers Bank Business Banking Segment



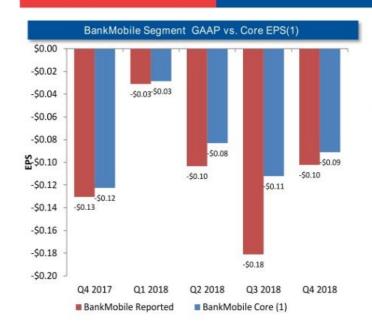


Customers Bank Business Banking segment Q4 2018 profits of \$17.5 million (or \$0.55 per diluted share); core segment profits of \$19.9 million (or \$0.62 per diluted share)<sup>(1)</sup>

	Q4 2017	Q1 2018	Q2 2018	Q3 2018	Q4 2018
Bank Segment Reported	\$0.68	\$0.67	\$0.72	\$0.26	\$0.55
Notable Items:					
Executive severance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.04
Losses on sale of multi-family loans	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.03
Securities (gains) losses	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.48	\$0.00
Bank Segment Core(1)	\$0.68	\$0.67	\$0.73	\$0.73	\$0.62

## Q4 2018 Highlights: BankMobile Segment





BankMobile segment loss of \$3.3 million (or -\$0.10 per diluted share) in Q4 2018, and core loss of \$2.9 million (or -\$0.09 per diluted share<sup>(1)</sup>)

- BankMobile deposits averaged \$532 million in Q4 2018, a 4.6% decline over Q4 2017 levels
- BankMobile segment reporting reflects a 3.20% yield on excess deposits in Q4 2018, compared to 2.29% in Q4 2017

	Q4 2017	Q1 2018	Q2 2018	Q3 2018	Q4 2018
BankMobile Reported	-\$0.13	-\$0.03	-\$0.10	-\$0.18	-\$0.10
Notable Items:					
Merger and acquisition related expenses	\$0.01	\$0.00	\$0.02	\$0.07	\$0.01
BankMobile Core (1)	-\$0.12	-\$0.03	-\$0.08	-\$0.11	-\$0.09

<sup>(1)</sup> A non-GAAP measure; refer to the reconciliation schedules at the end of this document

Source: Company data



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In addition to the risks described under "Risk Factors" in our filings with the SEC, important factors to consider and evaluate with respect to our forward-looking statements include:

- · changes in external competitive market factors that might impact our results of operations;
- changes in laws and regulations, including without limitation changes in capital requirements under Basel III;
- · changes in our business strategy or an inability to execute our strategy due to the occurrence of unanticipated events;
- · our ability to identify potential candidates for, and consummate, acquisition or investment transactions;
- · the timing of acquisition, investment or disposition transactions;
- constraints on our ability to consummate an attractive acquisition or investment transaction because of significant competition for these opportunities;
- · local, regional and national economic conditions and events and the impact they may have on us and our customers;
- costs and effects of regulatory and legal developments, including the results of regulatory examinations and the outcome of regulatory or other governmental inquiries and proceedings, such as fines or restrictions on our business activities;
- · our ability to attract deposits and other sources of liquidity;
- · changes in the financial performance and/or condition of our borrowers;
- · changes in the level of non-performing and classified assets and charge-offs;
- · changes in estimates of future loan loss reserve requirements based upon the periodic review thereof under relevant regulatory and accounting requirements;
- · inflation, interest rate, securities market and monetary fluctuations;



