

Community Bankers Trust Corp  
Form 10-Q  
November 08, 2018

**UNITED STATES**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D. C. 20549**

**FORM 10-Q**

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

**For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2018**

or

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

**For the transition period from                      to**

**Commission File Number: 001-32590**

**COMMUNITY BANKERS TRUST CORPORATION**

*(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)*

<b>Virginia</b> <i>(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)</i>	<b>20-2652949</b> <i>(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)</i>
--	--

<b>9954 Mayland Drive, Suite 2100 Richmond, Virginia</b>	<b>23233</b>
--	--------------

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

*(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)*

**(804) 934-9999**

*(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)*

**n/a**

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

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically every Interactive Data File required to be submitted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit such files). Yes  No

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

Large accelerated filer  Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer  Smaller reporting company

Emerging growth company

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

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes  No

At September 30, 2018, there were 22,120,862 shares of the Company's common stock outstanding.



**COMMUNITY BANKERS TRUST CORPORATION**

TABLE OF CONTENTS

FORM 10-Q

September 30, 2018

**PART I — FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

**Item 1. Financial Statements**

<b><u>Unaudited Consolidated Balance Sheets</u></b>	<b><u>3</u></b>
<b><u>Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Income</u></b>	<b><u>4</u></b>
<b><u>Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income</u></b>	<b><u>5</u></b>
<b><u>Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Changes in Shareholders' Equity</u></b>	<b><u>6</u></b>
<b><u>Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows</u></b>	<b><u>7</u></b>
<b><u>Notes to Unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements</u></b>	<b><u>8</u></b>

**Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations** **28**

**Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk** **43**

**Item 4. Controls and Procedures** **45**

**PART II — OTHER INFORMATION**

**Item 1. Legal Proceedings** **45**

**Item 1A. Risk Factors** **46**

**Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds** **46**

**Item 3. Defaults upon Senior Securities** **46**

**Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures** **46**

**Item 5. Other Information** **46**

**Item 6. Exhibits** **46**

**SIGNATURES** **47**

**PART I — FINANCIAL INFORMATION****Item 1. Financial Statements****COMMUNITY BANKERS TRUST CORPORATION****UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS****AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 AND DECEMBER 31, 2017****(dollars in thousands, except per share data)**

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017*
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Cash and due from banks	\$ 12,918	\$ 14,642
Interest bearing bank deposits	11,177	7,316
Federal funds sold	240	—
Total cash and cash equivalents	24,335	21,958
Securities available for sale, at fair value	200,603	204,834
Securities held to maturity, at cost (fair value of \$43,195 and \$46,888, respectively)	43,559	46,146
Equity securities, restricted, at cost	7,886	9,295
Total securities	252,048	260,275
Loans	962,425	942,018
Purchased credit impaired (PCI) loans	39,144	44,333
Total loans	1,001,569	986,351
Allowance for loan losses (loans of \$8,993 and \$8,969, respectively; PCI loans of \$137 and \$200, respectively)	(9,130)	(9,169)
Net loans	992,439	977,182
Bank premises and equipment, net	31,782	30,198
Bank premises and equipment held for sale	1,252	—
Other real estate owned	1,732	2,791
Bank owned life insurance	28,649	28,099
Other assets	18,183	15,687
Total assets	\$ 1,350,420	\$ 1,336,190
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

Deposits:		
Noninterest bearing	\$ 158,854	\$ 153,028
Interest bearing	975,034	942,736
Total deposits	1,133,888	1,095,764
Federal funds purchased	10,000	4,849
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	63,820	101,429
Trust preferred capital notes	4,124	4,124
Other liabilities	6,785	6,021
Total liabilities	1,218,617	1,212,187
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Common stock (200,000,000 shares authorized, \$0.01 par value; 22,120,862 and 22,072,523 shares issued and outstanding, respectively)	221	221
Additional paid in capital	148,494	147,671
Retained deficit	(13,601)	) (23,932 )
Accumulated other comprehensive (loss) income	(3,311)	) 43
Total shareholders' equity	131,803	124,003
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$ 1,350,420	\$ 1,336,190

\* Derived from audited consolidated financial statements

See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements

## COMMUNITY BANKERS TRUST CORPORATION

## UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

## FOR THE THREE AND NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 AND 2017

(dollars and shares in thousands, except per share data)

	Three months ended		Nine months ended	
	September 30, 2018	September 30, 2017	September 30, 2018	September 30, 2017
Interest and dividend income				
Interest and fees on loans	\$ 11,893	\$ 10,127	\$ 34,122	\$ 29,676
Interest and fees on PCI loans	1,265	1,423	3,937	4,355
Interest on federal funds sold	—	1	1	1
Interest on deposits in other banks	94	65	203	143
Interest and dividends on securities				
Taxable	1,364	1,171	3,816	3,577
Nontaxable	528	602	1,654	1,805
Total interest and dividend income	15,144	13,389	43,733	39,557
Interest expense				
Interest on deposits	2,699	2,053	7,197	5,776
Interest on borrowed funds	465	310	1,442	914
Total interest expense	3,164	2,363	8,639	6,690
Net interest income	11,980	11,026	35,094	32,867
Provision for loan losses	—	150	—	150
Net interest income after provision for loan losses	11,980	10,876	35,094	32,717
Noninterest income				
Service charges and fees	626	558	1,818	1,665
Gain on securities transactions, net	68	48	82	180
Gain on sale of other loans	65	—	118	—
Income on bank owned life insurance	184	188	551	572
Mortgage loan income	97	59	288	163
Other	171	145	522	448
Total noninterest income	1,211	998	3,379	3,028
Noninterest expense				
Salaries and employee benefits	5,029	4,951	15,897	14,434
Occupancy expenses	780	857	2,361	2,329
Equipment expenses	366	305	1,024	849
FDIC assessment	195	185	599	550
Data processing fees	482	501	1,467	1,466
Amortization of intangibles	—	62	—	878
Other real estate expense, net	63	37	158	98
Other operating expenses	1,376	1,641	4,338	4,611
Total noninterest expense	8,291	8,539	25,844	25,215

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

Income before income taxes	4,900	3,335	12,629	10,530
Income tax expense	945	919	2,298	2,687
Net income	\$ 3,955	\$ 2,416	\$ 10,331	\$ 7,843
Net income per share — basic	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.11	\$ 0.47	\$ 0.36
Net income per share — diluted	\$ 0.17	\$ 0.11	\$ 0.46	\$ 0.35
Weighted average number of shares outstanding				
Basic	22,115	22,041	22,095	22,000
Diluted	22,627	22,542	22,576	22,491

See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements

**COMMUNITY BANKERS TRUST CORPORATION****UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME****FOR THE THREE AND NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 AND 2017****(dollars in thousands)**

	Three months ended		Nine months ended	
	September 30, 2018	September 30, 2017	September 30, 2018	September 30, 2017
Net income	\$ 3,955	\$ 2,416	\$ 10,331	\$ 7,843
Other comprehensive (loss) income:				
Unrealized gain (loss) on investment securities:				
Change in unrealized (loss) gain in investment securities	(1,240 )	66	(4,393 )	2,001
Tax related to unrealized loss (gain) in investment securities	272	(23 )	965	(692 )
Reclassification adjustment for gain in securities sold	(68 )	(48 )	(82 )	(180 )
Tax related to realized gain in securities sold	15	17	18	62
Defined benefit pension plan:				
Tax related to defined benefit pension plan	—	—	—	11
Cash flow hedge:				
Change in unrealized (loss) gain in cash flow hedge	(35 )	55	177	86
Tax related to cash flow hedge	8	(20 )	(39 )	(30 )
Total other comprehensive (loss) income	(1,048 )	47	(3,354 )	1,258
Total comprehensive income	\$ 2,907	\$ 2,463	\$ 6,977	\$ 9,101

See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements

## COMMUNITY BANKERS TRUST CORPORATION

## UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

## FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 AND 2017

(dollars and shares in thousands)

	Common Stock		Additional	Retained	Accumulated Other Comprehensive	Total
	Shares	Amount	Paid in Capital	Deficit	(Loss) Income	
Balance January 1, 2017	21,960	\$ 220	\$ 146,667	\$(31,128)	\$ (1,223 )	\$ 114,536
Issuance of common stock	21	—	120	—	—	120
Exercise and issuance of employee stock options	67	—	666	—	—	666
Net income	—	—	—	7,843	—	7,843
Other comprehensive income	—	—	—	—	1,258	1,258
Balance September 30, 2017	22,048	\$ 220	\$ 147,453	\$(23,285)	\$ 35	\$ 124,423
Balance January 1, 2018	22,073	\$ 221	\$ 147,671	\$(23,932)	\$ 43	\$ 124,003
Issuance of common stock	13	—	122	—	—	122
Exercise and issuance of employee stock options	35	—	701	—	—	701
Net income	—	—	—	10,331	—	10,331
Other comprehensive loss	—	—	—	—	(3,354 )	(3,354 )
Balance September 30, 2018	22,121	\$ 221	\$ 148,494	\$(13,601)	\$ (3,311 )	\$ 131,803

See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements

## COMMUNITY BANKERS TRUST CORPORATION

## UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

## FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 AND 2017

(dollars in thousands)

	September 30, 2018	September 30, 2017
Operating activities:		
Net income	\$ 10,331	\$ 7,843
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and intangibles amortization	1,461	2,136
Stock-based compensation expense	709	559
Tax benefit of exercised stock options	(43	) (105
Amortization of purchased loan premium	195	141
Provision for loan losses	—	150
Amortization of security premiums and accretion of discounts, net	1,215	1,331
Net gain on sale of securities	(82	) (180
Net gain on sale of loans	(118	) —
Net loss (gain) on sale and valuation of other real estate owned	21	(4
Originations of mortgages held for sale	(872	) —
Proceeds from sales of mortgages held for sale	872	—
Increase in bank owned life insurance investment	(551	) (572
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Increase in other assets	(912	) (1,526
Increase in accrued expenses and other liabilities	763	400
Net cash provided by operating activities	12,989	10,173
Investing activities:		
Proceeds from sales/calls/maturities/paydowns of available for sale securities	31,397	47,313
Proceeds from calls/maturities/paydowns of held to maturity securities	2,504	660
Proceeds from sales/calls/maturities/paydowns of restricted equity securities	1,828	1,255
Purchase of available for sale securities	(32,691	) (40,839
Purchase of held to maturity securities	—	(643
Purchase of restricted equity securities	(419	) (1,321
Proceeds from sale of other real estate owned	1,434	2,118
Net increase in loans	(21,782	) (49,063
Principal recoveries of loans previously charged off	418	380
Purchase of premises and equipment, net	(4,297	) (2,370
Purchase small business investment company fund investment	(420	) (525
Proceeds from sale of loans	5,635	—

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

Net cash used in investing activities	(16,393	)	(43,035	)
Financing activities:				
Net increase in deposits	38,124		41,088	
Net increase (decrease) in federal funds purchased	5,151		(4,714	)
Net decrease in short-term Federal Home Loan Bank borrowings	(26,500	)	—	
Payments on long-term Federal Home Loan Bank borrowings	(11,109	)	(591	)
Proceeds from issuance of common stock	115		227	
Payments on long-term debt	—		(1,670	)
Net cash provided by financing activities	5,781		34,340	
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	2,377		1,478	
Cash and cash equivalents:				
Beginning of the period	21,958		21,072	
End of the period	\$ 24,335		\$ 22,550	
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:				
Interest paid	\$ 8,193		\$ 6,638	
Income taxes paid	2,234		3,320	
Transfers of loans to other real estate owned	396		397	
Transfers of building premises and equipment to held for sale	1,252		—	

See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements

## COMMUNITY BANKERS TRUST CORPORATION

### NOTES TO UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### Note 1. Nature of Banking Activities and Significant Accounting Policies

##### Organization

Community Bankers Trust Corporation (the “Company”) is headquartered in Richmond, Virginia and is the holding company for Essex Bank (the “Bank”), a Virginia state bank with 25 full-service offices in Virginia and Maryland.

