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# **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 Quarterly Period Ended September 30, 2011

Commission File No. 000-29640

# **COMMUNITY FIRST BANCORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

South Carolina (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 58-2322486 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

449 HIGHWAY 123 BYPASS

SENECA, SOUTH CAROLINA 29678

(Address of principal executive offices, zip code)

### (864) 886-0206

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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 x No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes x No o

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

Accelerated filer o

Smaller reporting company x

Large accelerated filer o

Non-accelerated filer o (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

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

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer s classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date: Common Stock, no par or stated value, 3,972,976 Shares Outstanding on November 1, 2011

### COMMUNITY FIRST BANCORPORATION

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### PART I FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

### COMMUNITY FIRST BANCORPORATION

**Consolidated Balance Sheets** 

	Unaudited) eptember 30, 2011 (Dollars in tl	December 31, 2010 thousands)		
Assets				
Cash and due from banks	\$ 1,260	\$	1,711	
Interest bearing balances due from banks	78,767		39,171	
Cash and cash equivalents	80,027		40,882	
Securities available-for-sale	129,206		169,369	
Securities held-to-maturity (fair value \$5,256 for 2011 and \$6,817 for 2010)	4,865		6,389	
Other investments	1,201		1,363	
Loans	226,530		256,834	
Allowance for loan losses	(5,713)		(5,756)	
Loans - net	220,817		251,078	
Premises and equipment - net	7,917		8,170	
Accrued interest receivable	1,912		2,491	
Bank-owned life insurance	9,928		9,666	
Foreclosed assets	17,426		11,395	
Net deferred tax assets	1,674		2,233	
Other assets	1,763		2,723	
Total assets	\$ 476,736	\$	505,759	
Liabilities				
Deposits				
Noninterest bearing	\$ 54,870	\$	46,844	
Interest bearing	364,404		398,466	
Total deposits	419,274		445,310	
Accrued interest payable	1,165		1,698	
Short-term borrowings			5,000	
Long-term debt	6,500		6,500	
Other liabilities	2,471		1,939	
Total liabilities	429,410		460,447	
Shareholders equity				
Preferred stock - Series A - non-voting 5% cumulative - \$1,000 per share liquidation				
preference; 5,000 shares authorized; issued and outstanding - 3,150 shares	3,126		3,126	
Preferred stock - no par value; 9,995,000 shares authorized; None issued and outstanding				
Common stock - no par value; 10,000,000 shares authorized; issued and outstanding -				
3,972,976 for 2011 and 2010	39,931		39,931	
Additional paid-in capital	748		748	
Retained earnings	1,919		1,396	

Accumulated other comprehensive income	1,602	111
Total shareholders equity	47,326	45,312
Total liabilities and shareholders equity	\$ 476,736	\$ 505,759

See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements.

### COMMUNITY FIRST BANCORPORATION

### Consolidated Statements of Income

	(Unaudited) Period Ended September 30, Three Months Nine Months											
		2011	lonuis	2010		2011	2010					
		2011	(D	ollars in thousand	ls, exce		2010					
Interest income			,									
Loans, including fees	\$	3,498	\$	4,068	\$	10,776 \$	12,125					
Interest bearing balances due from banks		35		28		78	98					
Securities												
Taxable		945		1,258		3,177	3,875					
Tax-exempt		165		188		517	584					
Other investments		2		1		7	3					
Total interest income		4,645		5,543		14,555	16,685					
Interest expense												
Time deposits \$100M and over		450		806		1,481	2,285					
Other deposits		683		1,303		2,296	4,158					
Long-term debt		65		70		192	219					
Total interest expense		1,198		2,179		3,969	6,662					
Net interest income		3,447		3,364		10,586	10,023					
Provision for loan losses		1,400		1,025		4,100	3,275					
Net interest income after provision		2,047		2,339		6,486	6,748					
Other income												
Service charges on deposit accounts		289		319		817	929					
Debit card transaciton fees		195		183		576	533					
Net losses on sales of securities												
available-for-sale						(6)						
Increase in value of bank-owned life insurance		87		90		262	272					
Other income		69		76		169	162					
Total other income		640		668		1,818	1,896					
Other expenses												
Salaries and employee benefits		1,184		1,205		3,602	3,528					
Net occupancy expense		137		133		410	416					
Furniture and equipment expense		93		95		266	281					
Amortization of computer software		109		97		305	306					
Debit card transaction expenses		90		120		331	343					
FDIC insurance assessment		231		233		695	866					
Other expense		613		607		2,011	1,698					
Total other expenses		2,457		2,490		7,620	7,438					
Income before income taxes		230		517		684	1,206					
Income tax expense		35		131		43	214					
Net income		195		386		641	992					
Deductions for amounts not available to												
common shareholders:												
Dividends declared or accumulated on												
preferred stock		(39)		(39)		(138)	(138)					
Net income available to common												
shareholders	\$	156	\$	347	\$	503 \$	854					

See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements.

### COMMUNITY FIRST BANCORPORATION

Consolidated Statements of Income - continued

	(Unaudited) Period Ended September 30,											
	Three Months Nine Months											
	2011				2010		2011	2010				
	(Dollars in thousands, except per share)											
Per common share*												
Net income	\$	(	0.04	\$	0.09	\$	0.13 \$		0.21			
Net income, assuming dilution		(	0.04		0.09		0.13		0.21			

\* Per common share information has been retroactively adjusted to reflect a 5% stock dividend effective December 16, 2010.

See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements.

### COMMUNITY FIRST BANCORPORATION

### Consolidated Statements of Changes in Shareholders Equity

### (Unaudited)

	Shares of Common Stock	Р	referred Stock	-	ommon Stock	Pa Ca	litional aid-in apital rs in thou	E	Retained Carnings	Co	occumulated Other omprehensive acome (Loss)		Total
Balance, January 1, 2010	3,782,415	\$	3,126	\$	38,923	\$	748	\$	1,434	\$	587	\$	44,818
Comprehensive income:													
Net income									992				992
Unrealized holding gains and losses on available-for-sale securities arising during the period, net of income taxes of \$914											1,633		1,633
Total other comprehensive income											1,055		1,633
Total comprehensive income													2,625
Dividends paid on preferred stock									(118)				(118)
Exercise of employee stock									× /				. ,
options	1,744				17								17
Balance, September 30, 2010	3,784,159	\$	3,126	\$	38,940	\$	748	\$	2,308	\$	2,220	\$	47,342
Balance, January 1, 2011	3,972,976	\$	3,126	\$	39,931	\$	748	\$	1,396	\$	111	\$	45,312
Comprehensive income:													
Net income									641				641
Unrealized holding gains and													
losses on available-for-sale													
securities arising during the													
period, net of income taxes of											1 407		1 407
\$834 Data 15 - 15 - 16 - 16 - 16 - 16 - 16 - 16 -											1,487		1,487
Reclassification adjustment, net of income tax effects of \$2											4		4
Total other comprehensive income											4		1,491
Total comprehensive income													2,132
Dividends paid on preferred stock									(118)				(118)
Balance, September 30, 2011	3,972,976	\$	3.126	\$	39,931	\$	748	\$	1,919	\$	1,602	\$	47,326
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See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements.

### COMMUNITY FIRST BANCORPORATION

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

	2011	Nine Mor Septer	udited) nths Ended nber 30,	2010
	2011		n thousands)	2010
Operating activities				
Net income	\$	641	\$	992
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities				
Provision for loan losses		4,100		3,275
Depreciation		275		287
Amortization of net loan (fees) and costs		44		(59)
Securities accretion and premium amortization		597		1,079
Net losses on sales of securities available-for-sale		6		
Increase in value of bank-owned life insurance		(262)		(272)
Writedowns of foreclosed assets		188		
Net losses (gains) on sales of foreclosed assets		67		(7)
Decrease (increase) in interest receivable		579		(771)
(Decrease) increase in interest payable		(533)		393
Decrease in prepaid expenses and other assets		960		1,168
Increase in other accrued expenses		532		577
Deferred income taxes		(277)		
Net cash provided by operating activities		6,917		6,662
Investing activities				
Purchases of available-for-sale securities		(60,466)		(144,027)
Maturities, calls and paydowns of securities available-for-sale		97,911		99,895
Maturities, calls and paydowns of securities held-to-maturity		1,523		1,895
Proceeds from sales of securities available-for-sale		4,443		-,
Proceeds from redemptions of other investments		162		94
Net decrease (increase) in loans made to customers		19,003		(618)
Purchases of premises and equipment		(22)		(81)
Additional investments in foreclosed assets		(22)		(29)
Proceeds of sale of foreclosed assets		828		591
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities		63,382		(42,280)
Financing activities				
Financing activities				
Net increase (decrease) in demand deposits, interest bearing transaction accounts and savings accounts		6,895		(4,542)
Net (decrease) increase in certificates of deposit and other time deposits		(32,931)		26,272
Repayments of short-term borrowings		(5,000)		
Repayments of long-term debt				(1,500)
Cash dividends paid on preferred stock		(118)		(118)
Exercise of employee stock options				17
Net cash (used) provided by financing activities		(31,154)		20,129
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		39,145		(15,489)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning		40,882		47,483
Cash and cash equivalents, ending	\$	80,027	\$	31,994
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See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements.