## Forward-Looking Statements (Cont.)

- timely development and acceptance of new banking products and services and perceived overall value of these products and services by users, including the products and services being developed and introduced to the market by the BankMobile division of Customers Bank;
- · changes in consumer spending, borrowing and saving habits;
- · technological changes;
- · our ability to increase market share and control expenses;
- · continued volatility in the credit and equity markets and its effect on the general economy;
- effects of changes in accounting policies and practices, as may be adopted by the regulatory agencies, as well as the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board, the Financial Accounting Standards Board and other accounting standard setters;
- the businesses of Customers Bank and any acquisition targets or merger partners and subsidiaries not integrating successfully or such integration being more difficult, time-consuming or costly than expected:
- material differences in the actual financial results of merger and acquisition activities compared with our expectations, such as with respect to the full realization of anticipated cost savings and revenue enhancements within the expected time frame;
- · our ability to successfully implement our growth strategy, control expenses and maintain liquidity;
- · Customers Bank's ability to pay dividends to Customers Bancorp;
- · risks relating to BankMobile, including:
  - our ability to maintain interchange income with the small issuer exemption to the Durbin
    amendment:
  - · our ability to manage our balance sheet under \$10 billion;
  - our ability to execute on our White Label strategy to grow demand deposits through strategic partnerships:
  - · material variances in the adoption rate of BankMobile's services by new students
  - . the usage rate of BankMobile's services by current student customers compared to our expectations;



## Forward-Looking Statements (Cont.)

- the levels of usage of other BankMobile student customers following graduation of additional product and service offerings of BankMobile or Customers Bank, including mortgages and consumer loans, and the mix of products and services used;
- · our ability to implement changes to BankMobile's product and service offerings under current and future regulations and governmental policies;
- our ability to effectively manage revenue and expense fluctuations that may occur with respect to BankMobile's student-oriented business activities, which
  result from seasonal factors related to the higher-education academic year; and
- BankMobile's ability to successfully implement its growth strategy and control expenses.
- · risks related to planned changes in our balance sheet, including:
  - · our ability to reduce the size of our multi-family loan portfolio;
  - · our ability to execute our digital distribution strategy; and
  - . our ability to manage the risk of change in our loan mix to include a greater proportion of consumer loans.

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Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measures



Customers believes that the non-GAAP measurements disclosed within this document are useful for investors, regulators, management and others to evaluate our results of operations and financial condition relative to other financial institutions. Presentation of these non-GAAP financial measures is consistent with how Customers evaluates its performance internally and these non-GAAP financial measures are frequently used by securities analysts, investors, and other interest parties in the evaluation of companies in Customers' industry. These non-GAAP financial measures exclude from corresponding GAAP measures the impact of certain elements that we do not believe are representative of our financial results, which we believe enhance an overall understanding of our performance. Investors should consider our performance and financial condition as reported under GAAP and all other relevant information when assessing our performance or financial condition. Although non-GAAP financial measures are frequently used in the evaluation of a company, they have limitations as analytical tools and should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for analysis of our results of operations or financial condition as reported under GAAP.

The following tables present reconciliations of GAAP to Non-GAAP measures disclosed within this document.



Core Earnings - Customers Bancorp, Inc. Consolidated (\$ in thousands, not including per share amounts)

		Q4	2018		Q3 2018				Q22	2018		Q1 2018					Q4 2017				
	- 1	USD	Per	Share		USD	Pe	r Share		USD	Per	Share		USD	Per	Share		USD	Per	Share	
GAAP net income to common shareholders	S	14,247	\$	0.44	S	2,414	\$	0.07	\$	20,048	S	0.62	\$	20,527	S	0.64	\$	18,000	\$	0.55	
Reconciling items (after tax):																					
Executive severance expense		1,421		0.04		2		-		- 2		-		-		2		-		-	
Merger and acquisition related expenses		355		0.01		2,222		0.07		655		0.02		80		-		256		0.01	
Losses on sale of multi-family loans		868		0.03																	
Losses (gains) on investment securities		101				15,417		0.48		138				(10)				(170)		-	
Core earnings	S	16,992	S	0.53	S	20,053	\$	0.62	\$	20,841	S	0.64	\$	20,597	S	0.64	\$	18,086	\$	0.56	
Core Earnings - Customers Bank Business Banking	Segment (\$ in the		ot includi 2018	ing per shar	re amou		2018			Q2:	2018			Q1:	2018			Q4:	2017		
	100	USD	Per	Share		USD	Pe	r Share		USD	Per	Share		USD	Per	Share		USD	Per	Share	
GAAP net income to common shareholders	\$	17,521	\$	0.55	\$	8,256	\$	0.26	S	23,394	\$	0.72	\$	21,528	\$	0.67	\$	22,240	\$	0.68	
Reconciling items (after tax):																					
Executive severance expense		1,421		0.04				*												195	
Losses on sale of multi-family loans																					
		868		0.03																	
Losses (gains) on investment securities		868 101		0.03		15,417		0.48		138		-		(10)		*		(170)			



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Core Loss - BankMobile Segment	(\$ in thousands, not including per share amounts)	ì.

