INVESTING IN COMMUNITY







OUR ROOTS RUN DEEP IN OUR COMMUNITIES, WHERE WE BELIEVE THAT EVERYONE HAS THE POTENTIAL TO SUCCEED. THIS BELIEF ALLOWS US TO UNVEIL A WORLD OF OPPORTUNITY BY INVESTING IN PEOPLE.



Cynthia C. Merkle | PRESIDENT & CEO

I AM PLEASED TO REPORT WE HAD A VERY STRONG YEAR as net income totaled \$12.3 million, representing an increase over our prior year's performance.

While the margin pressure facing the financial institution industry over the past few years continued, we were able to claim some great successes which include:

- ▶ Originating a record \$175.4 million in commercial loans
- ▶ Growing our commercial portfolio by \$63.5 million or nearly 9%
- ▶ Doubling our new small business originations
- ▶ Generating \$141 million in residential loans which is 10% higher than 2015
- ▶ Originating community development loans of over \$4.2 million

We continue to manage our lending growth with an emphasis on strong credit quality, which has resulted in improving metrics within our overall portfolio.

To help simplify and enhance our customer's banking experience we are constantly striving to develop new products and services. In its first year of operation, our Innovation Center assisted us in delivering upon that commitment with the introduction of EMV chip enabled debit cards, digital wallets, a well-received digital ad campaign and through our expanded social media presence.

With simplifying and enhancing the customer experience in mind, we completed the renovation of our Bethel Grassy Plain Street branch. The branch now features a more open and innovative banking experience for our customers and a large community room for groups to hold their meetings, complete with the latest audio and video capabilities. The renovation also allowed us to launch **Future**Track, our solution to help support those who have already started to save for retirement and the overwhelming number of people who have not yet begun to save.

FutureTrack was designed to provide financial guidance for our customer's financial journey, primarily focusing on saving, retirement and life-stage

planning. We are supporting **Future**Track with a dedicated team, a new resource heavy website and a physical retail presence in the renovated Bethel Grassy Plain Street branch.

Our Branch Banking group saw a strong core deposit growth of 7.48%, while our Solutions Team initiative expanded by one last year with the addition of the Ridgefield Team to complement the teams serving the Monroe and Southbury markets. The Solutions Teams are a one-stop multidisciplinary team of banking representatives designed to give our clients exactly what they need to succeed. The delivery of services through the team approach continues to show strong market growth and enhance the customer experience. Our innovative approach to relationship banking caught the attention of the media, resulting in numerous national and local media articles.

The trust and investment areas generated nearly \$3.8 million in revenues and have seen a steady increase in revenues from the Raymond James portion of the group. We added our fourth CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ professional to our Wealth Management team in the beginning of 2017, further enhancing the planning capabilities of the group. We are continuing to expand services to our clients through financial planning, working with the next generation of clients through our estate settlement services and providing investment management services to the not-for-profit organizations in our community.

Treasury Services had a strong year and our focus continues to expand cash management services while promoting safety and efficiency to our business customers, plus expanding relationships with our municipal customers through deposit and investment services.

LAST YEAR WE CELEBRATED OUR 150TH ANNIVERSARY with hundreds of organizations and groups, thousands of customers and unique events sprinkled throughout the year including the joint underwriting of a monument dedicated to the hatting industry with the City of Danbury. We continued our long tradition of dedication towards enhancing the quality of life in our local communities through monetary donations, sponsorships and employee volunteer hours that totaled over 20,000 collective hours.

It was a year of celebration, which also included the contribution of nearly \$600,000 in grants and donations. We also announced a foundation grant

focus on education. To support the education theme, at our fall officer's meeting in October, the Union Savings Bank Teachers' Closet was unveiled. The Teachers' Closet was created to provide free school supplies to teachers in the communities we serve where students and their families experience extreme financial challenges which prevent them from having the supplies they need for the school year. I'm proud to say that our officers donated over 800 school supply items to kick off this initiative.

We continue our commitment of securing an environment that ensures our employees succeed by providing development opportunities while also celebrating their successes.

IN 2016, WE HAD NUMEROUS REASONS TO BE PROUD. Jennifer Tomaino, vice president, business banking relationship manager, was honored by the Connecticut Bankers Association as a New Leader in Banking, a recognition made to outstanding employees who make a notable impact within their bank and community.

Patty Dyer, vice president, residential mortgage and the Ridgefield Solutions Team leader, was a recipient of the "Women of FIRE" award, a recognition bestowed by The Commercial Record. As noted by the newspaper, "the FIRE (Finance, Insurance and Real Estate) sector has emerged as a keystone of the Connecticut economy, transforming the knowledge, wealth and dreams of the world's most ambitious visionaries into reality."