### COMMUNITY FIRST BANCORPORATION

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows - continued

	(Unaudited) Nine Months Ended September 30,							
		2011 2010						
		(Dollars in	thousand	ds)				
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information								
Cash paid during the year for:								
Interest	\$	4,501	\$	6,269				
Income taxes		145		68				
Net transfers from loans to foreclosed assets		7,114		3,030				
Noncash investing and financing activities:								
Other comprehensive income		1,491		1,633				

See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated financial statements.

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Notes to Unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements

(Dollar amounts in thousands, except per share)

Accounting Policies A summary of significant accounting policies is included in Community First Bancorporation s (the Company, our we, and similar references) Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2010 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Certain amounts in the 2010 financial statements have been reclassified to conform to the current presentation. Such reclassifications had no effect on net income or retained earnings for any period.

*Management Opinion* In the opinion of management, the accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements of Community First Bancorporation reflect all adjustments necessary for a fair presentation of the results of the periods presented. Such adjustments were of a normal, recurring nature.

*Investment Securities* The following table presents information about amortized cost, unrealized gains, unrealized losses and estimated fair values of securities:

				011					
	A	mortized Cost	τ	Gross Unrealized Holding Gains (Dollars in		Gross Unrealized Holding Losses unds)	Estimated Fair Value		
Available-for-sale									
Mortgage-backed securities issued by US									
Government agencies	\$	954	\$	62	\$		\$	1,016	
Government sponsored enterprises (GSEs)		84,734		679		64		85,349	
Mortgage-backed securities issued by GSEs		24,773		1,200				25,973	
State, county and municipal		16,245		645		22		16,868	
Total	\$	126,706	\$	2,586	\$	86	\$	129,206	
Held-to-maturity									
Mortgage-backed securities issued by US									
Government agencies	\$		\$		\$		\$		
Government sponsored enterprises (GSEs)									
Mortgage-backed securities issued by GSEs		4,865		391				5,256	
State, county and municipal									
Total	\$	4,865	\$	391	\$		\$	5,256	

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1,180
29,860
21,128
17,201
59,369
6,817
6,817

The amortized cost and estimated fair value of securities by contractual maturity are shown below:

		Du	Septemb e after one	ber 30, 20	11				
	Due within one year			thro	ue after five ugh ten years nds)	Due after ten years			Total
Available-for-sale at fair value									
Non-mortgage-backed securities issued by GSEs	\$	\$	8,078	\$	47,264	\$	30,007	\$	85,349
State, county and municpal issuers			532		4,648		11,688		16,868
			8,610		51,912		41,695		102,217
Mortgage-backed securities issued by:									
US Government agencies									1,016
GSEs									25,973
Total available-for-sale								\$	129,206
Held-to-maturity at amortized cost									
Mortgage-backed securities issued by:									
GSEs								\$	4,865
Total held-to-maturity								\$	4,865

The estimated fair values and gross unrealized losses of all of the Company s investment securities whose estimated fair values were less than amortized cost as of September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010 which had not been determined to be other-than-temporarily impaired are presented below. The Company evaluates all available-for-sale securities and all held-to-maturity securities for impairment as of each balance sheet date. The securities have been segregated in the table by investment category and the length of time that individual securities have been in a continuous unrealized loss position.

	Continuo Less than 12 Months Estimated Unrealized Fair Value Loss			Est	September 30, 2011 usly in Unrealized Loss Position for a 12 Months or more Estimated Unrealized Fair Value Loss (Dollars in thousands)				of Tot Estimated Pair Value	Un	realized Loss	
Available-for-sale								,				
US Government agencies	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	
Government-sponsored												
enterprises (GSEs)		11,156		64						11,156		64
Mortgage-backed securities												
issued by GSEs												
State, county and municipal												
securities						488		22		488		22
Total	\$	11,156	\$	64	\$	488	\$	22	\$	11,644	\$	86
Held-to-maturity												
GSEs	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	
Total	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	

	Es	Less than a stimated		December 31, 2010 ously in Unrealized Loss Position for a I 12 Months or more Estimated Unrealized					of To Estimated		realized
	Fa	ir Value	Loss	Fair Value Loss (Dollars in thousands)			F	air Value	Loss		
Available-for-sale											
GSEs	\$	60,543	\$ 1,495	\$		\$		\$	60,543	\$	1,495
Mortgage-backed securities issued by GSEs											
State, county and municipal											
securities		9,648	306		455		55		10,103		361
Total	\$	70,191	\$ 1,801	\$	455	\$	55	\$	70,646	\$	1,856
Held-to-maturity											
GSEs	\$		\$	\$		\$		\$		\$	
	\$		\$	\$		\$		\$		\$	

As of September 30, 2011, eight securities had been continuously in an unrealized loss position for less than 12 months and one security had been continuously in an unrealized loss position for 12 months or more. We do not consider these investments to be other-than-temporarily impaired because the unrealized losses are believed to have resulted from current credit market disruptions. The securities issuers have remitted periodic interest payments as required and there are no indications that the issuers will be unable to make any such future payment according to the terms of the bond indentures. Although we classify a majority of our investment securities as available-for-sale, management has not determined that any specific securities will be disposed of prior to maturity and believes that we have both the ability and the intent to hold the investments until a recovery of fair value, including until maturity. Furthermore, we do not believe that we will be required to sell any of these securities prior to recovery of the unrealized loss. Substantially all of our holdings of state, county and municipal securities were rated at least investment grade by either S&P or Moody s, or both, as of September 30, 2011.

Our subsidiary bank is a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Atlanta (FHLB) and, accordingly, is required to own restricted stock in that institution in amounts that may vary from time to time. Because of the restrictions imposed, the

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stock may not be sold to other parties, but is redeemable by the FHLB at the same price as that at which it was acquired by the subsidiary. We evaluate this security for impairment based on the probability of ultimate recoverability of the par value of the investment. Based on our evaluation, no impairment has been recognized.

During the first nine months of 2011, we sold two available-for-sale securities for gross proceeds of \$4,443 and net losses of \$6. During the first nine months of 2010, we had no sales of available-for-sale securities. There were no transfers of available-for-sale securities to other categories in the 2011 and 2010 nine-month periods.

### *Loans* Loans consisted of the following:

	ember 30, 2011	D	ecember 31, 2010				
	(Dollars in thousands)						
Commercial, financial and industrial	\$ 17,946	\$	20,474				
Real estate - construction	15,809		23,730				
Real estate - mortgage	173,699		187,940				
Consumer installment	19,076		24,690				
Total	226,530		256,834				
Allowance for loan losses	(5,713)		(5,756)				
Loans - net	\$ 220,817	\$	251,078				

The following table provides information about the payment status of loans:

	9 Days st Due	60-89 Days Past Due		90 Days or More Past Due (Dollars in		Total Past Due in thousands)		Current		Total Loans	
As of September 30, 2011											
Commercial, financial and industrial	\$ 219	\$	64	\$	313	\$	596	\$	17,350	\$	17,946
Real estate - construction	88		325	\$	4,583		4,996		10,813		15,809
Real estate - mortgage	1,599		105		8,415		10,119		163,580		173,699
Consumer installment	152		134		206		492		18,584		19,076
Total	\$ 2,058	\$	628	\$	13,517	\$	16,203	\$	210,327	\$	226,530

	) Days t Due	60-89 Days Past Due		90 Days or More Past Due (Dollars in		Total Past Due n thousands)		Current		Total Loans	
As of December 31, 2010											
Commercial, financial and industrial	\$ 254	\$	214	\$	855	\$	1,323	\$	19,151	\$	20,474
Real estate - construction	485		662		6,082		7,229		16,501		23,730
Real estate - mortgage	1,834		2,093		8,974		12,901		175,039		187,940
Consumer installment	294		256		433		983		23,707		24,690
Total	\$ 2,867	\$	3,225	\$	16,344	\$	22,436	\$	234,398	\$	256,834

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Nonaccrual loans totaled \$13,517 and \$16,344 as of September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010, respectively. As of September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010, we had no loans past due 90 days or more and still accruing interest.

Troubled debt restructurings ( TDRs ), including \$381 of such loans that are included in nonaccrual loans, totaled \$5,765 as of September 30, 2011 and \$5,457 as of December 31, 2010. The following table provides information about loans modified in troubled debt restructurings during the nine months ended September 30, 2011:

	Modifications As of and for the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2011												
	Number of Contracts	Pre-Modif Outstan Recor Investr	nding ded	Out Re Inv	Aodification tstanding ecorded vestment s)	Losses Recognized Upon Modification							
Commercial, financial and industrial	12	\$	361	\$	361	\$							
Real estate - construction	8		2,922		2,922								
Real estate - mortgage	12		2,271		2,271								
Consumer installment	12		211		211								

Troubled debt restructurings occur when, for reasons related to a borrower s financial difficulties, we agree to modify the terms of a loan and, in the process, grant a concession. Modifications of loan terms and concessions granted may take many forms. Sometimes, both we and the borrower may grant concessions. In such cases, we are considered to have granted a concession if the value of the concession(s) we made in the borrower s favor exceeds the value of the concession(s) made by the borrower in our favor.