The Bank engages in a general commercial banking business and provides a wide range of financial services primarily to individuals, small businesses and larger commercial companies, including individual and commercial demand and time deposit accounts, commercial and industrial loans, consumer and small business loans, real estate and mortgage loans, investment services, on-line and mobile banking products, and cash management services.

##### Financial Statements

The consolidated statements presented include accounts of the Company and the Bank, its wholly-owned subsidiary. All material intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated. The statements should be read in conjunction with the Company’s consolidated financial statements and the accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements included in the Company’s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017. The accounting and reporting policies of the Company conform to U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and to the general practices within the banking industry. The interim financial statements have not been audited; however, in the opinion of management, all adjustments, consisting of normal accruals, were made that are necessary to present fairly the balance sheet of the Company as of September 30, 2018, the statements of income and comprehensive income for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018, and the statements of changes in shareholders’ equity and cash flows for the nine months ended September 30, 2018. Results for the nine month period ended September 30, 2018 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the year ending December 31, 2018.

The financial information contained within the statements is, to a significant extent, financial information that is based on measures of the financial effects of transactions and events that have already occurred. A variety of factors could affect the ultimate value that is obtained when either earning income, recognizing an expense, recovering an asset or relieving a liability. The Company uses historical loss factors as one factor in determining the inherent loss that may be present in its loan portfolio. Actual losses could differ significantly from the historical factors that the Company uses. In addition, GAAP itself may change from one previously acceptable method to another method. Although the economics of the Company's transactions would be the same, the timing of events that would impact its transactions could change.

In preparing these financial statements, the Company has evaluated subsequent events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure through the date the financial statements were issued.

Certain reclassifications have been made to prior period balances to conform to the current year presentations. Such reclassifications had no impact on net income or shareholders' equity.

#### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

In August 2018 the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) 2018-13, *Fair Value Measurement (Topic 820): Disclosure Framework—Changes to the Disclosure Requirements for Fair Value Measurement*. The ASU removes, modifies, and adds to existing fair value measurement disclosure requirements.

The following public company disclosure requirements are removed:

- Transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy
- The policy for determining when transfers between any of the three levels have occurred
- The valuation processes used for Level 3 measurements

The following public company disclosure requirements are modified:

For certain investments that calculate the net asset value, timing of liquidation and redemption restrictions lapsing if the latter has been communicated to the reporting entity

A clarification that the Level 3 measurement uncertainty disclosure should communicate information about the uncertainty at the balance sheet date

The following public company disclosure requirements are new:

The changes in unrealized gains and losses for the period included in other comprehensive income for recurring Level 3 instruments held at the balance sheet date

The range and weighted average of significant unobservable inputs used for Level 3 measurements. For certain unobservable inputs, an option to disclose other quantitative information in place of the weighted average is available to the extent that it would be a more reasonable and rational method to reflect the distribution of unobservable inputs.

The ASU is effective for all entities in fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2019 and interim periods within those fiscal years. Early adoption is permitted. In addition, an entity may early adopt any of the removed or modified disclosures immediately and delay adoption of the new disclosures until the effective date. The Company does not expect the adoption of ASU 2018-13 to have a material impact on its consolidated financial statements.

Also in August 2018, the FASB issued ASU 2018-14, *Compensation—Retirement Benefits—Defined Benefit Plans—General (Topic 715-20): Disclosure Framework—Changes to the Disclosure Requirements for Defined Benefit Plan*. This ASU modifies the disclosure requirements for employers that sponsor defined benefit pension or other postretirement plans by eliminating the requirement to disclose the amounts in accumulated other comprehensive income expected to be recognized as components of net periodic benefit cost over the next fiscal year and adding a requirement to disclose an explanation of the reasons for significant gains and losses related to changes in the benefit obligation for the period. The ASU is effective for fiscal years ending after December 15, 2020. Early adoption is permitted. The Company does not expect the adoption of ASU 2018-14 to have a material impact on its consolidated financial statements.

In June 2018, the FASB issued ASU 2018-07, *Compensation- Stock Compensation (Topic 718): Improvements to Nonemployee Share-Based Payment Accounting*. The amendments expand the scope of Topic 718 to include share-based payments issued to nonemployees for goods or services, which were previously excluded. The amendments will align the accounting for share-based payments to nonemployees and employees more similarly. The amendments are effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2018 and interim periods within those fiscal years. Early adoption is permitted. The Company does not expect the adoption of ASU 2018-07 to have a material impact on its consolidated financial statements.

**Note 2. Securities**

Amortized costs and fair values of securities available for sale and held to maturity at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 were as follows (dollars in thousands):

	<b>September 30, 2018</b>			
	Amortized Cost	Gross Unrealized		Fair Value
		Gains	Losses	
<b>Securities Available for Sale</b>				
U.S. Treasury issue and other U.S. Gov't agencies	\$26,600	\$ 30	\$ (593 )	\$ 26,037
U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	8,378	82	(36 )	8,424
State, county and municipal	117,557	456	(2,269 )	115,744
Corporate and other bonds	9,647	73	(69 )	9,651
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't agencies	14,420	114	(280 )	14,254
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	27,255	5	(767 )	26,493
<b>Total Securities Available for Sale</b>	<b>\$203,857</b>	<b>\$ 760</b>	<b>\$ (4,014 )</b>	<b>\$ 200,603</b>
<b>Securities Held to Maturity</b>				
U.S. Treasury issue and other U.S. Gov't agencies	\$10,000	\$—	\$ (320 )	\$ 9,680
State, county and municipal	33,559	202	(246 )	33,515
<b>Total Securities Held to Maturity</b>	<b>\$43,559</b>	<b>\$ 202</b>	<b>\$ (566 )</b>	<b>\$ 43,195</b>
	<b>December 31, 2017</b>			
	Amortized Cost	Gross Unrealized		Fair Value
		Gains	Losses	
<b>Securities Available for Sale</b>				
U.S. Treasury issue and other U.S. Gov't agencies	\$27,478	\$64	\$ (359 )	\$ 27,183
U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	9,247	55	(24 )	9,278
State, county and municipal	124,032	2,324	(596 )	125,760
Corporate and other bonds	7,323	173	(36 )	7,460
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't agencies	18,546	138	(169 )	18,515
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	16,985	26	(373 )	16,638
<b>Total Securities Available for Sale</b>	<b>\$203,611</b>	<b>\$2,780</b>	<b>\$ (1,557 )</b>	<b>\$ 204,834</b>
<b>Securities Held to Maturity</b>				
U.S. Treasury issue and other U.S. Gov't agencies	\$10,000	\$—	\$ (155 )	\$ 9,845
State, county and municipal	35,678	922	(33 )	36,567
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't agencies	468	8	—	476
<b>Total Securities Held to Maturity</b>	<b>\$46,146</b>	<b>\$930</b>	<b>\$ (188 )</b>	<b>\$ 46,888</b>

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

The amortized cost and fair value of securities at September 30, 2018 by final contractual maturity are shown below. Expected maturities may differ from final contractual maturities because issuers may have the right to call or prepay obligations without any penalties.

(dollars in thousands)	Held to Maturity		Available for Sale	
	Amortized Cost	Fair Value	Amortized Cost	Fair Value
Due in one year or less	\$14,384	\$ 14,047	\$9,568	\$ 9,556
Due after one year through five years	12,986	12,908	87,659	86,959
Due after five years through ten years	12,772	12,840	92,284	89,858
Due after ten years	3,417	3,400	14,346	14,230
Total securities	\$43,559	\$ 43,195	\$203,857	\$ 200,603

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

Proceeds from sales of securities available for sale were \$8.4 million and \$9.1 million during the three months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively, and \$24.2 million and \$30.1 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively. Gains and losses on the sale of securities are determined using the specific identification method. Gross realized gains and losses on sales of securities available for sale during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 were as follows (dollars in thousands):

	Three months ended September 30, 2018		September 30, 2017		Nine months ended September 30, 2018		September 30, 2017	
Gross realized gains	\$ 93	\$	114		\$ 161	\$	378	
Gross realized losses	(25 )		(66 )		(79 )		(198 )	
Net securities gains	\$ 68	\$	48		\$ 82	\$	180	

In estimating other than temporary impairment (OTTI) losses, management considers the length of time and the extent to which the fair value has been less than cost, the financial condition and short-term prospects for the issuer, and the intent and ability of management to hold its investment for a period of time to allow a recovery in fair value. There were no investments held that had OTTI losses for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017.

The fair value and gross unrealized losses for securities, segregated by the length of time that individual securities have been in a continuous gross unrealized loss position, at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 were as follows (dollars in thousands):

	<b>September 30, 2018</b>							
	Less than 12 Months Fair Value	Unrealized Loss	12 Months or More Fair Value	Unrealized Loss	Total Fair Value	Unrealized Loss		
Securities Available for Sale								
U.S. Treasury issue and other U.S. Gov't agencies	\$1,554	\$ (29 )	\$17,075	\$ (564 )	\$18,629	\$ (593 )		
U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	-	-	2,781	(36 )	2,781	(36 )		
State, county and municipal	57,016	(1,105 )	19,410	(1,164 )	76,426	(2,269 )		
Corporate and other bonds	2,987	(34 )	2,038	(35 )	5,025	(69 )		
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't agencies	4,484	(46 )	3,525	(234 )	8,009	(280 )		
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	10,851	(230 )	11,312	(537 )	22,163	(767 )		
Total	\$76,892	\$ (1,444 )	\$56,141	\$ (2,570 )	\$133,033	\$ (4,014 )		
Securities Held to Maturity								
	\$-	\$ -	\$9,680	\$ (320 )	\$9,680	\$ (320 )		

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

U.S. Treasury issue and other U.S.

Gov't agencies

State, county and municipal	11,486	(208	)	1,230	(38	)	12,716	(246	)
Total	\$11,486	\$ (208	)	\$10,910	\$ (358	)	\$22,396	\$ (566	)

**December 31, 2017**

	Less than 12 Months		12 Months or More		Total				
	Fair Value	Unrealized Loss	Fair Value	Unrealized Loss	Fair Value	Unrealized Loss			
<b>Securities Available for Sale</b>									
U.S. Treasury issue and other U.S.									
Gov't agencies	\$5,097	\$ (36	)	\$14,795	\$ (323	)	\$19,892	\$ (359	)
U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	497	(3	)	5,040	(21	)	5,537	(24	)
State, county and municipal	20,740	(188	)	9,569	(408	)	30,309	(596	)
Corporate and other bonds	-	-	)	2,772	(36	)	2,772	(36	)
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't agencies	1,722	(25	)	6,524	(144	)	8,246	(169	)
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	6,525	(111	)	7,985	(262	)	14,510	(373	)
Total	\$34,581	\$ (363	)	\$46,685	\$ (1,194	)	\$81,266	\$ (1,557	)
<b>Securities Held to Maturity</b>									
U.S. Treasury issue and other U.S.									
Gov't agencies	\$-	\$ -	)	\$9,845	\$ (155	)	\$9,845	\$ (155	)
State, county and municipal	1,485	(14	)	1,262	(19	)	2,747	(33	)
Total	\$1,485	\$ (14	)	\$11,107	\$ (174	)	\$12,592	\$ (188	)

The unrealized losses (impairments) in the investment portfolio at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 are generally a result of market fluctuations of interest rates that occur daily. The unrealized losses are from 243 securities at September 30, 2018. Of those, 234 are investment grade, have U.S. government agency guarantees, or are backed by the full faith and credit of local municipalities throughout the United States. Five investment grade asset-backed securities comprised of student loan pools included in corporate obligations and four corporate bonds make up the remaining securities with unrealized losses at September 30, 2018. The Company considers the reason for impairment, length of impairment, and ability and intent to hold until the full value is recovered in determining if the impairment is temporary in nature. Based on this analysis, the Company has determined these impairments to be temporary in nature. The Company does not intend to sell, and it is more likely than not that the Company will not be required to sell, these securities until they recover in value or reach maturity.