	Q4 2018					Q3:	2018			Q2 2	2018		Q1 2018				
	18	USD	Pe	r Share	95	USD	Per	Share	35	USD	Pe	r Share		USD	Per	Share	
GAAP net loss to common shareholders	\$	(3,274)	\$	(0.10)	\$	(5,842)	\$	(0.18)	\$	(3,346)	\$	(0.10)	\$	(1,001)	\$	(0.03)	
Reconciling items (after tax):																	
Merger and acquisition related expenses		355		0.01		2,222		0.07		655		0.02		80		-	
Catch-up depreciation/amortization on BankMobile assets		-				-		-								-	
Coreloss	\$	(2,919)	\$	(0.09)	\$	(3,620)	\$	(0.11)	S	(2,691)	\$	(0.08)	\$	(921)	S	(0.03)	
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Core Loss - Bank Mobile Segment (\$ in thousands, not including per share amounts) - continued

88	Q4:	- 22	Q3 2017					Q2 2	2017		Q1 2017				
20	USD	Pe	Share	193	USD	Per	Share		USD	Per	Share		USD	Per	Share
\$	(4,240)	\$	(0.13)	\$	(6,908)	\$	(0.21)	\$	(3,533)	\$	(0.11)	\$	1,457	S	0.04
	256		0.01		-				-				2.1		
	(2)		50		1,765		0.05		(883)		(0.03)		(882)		(0.03)
\$	(3,984)	\$	(0.12)	\$	(5,143)	\$	(0.16)	\$	(4,416)	\$	(0.14)	\$	575	S	0.02
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Core Loss - Bank Mobile Segment (\$ in thousands, not including per share amounts) - continued

	0.0	Q4 2	2016	-	Q3 2016					Q2 2	2016		Q1 2016				
	100	USD	Per	Share	572	USD	Per	Share	000	USD	Per	Share	l	JSD	Per	Share	
GAAP net loss to common shareholders	\$	(2,269)	\$	(0.07)	\$	(1,507)	\$	(0.05)	\$	(1,484)	\$	(0.05)	\$	(54)	\$		
Reconciling items (after tax):																	
Merger and acquisition related expenses		2				89		520		542		0.02		109		-	
Catch-up depreciation/amortization on BankMobile assets	89	-		*	69	-		-	0.0	-						-	
Coreloss	\$	(2,269)	\$	(0.07)	\$	(1,418)	\$	(0.05)	\$	(942)	\$	(0.03)	\$	55	\$		



Tangible Book Value per Common Share - Customers Bancorp, Inc. Consolidated (\$ in thousands, except per share data)

		2018		2017	2016		2015		2014	2013	
GAAP-Total Shareholders' Equity	\$	956,816	\$	920,964	\$ 855,872	\$	553,902	\$	443,145	\$ 386,623	
Reconciling Items:											
Preferred Stock		(217,471)		(217,471)	(217,471)		(55,569)		-		
Goodwill and Other Intangibles		(16,499)		(16,295)	(17,621)		(3,651)		(3,664)	(3,676)	
Tangible Common Equity	\$	722,846	\$	687,198	\$ 620,780	\$	494,682	\$	439,481	\$ 382,947	
Common shares outstanding	3	31,003,028		31,382,503	30,289,917		26,901,801		26,745,529	26,646,566	
Tangible Book Value per Common Share	\$	23.32	s	21.90	\$ 20.49	\$	18.39	S	16.43	\$ 14.37	
CAGR		10.17%									