Due to the concessions granted in loan modifications that result in TDRs, we generally recognize loan losses when such modifications are made. For loans in the real estate segment, TDR recognition generally indicates that the loans are collateral dependent. Consequently, we write-down such restructured loans to the extent that the pre-modification outstanding recorded investment exceeds the fair value of the collateral, less estimated selling costs. For loans in the other segment, collateral may or may not be held. If we hold collateral and the loan is collateral dependent, we would write down to the fair value of the collateral. If we hold no collateral, the expected cash flows under the modified terms are discounted at the effective interest rate of the original loan and, if there is a shortfall, we would write down to that amount. In both cases, if we had previously allowed for the losses sufficiently in the allowance for loan losses, no further provision would have resulted in the current period. If we had not previously allowed sufficiently, additional current provisions for loan losses may have been necessary to cover the shortfall.

During the third quarter of 2011, we applied new guidance about loan modifications contained in Accounting Standards Update 2011-02 A Creditor's Determination of Whether a Restructuring is a Troubled Debt Restructuring retrospectively to the beginning of 2011, as required. As a result of applying that guidance, no loan modifications performed during the first six months of 2011 are now recognized as TDRs that were not considered to be TDRs under the previous guidance.

We have had no payment defaults on loans modified in TDRs within the preceding 12 months.

As of September 30, 2011, we had no loan commitments to borrowers who have loans included in troubled debt restructurings.

Loans that we grade Management Attention and Special Mention are not believed to present more than a minimal likelihood of loss. Those grades indicate that a change in the borrowers circumstances, or some other event, has occurred such that an elevated level of monitoring is warranted. Such loans are generally evaluated collectively for the purpose of estimating the allowance for loan losses. Loans graded Substandard are believed to present a moderate likelihood of loss due the presence of well-defined weaknesses in the borrowers financial condition such as a change in their demonstrated payment history, the effects of lower collateral values combined with other difficulties the borrowers may be experiencing, or deterioration of other indicators of the borrowers ability to service the loan as agreed. Loans graded Doubtful are believed to present a high likelihood of loss due to severe deterioration of a borrower s financial condition, severe past due status and/or substantial deterioration of collateral value, or other factors. Loans graded Substandard or Doubtful are evaluated individually for impairment. Management updates the internal risk grading system no less often than monthly. The following table provides information about our internal risk grading of loans as of the dates indicated:

		Int	ernally Assign				
	Management Attention		ial Mention		ostandard	Doubtful	Total
As of September 30, 2011			(L	Jonars II	n thousands)		
Commercial, financial and industrial	\$ 944	\$	2,794	\$	1,196	\$	\$ 4,934
Real estate - construction	2,168		1,452		7,153		10,773
Real estate - mortgage	17,348		13,743		14,313		45,404
Consumer installment	642		855		780		2,277
	\$ 21,102	\$	18,844	\$	23,442	\$	\$ 63,388

	Ma		In	ternally Assign					
		Management Attention		Special Mention Substanda (Dollars in thou			Doubtful		Total
As of December 31, 2010									
Commercial, financial and industrial	\$	524	\$	577	\$	1,385	\$		\$ 2,486
Real estate - construction		1,953		2,980		7,953			12,886
Real estate - mortgage		12,628		8,326		12,795		237	33,986
Consumer installment		1,177		684		806			2,667
	\$	16,282	\$	12,567	\$	22,939	\$	237	\$ 52,025

Impaired loans generally are nonaccrual loans, loans that are 90 days or more past due as to principal or interest payments, and other loans where, based on current information and events, it is probable that we will be unable to collect principal and interest payments according to the contractual terms of the loan agreements, including loans whose terms have been modified in a troubled debt restructuring. A loan is not considered to be impaired, however, if any period of delay or shortfalls of amounts expected to be collected are insignificant or if we expect that we will be able to collect all amounts due including interest during the period of delay.

Following is a summary of our impaired loans, by class:

	-	Recorded avestment	Unpaid Principal Balance	Related Allowance (Dollars in thousands)		Year-to-Date Average Recorded Investment		Inter	r-to-Date est Income cognized
As of September 30, 2011									
With no related allowance recorded:									
Commercial, financial and industrial	\$	431	\$ 431	\$		\$	299	\$	
Real estate - construction		4,288	4,537				3,589		71
Real estate - mortgage		11,285	11,802				10,637		146
Consumer installment		231	231				282		
With an allowance recorded:									
Commercial, financial and industrial	\$	709	\$ 709	\$	530	\$	738	\$	
Real estate - construction		1,597	1,949		59		1,222		21
Real estate - mortgage		1,887	2,221		1,349		3,624		
Consumer installment		342	342		208		254		
Total:									
Commercial, financial and industrial	\$	1,140	\$ 1,140	\$	530	\$	1,037	\$	
Real estate - construction and mortgage		19,057	20,509		1,408		19,072		238
Consumer installment		573	573		208		536		
Total	\$	20,770	\$ 22,222	\$	2,146	\$	20,646	\$	238

	-	Recorded avestment	Unpaid Principal Balance	Related Allowance (Dollars in thousand		Year-to-Date Average Recorded Investment		Inter	r-to-Date rest Income cognized
As of December 31, 2010									
With no related allowance recorded:									
Commercial, financial and industrial	\$	167	\$ 167	\$		\$	73	\$	
Real estate - construction		2,890	3,462				2,569		13
Real estate - mortgage		9,989	10,638				7,761		118
Consumer installment		334	334				262		
With an allowance recorded:									
Commercial, financial and industrial	\$	767	\$ 767	\$	515	\$	455	\$	
Real estate - construction		846	874		45		1,523		41
Real estate - mortgage		5,360	5,529		1,632		6,465		
Consumer installment		166	166		66		273		
Total:									
Commercial, financial and industrial	\$	934	\$ 934	\$	515	\$	528	\$	
Real estate - construction and mortgage		19,085	20,503		1,677		18,318		172
Consumer installment		500	500		66		535		
Total	\$	20,519	\$ 21,937	\$	2,258	\$	19,381	\$	172

The following table provides information about how we evaluated loans for impairment, the amount of the allowance for loan losses estimated for loans subjected to each type of evaluation, and the related total amounts, by portfolio segment as of the dates indicated:

Secured by Real Estate	(Do	Other llars in thousands)		Total
\$ 3,806	\$	1,907	\$	5,713
\$ 1,408	\$	738	\$	2,146
\$ 2,398	\$	1,169	\$	3,567
\$ 189,508	\$	37,022	\$	226,530
\$ 18,775	\$	1,995	\$	20,770
\$ 170,733	\$	35,027	\$	205,760
\$ \$ \$ \$	Real Estate   \$ 3,806   \$ 1,408   \$ 2,398   \$ 189,508   \$ 18,775	Real Estate (Do   \$ 3,806 \$   \$ 1,408 \$   \$ 2,398 \$   \$ 189,508 \$   \$ 18,775 \$	Real Estate Other (Dollars in thousands)   \$ 3,806 \$ 1,907   \$ 1,408 \$ 738   \$ 2,398 \$ 1,169   - -   \$ 189,508 \$ 37,022   \$ 189,775 \$ 1,995	Real Estate Other (Dollars in thousands)   \$ 3,806 \$ 1,907 \$   \$ 3,806 \$ 1,907 \$   \$ 1,408 \$ 738 \$   \$ 2,398 \$ 1,169 \$   . . . . . .   \$ 189,508 \$ 37,022 \$   \$ 187,75 \$ 1,995 \$

5,756
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20,519
236,315

During the nine months ended September 30, 2011, we continued to experience higher-than-normal (pre-recession) amounts of net charge-offs and relatively high levels of past due and nonaccrual loans. These and other measures of credit quality, as well as continuing weakness in real estate prices, relatively low levels of activity in the real estate market and the continuing high unemployment levels in our market areas, indicate that our loan customers and collateral values remain under stress. Accordingly, we have recorded higher-than-normal provision and allowance for loan losses to recognize these conditions. We have not changed our accounting policy or the methodology used to estimate the allowance for loan losses since December 31, 2010. The following table provides information about activity in the allowance for loan losses by portfolio segment for the nine months ended September 30, 2011:

For the nine months ended September 30, 2011	Secured by Real Estate	(Doll	Other ars in thousands)	Total
Allowance for credit losses				
Balance, January 1, 2011	\$ 3,753	\$	2,003	\$ 5,756
Provision charged to expense	2,665		1,435	4,100
Recoveries			61	61
Charge-offs	(2,612)		(1,592)	(4,204)
Balance at September 30, 2011	\$ 3,806	\$	1,907	\$ 5,713

*Earnings Per Share* Basic earnings per common share is computed by dividing net income applicable to common shares by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding. Diluted earnings per common share is computed by dividing net income applicable to common shares by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding and any dilutive potential common shares and dilutive stock options. It is assumed that all dilutive stock options are exercised at the beginning of each period and that the proceeds are used to purchase shares of our common stock at the average market price during the period. All 2010 per share information has been retroactively adjusted to give effect to a 5% stock dividend effective December 16, 2010. Stock options outstanding for the periods presented were not dilutive because the exercise prices were greater than the market value of the underlying shares. Net income per common share and net income per common share, assuming dilution, were computed as follows:

	Three	Months	Period Ended	Septem		Months	
	2011		2010 rs in thousands, ex	xcept pe	2011		2010
Net income per common share, basic							
Numerator - net income available to common							
shareholders	\$ 156	\$	347	\$	503	\$	854
Denominator							
Weighted average common shares issued and							
outstanding	3,972,976		3,973,367		3,972,976		3,973,066
Net income per share, basic	\$ .04	\$	.09	\$	.13	\$	.21
Net income per common share, assuming dilution							
Numerator - net income available to common							
shareholders	\$ 156	\$	347	\$	503	\$	854
Denominator							
Weighted average common shares issued and							
outstanding	3,972,976		3,973,367		3,972,976		3,973,066
Effect of dilutive stock options							
Total common shares	3,972,976		3,973,367		3,972,976		3,973,066
Net income per common share, assuming							
dilution	\$ .04	\$	.09	\$	.13	\$	.21

#### **Stock-Based Compensation**

Our 1998 stock option plan terminated on March 19, 2008 and no further options may be issued under the plan. As of September 30, 2011, a total of 271,581 unexpired and non-forfeited options under the plan remain exercisable until their expiration dates.