Market prices are affected by conditions beyond the control of the Company. Investment decisions are made by the management group of the Company and reflect the overall liquidity and strategic asset/liability objectives of the Company. Management analyzes the securities portfolio frequently and manages the portfolio to provide an overall positive impact to the Company's income statement and balance sheet.

Securities with amortized costs of \$59.4 million and \$71.7 million at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively, were pledged to secure public deposits as required or permitted by law. Securities with amortized costs of \$7.0 million at each of September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 were pledged to secure lines of credit at the Federal Reserve discount window. At each of September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, there were no securities purchased from a single issuer, other than U.S. Treasury issue and other U.S. Government agencies that comprised more than 10% of the consolidated shareholders' equity.

### Note 3. Loans and Related Allowance for Loan Losses

The Company's loans, net of deferred fees and costs, at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 were comprised of the following (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018		December 31, 2017		
	Amount	% of Loans	Amount	% of Loans	
Mortgage loans on real estate:					
Residential 1-4 family	\$216,203	22.46	% \$227,542	24.16	%
Commercial	358,490	37.25	366,331	38.89	
Construction and land development	135,021	14.03	107,814	11.44	
Second mortgages	7,179	0.75	8,410	0.89	
Multifamily	52,255	5.43	59,024	6.27	
Agriculture	8,066	0.84	7,483	0.79	

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

Total real estate loans	777,214	80.76	776,604	82.44	
Commercial loans	170,310	17.70	159,024	16.88	
Consumer installment loans	13,135	1.36	5,169	0.55	
All other loans	1,766	0.18	1,221	0.13	
Total loans	\$962,425	100.00	% \$942,018	100.00	%

The Company held \$18.0 million in balances of loans guaranteed by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), which are included in various categories in the table above, at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017. As these loans are 100% guaranteed by the USDA, no loan loss allowance is required. These loan balances included a purchase premium of \$1.3 million and \$824,000 at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively. The purchase premium is amortized as an adjustment of the related loan yield on a straight line basis, which is substantially equivalent to the results obtained using the effective interest method.

At September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, the Company's allowance for loan losses was comprised of the following: (i) a specific valuation component calculated in accordance with FASB Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 310, *Receivables*, (ii) a general valuation component calculated in accordance with FASB ASC 450, *Contingencies*, based on historical loan loss experience, current economic conditions and other qualitative risk factors, and (iii) an unallocated component to cover uncertainties that could affect management's estimate of probable losses. Management identified loans subject to impairment in accordance with ASC 310.

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

The following table summarizes information related to impaired loans as of September 30, 2018 (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018			Three months ended September 30, 2018		Nine months ended September 30, 2018	
	<b>Unpaid Recorded Principal Investment (1) Balance (2)</b>		Related	Average	Interest	Average	Interest
			Allowance	Investment	Recognized	Investment	Recognized
With no related allowance recorded:							
Mortgage loans on real estate:							
Residential 1-4 family	\$1,579	\$ 1,898	\$ —	\$ 1,716	\$ 11	\$ 1,802	\$ 33
Commercial	3,544	4,202	—	3,561	38	3,702	112
Construction and land development	464	464	—	426	—	318	—
Multifamily	2,559	2,559	—	2,559	31	1,279	92
Total real estate loans	8,146	9,123	—	8,262	80	7,101	237
Commercial loans	—	—	—	136	—	589	—
Subtotal impaired loans with no valuation allowance	8,146	9,123	—	8,398	80	7,690	237
With an allowance recorded:							
Mortgage loans on real estate:							
Residential 1-4 family	2,404	2,901	317	2,298	20	2,266	57
Commercial	1,653	2,127	472	1,600	4	1,063	13
Construction and land development	4,146	5,414	507	4,471	—	4,589	—
Agriculture	—	—	—	—	—	34	—
Total real estate loans	8,203	10,442	1,296	8,369	24	7,952	70
Commercial loans	711	717	179	478	1	383	3
Consumer installment loans	5	5	1	3	—	4	—
Subtotal impaired loans with a valuation allowance	8,919	11,164	1,476	8,850	25	8,339	73
Total:							
Mortgage loans on real estate:							
Residential 1-4 family	3,983	4,799	317	4,014	31	4,068	90
Commercial	5,197	6,329	472	5,161	42	4,765	125
Construction and land development	4,610	5,878	507	4,897	—	4,907	—
Multifamily	2,559	2,559	—	2,559	31	1,279	92
Agriculture	—	—	—	—	—	34	—
Total real estate loans	16,349	19,565	1,296	16,631	104	15,053	307
Commercial loans	711	717	179	614	1	972	3
Consumer installment loans	5	5	1	3	—	4	—
Total impaired loans	\$17,065	\$ 20,287	\$ 1,476	\$ 17,248	\$ 105	\$ 16,029	\$ 310

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

- (1) The amount of the investment in a loan, which is not net of a valuation allowance, but which does reflect any direct write-down of the investment.
- (2) The contractual amount due, which reflects paydowns applied in accordance with loan documents, but which does not reflect any direct write-downs or valuation allowances.

The following table summarizes information related to impaired loans as of December 31, 2017 and the three and nine months ended September 30, 2017 (dollars in thousands):

	December 31, 2017		Three months ended			Nine months ended	
	<b>Recorded</b>	<b>Unpaid</b>	Related	Average	Interest	Average	Interest
	<b>Investment</b>	<b>Principal</b>	Allowance	Investment	Recognized	Investment	Recognized
	(1)	(2)					
With no related allowance recorded:							
Mortgage loans on real estate:							
Residential 1-4 family	\$ 1,901	\$ 2,246	\$ —	\$ 1,935	\$ 7	\$ 1,941	\$ 21
Commercial	3,862	4,477	—	3,802	39	4,582	114
Agriculture	—	—	—	129	—	65	—
Total real estate loans	5,763	6,723	—	5,866	46	6,588	135
Commercial loans	1,108	1,108	—	624	—	612	—
Subtotal impaired loans with no valuation allowance	6,871	7,831	—	6,490	46	7,200	135
With an allowance recorded:							
Mortgage loans on real estate:							
Residential 1-4 family	2,216	2,640	290	2,373	20	2,426	59
Commercial	533	958	65	2,653	2	1,580	6
Construction and land development	4,277	5,537	556	4,290	—	4,595	—
Agriculture	68	71	8	33	—	16	—
Total real estate loans	7,094	9,206	919	9,349	22	8,617	65
Commercial loans	325	446	39	1,570	1	869	3
Consumer installment loans	7	7	1	20	—	91	—
Subtotal impaired loans with a valuation allowance	7,426	9,659	959	10,939	23	9,577	68
Total:							
Mortgage loans on real estate:							
Residential 1-4 family	4,117	4,886	290	4,308	27	4,367	80
Commercial	4,395	5,435	65	6,455	41	6,162	120
Construction and land development	4,277	5,537	556	4,290	—	4,595	—
Agriculture	68	71	8	162	—	81	—
Total real estate loans	12,857	15,929	919	15,215	68	15,205	200
Commercial loans	1,433	1,554	39	2,194	1	1,481	3
Consumer installment loans	7	7	1	20	—	91	—
Total impaired loans	\$ 14,297	\$ 17,490	\$ 959	\$ 17,429	\$ 69	\$ 16,777	\$ 203

(1)

## Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

The amount of the investment in a loan, which is not net of a valuation allowance, but which does reflect any direct write-down of the investment.

- (2) The contractual amount due, which reflects paydowns applied in accordance with loan documents, but which does not reflect any direct write-downs or valuation allowances.

Troubled debt restructures still accruing interest are loans that management expects to ultimately collect all principal and interest due, but not under the terms of the original contract. A reconciliation of impaired loans to nonaccrual loans at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, is set forth in the table below (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017
Nonaccruals	\$ 8,894	\$ 9,026
Trouble debt restructure and still accruing	8,171	5,271
Total impaired	\$ 17,065	\$ 14,297

Interest income on nonaccrual loans, if recognized, is recorded using the cash basis method of accounting. There was an insignificant amount of cash basis income recognized during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017. For the three months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, estimated interest income of \$167,000 and \$224,000, respectively, would have been recorded if all such loans had been accruing interest according to their original contractual terms. For the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, estimated interest income of \$471,000 and \$550,000, respectively, would have been recorded if all such loans had been accruing interest according to their original contractual terms.

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

There were no loans greater than 90 days past due and still accruing interest at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017. The following tables present an age analysis of past due status of loans by category as of September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018				
	30-89				
	Days	Nonaccrual	Total Past	Current	Total Loans
	Past Due		Due		Receivable
Mortgage loans on real estate:					
Residential 1-4 family	\$635	\$ 1,530	\$ 2,165	\$214,038	\$ 216,203
Commercial	84	2,243	2,327	356,163	358,490
Construction and land development	3	4,610	4,613	130,408	135,021
Second mortgages	—	—	—	7,179	7,179
Multifamily	2,559	—	2,559	49,696	52,255
Agriculture	—	—	—	8,066	8,066
Total real estate loans	3,281	8,383	11,664	765,550	777,214
Commercial loans	512	506	1,018	169,292	170,310
Consumer installment loans	22	5	27	13,108	13,135
All other loans	—	—	—	1,766	1,766
Total loans	\$3,815	\$ 8,894	\$ 12,709	\$949,716	\$ 962,425

	December 31, 2017				
	30-89				
	Days	Nonaccrual	Total Past	Current	Total Loans
	Past Due		Due		Receivable
Mortgage loans on real estate:					
Residential 1-4 family	\$1,056	\$ 1,962	\$ 3,018	\$224,524	\$ 227,542
Commercial	104	1,498	1,602	364,729	366,331
Construction and land development	—	4,277	4,277	103,537	107,814
Second mortgages	—	—	—	8,410	8,410
Multifamily	—	—	—	59,024	59,024
Agriculture	19	68	87	7,396	7,483
Total real estate loans	1,179	7,805	8,984	767,620	776,604
Commercial loans	48	1,214	1,262	157,762	159,024
Consumer installment loans	12	7	19	5,150	5,169
All other loans	—	—	—	1,221	1,221
Total loans	\$1,239	\$ 9,026	\$ 10,265	\$931,753	\$ 942,018

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

Activity in the allowance for loan losses on loans by segment for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 is presented in the following tables (dollars in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2018				September 30, 2018
	June 30, 2018	Provision Allocation	Charge-offs	Recoveries	
Mortgage loans on real estate:					
Residential 1-4 family	\$ 3,551	\$ (392 )	\$ (35 )	\$ 42	\$ 3,166
Commercial	2,189	(477 )	—	7	1,719
Construction and land development	1,429	(270 )	(116 )	1	1,044
Second mortgages	32	(2 )	—	2	32
Multifamily	326	(2 )	—	—	324
Agriculture	6	—	—	—	6
Total real estate loans	7,533	(1,143 )	(151 )	52	6,291
Commercial loans	1,162	380	(6 )	31	1,567
Consumer installment loans	169	20	(33 )	11	167
All other loans	3	2	—	—	5
Unallocated	222	741	—	—	963
Total loans	\$ 9,089	\$ —	\$ (190 )	\$ 94	\$ 8,993