Customers Bancorp, Inc. Consolidated - Net Interest Margin, tax equivalent (\$ in thousands)

	 Q4 2018		Q3 2018	Q2 2018		Q1 2018	. 3	Q4 2017
GAAP Net interest income	\$ 61,524	\$	64,001	\$ 67,322	\$	65,031	\$	68,300
Tax-equivalent adjustment	171	_	172	171	7/	171		245
Net interest income tax equivalent	61,695		64,173	\$ 67,493	\$	65,202	\$	68,545
Average total interest earning assets	\$ 9,518,120	\$	10,318,943	\$ 10,329,530	\$	9,881,220	\$	9,758,987
Net interest margin, tax equivalent	2.57%		2.47%	2.62%		267%		2.79%



Core Return on Average Assets -			Core Return on Average Assets -					
Customers Bancorp, Inc. Consolidated (\$ in thousands)		Customers Bank Business Banking Segment (\$ in thousands)  Q4 2018  GAAP net income \$ 21,136						
		Q4 2018			Q4 2018			
GAAP net income	\$	17,862	GAAP net income	\$	21,136			
Reconciling items (after tax):			Reconciling items (after tax):					
Executive severance expense	3		Executive severance expense		1,421			
Merger and acquisition related expenses			Losses on sale of multi-family loans		868			
Losses on sale of multi-family loans		868	Losses (gains) on investment securities		101			
Losses (gains) on investment securities		101	Cor e net income	\$	23,425			
Cor e net income	\$	20,607						
Average Total Assets	\$	9,947,367	Average Total Assets	\$	9,815,396			
Core Return on Average Assets		0.82%	Core Return on Average Assets		0.95%			
Core Return on Average Common Equity - Customers Bancorp, Inc. Consolidated (\$ in thousands)			Core Return on Average Common Equity - Customers Bank Business Banking Segment (\$ in the	ousands)				
		Q4 2018			Q4 2018			
GAAP net income to common shareholders	\$	14,247	GAAP net income to common shareholders	\$	17,521			
Reconciling items (after tax):			Reconciling items (after tax):					
Executive severance expense		1,421	Executive severance expense		1,421			
Merger and acquisition related expenses		355	Losses on sale of multi-family loans		868			
Losses on sale of multi-family loans		868	Losses (gains) on investment securities	100	101			
Losses (gains) on investment securities	_	101	Core earnings	\$	19,911			
Core earnings	\$	16,992						
A verage Total Common Shareholders' Equity	•	***************************************						
	\$	745,226	Average Total Common Shareholders' Equity	\$	709,113			