*Income Taxes* Net deferred tax assets totaled \$1,674 as of September 30, 2011. Approximately \$554 of these net deferred tax assets is supported by available carrybacks and \$1,120 is dependent upon projected future taxable income.

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Based on the available carrybacks and our projections of future federal taxable income, we believe it is more likely than not that we will be able to realize the related tax benefits. Consequently, no valuation allowance for net deferred tax assets was recorded as of September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010.

*Fair Value Measurements* Fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly fashion between market participants at the measurement date. A three-level hierarchy is used for fair value measurements based upon the transparency of inputs to the valuation of an asset or liability as of the measurement date. In developing estimates of the fair values of assets and liabilities, no consideration of large position discounts for financial instruments quoted in active markets is allowed. However, an entity is required to consider its own creditworthiness when valuing its liabilities. For disclosure purposes, fair values for assets and liabilities are shown in the level of the hierarchy that correlates with the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety.

The three levels of the fair value input hierarchy are described as follows:

Level 1 inputs reflect quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2 inputs reflect observable inputs that may consist of quoted market prices for similar assets or liabilities, quoted prices that are not in an active market, or other inputs that are observable in the market and can be corroborated by observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets or liabilities being valued.

Level 3 inputs reflect the use of pricing models and/or discounted cash flow methodologies using other than contractual interest rates or methodologies that incorporate a significant amount of management judgment, use of the entity s own data, or other forms of unobservable data.

The following is a summary of the measurement attributes applicable to financial assets that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis:

		Fair Value Measurement at Reporting Date Using Ouoted Prices						
		in Active Markets for		gnificant Other	Significant			
		Identical Assets		oservable Inputs	Unobservable Inputs			
Description	September 30, 2011	(Level 1)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Level 2) (a in thousands)	(Level 3)			
Securities available-for-sale		\$	\$	129,206	\$			

Fair Value Measurement at Reporting Date Using								
Quoted Prices								
in Active	Significant							
Markets for	Other	Significant						
Identical	Observable	Unobservable						

Description	December 31, 2010	Assets (Level 1)	(Le	puts vel 2) 1 thousands)	Inputs (Level 3)
Securities available-for-sale	S	5	\$	169,369	\$

Level 2 inputs for our securities available-for-sale are obtained from an independent third-party that uses a process that may incorporate current market prices, benchmark yields, broker/dealer quotes, issuer spreads, two-sided markets, benchmark securities, bids, offers, other reference data and industry and economic events that a market participant would be expected to use in valuing the securities. Not all of the inputs listed apply to each individual security at each measurement date. The independent third party assigns specific securities into an asset class for the purpose of assigning the applicable level of the fair value hierarchy used to value the securities. At September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010, all of our securities available-for-sale were valued using Level 2 inputs.

We did not have any liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis at either period end.

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The following is a summary of the measurement attributes applicable to assets and liabilities that were measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis during the nine month period ended September 30, 2011 and the twelve month period ended December 31, 2010 and which remained outstanding at the end of each period:

Description	September 30, 2011	Fair Value Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Assets (Level 1)	Si Ol	eent at Reporting gnificant Other bservable Inputs Level 2) s in thousands)	Date Using Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)
Collateral-dependent impaired loans		\$	\$	23,045	\$
Land held for sale				139	
Foreclosed assets				17,426	

December 31, 2010	Fair Value Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Assets (Level 1)	Si Ol	gnificant Other oservable Inputs Level 2)	Date Using Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)
	\$	\$	20,312	\$
			139	
			11,395	
	December 31, 2010	Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Assets	Quoted Prices in Active Si Markets for Identical OI Assets December 31, 2010 (Level 1) (( (Dollars))	in ActiveSignificantMarkets forOtherIdenticalObservableAssetsInputsDecember 31, 2010(Level 1)(Level 1)(Level 2)(Dollars in thousands)\$\$ 20,312139

The fair value measurements shown above were made to reduce cost-based measurements to fair value measurements at initial recognition or to adjust fair value based measurements subsequent to initial recognition due to changes in the circumstances of individual assets during the period. For collateral-dependent loans, the measurements reflect our belief that we will receive repayment solely from the liquidation of the underlying collateral. As a practical expedient, such loans may be valued by comparing the fair value of the collateral securing the loan with the loan s carrying value. If the carrying value exceeds the fair value of the collateral, the excess is charged to the allowance for loan losses. If the fair value of the collateral exceeds the loan s carrying amount, no adjustment is made, the loan continues to be carried at historical cost, and the loan is not included in the table.

The value of other real estate obtained through loan foreclosure, is adjusted, if needed, upon the acquisition of each property to the lower of the recorded investment in the loan or the fair value of the property as determined by a recently performed independent appraisal less the estimated costs to sell. Similarly, the fair value of repossessions is measured by reference to dealers quotes or other market information believed to reliably reflect the value of the specific property held. Immaterial adjustments may be made by management to reflect property-specific factors such as age or condition. Losses recognized when loans are initially transferred to or otherwise included in any of the categories shown above are reported as loan losses. Subsequent to initial recognition, changes in fair value measurements of other real estate and repossessions are included in other income or other expenses, as applicable.

We did not have any liabilities measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis at either period end.

Accounting standards require disclosure of the estimated fair value of certain on-balance sheet and off-balance sheet financial instruments and the methods and assumptions used to estimate their fair values. A financial instrument is defined as cash, evidence of an ownership interest in an entity, or an agreement that creates a contractual right or obligation to receive or deliver cash, or another financial instrument, owed by or to a second entity on potentially favorable or unfavorable terms. Affected financial instruments that are not carried at fair value on the Consolidated Balance Sheets are

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discussed below. Accordingly, these fair value disclosures provide only a partial estimate of the fair value of the Company s financial instruments..

For cash and due from banks, interest bearing deposits due from banks and federal funds sold, the carrying amount approximates fair value because these instruments generally mature in 90 days or less. The carrying amounts of accrued interest receivable or payable approximate fair values.

The fair value of held-to-maturity mortgage-backed securities issued by Government sponsored enterprises is estimated based on dealers quotes for the same or similar securities.

The fair value of FHLB stock is estimated at its cost because the FHLB historically has redeemed its outstanding stock at that value.

Fair values are estimated for loans using discounted cash flow analyses, based on interest rates currently offered for loans with similar terms and credit quality. We do not engage in originating, holding, guaranteeing, servicing or investing in loans where the terms of the loan product give rise to a concentration of credit risk.

The fair value of deposits with no stated maturity (noninterest bearing demand, interest bearing transaction accounts and savings) is estimated as the amount payable on demand, or carrying amount, as required by SFAS No. 157. The fair value of time deposits is estimated using a discounted cash flow calculation that applies rates currently offered to aggregate expected maturities.

The fair values of our short-term borrowings, if any, approximate their carrying amounts.

The fair values of fixed rate long-term debt instruments are estimated using discounted cash flow analyses, based on the borrowing rates currently in effect for similar borrowings. The fair values of variable rate long-term debt instruments are estimated at the carrying amount.

The following table presents the carrying amounts and fair values of our financial instruments:

	September 30, 2011					December 31, 2010			
		Carrying Amount	Estimated Fair Value (Dollars in the		Carrying Amount thousands)		Estimated Fair Value		
Financial assets									
Cash and due from banks	\$	1,260	\$	1,260	\$	1,711	\$	1,711	
Interest bearing deposits due from banks		78,767		78,767		39,171		39,171	
Securities available-for-sale		129,206		129,206		169,369		169,369	

Securities held-to-maturity	4.865	5,256	6,389	6,817
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Federal Home Loan Bank stock	1,201	1,201	1,363	1,363
Loans, net	220,817	221,569	251,078	252,385
Accrued interest receivable	1,912	1,912	2,491	2,491
Financial liabilities				
Deposits	419,274	420,927	445,310	446,763
Accrued interest payable	1,165	1,165	1,698	1,698
Short-term borrowings			5,000	5,000
Long-term debt	6,500	6,522	6,500	6,528

The estimated fair values of off-balance-sheet financial instruments such as loan commitments and standby letters of credit are generally based upon fees charged to enter into similar agreements, taking into account the remaining terms of the agreements and the counterparties creditworthiness. The vast majority of the banking subsidiary s loan commitments do not involve the charging of a fee, and fees associated with outstanding standby letters of credit are not material. For loan commitments and standby letters of credit, the committed interest rates are either variable or approximate current interest rates offered for similar commitments. Therefore, the estimated fair values of these off-balance-sheet financial instruments are nominal.