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2017				
	June 30, 2017	Provision Allocation	Charge-offs	Recoveries	September 30, 2017
Mortgage loans on real estate:					
Residential 1-4 family	\$3,797	\$ (444 )	\$ (73 )	\$ 15	\$ 3,295
Commercial	1,783	897	(457 )	14	2,237
Construction and land development	1,383	(78 )	(180 )	—	1,125
Second mortgages	33	9	—	2	44
Multifamily	167	566	—	—	733
Agriculture	21	(2 )	—	—	19
Total real estate loans	7,184	948	(710 )	31	7,453
Commercial loans	1,457	(193 )	(265 )	2	1,001
Consumer installment loans	111	26	(86 )	56	107
All other loans	9	(4 )	—	—	5
Unallocated	728	(627 )	—	—	101
Total loans	\$9,489	\$ 150	\$ (1,061 )	\$ 89	\$ 8,667

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2018				
	December 31, 2017	Provision Allocation	Charge-offs	Recoveries	September 30, 2018
Mortgage loans on real estate:					
Residential 1-4 family	\$3,466	\$ (327 )	\$ (88 )	\$ 115	\$ 3,166
Commercial	2,423	(731 )	—	27	1,719
Construction and land development	1,247	(124 )	(116 )	37	1,044
Second mortgages	24	4	—	4	32
Multifamily	496	(172 )	—	—	324
Agriculture	14	(8 )	—	—	6
Total real estate loans	7,670	(1,358 )	(204 )	183	6,291
Commercial loans	1,139	427	(45 )	46	1,567
Consumer installment loans	110	16	(145 )	186	167
All other loans	3	(1 )	—	3	5
Unallocated	47	916	—	—	963
Total loans	\$8,969	\$ —	\$ (394 )	\$ 418	\$ 8,993

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2017				
	December 31, 2016	Provision Allocation	Charge-offs	Recoveries	September 30, 2017
Mortgage loans on real estate:					
Residential 1-4 family	\$2,769	\$ 545	\$ (111 )	\$ 92	\$ 3,295
Commercial	1,952	703	(457 )	39	2,237
Construction and land development	2,195	(939 )	(194 )	63	1,125
Second mortgages	72	(79 )	—	51	44

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

Multifamily	260	473	—	—	733
Agriculture	15	4	—	—	19
Total real estate loans	7,263	707	(762 )	245	7,453
Commercial loans	602	779	(385 )	5	1,001
Consumer installment loans	135	51	(209 )	130	107
All other loans	7	(2 )	—	—	5
Unallocated	1,486	(1,385 )	—	—	101
Total loans	\$9,493	\$ 150	\$ (1,356 )	\$ 380	\$ 8,667

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

The following tables present information on the loans evaluated for impairment in the allowance for loan losses as of September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018			Recorded Investment in Loans		
	Allowance for Loan Losses		Total	Recorded Investment in Loans		Total
	Individually	Collectively		Individually	Collectively	
	Evaluated for	Evaluated for		Evaluated for	Evaluated for	
Impairment	Impairment		Impairment	Impairment		
Mortgage loans on real estate:						
Residential 1-4 family	\$317	\$ 2,849	\$3,166	\$3,983	\$ 212,220	\$216,203
Commercial	472	1,247	1,719	5,197	353,293	358,490
Construction and land development	507	537	1,044	4,610	130,411	135,021
Second mortgages	—	32	32	—	7,179	7,179
Multifamily	—	324	324	2,559	49,696	52,255
Agriculture	—	6	6	—	8,066	8,066
Total real estate loans	1,296	4,995	6,291	16,349	760,865	777,214
Commercial loans	179	1,388	1,567	711	169,599	170,310
Consumer installment loans	1	166	167	5	13,130	13,135
All other loans	—	5	5	—	1,766	1,766
Unallocated	—	963	963	—	—	—
Total loans	\$1,476	\$ 7,517	\$8,993	\$17,065	\$ 945,360	\$962,425

	December 31, 2017			Recorded Investment in Loans		
	Allowance for Loan Losses		Total	Recorded Investment in Loans		Total
	Individually	Collectively		Individually	Collectively	
	Evaluated for	Evaluated for		Evaluated for	Evaluated for	
Impairment	Impairment		Impairment	Impairment		
Mortgage loans on real estate:						
Residential 1-4 family	\$290	\$ 3,176	\$3,466	\$4,117	\$ 223,425	\$227,542
Commercial	65	2,358	2,423	4,396	361,935	366,331
Construction and land development	556	691	1,247	4,276	103,538	107,814
Second mortgages	—	24	24	—	8,410	8,410
Multifamily	—	496	496	—	59,024	59,024
Agriculture	8	6	14	68	7,415	7,483
Total real estate loans	919	6,751	7,670	12,857	763,747	776,604
Commercial loans	39	1,100	1,139	1,433	157,591	159,024
Consumer installment loans	1	109	110	7	5,162	5,169
All other loans	—	3	3	—	1,221	1,221

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

Unallocated	—	47	47	—	—	—
Total loans	\$959	\$ 8,010	\$8,969	\$14,297	\$ 927,721	\$942,018

Loans are monitored for credit quality on a recurring basis. These credit quality indicators are defined as follows:

**Pass** - A pass loan is not adversely classified, as it does not display any of the characteristics for adverse classification. This category includes purchased loans that are 100% guaranteed by U.S. Government agencies of \$18.0 million and \$18.0 million at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively.

**Special Mention** - A special mention loan has potential weaknesses that deserve management's close attention. If left uncorrected, such potential weaknesses may result in deterioration of the repayment prospects or collateral position at some future date. Special mention loans are not adversely classified and do not warrant adverse classification.

**Substandard** - A substandard loan is inadequately protected by the current net worth and paying capacity of the obligor or of the collateral pledged, if any. Loans classified as substandard generally have a well defined weakness, or weaknesses, that jeopardize the liquidation of the debt. These loans are characterized by the distinct possibility of loss if the deficiencies are not corrected.

**Doubtful** - A doubtful loan has all the weaknesses inherent in a loan classified as substandard with the added characteristics that the weaknesses make collection or liquidation in full, highly questionable and improbable, on the basis of currently existing facts, conditions, and values. The possibility of loss is extremely high.

The following tables present the composition of loans by credit quality indicator at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018				Total
	Pass	Special Mention	Substandard	Doubtful	
Mortgage loans on real estate:					
Residential 1-4 family	\$211,550	\$3,016	\$ 1,637	\$ —	\$216,203
Commercial	350,683	4,072	3,735	—	358,490
Construction and land development	130,213	198	4,610	—	135,021
Second mortgages	7,084	95	—	—	7,179
Multifamily	49,089	607	2,559	—	52,255
Agriculture	8,066	—	—	—	8,066
Total real estate loans	756,685	7,988	12,541	—	777,214
Commercial loans	167,431	2,342	537	—	170,310
Consumer installment loans	13,122	8	5	—	13,135
All other loans	1,766	—	—	—	1,766
Total loans	\$939,004	\$10,338	\$ 13,083	\$ —	\$962,425

	December 31, 2017				Total
	Pass	Special Mention	Substandard	Doubtful	
Mortgage loans on real estate:					
Residential 1-4 family	\$222,026	\$3,442	\$ 2,074	\$ —	\$227,542
Commercial	355,188	8,145	2,998	—	366,331
Construction and land development	103,356	182	4,276	—	107,814
Second mortgages	8,187	223	—	—	8,410
Multifamily	56,452	—	2,572	—	59,024
Agriculture	7,010	385	88	—	7,483
Total real estate loans	752,219	12,377	12,008	—	776,604
Commercial loans	156,604	1,171	1,249	—	159,024
Consumer installment loans	5,137	25	7	—	5,169
All other loans	1,221	—	—	—	1,221
Total loans	\$915,181	\$13,573	\$ 13,264	\$ —	\$942,018

## Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

In accordance with FASB Accounting Standards Update (ASU) 2011-02, *Receivables (Topic 310): A Creditor's Determination of Whether a Restructuring is a Troubled Debt Restructuring*, the Company assesses all loan modifications to determine whether they are considered troubled debt restructurings (TDRs) under the guidance. The Company had 24 and 23 loans that met the definition of a TDR at September 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

During the three months ended September 30, 2018, the Company modified one commercial real estate loan that was considered to be a TDR. The Company restructured the terms for this loan, which had a pre- and post-modification balance of \$126,000. During the nine months ended September 30, 2018, the Company modified one multifamily loan and one commercial real estate loan that were considered to be TDRs, which had a total pre- and post-modification balance of \$2.6 million and \$126,000, respectively. The Company restructured the terms for both loans.

During the three months ended September 30, 2017, the Company modified two 1-4 family loans that were considered to be TDRs. The Company lowered the interest rate and extended the term for each of the 1-4 family loans, which had a pre- and post-modification balance of \$354,000. During the nine months ended September 30, 2017, the Company modified three 1-4 family loans and one agriculture loan that were considered to be TDRs. The Company extended the terms for two of the 1-4 family loans and lowered the interest rate for each of these loans, which had a pre- and post-modification balance of \$1.1 million. The Company extended the term for the agriculture loan, which had a pre- and post-modification balance of \$258,000.

A loan is considered to be in default if it is 90 days or more past due. There were no TDRs that had been restructured during the previous 12 months that resulted in default during either of the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017.

In the determination of the allowance for loan losses, management considers TDRs and subsequent defaults in these restructures by reviewing for impairment in accordance with FASB ASC 310-10-35, *Receivables, Subsequent Measurement*.

At September 30, 2018, the Company had 1-4 family mortgages in the amount of \$112.3 million pledged to the Federal Home Loan Bank with a lendable collateral value of \$89.8 million.

#### Note 4. PCI Loans and Related Allowance for Loan Losses

On January 30, 2009, the Company entered into a Purchase and Assumption Agreement with the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) to assume all of the deposits and certain other liabilities and acquire substantially all assets of Suburban Federal Savings Bank (SFSB). The Company is applying the provisions of FASB ASC 310-30, *Loans and Debt Securities Acquired with Deteriorated Credit Quality*, to all loans acquired in the SFSB transaction (the "PCI loans"). Of the total \$198.3 million in loans acquired, \$49.1 million met the criteria of FASB ASC 310-30. These loans, consisting mainly of construction loans, were deemed impaired at the acquisition date. The remaining \$149.1 million of loans acquired, comprised mainly of residential 1-4 family, were analogized to meet the criteria of FASB ASC 310-30. Analysis of this portfolio revealed that SFSB utilized weak underwriting and documentation standards, which led the Company to believe that significant losses were probable given the economic environment at the time.

As of September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, the outstanding contractual balance of the PCI loans was \$63.4 million and \$71.0 million, respectively. The carrying amount, by loan type, as of these dates is as follows (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018		December 31, 2017		
	Amount	% of PCI Loans	Amount	% of PCI Loans	
Mortgage loans on real estate:					
Residential 1-4 family	\$ 35,053	89.55	% \$ 39,805	89.79	%
Commercial	759	1.94	547	1.23	
Construction and land development	1,350	3.45	1,588	3.58	

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

Second mortgages	1,735	4.43	2,136	4.82
Multifamily	247	0.63	257	0.58
Total real estate loans	39,144	100.00	44,333	100.00
Total PCI loans	\$ 39,144	100.00 %	\$ 44,333	100.00 %

During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018, the Company recorded charge-offs of \$63,000 on PCI loans in the residential 1-4 family loan category. There was no activity in the allowance for loan losses on PCI loans for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2017.