A number of our employees also received professional designations in 2016, which required a great deal of time in preparation for industry examinations. Highlights include, Terry Shanahan and Jacquelyn McKenzie of our security department who passed their CAMS (Certified Anti-Money Laundering Specialist) exams and are now CAMS Certified. Since its inception, CAMS has become the gold standard in Anti-Money Laundering certifications and is recognized by private institutions, governments and law enforcement.

Additionally, Jose Diaz, Jr. of our Raymond James Wealth Management unit earned the designation of a CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ professional while Kasey Beckendorf, assistant vice president, compliance officer, earned his CRCM (Certified Regulatory Compliance Manager) certification from the American Bankers Association.

As a Bank, we once again earned an Outstanding Community Reinvestment rating from the state of Connecticut's Banking Commission. We also received honors throughout the year from various organizations including being named the Dedicated Community Partner by the Portuguese Cultural Center and receiving the Hat City Award for Preservation Excellence from the Danbury Museum and Historical Society.

At the conclusion of 2016, we were preparing to say good bye to a longtime member of our Board of Trustees, Donald Studley, who retired in February of 2017. Don served the bank for many years, most recently as chairman of the board. We can't thank Don enough for his dedication and commitment over the many years.

We are very proud of our accomplishments this year and we appreciate the support of our loyal customer base. On behalf of the Board of Trustees and all of us at Union Savings Bank, I thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Cynthia C. Merkle

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President and CEO

NET INCOME

\$12.3 MILLION

RESIDENTIAL & CONSUMER LENDING

Mortgage production totaled \$141 MILLION

10% higher than 2015 results

COMMERCIAL LENDING

\$63.5 MILLION

a nearly **9% increase** from 2015

CONTRIBUTIONS

Since 2011, we've donated nearly

\$6 MILLION

to local non-profits, and over **100,000** collective employee volunteer hours

TRUST & INVESTMENT

evenues totalling nearly

\$3.8 MILLION

NEW INITIATIVES

- ► Bethel Grassy Plain Street renovation
- ► **Future**Track
- ► Ridgefield Solutions Team
- ► Foundation Grant focus on education
- ► Converted to EMV chip debit cards



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BALANCE SHEETS

at December 31 (amounts in thousands) (unaudited)

	2015	2016
Assets		
Cash and due from banks	\$79,549	\$45,545
Securities	273,490	311,332
Federal Home Loan Bank stock	12,849	6,844
Loans, net	1,666,614	1,670,735
Premises and equipment	47,062	46,799
Other assets	109,104	124,420
Total assets	\$2,188,668	\$2,205,675
Liabilities and Capital		
Deposits	1,665,767	1,665,637
Repurchase agreements	167,939	216,183
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	112,994	60,919
Other liabilities	24,859	35,274
Capital	217,109	227,662
Total liabilities and capital	\$2,188,668	\$2,205,675

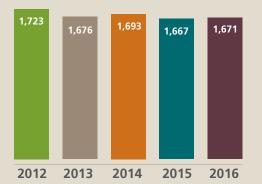
INCOME STATEMENTS

Years ended December 31 (amounts in thousands) (unaudited)

	2015	2016
Interest and dividend income	\$76,117	\$73,747
Interest expense	10,233	8,477
Net interest and dividend income	65,884	65,270
Provision for loan losses	2,403	1,595
Net interest and dividend income		
after provision for loan losses	63,481	63,675
Noninterest income	17,078	16,497
Noninterest expense	63,172	62,357
Income before income taxes	17,387	17,815
Provision for income taxes	5,348	5,497
Net income	\$12,039	\$12,318



Assets (in \$millions)



Loans, net (in \$millions)



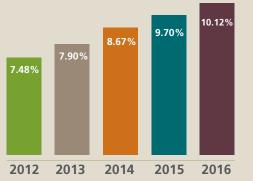
- ► Represent the highest level of customer relationship
- ► Fiduciary responsibility to safeguard customer deposits is paramount



Core Deposits (in \$millions)

Regulatory Capital Ratio

- ▶ Represents the "strength" of the balance sheet
- ► Growth is impressive since, as a mutual bank, we can only grow capital through earnings



Regulatory Capital Ratio

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Canton	188 Albany Turnpike
Danbury	71 Newtown Road
	116 Main Street
	226 Main Street
	100 Mill Plain Road
	126 North Street
Goshen	4 Sharon Turnpike
Kent	15 Kent Green Boulevard
Litchfield	13 North Street
Marble Dale	253 New Milford Turnpik
Monroe	411 Monroe Turnpike
New Fairfield	24 Route 39
New Milford	169 Danbury Road
	41 East Street
	100 Park Lane Road
Newtown	1-A Commerce Road
Ridgefield	100 Danbury Road
Roxbury	26 North Street
Southbury	406 Main Street South
Torrington	1057 Torringford Street
	397 Main Street
Washington Depot	7 Bryan Plaza

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79 Stony Hill Road

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