The following is a summary of the notional or contractual amounts and estimated fair values of our off-balance sheet financial instruments:

	September	· 30, 2011		December 31, 2010		
	Notional/ Contract Amount		C A	lotional/ Contract Amount	Estimated Fair Value	
		(Dolla	rs in thousan	ds)		
Off-balance sheet commitments						
Loan commitments	\$ 22,318	\$	\$	26,834	\$	
Standby letters of credit	1,221			869		

As of September 30, 2011, we had no commitments to lend to customers who have loans that are included in troubled debt restructurings.

Other Expenses Other expenses consisted of the following:

				<b>Period Ended</b>	Septem	ber 30,	
		Three 2011	Months	2010		Nine Months 2011	2010
		2011		(Dollars in	thousa		2010
Salaries and employee benefits	\$	1,184	\$	1,205	\$	3,602 \$	3,528
Net occupancy expense	Ŷ	137	Ψ	133	Ψ	410	416
Furniture and equipment expense		93		95		266	281
Amortization of computer software		109		97		305	306
Debit card transaction expenses		90		120		331	343
FDIC insurance expense		231		233		695	866
Other expense							
Stationery, printing and postage		71		88		233	250
Telephone		46		32		156	135
Advertising and promotion		42		54		135	111
Professional services		160		160		388	421
Directors compensation		48		49		131	127
Foreclosed assets costs and expenses, net		128		104		534	244
Other		118		120		434	410
Total	\$	2,457	\$	2,490	\$	7,620 \$	7,438

**Pending Transaction** On October 31, 2011, our wholly-owned subsidiary bank, Community First Bank, entered into an amended definitive agreement to acquire Bank of Westminster, Westminster, South Carolina in an all cash transaction. Bank of Westminster is privately held and has one banking office with \$26,226 in deposits and \$28,179 in total assets as of September 30, 2011. The transaction is subject to approval by Bank of Westminster shareholders.

*New Accounting Pronouncements* In May 2011, FASB updated ASC Topic 820 Fair Value Measurements to more closely align fair value measurement and disclosure requirements in U. S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) with the requirements of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). This Update changes the wording of some of the GAAP requirements, including clarifying the intent about the application of existing fair value measurement and disclosure requirements and expanding the disclosures required about fair value measurements. The amendments in the Update are effective for public entities for periods beginning after December 15, 2011 and are to be applied prospectively. Early application is not permitted for public entities. We have not yet determined the effect that implementing this guidance will have on our financial condition or results of operations.

In June 2011, FASB updated ASC Topic 220 Comprehensive Income to improve the comparability, consistency and transparency of financial reporting and to increase the prominence of items reported in other comprehensive income. The Update is also intended to facilitate convergence of GAAP and IFRS. The Update requires that all entities that report any items of comprehensive income in any period presented will present the total of comprehensive income, the components of net income, and the components of other comprehensive income either in a single continuous statement of comprehensive

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income or in two separate but consecutive statements. The amendments are required for public entities for fiscal years and interim periods within those years beginning after December 31, 2011 and are to be applied retrospectively. Although early application is permitted, we do not plan to implement this Update until its mandatory effective date. Because this Update affects only presentation matters, it is not expected to have any effect on our financial condition or results of operations when implemented.

Other recent accounting standards that have been issued or proposed by the FASB or other standards-setting bodies are not expected to have a material impact on the Company s financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

### CAUTIONARY NOTICE WITH RESPECT TO FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This report contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the securities laws. The Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 provides a safe harbor for forward-looking statements. In order to comply with the terms of the safe harbor, the Company notes that a variety of factors could cause the Company s actual results and experience to differ materially from the anticipated results or other expectations expressed in the Company s forward-looking statements.

All statements that are not historical facts are statements that could be forward-looking statements. You can identify these forward-looking statements through the use of words such as may, will. should. could. would. expect, anticipate, assume. indicate. contemplate. target, potential, believe, intend, forecast, continue, or other similar words. Forward-looking statement predict, estimate, project, are not limited to, statements regarding the Company s future business prospects, revenues, working capital, liquidity, capital needs, interest costs, income, business operations and proposed services.

These forward-looking statements are based on current expectations, estimates and projections about the banking industry, management s beliefs, and assumptions made by management. Such information includes, without limitation, discussions as to estimates, expectations, beliefs, plans, strategies, and objectives concerning future financial and operating performance. These statements are not guarantees of future performance and are subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions that are difficult to predict. Therefore, actual results may differ materially from those expressed or forecasted in such forward-looking statements. The risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to:

- future economic and business conditions;
- lack of sustained growth and disruptions in the economies of the Company s market areas, including, but not limited to, declining real estate values and increasing levels of unemployment;
- government monetary and fiscal policies;
- the effects of changes in interest rates on the levels, composition and costs of deposits, loan demand, and the values of loan collateral, securities, and interest sensitive assets and liabilities;
- the effects of credit rating downgrades on the values of investment securities issued or guaranteed by various governments and governmental agencies, including the United States of America;

• the effects of competition from a wide variety of local, regional, national and other providers of financial, investment, and insurance services, as well as competitors that offer banking products and services by mail, telephone, computer and/or the Internet;

- credit risks;
- higher than anticipated levels of defaults on loans;
- perceptions by depositors about the safety of their deposits;
- capital adequacy;

• the failure of assumptions underlying the establishment of the allowance for loan losses and other estimates, including the value of collateral securing loans;

- ability to continue to weather the current economic downturn;
- ability to realize anticipated tax benefits;
- loss of consumer or investor confidence;
- availability of liquidity sources;

• the risks of opening new offices, including, without limitation, the related costs and time of building customer relationships and integrating operations as part of these endeavors and the failure to achieve expected gains, revenue growth and/or expense savings from such endeavors;

- the risks related to acquiring other financial institutions;
- changes in laws and regulations, including tax, banking and securities laws and regulations;
- changes in the requirements of regulatory authorities;
- changes in accounting policies, rules and practices;

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cost and difficulty of implementing changes in technology and products;

• the effects of war or other conflicts, acts of terrorism or other catastrophic events that may affect general economic conditions and economic confidence; and

• other factors and information described in this report and in any of the other reports that we file with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

All forward-looking statements are expressly qualified in their entirety by this cautionary notice. We have no obligation, and do not undertake, to update, revise or correct any of the forward-looking statements after the date of this report. We have expressed our expectations, beliefs and projections in good faith and believe they have a reasonable basis. However, there is no assurance that these expectations, beliefs or projections will result or be achieved or accomplished.

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

#### (Dollar amounts, except per share data, are in thousands)

### **Changes in Financial Condition**

During the first nine months of 2011, we focused on identifying and managing problem loans, more actively marketing foreclosed assets acquired by the Bank, and preparing for the anticipated merger of Community First Bank and Bank of Westminster. The unemployment rates in Oconee and Anderson counties continue to be elevated at 10.3% and 9.9%, respectively, for September 2011. These levels are lower than the June 2011 unemployment rates of 11.2% for Oconee County and 11.0% for Anderson County, primarily as a result of a smaller labor force in each county during the September measurement period. Despite the improvement in the unemployment rate, the number of employed persons decreased by 2,363 in the two-county area during the 2011 three month period.

Economic conditions are still weak in our market areas and our levels of nonaccrual and past due loans and holdings of foreclosed assets are elevated. Activity in the local real estate markets remains below normal and the values of real properties continue to be unusually low.

The low values of real estate directly affect the reported values of impaired loans that have real estate collateral. In many of these cases, the borrowers ability to repay the debt has diminished such that liquidation of the collateral represents the only viable source of repayment. In these instances, we charge-off any amount of the loan s principal balance that exceeds the value of the collateral. We also charge-off the costs expected to be incurred in disposing of the property that would be unavailable to repay the debt, and any accrued but uncollected interest income, and we discontinue the accrual of future interest income. These actions tend to reduce the reported amounts of our capital, loans outstanding and the allowance for loan losses and have a detrimental effect on the Company s reported income both in the current period and on an ongoing basis.

The acquisition of other real estate owned through foreclosure and other properties through repossession may result in many of the same accounting consequences as those indicated previously for the recognition of impaired loans if the reductions in values have not been recognized previously. On May 9, 2011, The South Carolina Supreme Court ordered that any then-pending or future foreclosure cases related to residential properties could not proceed before going through a mediation program. Prior to initiating a foreclosure hearing on such properties, lenders are now required to send delinquent borrowers a notice of their right to foreclosure intervention, review all pertinent documents relating to the foreclosure, and legally establish that the borrower cannot qualify for a loan modification. Borrowers are allowed to opt out of intervention voluntarily. These new requirements have caused us to continue to report amounts as loans that might otherwise have been reported as foreclosed assets. Currently, we have suspended foreclosure actions on eighteen loans totaling \$3,624, including one loan for \$1,708.

Borrower demand for loans continues to be weak and the interest rates available for investments in securities remain at extremely low levels. Rates on longer-term government-issued securities are expected to decrease slightly over the next several months as a result of the Federal Reserve s recently announced intention to purchase \$400 billion of such securities. It is expected that this action will result in lower interest rates for other issuers long-term securities as well. Consequently, we are currently limited in our ability to profitably employ funds held and we are maintaining the interest rates we pay for deposits at low levels.