The following table presents information on the PCI loans collectively evaluated for impairment in the allowance for loan losses at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018		December 31, 2017	
	Allowance for loan losses	Recorded investment in loans	Allowance for loan losses	Recorded investment in loans
Mortgage loans on real estate:				
Residential 1-4 family	\$ 137	\$ 35,053	\$ 200	\$ 39,805
Commercial	—	759	—	547
Construction and land development	—	1,350	—	1,588
Second mortgages	—	1,735	—	2,136
Multifamily	—	247	—	257
Total real estate loans	137	39,144	200	44,333
Total PCI loans	\$ 137	\$ 39,144	\$ 200	\$ 44,333

The change in the accretable yield balance for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and the year ended December 31, 2017, is as follows (dollars in thousands):

Balance, January 1, 2017	\$48,355
Accretion	(5,729 )
Reclassification from nonaccretable difference	1,500
Balance, December 31, 2017	\$44,126
Accretion	(3,935 )
Reclassification to nonaccretable difference	(1,400 )
Balance, September 30, 2018	\$38,791

The PCI loans were not classified as nonperforming assets as of September 30, 2018, as the loans are accounted for on a pooled basis, and interest income, through accretion of the difference between the carrying amount of the loans and the expected cash flows, is being recognized on all PCI loans.

#### Note 5. Other Real Estate Owned

The following table presents the balances of other real estate owned at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017
Residential 1-4 family	\$ 665	\$ 486
Commercial	15	15
Construction and land development	1,052	2,290
Total other real estate owned	\$ 1,732	\$ 2,791

At September 30, 2018, the Company had \$507,000 in residential 1-4 family loans and PCI loans that were in the process of foreclosure.

#### Note 6. Deposits

The following table provides interest bearing deposit information, by type, at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 (dollars in thousands):

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017
NOW	\$ 147,026	\$ 157,037
MMDA	128,277	143,363
Savings	94,972	93,980
Time deposits less than or equal to \$250,000	491,044	437,810
Time deposits over \$250,000	113,715	110,546
Total interest bearing deposits	\$ 975,034	\$ 942,736

**Note 7. Accumulated Other Comprehensive (Loss) Income**

The following tables present activity net of tax in accumulated other comprehensive (loss) income (AOCI) for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 (dollars in thousands):

	Three months ended September 30, 2018			
	Unrealized			
	Gain (Loss) on Securities	Defined Benefit Pension Plan	Gain (Loss) on Cash Flow Hedge	Total Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)
Beginning balance	\$ (1,517 )	\$ (1,048 )	\$ 302	\$ (2,263 )
Other comprehensive loss before reclassifications	(968 )	-	(27 )	(995 )
Amounts reclassified from AOCI	(53 )	-	-	(53 )
Net current period other comprehensive loss	(1,021 )	-	(27 )	(1,048 )
Ending balance	\$ (2,538 )	\$ (1,048 )	\$ 275	\$ (3,311 )
	Three months ended September 30, 2017			
	Unrealized			
	Gain (Loss) on Securities	Defined Benefit Pension Plan	Gain (Loss) on Cash Flow Hedge	Total Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)
Beginning balance	\$ 769	\$ (756 )	\$ (25 )	\$ (12 )
Other comprehensive income before reclassifications	43	-	35	78
Amounts reclassified from AOCI	(31 )	-	-	(31 )
Net current period other comprehensive income	12	-	35	47
Ending balance	\$ 781	\$ (756 )	\$ 10	\$ 35
	Nine months ended September 30, 2018			
	Unrealized			
	Gain (Loss) on Securities	Defined Benefit Pension Plan	Gain (Loss) on Cash Flow Hedge	Total Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)
Beginning balance	\$ 954	\$ (1,048 )	\$ 137	\$ 43

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

Other comprehensive (loss) income before reclassifications	(3,428 )	-	138	(3,290 )
Amounts reclassified from AOCI	(64 )	-	-	(64 )
Net current period other comprehensive (loss) income	(3,492 )	-	138	(3,354 )
Ending balance	\$ (2,538 )	\$ (1,048 )	\$ 275	\$ (3,311 )

Nine months ended September 30, 2017

Unrealized

	Gain (Loss)	Defined Benefit	Gain (Loss) on Cash Flow Hedge	Total Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)
Beginning balance	\$ (410 )	\$ (767 )	\$ (46 )	\$ (1,223 )
Other comprehensive income before reclassifications	1,309	11	56	1,376
Amounts reclassified from AOCI	(118 )	-	-	(118 )
Net current period other comprehensive income	1,191	11	56	1,258
Ending balance	\$ 781	\$ (756 )	\$ 10	\$ 35

The following tables present the effects of reclassifications out of AOCI on line items of consolidated income for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 (dollars in thousands):

Details about AOCI Components	Amount Reclassified from AOCI		<b>Affected Line Item in the Unaudited Consolidated Statement of Income</b>
	Three months ended		
	September 30, 2018	September 30, 2017	
Securities available for sale:			
Unrealized gains on securities available for sale	\$ (68 )	\$ (48 )	) Gain on securities transactions, net
Related tax expense	15	17	Income tax expense
	\$ (53 )	\$ (31 )	) Net of tax

Details about AOCI Components	Amount Reclassified from AOCI		<b>Affected Line Item in the Unaudited Consolidated Statement of Income</b>
	Nine months ended		
	September 30, 2018	September 30, 2017	
Securities available for sale:			
Unrealized gains on securities available for sale	\$ (82 )	\$ (180 )	) Gain on securities transactions, net
Related tax expense	18	62	Income tax expense
	\$ (64 )	\$ (118 )	) Net of tax

#### **Note 8. Fair Values of Assets and Liabilities**

FASB ASC 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, defines fair value as the exchange price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability in the principal or most advantageous market for the asset or liability in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date. FASB ASC 820 requires that valuation techniques maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs and also establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the valuation inputs into three broad levels. The Company groups assets and liabilities at fair value in three levels, based on the markets in which the assets and liabilities are traded and the reliability of the assumptions used to determine fair value. These levels are:

- Level 1—Valuation is based upon quoted prices for identical instruments traded in active markets.

- Level 2—Valuation is based upon quoted prices for similar instruments in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar instruments in markets that are not active, and model-based valuation techniques for which all significant assumptions are observable in the market or can be corroborated by observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets or liabilities.

- Level 3—Valuation is determined using model-based techniques with significant assumptions not observable in the market. These unobservable assumptions reflect the Company's own estimates of assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. Valuation techniques include the use of third party pricing services, option pricing models, discounted cash flow models and similar techniques.

FASB ASC 825, *Financial Instruments*, allows an entity the irrevocable option to elect fair value for the initial and subsequent measurement for certain financial assets and liabilities on a contract-by-contract basis. The Company has not made any material FASB ASC 825 elections as of September 30, 2018.

**Assets and Liabilities Recorded at Fair Value on a Recurring Basis**

The Company utilizes fair value measurements to record adjustments to certain assets to determine fair value disclosures. Securities available for sale and the cash flow hedge are recorded at fair value on a recurring basis. The tables below present the recorded amount of assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018			
	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Investment securities available for sale				
U.S. Treasury issue and other U.S. Gov't agencies	\$26,037	\$1,984	\$24,053	\$ -
U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	8,424	-	8,424	-
State, county and municipal	115,744	1,447	114,297	-
Corporate and other bonds	9,651	-	9,651	-
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't agencies	14,254	-	14,254	-
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	26,493	1,387	25,106	-
Total investment securities available for sale	200,603	4,818	195,785	-
Cash flow hedge	353	-	353	-
Total assets at fair value	\$200,956	\$4,818	\$196,138	\$ -
Total liabilities at fair value	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$ -

	December 31, 2017			
	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Investment securities available for sale				
U.S. Treasury issue and other U.S. Gov't agencies	\$27,183	\$ -	\$27,183	\$ -
U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	9,278	-	9,278	-
State, county and municipal	125,760	332	125,428	-
Corporate and other bonds	7,460	-	7,460	-
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't agencies	18,515	-	18,515	-
Mortgage backed – U.S. Gov't sponsored agencies	16,638	-	16,638	-
Total investment securities available for sale	204,834	332	204,502	-
Cash flow hedge	177	-	177	-
Total assets at fair value	\$205,011	\$ 332	\$204,679	\$ -
Total liabilities at fair value	\$-	\$ -	\$-	\$ -

***Investment securities available for sale***

Investment securities available for sale are recorded at fair value each reporting period. Fair value measurement is based upon quoted prices, if available (Level 1). Quoted prices are available within the same month as the settlement

date of the related security transaction. As a result, investment securities held at December 31, 2017 priced as Level 1 that were still held at September 30, 2018 were priced as Level 2 securities. If quoted prices are not available, fair values are measured using independent pricing models or other model-based valuation techniques such as the present value of future cash flows, adjusted for the security's credit rating, prepayment assumptions and other factors such as credit loss assumptions (Level 2).

The Company utilizes a third party vendor to provide fair value data for purposes of determining the fair value of its available for sale securities portfolio. The third party vendor uses a reputable pricing company for security market data. The third party vendor has controls in place for month-to-month market checks and zero pricing, and a Statement on Standards for Attestation Engagements No. 16 report is obtained from the third party vendor on an annual basis. The Company makes no adjustments to the pricing service data received for its securities available for sale.

### *Cash flow hedge*

The fair values of interest rate swaps are determined using the market standard methodology of netting the discounted future fixed cash receipts (or payments) and the discounted expected variable cash payments (or receipts). The variable cash payments (or receipts) are based on an expectation of future interest rates (forward curves) derived from observable market interest rate curves.

**Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value on a Nonrecurring Basis**

The Company is also required to measure and recognize certain other financial assets at fair value on a nonrecurring basis on the consolidated balance sheet. The following tables present assets measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis as of September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018			
	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Impaired loans	\$8,825	\$ —	\$ —	\$8,825
Bank premises and equipment held for sale	1,252	—	700	552
Other real estate owned	1,732	—	—	1,732
Total assets at fair value	\$11,809	\$ —	\$ 700	\$11,109
Total liabilities at fair value	\$—	\$ —	\$ —	\$—

	December 31, 2017			
	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Impaired loans	\$7,915	\$ —	\$1,306	\$6,609
Other real estate owned	2,791	—	1,203	1,588
Total assets at fair value	\$10,706	\$ —	\$2,509	\$8,197
Total liabilities at fair value	\$—	\$ —	\$ —	\$—

***Impaired loans***

Loans for which it is probable that payment of interest and principal will not be made in accordance with the contractual terms of the loan agreement are considered impaired. Once a loan is identified as individually impaired, management measures the impairment in accordance with FASB ASC 310, *Receivables*. The fair value of impaired loans is estimated using one of several methods, including collateral value and discounted cash flows. Those impaired loans not requiring an allowance represent loans for which the fair value of the expected repayments or collateral exceeds the recorded investments in such loans. At September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, a majority of total impaired loans were evaluated based on the fair value of the collateral. The Company frequently obtains appraisals prepared by external professional appraisers for classified loans greater than \$250,000 when the most recent appraisal is greater than 18 months old and/or deemed to be invalid. The Company may also utilize internally prepared estimates that generally result from current market data and actual sales data related to the Company's collateral. When the fair value of the collateral is based on an observable market price or a current appraised value without further adjustment for unobservable inputs, the Company records the impaired loan within Level 2.