# BankMobile Segment

**Appendix** 

# **BankMobile Segment Expanded Financials**



### BankMobile Segment Income Statement (\$ in 000s), Except Per Share Data

	Q1 2016	Q2 2016	Q3 2016	Q4 2016	Q1 2017	Q2 2017	Q3 2017	Q4 2017	Q1 2018	Q2 2018	Q3 2018	Q4 2018
Interest Income	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2	\$1	\$2	\$1	\$0	\$2	\$1,344
Interest Expense	\$4	\$5	\$5	\$6	\$6	\$11	\$10	\$6	\$8	\$125	\$50	\$179
Fund Transfer Pricing Net Credit	\$1,723	\$1,306	\$1,381	\$2,466	\$4,247	\$2,738	\$2,693	\$3,202	\$4,401	\$3,520	\$3,875	\$3,822
Net interest income	\$1,718	\$1,301	\$1,377	\$2,460	\$4,242	\$2,727	\$2,684	\$3,197	\$4,394	\$3,394	\$3,827	\$4,987
Provision for loan losses	-\$1	\$0	\$250	\$546	\$0	\$0	\$478	\$652	\$243	\$463	\$422	\$1,585
Deposit Fees	\$1	\$509	\$3,916	\$2,500	\$2,803	\$1,875	\$2,338	\$1,833	\$1,805	\$1,338	\$1,691	\$1,713
Card Revenue	\$226	\$1,730	\$11,387	\$10,719	\$13,308	\$8,521	\$9,355	\$9,542	\$9,438	\$6,199	\$6,903	\$7,362
Other Fees	\$0	\$164	\$1,062	\$991	\$1,216	\$1,024	\$2,143	\$165	\$1,228	\$1,125	\$1,246	\$1,450
Total non-interest income	\$227	\$2,403	\$16,365	\$14,210	\$17,327	\$11,420	\$13,836	\$11,540	\$12,471	\$8,662	\$9,840	\$10,525
Compensation & Benefits	\$866	\$1,708	\$5,419	\$5,595	\$4,949	\$6,965	\$6,154	\$5,909	\$5,671	\$5,918	\$5,695	\$5,850
Occupancy	\$59	\$67	\$71	\$70	\$109	\$104	\$297	\$321	\$309	\$321	\$328	\$308
Technology	\$286	\$1,448	\$5,847	\$6,585	\$6,617	\$6,386	\$11,740	\$9,796	\$7,129	\$7,172	\$8,171	\$8,248
Outside services	\$251	\$886	\$4,264	\$4,267	\$4,519	\$3,310	\$3,871	\$3,366	\$2,899	\$1,665	\$2,205	\$1,902
Merger related expenses	\$176	\$874	\$144	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$410	\$106	\$869	\$2,945	\$470
Other non-interest expenses	\$397	\$1,115	\$4,178	\$3,266	\$3,025	\$3,081	\$4,988	\$1,085	\$1,835	\$85	\$1,645	\$1,959
Total Non-interest expense	\$2,034	\$6,099	\$19,922	\$19,783	\$19,219	\$19,846	\$27,050	\$20,888	\$17,949	\$16,029	\$20,989	\$18,267
Income (loss) before income tax expense	-\$88	-\$2,394	-\$2,431	-\$3,659	\$2,350	-\$5,699	-\$11,008	-\$6,803	-\$1,327	-\$4,436	-\$7,744	-\$4,340
Income tax expense (benefit)	-\$33	-\$910	-\$924	-\$1,390	\$893	-\$2,166	-\$4,100	-\$2,563	-\$326	-\$1,090	-\$1,902	-\$1,066
Net income (loss) available to common	-\$54	-\$1,484	-\$1,507	-\$2,269	\$1,457	-\$3,533	-\$6,908	-\$4,240	-\$1,001	-\$3,346	-\$5,842	-\$3,274
EPS	\$0.00	-\$0.05	-\$0.05	-\$0.07	\$0.04	-\$0.11	-\$0.21	-\$0.13	-\$0.03	-\$0.10	-\$0.18	-\$0.10
Core EPS (1,2)	\$0.00	-\$0.03	-\$0.05	-\$0.07	\$0.02	-\$0.14	-\$0.16	-\$0.12	-\$0.03	-\$0.08	-\$0.11	-\$0.09
End of Period Deposits (\$ in Millions)	\$337	\$240	\$533	\$457	\$708	\$453	\$781	\$400	\$624	\$419	\$732	\$376
Average Deposits (\$ in Millions)	\$351	\$286	\$332	\$548	\$794	\$532	\$531	\$558	\$644	\$468	\$497	\$532
Average Loans (\$ in Millions)	\$1	<u>\$1</u>	\$1	<u>\$5</u>	\$7	\$2	\$2	\$2	\$2	\$2	\$2	\$59
Average Excess Deposits (\$ in Millions)	\$350	\$285	\$332	\$543	\$787	\$530	\$529	\$556	\$642	\$466	\$495	\$474
Yield Earned on Avg. Excess Deposits	1.99%	1.84%	1.65%	1.80%	2.19%	2.07%	2.02%	2.29%	2.78%	3.03%	3.11%	3.20%

<sup>(1)</sup> A Non-GAAP measure; refer to the reconciliation schedule at the end of this document
(2) D&A catchup refers to the reallocation of depreciation and amortization expense after the Q3 2017 decision to classify BankMobile as held and used instead of held for sale