As of a result of the foregoing factors, we have used the proceeds of maturing and redeemed securities and loan payments received to fund the repayment of matured time deposits and reductions in other funding sources. Total assets decreased by approximately \$29,023 during the first nine months of 2011 and the Company s leverage capital ratio increased from 8.8% as of December 31, 2010 to 9.3% as of September 30, 2011.

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We believe that our liquidity position continues to provide us with sufficient flexibility to fund loan requests or make investments in securities at acceptable yields, and to meet demands for deposit withdrawals by our customers. We also believe that our current exposure to interest rate risk is at an acceptable level.

#### **Results of Operations**

Three Months Ended September 30, 2011 and 2010

We recorded consolidated net income of \$195 for the third quarter of 2011, compared with \$386 for the third quarter of 2010. After deducting amounts applicable to preferred stock and not available to common shareholders, net income per common share, assuming dilution, was \$.04 for the 2011 quarter and \$.09 for the 2010 quarter. Net income per common share amounts for 2010 have been retroactively adjusted to reflect a five percent stock dividend effective December 16, 2010.

Net interest income for the 2011 third quarter was \$3,447, an increase of \$83, or 2.5%, over the 2010 third quarter amount. Total interest income for the 2011 third quarter was \$898 lower than for the 2010 third quarter primarily due to lower average amounts of loans and investment securities. Total interest expense for the 2011 third quarter was \$981 lower than for the same period of 2010 primarily due to lower interest rates paid for deposits.

The provision for loan losses for the third quarter of 2011 increased to \$1,400, compared with \$1,025 for the third quarter of 2010 due to continuing higher levels of net charge-offs, nonaccrual loans and other problem loans. These negative factors are the result of continuing weak economic conditions, especially with respect to lower valuations for commercial and residential real estate, and high levels of unemployment. Until the economic environment improves, we expect that relatively large provisions for loan losses will be needed.

Noninterest income for the third quarter of 2011 decreased by \$28 from the same 2010 period primarily due to a \$30 reduction in the amount of service charges on deposit accounts. Noninterest expenses for the 2011 period decreased by \$33 from the 2010 amount. We continue to monitor discretionary expenses closely.

	Summary Income Statement (Dollars in thousands)						
For the Three Months Ended September 30,		2011		2010		Dollar Change	Percentage Change
Interest income	\$	4,645	\$	5,543	\$	(898)	-16.2%
Interest expense		1,198		2,179		(981)	-45.0%
Net interest income		3,447		3,364		83	2.5%
Provision for loan losses		1,400		1,025		375	36.6%
Noninterest income		640		668		(28)	-4.2%
Noninterest expenses		2,457		2,490		(33)	-1.3%
Income tax expense		35		131		(96)	-73.3%
Net income	\$	195	\$	386	\$	(191)	-49.5%

Nine Months Ended September 30, 2011 and 2010

We recorded consolidated net income of \$641 for the first nine months of 2011 compared with \$992 for the first nine months of 2010. After deducting amounts applicable to preferred stock and not available to common stockholders, net income per common share, assuming dilution, was \$.13 for the 2011 nine months and \$.21 for the same period of 2010. No potentially dilutive stock options were outstanding at either September 30, 2011 or September 30, 2010. Net income per common share amounts for 2010 have been retroactively adjusted to reflect a five percent stock dividend effective December 16, 2010.

Net interest income for the first nine months of 2011 increased by \$563, or 5.6%, over the 2010 amount primarily due to lower rates paid for interest bearing deposits. Total interest income decreased by \$2,130 as a result of both lower average amounts of loans and investment securities and the effects of lower interest rates earned on those assets Total interest expense for the 2011 nine-month period was \$2,693 less than for the same period of 2010 due to lower rates paid on deposits and lower average amounts of time deposits outstanding in the 2011 period.

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The provision for loan losses for the first nine months of 2011 is higher than for the same period of 2010 due to the continuing economic malaise and its related effects on both loan customers ability to repay their debts and on real estate collateral values. When repayment of a loan becomes primarily dependent on sale of the underlying collateral, we are required to adjust the net carrying value of the loan to no more than the fair value of the collateral, less estimated selling costs. These circumstances often result in our recognition of a loss, which is usually accomplished by our increasing the provision for loan losses. We provide for other loan losses according to changes in the amount of the required allowance for loan losses calculated according to the methodology discussed in our annual financial statements.

Noninterest income for the first nine months of 2011 decreased by \$78, primarily as a result lower amounts of service charges on deposit accounts.

Noninterest expenses for the first nine months of 2011 increased by \$182, primarily as a result of an increase of \$74 in salaries and employee benefits and an increase of \$290 in expenses for carrying foreclosed assets which were partially offset by a reduction of \$171 in FDIC insurance expenses.

	Summary Income Statement (Dollars in thousands)						
For the Nine Months Ended September 30,		2011		2010		Dollar Change	Percentage Change
Interest income	\$	14,555	\$	16,685	\$	(2,130)	-12.8%
Interest expense		3,969		6,662		(2,693)	-40.4%
Net interest income		10,586		10,023		563	5.6%
Provision for loan losses		4,100		3,275		825	25.2%
Noninterest income		1,818		1,896		(78)	-4.1%
Noninterest expenses		7,620		7,438		182	2.4%
Income tax expense		43		214		(171)	-79.9%
Net income	\$	641	\$	992	\$	(351)	-35.4%

#### Net Interest Income

Three Months Ended September 30, 2011 and 2010

As shown in the following table, the average yield on interest earning assets decreased to 4.18% for the 2011 period from 4.46% for the same period of 2010, primarily because of shift in the mix of our earning assets. The lowest yielding interest-earning category (interest-bearing balances due from banks) increased by \$23,029, or 55.1%, for the 2011 period over the same 2010 period while the 2011 average amount of all interest-earning assets decreased by \$52,546, or 10.6%, from the total 2010 average interest-earning assets amount. The 2011 average amounts of the higher yielding securities and loan categories decreased by \$44,145 and \$31,429, respectively, from the average amounts of those categories outstanding in the same 2010 period. As a result, in the 2011 period, \$64,817 of average interest-bearing balances due from banks yielding .21% made up 14.7% of average interest-earning assets compared with \$41,788 of average interest-bearing balances due from banks yielding .27% making up 8.5% of average interest-earning assets in the comparable period of 2010. Some variable rate loans have floors that have prevented further declines in interest rates for those assets.

The average rate paid on interest-bearing liabilities declined to 1.26% for the 2011 period, compared with 2.01% for the 2010 period. Rates were reduced significantly with respect to time deposits, and the mix of our interest-bearing liabilities changed such that the lower-cost interest-bearing transaction accounts and savings categories now make up 25.3% of average interest-bearing liabilities compared with 18.0% for the prior-year period.

Because the rate paid fell more than the yield earned, both interest rate spread and net yield on earning assets were higher for the 2011 period when compared with the prior year period. However, the 2011 third quarter results for those measures are lower than for the 2011 second quarter when interest rate spread was 3.11% and net yield on earning assets was 3.30%.

	Average Balances, Yields and Rates Three Months Ended September 30, 2011 Interest			2010 Interest			
	Average Balances		Income/ Expense	Yields/ Rates (1) (Dollars in t	Average Balances ands)	Income/ Expense	Yields/ Rates (1)
Assets				(	 )		
Interest-bearing balances due from							
banks	\$ 64,817	\$	35	0.21%	\$ 41,788	\$ 28	0.27%
Securities							
Taxable	126,901		945	2.95%	168,778	1,258	2.96%
Tax exempt (2)	16,248		165	4.03%	18,516	188	4.03%
Total investment securities	143,149		1,110	3.08%	187,294	1,446	3.06%
Other investments	1,243		2	0.64%	1,244	1	0.32%
Loans (2) (3) (4)	231,781		3,498	5.99%	263,210	4,068	6.13%
Total interest earning assets	440,990		4,645	4.18%	493,536	5,543	4.46%
Cash and due from banks	1,183				1,930		
Allowance for loan losses	(5,749)				(6,562)		
Valuation allowance -							
Available-for-sale securities	2,247				3,481		
Premises and equipment	7,957				8,443		
Other assets	32,345				24,717		
Total assets	\$ 478,973				\$ 525,545		
Liabilities and shareholders equity							
Interest bearing deposits							
Interest bearing transaction accounts	\$ 77,604	\$	74	0.38%	\$ 56,690	\$ 77	0.54%
Savings	18,130		22	0.48%	20,578	22	0.42%
Time deposits \$100M and over	117,015		450	1.53%	152,126	806	2.10%
Other time deposits	158,578		587	1.47%	193,587	1,204	2.47%
Total interest bearing deposits	371,327		1,133	1.21%	422,981	2,109	1.98%
Long-term debt	6,500		65	3.97%	6,500	70	4.27%
Total interest bearing liabilities	377,827		1,198	1.26%	429,481	2,179	2.01%
Noninterest bearing demand deposits	50,257				43,418		
Other liabilities	3,715				3,192		
Shareholders equity	47,174				49,454		
Total liabilities and shareholders							
equity	\$ 478,973				\$ 525,545		
Interest rate spread				2.92%			2.45%
Net interest income and net yield on							
earning assets		\$	3,447	3.10%		\$ 3,364	2.70%
Interest free funds supporting earning			,				
assets	\$ 63,163				\$ 64,055		

(1) Yields and rates are annualized.