The Company may also identify collateral deterioration based on current market sales data, including price and absorption, as well as input from real estate sales professionals and developers, county or city tax assessments, market data and on-site inspections by Company personnel. When management determines that the fair value of the collateral is further impaired below the appraised value, due to such things as absorption rates and market conditions, and there is no observable market price, the Company records the impaired loan as nonrecurring Level 3. At September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, the Level 3 weighted average adjustments related to impaired loans were 19.0% and 38.0%, respectively. In instances where an appraisal received subsequent to an internally prepared estimate reflects a higher collateral value, management does not revise the carrying amount. Impaired loans can also be evaluated for impairment using the present value of expected future cash flows discounted at the loan's effective interest rate. The measurement of impaired loans using future cash flows discounted at the loan's effective interest rate rather than the market rate of interest is not a fair value measurement and is therefore excluded from fair value disclosure requirements. Reviews of classified loans are performed by management on a quarterly basis.

***Bank premises and equipment held for sale***

The fair value of bank premises and equipment held for sale was determined using the adjusted appraisal methodology described in the other real estate owned (OREO) asset section below.

***Other real estate owned***

OREO assets are adjusted to fair value less estimated disposal costs upon transfer of the related loans to OREO, establishing a new cost basis. Subsequent to the transfer, valuations are periodically performed by management and the assets are carried at the lower of carrying value or fair value less estimated disposal costs. Fair value is based upon independent market prices, appraised values of the collateral or management's estimation of the value of the collateral. When the fair value of the collateral is based on an observable market price or a current appraised value, the Company records the foreclosed asset within Level 2. When an appraised value is not available or management determines that the fair value of the collateral is further impaired below the appraised value due to such things as absorption rates and market conditions, the Company records the foreclosed asset within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy.

**Fair Value of Financial Instruments**

FASB ASC 825, *Financial Instruments*, requires disclosure of the fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities, including those financial assets and financial liabilities that are not measured and reported at fair value on a recurring or nonrecurring basis. FASB ASC 825 excludes certain financial instruments and all nonfinancial instruments from its disclosure requirements. Accordingly, the aggregate fair value amounts presented may not necessarily represent the underlying fair value of the Company.

The following reflects the fair value of financial instruments, whether or not recognized on the consolidated balance sheet, at fair value measures by level of valuation assumptions used for those assets. These tables exclude financial instruments for which the carrying value approximates fair value (dollars in thousands):

	September 30, 2018				
	Carrying	Estimated Fair	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
	Value	Value			
Financial assets:					
Securities held to maturity	\$43,559	\$ 43,195	\$ —	\$43,195	\$—
Loans, net of allowance	953,432	958,935	—	—	958,935
PCI loans, net of allowance	39,007	42,519	—	—	42,519
Financial liabilities:					
Interest bearing deposits	975,034	973,178	—	973,178	—
Borrowings	67,944	67,591	—	67,591	—

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

December 31, 2017

	Carrying Value	<b>Estimated Fair Value</b>	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Financial assets:					
Securities held to maturity	\$46,146	\$ 46,888	\$ —	\$46,888	\$—
Loans, net of allowance	933,049	933,938	—	927,329	6,609
PCI loans, net of allowance	44,133	48,655	—	—	48,655
Financial liabilities:					
Interest bearing deposits	942,736	943,037	—	943,037	—
Borrowings	105,553	105,363	—	105,363	—

**Note 9. Earnings Per Common Share**

Basic earnings per common share (EPS) is computed by dividing net income by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period. Diluted EPS is computed using the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period, including the effect of all potentially dilutive common shares outstanding attributable to stock instruments. The following table presents basic and diluted EPS for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 (dollars and shares in thousands, except per share data):

	Net Income (Numerator)	Weighted Average Common Shares (Denominator)	Per Common Share Amount
For the three months September 30, 2018			
Basic EPS	\$ 3,955	22,115	\$ 0.18
Effect of dilutive stock awards	—	512	(0.01 )
Diluted EPS	\$ 3,955	22,627	\$ 0.17
For the three months ended September 30, 2017			
Basic EPS	\$ 2,416	22,041	\$ 0.11
Effect of dilutive stock awards	—	501	—
Diluted EPS	\$ 2,416	22,542	\$ 0.11
For the nine months ended September 30, 2018			
Basic EPS	\$ 10,331	22,095	\$ 0.47
Effect of dilutive stock awards	—	481	(0.01 )
Diluted EPS	\$ 10,331	22,576	\$ 0.46
For the nine months ended September 30, 2017			
Basic EPS	\$ 7,843	22,000	\$ 0.36
Effect of dilutive stock awards	—	491	(0.01 )
Diluted EPS	\$ 7,843	22,491	\$ 0.35

There were no antidilutive exclusions from the computation of diluted earnings per common share for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

**Note 10. Employee Benefit Plan**

Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

The Company adopted the Bank of Essex noncontributory, defined benefit pension plan for all full-time pre-merger Bank of Essex employees over 21 years of age. Benefits are generally based upon years of service and the employees' compensation. The Company funds pension costs in accordance with the funding provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act.

The Company has frozen the plan benefits for all the defined benefit plan participants effective December 31, 2010.

The following table provides the components of net periodic benefit cost for the plan included in salaries and employee benefits in the consolidated statement of income for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 (dollars in thousands):

	Three months ended		Nine months ended	
	September 30, 2018	September 30, 2017	September 30, 2018	September 30, 2017
Interest cost	\$ 39	\$ 39	\$ 117	\$ 117
Expected return on plan assets	(59 )	(70 )	(177 )	(210 )
Amortization of prior service cost	1	1	3	3
Recognized net loss due to settlement	—	—	—	—
Recognized net actuarial loss	15	12	45	36
Net periodic benefit income	\$ (4 )	\$ (18 )	\$ (12 )	\$ (54 )

## Note 11. Cash Flow Hedge

On November 7, 2014, the Company entered into an interest rate swap with a total notional amount of \$30 million. The Company designated the swap as a cash flow hedge intended to protect against the variability in the expected future cash flows on the designated variable rate borrowings. The swap hedges the interest rate risk, wherein the Company will receive an interest rate based on the three month LIBOR from the counterparty and pays an interest rate of 1.69% to the same counterparty calculated on the notional amount for a term of five years. The Company intends to sequentially issue a series of three month fixed rate debt as part of a planned roll-over of short term debt for five years. The forecasted funding will be provided through one of the following wholesale funding sources: a new FHLB advance, a new repurchase agreement, or a pool of brokered CDs, based on whichever market offers the most advantageous pricing at the time that pricing is first initially determined for the effective date of the swap and each reset period thereafter. Each quarter when the Company rolls over the three month debt, it will decide at that time which funding source to use for that quarterly period.

The swap was entered into with a counterparty that met the Company's credit standards, and the agreement contains collateral provisions protecting the at-risk party. The Company believes that the credit risk inherent in the contract is not significant. The Company had \$0 and \$390,000 of cash pledged as collateral for the periods ended September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively.

Amounts receivable or payable are recognized as accrued under the terms of the agreements. In accordance with FASB ASC 815, *Derivatives and Hedging*, the Company has designated the swap as a cash flow hedge, with the effective portions of the derivatives' unrealized gains or losses recorded as a component of other comprehensive income. The ineffective portions of the unrealized gains or losses, if any, would be recorded in other operating expense. The Company has assessed the effectiveness of each hedging relationship by comparing the changes in cash flows on the designated hedged item. The Company's cash flow hedge was deemed to be effective for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017. The fair value of the Company's cash flow hedge was an unrealized gain of \$353,000 and \$177,000 at September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively, and was recorded in other assets. The gain was recorded as a component of other comprehensive (loss) income net of associated tax effects.

## Note 12. Revenue Recognition

On January 1, 2018, the Company adopted FASB ASU No. 2014-09, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606)*, and all subsequent ASUs that modified Topic 606. The implementation of the new standard did not have a material impact on the measurement or recognition of revenue; as such, a cumulative effect adjustment to opening retained earnings was not deemed necessary. Topic 606 does not apply to revenue associated with financial instruments, including revenue from loans and securities. In addition, certain noninterest income streams such as fees

associated with mortgage servicing rights, financial guarantees, derivatives, and certain credit card fees are also not in scope of the new guidance. Topic 606 is applicable to noninterest revenue streams such as deposit related fees, interchange fees, merchant income, and brokerage fees and commissions. However, the recognition of these revenue streams did not change significantly upon adoption of Topic 606. Substantially all of the Company's revenue is generated from contracts with customers. Noninterest revenue streams in-scope of Topic 606 are discussed below.

*Service charges on deposit accounts*

The Company earns fees from its deposit customers for transaction-based, account maintenance, and overdraft services. Transaction-based fees, which include services such as stop payment charges, statement rendering, and ACH fees, are recognized at the time the transaction is executed as that is the point in time the Company fulfills the customer's request. Account maintenance fees, which relate primarily to monthly maintenance, are earned over the course of a month, representing the period over which the Company satisfies the performance obligation. Overdraft fees are recognized at the point in time that the overdraft occurs. Service charges on deposits are withdrawn from the customer's account balance.

*Interchange and ATM fees*

The Company earns interchange and ATM fees from debit/credit cardholder transactions conducted through the Visa and ATM payment networks. Interchange fees from cardholder transactions represent a percentage of the underlying transaction value and are recognized daily, concurrently with the transaction processing services provided to the cardholder. Because the Company acts as an agent and does not control the services rendered to the customers, related costs are netted against the fee income. These costs were included in other operating expenses prior to the adoption of Topic 606.

*Brokerage fees and commissions*

Brokerage fees and commissions consist of other recurring revenue streams such as commissions from sales of mutual funds and other investments to customers by a third-party service provider and investment advisor fees. The Company receives commissions from the third-party service provider on a monthly basis based upon customer activity for the month. The investment advisor fees are charged to the customer's account in advance on the first month of the quarter, and the revenue is recognized over the following three-month period.

The following table presents noninterest income, segregated by revenue streams in-scope and out-of-scope of Topic 606, for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 (dollars in thousands):

	Three months ended		Nine months ended	
	September 30, 2018	September 30, 2017	September 30, 2018	September 30, 2017
Noninterest income				
In-scope of Topic 606:				
Service charges on deposit accounts	\$ 411	\$ 376	\$ 1,192	\$ 1,130
Interchange and ATM fees	215	183	626	535
Brokerage fees and commissions	76	68	272	208
Noninterest income (in-scope of Topic 606)	702	627	2,090	1,873
Noninterest income (out-of-scope of Topic 606)	509	371	1,289	1,155
Total noninterest income	\$ 1,211	\$ 998	\$ 3,379	\$ 3,028

**Note 13. Bank Premises and Equipment Held for Sale**

The Company closed its Prince Street branch located in Tappahannock, Virginia as of the close of business June 29, 2018. From a historical perspective, when the Company opened its Dillard branch, also in Tappahannock, the Company's intention was to consolidate the Prince Street branch into the newer Dillard branch, which was built as a larger and modern banking facility. The Company is now following through with its intention.

The Prince Street branch building is being marketed for sale. The book value of \$552,000 reflects the lower of cost or fair market value at September 30, 2018 and has been classified as held for sale on the consolidated balance sheet.

Also included in bank premises and equipment held for sale is a piece of land the Company was holding as a possible future branch site. The Company has decided not to pursue that location and is marketing the property. The book value of \$700,000 reflects the lower of cost or fair market value at September 30, 2018.

## ***Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations***

The following discussion and analysis of the financial condition at September 30, 2018 and results of operations of Community Bankers Trust Corporation (the "Company") for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 should be read in conjunction with the Company's consolidated financial statements and the accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements included in this report and in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017.

### ***OVERVIEW***

Community Bankers Trust Corporation (the "Company") is headquartered in Richmond, Virginia and is the holding company for Essex Bank (the "Bank"), a Virginia state bank with 25 full-service offices in Virginia and Maryland.

The Bank engages in a general commercial banking business and provides a wide range of financial services primarily to individuals, small businesses and larger commercial companies, including individual and commercial demand and time deposit accounts, commercial and industrial loans, consumer and small business loans, real estate and mortgage loans, investment services, on-line and mobile banking products, and cash management services.

The Company generates a significant amount of its income from the net interest income earned by the Bank. Net interest income is the difference between interest income and interest expense. Interest income depends on the amount of interest earning assets outstanding during the period and the interest rates earned thereon. The Company's cost of funds is a function of the average amount of interest bearing deposits and borrowed money outstanding during the period and the interest rates paid thereon. The mix and product type for both loans and deposits can have a significant effect on the net interest income of the Bank. For the past several years, the Bank's focus has been on maximizing that mix through branch growth and targeted product types, with lenders and other employees directly involved with customer relationships. Additionally, the quality of the interest earning assets further influences the amount of interest income lost on nonaccrual loans and the amount of additions to the allowance for loan losses.

The Bank also earns noninterest income from service charges on deposit accounts and other fee or commission-based services and products, such as insurance, mortgage loans, annuities, and other wealth management products. Other sources of noninterest income can include gains or losses on securities transactions and income from bank owned life insurance (BOLI) policies. The Company's income is offset by noninterest expense, which consists of salaries and employee benefits, occupancy and equipment costs, data processing expenses, professional fees, transactions involving bank-owned property, and other operational expenses. The provision for loan losses and income taxes may materially affect net income.

#### ***CAUTION ABOUT FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS***

The Company makes certain forward-looking statements in this report that are subject to risks and uncertainties. These forward-looking statements include statements regarding our profitability, liquidity, allowance for loan losses, interest rate sensitivity, market risk, future strategy, and financial and other goals. These forward-looking statements are generally identified by phrases such as "the Company expects," "the Company believes" or words of similar import.

These forward-looking statements are subject to significant uncertainties because they are based upon or are affected by factors, including, without limitation, the effects of and changes in the following:

- the quality or composition of the Company's loan or investment portfolios, including collateral values and the repayment abilities of borrowers and issuers;

- assumptions that underlie the Company's allowance for loan losses;
- general economic and market conditions, either nationally or in the Company's market areas;
- the interest rate environment;
- competitive pressures among banks and financial institutions or from companies outside the banking industry;
- real estate values;
- the demand for deposit, loan, and investment products and other financial services;
- the demand, development and acceptance of new products and services;
- the performance of vendors or other parties with which the Company does business;
- time and costs associated with de novo branching, acquisitions, dispositions and similar transactions;
- the realization of gains and expense savings from acquisitions, dispositions and similar transactions;

- assumptions and estimates that underlie the accounting for purchased credit impaired loans;
- consumer profiles and spending and savings habits;
- levels of fraud in the banking industry;
- the level of attempted cyber attacks in the banking industry;
- the securities and credit markets;
- costs associated with the integration of banking and other internal operations;
- the soundness of other financial institutions with which the Company does business;
- inflation;
- technology; and
- legislative and regulatory requirements.

These factors and additional risks and uncertainties are described in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017 and other reports filed from time to time by the Company with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Although the Company believes that its expectations with respect to the forward-looking statements are based upon reliable assumptions within the bounds of its knowledge of its business and operations, there can be no assurance that actual results, performance or achievements of the Company will not differ materially from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements.

### ***CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES***

The Company's financial statements are prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (GAAP). The financial information contained within the statements is, to a significant extent, financial information that is based on measures of the financial effects of transactions and events that have already occurred. A variety of factors could affect the ultimate value that is obtained when either earning income, recognizing an expense, recovering an asset or relieving a liability. For example, the Company uses historical loss factors as one factor in determining the inherent loss that may be present in its loan portfolio. Actual losses could differ significantly from the historical factors that the Company uses. In addition, GAAP itself may change from one previously acceptable method to another method. Although the economics of the Company's transactions would be the same, the timing of events that would impact its transactions could change.

The following is a summary of the Company's critical accounting policies that are highly dependent on estimates, assumptions and judgments.

### *Allowance for Loan Losses on Loans*

The allowance for loan losses is established as losses are estimated to have occurred through a provision for loan losses charged to earnings. Loan losses are charged against the allowance when management believes the uncollectability of a loan balance is confirmed. Subsequent recoveries, if any, are credited to the allowance.

The allowance is an amount that management believes is appropriate to absorb estimated losses relating to specifically identified loans, as well as probable credit losses inherent in the balance of the loan portfolio, based on an evaluation of the collectability of existing loans and prior loss experience. This evaluation also takes into consideration such factors as changes in the nature and volume of the loan portfolio, overall portfolio quality, review of specific problem loans, and current economic conditions that may affect the borrower's ability to pay. This evaluation does not include the effects of expected losses on specific loans or groups of loans that are related to future events or expected changes in economic conditions. The evaluation also considers the following risk characteristics of each loan portfolio:

Residential 1-4 family mortgage loans include HELOCs and single family investment properties secured by first liens. The carry risks associated with owner-occupied and investment properties are the continued credit-worthiness of the borrower, changes in the value of the collateral, successful property maintenance and collection of rents due from tenants. The Company manages these risks by using specific underwriting policies and procedures and by avoiding concentrations in geographic regions.

Commercial real estate loans, including owner occupied and non-owner occupied mortgages, carry risks associated with the successful operations of the principal business operated on the property securing the loan or the successful operation of the real estate project securing the loan. General market conditions and economic activity may impact the performance of these loans. In addition to using specific underwriting policies and procedures for these types of loans, the Company manages risk by avoiding concentrations to any one business or industry, and by diversifying the lending to various lines of businesses, such as retail, office, office warehouse, industrial and hotel.

Construction and land development loans are generally made to commercial and residential builders/developers for specific construction projects, as well as to consumer borrowers. These carry more risk than real estate term loans due to the dynamics of construction projects, changes in interest rates, the long-term financing market and state and local government regulations. The Company manages risk by using specific underwriting policies and procedures for these types of loans and by avoiding concentrations to any one business or industry and by diversifying lending to various lines of businesses, in various geographic regions and in various sales or rental price points.

Second mortgages on residential 1-4 family loans carry risk associated with the continued credit-worthiness of the borrower, changes in value of the collateral and a higher risk of loss in the event the collateral is liquidated due to the inferior lien position. The Company manages risk by using specific underwriting policies and procedures.

Multifamily loans carry risks associated with the successful operation of the property, general real estate market conditions and economic activity. In addition to using specific underwriting policies and procedures, the Company manages risk by avoiding concentrations to geographic regions and by diversifying the lending to various unit mixes, tenant profiles and rental rates.

Agriculture loans carry risks associated with the successful operation of the business, changes in value of non-real estate collateral that may depreciate over time and inventory that may be affected by weather, biological, price, labor, regulatory and economic factors. The Company manages risks by using specific underwriting policies and procedures, as well as avoiding concentrations to individual borrowers and by diversifying lending to various agricultural lines of business (i.e., crops, cattle, dairy, etc.).

Commercial loans carry risks associated with the successful operation of the business, changes in value of non-real estate collateral that may depreciate over time, accounts receivable whose collectability may change and inventory values that may be subject to various risks including obsolescence. General market conditions and economic activity may also impact the performance of these loans. In addition to using specific underwriting policies and procedures for these types of loans, the Company manages risk by diversifying the lending to various industries and avoids geographic concentrations.

Consumer installment loans carry risks associated with the continued credit-worthiness of the borrower and the value of rapidly depreciating assets or lack thereof. These types of loans are more likely than real estate loans to be quickly and adversely affected by job loss, divorce, illness or personal bankruptcy. The Company manages risk by using specific underwriting policies and procedures for these types of loans.

All other loans generally support the obligations of state and political subdivisions in the U.S. and are not a material source of business for the Company. The loans carry risks associated with the continued credit-worthiness of the obligations and economic activity. The Company manages risk by using specific underwriting policies and procedures for these types of loans.

While management uses the best information available to make its evaluation, future adjustments to the allowance may be necessary if there are significant changes in economic conditions. In addition, regulatory agencies, as an integral part of their examination process, periodically review the Company's allowance for loan losses, and may require the Company to make additions to the allowance based on their judgment about information available to them at the time of their examinations.

The allowance consists of specific, general and unallocated components. For loans that are also classified as impaired, an allowance is established when the collateral value (or discounted cash flows or observable market price) of the impaired loan is lower than the carrying value of that loan. The general component covers non-classified loans and is based on historical loss experience adjusted for qualitative factors. The unallocated component covers uncertainties that could affect management's estimate of probable losses.

A loan is considered impaired when, based on current information and events, it is probable that the Company will be unable to collect the scheduled payments of principal or interest when due according to the contractual terms of the loan agreement. Factors considered by management in determining impairment include payment status, collateral value, and the probability of collecting scheduled principal and interest payments when due. Loans that experience insignificant payment delays and payment shortfalls generally are not classified as impaired. Management determines the significance of payment delays and payment shortfalls on a case-by-case basis, taking into consideration all of the circumstances surrounding the loan and the borrower, including the length of the delay, the reasons for the delay, the borrower's prior payment record, and the amount of the shortfall in relation to the principal and interest owed. Impairment is measured by either the present value of the expected future cash flows discounted at the loan's effective interest rate, the loan's obtainable market price, or the fair value of the collateral if the loan is collateral dependent.

Large groups of smaller balance homogeneous loans are evaluated for impairment as a pool. Accordingly, the Company does not separately analyze these individual loans for impairment disclosures.

#### ***Accounting for Certain Loans Acquired in a Transfer***

Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 310, *Receivables*, requires acquired loans to be recorded at fair value and prohibits carrying over valuation allowances in the initial accounting for acquired impaired loans. Loans carried at fair value, mortgage loans held for sale, and loans to borrowers in good standing under revolving credit arrangements are excluded from the scope of FASB ASC 310, which limits the yield that may be accreted to the excess of the undiscounted expected cash flows over the investor's initial investment in the loan. The excess of the contractual cash flows over expected cash flows may not be recognized as an adjustment of yield. Subsequent increases in cash flows to be collected are recognized prospectively through an adjustment of the loan's yield over its remaining life. Decreases in expected cash flows are recognized as impairments through the allowance for loan losses.

The Company's acquired loans from the Suburban Federal Savings Bank (SFSB) transaction (the "PCI loans"), subject to FASB ASC Topic 805, *Business Combinations*, were recorded at fair value and no separate valuation allowance was recorded at the date of acquisition. FASB ASC 310-30, *Loans and Debt Securities Acquired with Deteriorated Credit Quality*, applies to loans acquired in a transfer with evidence of deterioration of credit quality for which it is probable, at acquisition, that the investor will be unable to collect all contractually required payments receivable. The Company

is applying the provisions of FASB ASC 310-30 to all loans acquired in the SFSB transaction. The Company has grouped loans together based on common risk characteristics including product type, delinquency status and loan documentation requirements among others.