(2) Yields on tax exempt instruments have not been adjusted to a tax-equivalent basis.

(3) Nonaccrual loans are included in the average loan balances and income on such loans is recognized on a cash basis.

(4) Includes immaterial amounts of loan fees.

Nine Months Ended September 30, 2011 and 2010

The yield on interest earning assets decreased to 4.26% for the 2011 period, compared with 4.49% for the 2010 period, primarily due to lower rates earned on investment securities. During the first nine months of 2011, we earned an average rate of 2.99% on our investment securities, compared with an average rate of 3.39% during the same period of 2010. Maturities, sales, calls and paydowns of securities in the nine months ended September 30, 2011 totaled \$103,887 and purchases totaled \$60,466. Generally, yields on the called, sold, matured and paid-down securities were higher than the yields we were able to obtain on subsequently purchased securities.

Rates paid for interest bearing liabilities during the 2011 nine month period were 71 basis points lower than for the 2010 nine month period. Rates paid for time deposits \$100 and over were 42 basis points lower during the 2011 period and rates paid for other time deposits decreased by 104 basis points compared with the same 2010 period. The average amounts of time deposits outstanding during the 2011 period were \$57,627, or 16.9%, less than in the 2010 period.

The interest rate spread for the 2011 nine month period was 2.91%, an increase of 48 basis points over the 2.43% spread for the 2010 period. Net yield on earning assets for the 2011 period was 3.10%, an increase of 40 basis points over the 2010 period. However, both 2011 nine-month measures are unchanged from the 2011 six-month measures reported previously.

The Federal Reserve Bank s recent implementation of a program under which it will purchase up to \$400 billion of longer term US Government securities is expected to result in lower long-term rates for virtually all types of term debt. Consequently, it is becoming increasingly more difficult for us to employ deposits profitably without incurring elevated levels of interest rate, liquidity and credit risk. In some cases, we may not have sufficient available resources to monitor and mitigate such risks and, therefore, we may choose not to participate in some activities that might be, but are not certain to be, beneficial. The reductions in assets and funding sources evident from a review of our Balance Sheets reflect our decision not to continue growth unless such growth increases our net interest income and overall profitability.

		2011	Average Balances, Nine Months Ende		2010	
	Average Balances	Interest Income/ Expense	Yields/ Rates (1) (Dollars in t	Average Balances ands)	Interest Income/ Expense	Yields/ Rates (1)
Assets						
Interest-bearing balances due from						
banks	\$ 48,360	\$ 78	0.22%	\$ 54,473	\$ 98	0.24%
Securities						
Taxable	148,153	3,177	2.87%	156,916	3,875	3.30%
Tax exempt (2)	16,874	517	4.10%	19,133	584	4.08%
Total investment securities	165,027	3,694	2.99%	176,049	4,459	3.39%
Other investments	1,303	7	0.72%	1,285	3	0.31%
Loans (2) (3) (4)	242,040	10,776	5.95%	265,240	12,125	6.11%
Total interest earning assets	456,730	14,555	4.26%	497,047	16,685	4.49%
Cash and due from banks	1,831			1,944		
Allowance for loan losses	(5,761)			(6,271)		
Valuation allowance -						
Available-for-sale securities	1,013			2,578		
Premises and equipment	8,040			8,501		
Other assets	30,466			23,495		
Total assets	\$ 492,319			\$ 527,294		
Liabilities and shareholders equity						
Interest bearing deposits						
Interest bearing transaction accounts	\$ 77,246	\$ 255	0.44%	\$ 55,231	\$ 244	0.59%
Savings	26,548	75	0.38%	28,862	79	0.37%
Time deposits \$100M and over	120,624	1,481	1.64%	148,255	2,285	2.06%
Other time deposits	162,572	1,966	1.62%	192,568	3,835	2.66%
Total interest bearing deposits	386,990	3,777	1.30%	424,916	6,443	2.03%
Long-term debt	6,500	192	3.95%	7,451	219	3.93%
Total interest bearing liabilities	393,490	3,969	1.35%	432,367	6,662	2.06%
Noninterest bearing demand deposits	49,269			44,258		
Other liabilities	3,465			3,654		
Shareholders equity	46,095			47,015		
Total liabilities and shareholders						
equity	\$ 492,319			\$ 527,294		
Interest rate spread			2.91%			2.43%
Net interest income and net yield on						
earning assets		\$ 10,586	3.10%		\$ 10,023	2.70%
Interest free funds supporting earning						
assets	\$ 63,240			\$ 64,680		

(1) Yields and rates are annualized.

(2) Yields on tax exempt instruments have not been adjusted to a tax-equivalent basis.

(3) Nonaccrual loans are included in the average loan balances and income on such loans is recognized on a cash basis.

(4) Includes immaterial amounts of loan fees.

#### **Provision and Allowance for Loan Losses**

The provision for loan losses was \$1,400 for the third quarter of 2011 compared with \$1,025 for the third quarter of 2010. For the first nine months of 2011, the provision for loan losses was \$4,100, compared with \$3,275 for the first nine months of 2010. At September 30, 2011, the allowance for loan losses was 2.52% of loans, compared with 2.24% at December 31, 2010 and 2.42% as of September 30, 2010.

For the first nine months of 2011, net charge-offs totaled \$4,143, compared with \$2,991 in net charge offs during the same period of 2010. The higher levels of charge-offs in the 2011 period reflect the continuing distressed conditions in our local economies, especially lower real estate values. No particular industries or groups of borrowers are disproportionately represented among the loans charged off. If local economic conditions and real estate values do not improve, it is likely that we will continue to experience elevated levels of both net charge-offs and provisions for loan losses. The activity in the allowance for loan losses is summarized in the table below:

	-	line Months Ended ptember 30, 2011	D	Year Ended ecember 31, 2010 urs in thousands)	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2010
Allowance at beginning of period	\$	5,756	\$	6,052	\$ 6,052
Provision for loan losses		4,100		4,525	3,275
Net charge-offs		(4,143)		(4,821)	(2,991)
Allowance at end of period	\$	5,713	\$	5,756	\$ 6,336
Allowance as a percentage of loans outstanding at					
period end		2.52%		2.24%	2.42%
Loans at end of period	\$	226,530	\$	256,834	\$ 261,904

#### Non-Performing and Potential Problem Loans

	N	onaccrual Loans	90 Days or More Past Due and Still Accruing	Troubled Debt Restructurings (Dollars in thousands		Total nperforming Loans	Percentage of Total Loans
December 31, 2009	\$	13,870	\$	\$	\$	13,870	5.19%
Net change		2,575				2,575	
March 31, 2010		16,445				16,445	6.15%
Net change		(603)				(603)	
June 30, 2010		15,842				15,842	5.97%
Net change		(880)		2,988		2,108	
September 30, 2010		14,962		2,988		17,950	6.85%
Net change		1,382		2,469		3,851	
December 31, 2010		16,344		5,457		21,801	8.49%
Net change		4,244		7,049		11,293	
March 31, 2011		20,588		12,506		33,094	13.36%
Net change		(4,334)		(5,336)	)	(9,670)	
June 30, 2011		16,254		7,170		23,424	9.86%
Net change		(2,737)		(1,786)	)	(4,523)	
September 30, 2011	\$	13,517	\$	\$ 5,384	\$	18,901	8.34%

As of September 30, 2011, troubled debt restructurings ( TDRs ) totaling \$381 are included in the amount of nonaccrual loans or loans 90 days past due and still accruing, and excluded from the amount of troubled debt restructurings, in the table above.

Potential problem loans include loans, other than impaired loans, that management has identified as having possible credit problems sufficient to cast doubt upon the abilities of the borrowers to comply with the current repayment terms. Such loans are included in the amounts of Management Attention and Special Mention Loans included in the table captioned Internally Assigned Risk Grade included in the section captioned Loans in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

South Carolina s 11.0% (seasonally adjusted) unemployment rate as of September 2011 was the same as the 11.0% (seasonally adjusted) as of September 2010. The unemployment rates (not seasonally adjusted) in Oconee and Anderson Counties, South Carolina were 10.3% and 9.9%, respectively, as of September 2011 compared with 11.0% and 10.4%, respectively, as of September 2010. The unemployment rates for 2010 have been revised due to certain changes made in the calculations since they were first published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The prolonged period of high unemployment and generally poor economic conditions has caused many individuals and companies to deplete their cash reserves. When economic activity again becomes more robust and employment levels increase more broadly and on a more sustained basis, we expect that many of our customers will need to replenish those reserves before they can again repay their debts in an orderly manner. As a result, we believe that there will be a prolonged period during which the ability of some of our loan customers to repay their debts will be reduced, which could lead to higher amounts of nonaccrual, past due and potential problem loans and higher loan losses, all of which could result in higher provisions for loan losses.

### **Foreclosed Assets**

During the first nine months of 2011, foreclosed assets increased by \$6,031 to \$17,426.

With respect to other real estate owned, we acquired twenty-six foreclosed real estate properties with current carrying values totaling \$7,031 during the 2011 nine-month period. We sold seven foreclosed real estate properties that had carrying values of \$720 for proceeds of \$653, realizing net losses of \$67. Net downward valuation adjustments totaled \$45 during the nine-month period.