The PCI loans are subject to the credit review standards described above for loans. If and when credit deterioration occurs subsequent to the date that the loans were acquired, a provision for loan loss for PCI loans will be charged to earnings for the full amount.

The Company has made an estimate of the total cash flows it expects to collect from each pool of loans, which includes undiscounted expected principal and interest. The excess of that amount over the fair value of the pool is referred to as accretable yield. Accretable yield is recognized as interest income on a constant yield basis over the life of the pool. The Company also determines each pool's contractual principal and contractual interest payments. The excess of that amount over the total cash flows that it expects to collect from the pool is referred to as nonaccretable difference, and is not recorded. Judgmental prepayment assumptions are applied to both contractually required payments and cash flows expected to be collected at acquisition. Over the life of the loan or pool, the Company continues to estimate cash flows expected to be collected. Subsequent decreases in cash flows expected to be collected over the life of the pool are recognized as an impairment in the current period through the allowance for loan losses. Subsequent increases in expected or actual cash flows are first used to reverse any existing valuation allowance for that loan or pool. Any remaining increase in cash flows expected to be collected is recognized as an adjustment to the accretable yield with the amount of periodic accretion adjusted over the remaining life of the pool.

### ***Other Real Estate Owned***

Real estate acquired through, or in lieu of, loan foreclosure is held for sale and is initially recorded at the fair value at the date of foreclosure net of estimated disposal costs, establishing a new cost basis. Subsequent to foreclosure, valuations are periodically performed by management and the assets are carried at the lower of the carrying amount or the fair value less costs to sell. Revenues and expenses from operations and changes in the valuation allowance are included in other operating expenses. Costs to bring a property to salable condition are capitalized up to the fair value of the property while costs to maintain a property in salable condition are expensed as incurred.

### ***Income Taxes***

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are determined using the liability (or balance sheet) method. Under this method, the net deferred tax asset or liability is determined based on the tax effects of the temporary differences between the book and tax bases of the various balance sheet assets and liabilities and gives current recognition to changes in tax rates and laws.

Positions taken in the Company's tax returns may be subject to challenge by the taxing authorities upon examination. Uncertain tax positions are initially recognized in the consolidated financial statements when it is more likely than not that the position will be sustained upon examination by the tax authorities. Such tax positions are both initially and subsequently measured as the largest amount of tax benefit that is greater than 50 percent likely of being realized upon settlement with the tax authority, assuming full knowledge of the position and all relevant facts. The Company provides for interest and, in some cases, penalties on tax positions that may be challenged by the taxing authorities. Interest expense is recognized beginning in the first period that such interest would begin accruing. Penalties are recognized in the period that the Company claims the position in the tax return. Interest and penalties on income tax uncertainties are classified within income tax expense in the consolidated statement of income. The Company had no such interest or penalties during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017. Under FASB ASC 740, *Income Taxes*, a valuation allowance is provided when it is more likely than not that some portion of the deferred tax asset will not be realized. In management's opinion, based on a three year taxable income projection, tax strategies that would result in potential securities gains and the effects of off-setting deferred tax liabilities, it is more likely than not that the deferred tax assets are realizable; therefore, no allowance is required.

The Company and the Bank are subject to U.S. federal income tax as well as Virginia and Maryland state income tax. All years from 2014 through 2017 are open to examination by the respective tax authorities.

## ***RESULTS OF OPERATIONS***

*Overview*

Net income of \$4.0 million for the third quarter of 2018 was an increase of \$1.5 million, or 63.7%, over net income of \$2.4 million for the third quarter of 2017. Pre-tax net income increased \$1.6 million, or 46.9%, in the third quarter of 2018. Interest and dividend income increased by \$1.8 million in the third quarter of 2018 compared with the same period in 2017, driven by interest and fees on loans, which increased \$1.8 million. Noninterest income increased by \$213,000 year-over-year, and noninterest expenses declined by \$248,000. Offsetting these increases was an increase in income tax expense, which was \$26,000 greater, year-over-year, based on the increase in pre-tax income but lessened by the reduction in the corporate tax rate, from 34% to 21%.

Net income was \$10.3 million for the first nine months of 2018 compared with \$7.8 million for the same period in 2017. This is an increase of \$2.5 million, or 31.7%. Increases were in interest and dividend income, which increased by \$4.2 million, or 10.6%, and in noninterest income, which increased by \$351,000, or 11.6%. Also positively affecting earnings were a reduction of \$150,000 in the provision for loan losses and a decrease of \$389,000 in income tax expense when comparing the two periods. Offsetting these increases to net income were an increase of \$1.9 million in interest expense and an increase of \$629,000 in noninterest expense. By comparing pre-tax income for the two periods, most of the effect of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 is eliminated. This comparison reflects that income before income taxes increased by \$2.1 million, or 19.9%, for the first nine months of 2018 compared with the same period in 2017.

### *Net Interest Income*

The Company's operating results depend primarily on its net interest income, which is the difference between interest income on interest-earning assets, including securities and loans, and interest expense incurred on interest bearing liabilities, including deposits and other borrowed funds. Net interest income is affected by changes in the amount and mix of interest earning assets and interest bearing liabilities, referred to as a "volume change." It is also affected by changes in yields earned on interest earning assets and rates paid on interest bearing deposits and other borrowed funds, referred to as a "rate change."

Net interest income increased \$954,000, or 8.7%, from the third quarter of 2017 to the third quarter of 2018. Net interest income was \$12.0 million in the third quarter of 2018 compared with \$11.0 million for the same period in 2017. Interest and dividend income increased \$1.8 million, or 13.1%, over this time period. The increase in interest and dividend income was generated by an increase of \$70.3 million, or 5.8%, in the level of earning assets. The yield on earning assets increased from 4.51% in the third quarter of 2017 to 4.76% in the third quarter of 2018. The average balance of loans, excluding PCI loans, increased \$96.3 million, or 11.1%, from \$869.5 million in the third quarter of 2017 to \$965.8 million in the third quarter of 2018. Interest income on securities increased \$119,000 and was \$1.9 million in the third quarter of 2018, compared to \$1.8 million in the third quarter of 2017. On a tax-equivalent basis, the yield on investment securities was 3.21% in the third quarter of 2018, based on a 21% tax rate, and 3.10% in the third quarter of 2017, based on a 34% tax rate. Interest on deposits in other banks increased by \$29,000 in the third quarter of 2018 over the same period in 2017 primarily due to an increase in the return on those balances from 1.40% in 2017 to 2.45% in 2018.

Interest on PCI loans was \$1.3 million in the third quarter of 2018 compared with \$1.4 million in the third quarter of 2017. The average balance of the PCI portfolio declined \$7.7 million during the year-over-year comparison period.

Interest expense increased \$801,000, or 33.9%, when comparing the third quarter of 2017 and the third quarter of 2018. Interest expense on deposits increased \$646,000, or 31.5%, as the average balance of interest bearing deposits increased \$33.5 million, or 3.6%. The increase in deposit cost was driven by an increase in the average balance of demand – interest bearing accounts, which increased a combined \$4.2 million year-over-year. Likewise, the cost of these balances increased \$13,000, from 0.40% to 0.42%, over the same time frame. Higher cost time deposit average balances increased over the comparison period by \$25.7 million, and expense on this category increased by \$631,000, resulting in an increase in cost from 1.19% to 1.56%. The average balance of FHLB and other borrowings increased \$13.1 million year-over-year, and there was an increase in the rate paid, from 1.57% in the third quarter of 2017 to 1.98% in the third quarter of 2018. This resulted in an increase in the expense of this wholesale funding source of \$144,000, to \$452,000 in the third quarter of 2018. The average balance of FHLB and other borrowings was \$90.8 million in the third quarter of 2018. Overall, the Company's cost of interest bearing liabilities increased 26 basis points, from 0.92% in the third quarter of 2017 to 1.18% in the third quarter of 2018.

## Edgar Filing: Community Bankers Trust Corp - Form 10-Q

The tax-equivalent net interest margin increased three basis points, from 3.74% in the third quarter of 2017 to 3.77% in the third quarter of 2018. The interest spread decreased from 3.59% to 3.58% over the same time period. Net interest margin increased despite the decrease in interest spread because growth in the average balance of earning assets of \$70.3 million was partially funded by growth in the average balance of noninterest bearing deposits of \$18.9 million.

For the first nine months of 2018 compared with the same period in 2017, net interest income increased \$2.2 million, or 6.8%, and was \$35.1 million. The yield on earning assets was 4.67% for the first nine months of 2018 compared with 4.55% for the first nine months of 2017. Interest and fees on loans of \$34.1 million in the first three quarters of 2018 was an increase of \$4.4 million compared with \$29.7 million for the same period in 2017. Interest and fees on PCI loans declined \$418,000 over this same time frame. Securities income increased \$88,000 for the first nine months of 2018 compared with the same period in 2017. Interest on deposits in other banks increased \$60,000 for the first three quarters of 2018 over the same period in 2017 primarily due to an increase in the return on those balances from 1.22% to 2.08%. On a tax-equivalent basis, income on securities decreased \$402,000, primarily the result of less benefit on bank qualified municipal securities from the enactment of the Tax Cut and Jobs Act in December 2017. The tax-equivalent yield on the portfolio was 3.10% for the first three quarters of 2018, based on a 21% tax rate, and 3.14% for the same period in 2017, based on a 34% tax rate.

Interest expense of \$8.6 million represented an increase of \$1.9 million in the first nine months of 2018 compared with the same period in 2017. Average interest bearing liabilities increased \$50.9 million, or 5.0%, as loan growth was fueled by an increase of \$42.0 million, or 16.6%, in the average balance of demand - interest bearing accounts. This has allowed more expensive time deposit balances to decrease, on average, by \$11.4 million, or 2.0%, resulting in a \$33.1 million increase in the average balance of total deposits.

The tax equivalent net interest margin declined from 3.80% for the first nine months of 2017 to 3.76% for the first nine months of 2018. While the yield on earning assets increased by 12 basis points over this time frame, the competition for funding has pushed the cost of interest bearing liabilities up, from 0.89% to 1.09%. Likewise, the net interest spread declined and was 3.58% for the first nine months of 2018 versus 3.66% for the first nine months of 2017.

The following tables set forth, for each category of interest-earning assets and interest bearing liabilities, the average amounts outstanding, the interest earned or paid on such amounts, and the average rate earned or paid for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017. The tables also set forth the average rate paid on total interest bearing liabilities, and the net interest margin on average total interest earning assets for the same periods. Except as indicated in the footnotes, no tax equivalent adjustments were made and all average balances are daily average balances. Any nonaccruing loans have been included in the tables, as loans carrying a zero yield.

(Dollars in thousands)	Three months ended September 30, 2018			Three months ended September 30, 2017		
	Average Balance Sheet	Interest Income/Expense	Average Rates Earned/Paid	Average Balance Sheet	Interest Income/Expense	Average Rates Earned/Paid
<b>ASSETS:</b>						
Loans	\$ 965,763	\$ 11,893	4.89 %	\$ 869,501	\$ 10,127	4.62 %
PCI loans	39,614	1,265	12.49	47,358	1,423	11.76
Total loans	1,005,377	13,158	5.19	916,859	11,550	5.00
Interest bearing bank balances	15,244	94	2.45	18,333	65	1.40
Federal funds sold	91	-	1.92	105	1	1.21
Securities (taxable)	179,738	1,364	3.04	182,703	1,171	2.56
Securities (tax exempt) <sup>(1)</sup>	73,985	669	3.62	86,106	912	4.24
Total earning assets	1,274,435	15,285	4.76	1,204,106	13,699	4.51
Allowance for loan losses	(9,219 )					