Foreclosed assets represent a significant challenge. In addition to their status as non-earning assets, the expenses of carrying these properties, particularly real estate, may be substantial. Such expenses are included in noninterest expenses

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and may include expenses for items such as property taxes, utilities, maintenance and repairs, and property owner fees. Consequently, we are dedicating more time and resources to our efforts to dispose of these assets in a prudent manner.

During the first nine months of 2011, we acquired eleven pieces of repossessed collateral which have carrying values of \$83 and sold three pieces of repossessed collateral for proceeds of \$175 with no gain or loss recognized. Net downward valuation adjustments totaled \$143 during the nine month period.

#### **Noninterest Income**

Noninterest income totaled \$640 for the third quarter of 2011, compared with \$668 for the 2010 quarter. Service charges on deposit accounts were \$30 lower in the 2011 period due to lower volumes of fee-related activity. Fees associated with debit cards increased by \$12 over the 2010 third quarter amount due to higher usage of this payment option. However, we expect that debit card fees earned in future periods will probably decrease due to recently observed decreases in debit card usage.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2011, noninterest income totaled \$1,818, compared with \$1,896 for the same period of 2010. Service charges on deposit accounts in the 2011 period were \$112 less than in the same period of 2010. Fees associated with debit cards were \$43 higher in the 2011 period.

It is becoming increasingly difficult for us to increase, or in some cases to maintain, fee income at previous levels. Recent regulatory changes may limit our ability to establish fees on certain accounts and transaction types.

#### **Noninterest Expenses**

Noninterest expenses totaled \$2,457 for the third quarter of 2011, compared with \$2,490 for the third quarter of 2010. Deposit insurance expenses for the 2011 period were \$2 less than for the same period of 2010 primarily due to lower amounts of insured deposits. Debit card transaction expenses were \$30 less than for the 2010 period due to the effects on card usage of recent regulatory changes. Expenses for carrying foreclosed properties were \$24 higher in the 2011 period because we hold more properties currently.

Noninterest expenses for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 totaled \$7,620, compared with \$7,438 for the same period of 2010. Salaries and employee benefits increased by \$74 from the amount for 2010. Amounts assessed for FDIC insurance decreased by \$171 because we have reduced our total assets and other elements of the deposit insurance assessment base. Expenses associated with foreclosed assets increased by \$290 over the 2010 period because we now hold more properties and some of the properties have been held for a prolonged period of time.

#### **Income Taxes**

For the third quarter of 2011, we recorded income tax expense of \$35, compared with income tax expense of \$131for the same period of 2010. For the nine months ended September 30, 2011, income tax expense was \$43, compared with income tax expense of \$214 for the same period of 2010. The lower income tax expense in both 2011 periods resulted from lower amounts of taxable net income than in the same periods of 2010.

As of September 30, 2011, we have net deferred tax assets totaling \$1,674. Approximately \$554 is realizable from available carrybacks to prior years taxable income. Realization of the remaining \$1,120 is dependent primarily on our ability to generate federal taxable income in the future. Based on our previous operating history and projection of taxable income for the next three years, we believe it is more likely than not that we will be able to realize these assets. Consequently, we have not provided a valuation allowance for these assets. However, forecasting necessarily requires that we make judgments and assumptions about uncertain future events. As more empirical evidence becomes available, or as other events occur that might cause us to revise our assumptions and judgments, it is possible that our forecasts could change and it might then be necessary for us to provide a valuation allowance by a charge to income tax expense to reduce the net deferred tax assets to an amount that we believe is more likely than not to be realized.

For purposes of calculating regulatory capital ratios as of September 30, 2011, each of the Company and the Bank excluded \$1,554 of net deferred tax assets from capital. Generally, each entity is required to exclude from Tier 1 and Total capital the lesser of 10% of its total assets or the amount of deferred tax assets that exceeds the amount realizable from carryback years plus the amount realizable from federal taxable income forecasted for the next twelve months.

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#### Liquidity

Liquidity is the ability to meet current and future obligations through the liquidation or maturity of existing assets or the acquisition of additional liabilities. We manage both assets and liabilities to achieve appropriate levels of liquidity. Cash and short-term investments are our primary sources of asset liquidity. These funds provide a cushion against short-term fluctuations in cash flow from both deposits and loans. Securities available-for-sale are the principal source of secondary asset liquidity. However, the availability of this source is influenced by market conditions. Individual and commercial deposits are the primary source of funds for credit activities. We also have significant amounts of credit availability under our FHLB lines of credit and Federal Reserve Bank Discount Window facilities.

As of September 30, 2011, the ratio of loans to total deposits was 54.0%, compared with 57.7% as of December 31, 2010. We believe that liquidity sources are adequate to meet our operating needs.

#### **Capital Resources**

Our capital base increased by \$2,014 since December 31, 2010 as the result of net income of \$641 for the first nine months of 2011, plus a \$1,491 change in net unrealized gains on available-for-sale securities, net of deferred income tax effects, less \$118 dividends paid on preferred stock. Any unrealized losses on available-for-sale securities are not considered to be other than temporary. Our available-for-sale securities primarily consist of debt issuances of government-sponsored enterprises. Even though these instruments are not directly guaranteed by the U. S. Government, they are generally considered to be of high quality and default risk is believed to be remote. Therefore, the changes in market values are believed to be the result only of changes in market interest rates. We currently have both the intent and the ability to hold such securities until the market value recovers, including until maturity.

The Company and its banking subsidiary (the Bank) are subject to regulatory risk-based capital adequacy standards. Under these standards, bank holding companies and banks are required to maintain certain minimum ratios of capital to risk-weighted assets and average total assets. Under the provisions of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Improvement Act of 1991 (FDICIA), federal bank regulatory authorities are required to implement prescribed prompt corrective actions upon the deterioration of the capital position of a bank. If the capital position of an affected institution were to fall below certain levels, increasingly stringent regulatory corrective actions are mandated.

The September 30, 2011 risk based capital ratios for the Company and the Bank are presented in the following table, compared with the well capitalized and minimum ratios under the regulatory definitions and guidelines:

		Total	
	Tier 1	Capital	Leverage
Community First Bancorporation	16.0%	17.3%	9.3%
Community First Bank	14.5%	15.7%	8.3%
Minimum well-capitalized requirement	6.0%	10.0%	6.0%
Minimum requirement	4.0%	8.0%	5.0%

#### **Off-Balance-Sheet Arrangements**

In the normal course of business, the Bank is party to financial instruments with off-balance-sheet risk including commitments to extend credit and standby letters of credit. Such instruments have elements of credit risk in excess of the amount recognized in the balance sheet. The exposure to credit loss in the event of nonperformance by the other parties to the financial instruments for commitments to extend credit and standby letters of credit is represented by the contractual or notional amount of those instruments. Generally, we use the same credit policies when extending loan commitments and standby letters of credit as are used when we extend loans.

Following are the off-balance-sheet financial instruments whose contract amounts represent credit risk:

	*	er 30, 2011 ( thousands)
Loan commitments	\$	22,318
Standby letters of credit		1,221

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Loan commitments involve agreements to lend to a customer as long as there is no violation of any condition established in the contract. Commitments generally have fixed expiration dates or other termination clauses and some involve payment of a fee. Many of the commitments are expected to expire without being fully drawn; therefore, the total amount of loan commitments does not necessarily represent future cash requirements. Each customer s creditworthiness is evaluated on a case-by-case basis. The amount of collateral obtained, if any, upon extension of credit is based on management s credit evaluation of the borrower. Collateral held varies but may include commercial and residential real properties, accounts receivable, inventory and equipment.

Standby letters of credit are conditional commitments to guarantee the performance of a customer to a third party. The credit risk involved in issuing standby letters of credit is the same as that involved in making loan commitments to customers. Many letters of credit will expire without being drawn upon and do not necessarily represent future cash requirements. The Bank receives fees for loan commitments and standby letters of credit. The amount of such fees was not material for either the nine months or three months ended September 30, 2011.

As described under Liquidity, management believes that its various sources of liquidity provide the resources necessary for the Bank to fund the loan commitments and to perform under standby letters of credit, if the need arises. Neither the Company nor the Bank is involved in other off-balance sheet contractual relationships or transactions that could result in liquidity needs or other commitments or significantly impact earnings.

#### Item 4T. Controls and Procedures

Based on the evaluation required by 17 C.F.R. Section 240.13a-15(b) or 240.15d-15(b) of the issuer s disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in 17 C.F.R. Sections 240.13a-15(e) and 240.15d-15(e)), the issuer s chief executive officer and chief financial officer concluded such controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report, were effective.

There has been no change in the Company s internal control over financial reporting during the most recent fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company s internal control over financial reporting.

### PART II OTHER INFORMATION

## Item 6. - Exhibits

31.	Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certifications
32.	Certifications Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350
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<sup>\*</sup> As provided in Rule 406T of Regulation S-T, this information and not filed for purposes of Sections 11 and 12 of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

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### **SIGNATURE**

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

November 14, 2011

Date

#### COMMUNITY FIRST BANCORPORATION

/s/ Frederick D. Shepherd, Jr.

Frederick D. Shepherd, Jr., Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer

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