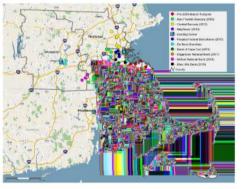
## 2021 D.A. Davidson 23rd Annual Financial Institutions Virtual Conference May 5

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## Who We Are

- Independent Bank Corp. (Nasdaq: INDB)
  - Main Banking Sub: Rockland Trust
- Market Cap: \$2.7B (as of May 3, 2021)

# Market: Eastern Massachusetts 99 Branches\*



Loans: \$9.2B

<u>Deposits:</u> \$11.6B

Wealth Mgmt: AUA \$5.2B

<sup>\*</sup>Excludes impact of pending EBSB merger

## Key Messages - Core Franchise

- Extensive history of strong financial performance
- Demonstrated resiliency in prior crises
- Expanding footprint in growth markets
- Healthy loan and core deposit originations
- Diversified fee income business lines
- Strong capital levels
- Strong operating efficiency
- Proven integrator of acquired banks
- Tangible book value steadily growing\*
- Disciplined risk management culture

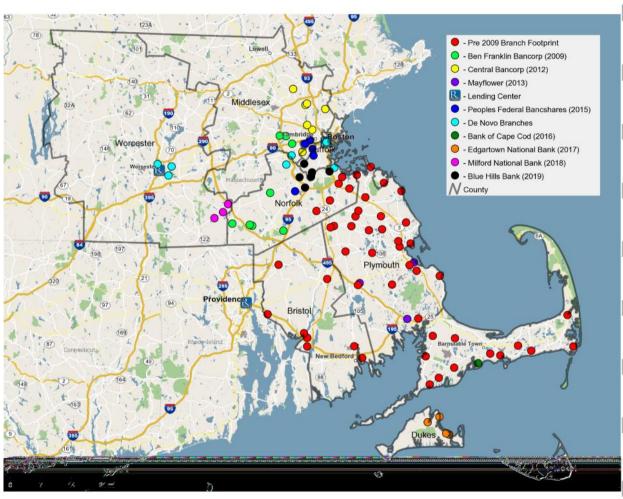
## Recent Accomplishments

- East Boston Savings Bank (assets \$6.5B)
- Strong new business generation despite pandemic
- Solid growth in business and consumer households
- Growing presence in Worcester County
- Growth initiatives online account opening, credit card launch, de novo branches, expanded digital offerings, enhanced mortgage capabilities, senior talent adds
- Seven consecutive years of record operating earnings through 2019\*\*

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% of

## **Expanding Company Footprint**



		% 01					
Mark	INDB Dep.						
F	ounty						
Rank	2020						
1	24.9%	36%					
	Norfolk Co	unty					
Rank	2020						
3	6.0%	19%					
Barnsta	ble County	(Cape Cod)					
Rank	2020						
4	11.0%	9%					
	Bristol Cou	inty					
Rank	2020						
5	8.3%	10%					
Middlesex County							
Rank	2020						
21	1.1%	8%					
	Suffolk Cou	inty					
Rank	2020						
11	0.8%	10%					
Di	ukes County	(MV)					
Rank	2020						
2	17.3%	2%					
V	Vorcester C	ounty					
Rank	2020						
18	1.7%	3%					
N	Nantucket C	ounty					
Rank	2020						
1	36.6%	3%					

Source: SNL Financial; Deposit/Market Share data as of June 30, 2020

**Compelling Combination Creates Significant Shareholder Value** 







Continues INDB's successful acquisition philosophy – expansion into contiguous geography to build market share and generate significant cost savings opportunities



Reinforces INDB's position as the Boston area's premier community-focused commercial bank; pro forma #1 in commercial loans and #2 in deposit market share (Boston MSA) amongst all banks headquartered in Massachusetts



Combines **complementary balance sheets** – INDB's core deposit funding to fuel two strong commercial lending franchises + deployment of excess liquidity



Generates strong deal metrics for continued premium valuation multiples of INDB stock:

- 7.9% accretive to tangible book value per share
- ~23% EPS accretion (with fully phased in cost saves)
- Top quartile pro forma ROA and efficiency ratio



Builds scale to allow further investments in digital delivery, technology, and risk infrastructure while combining leadership and experienced talent across all major banking functions (commercial, retail, operations)

**Transaction Increases Density in Attractive Boston MSA** 

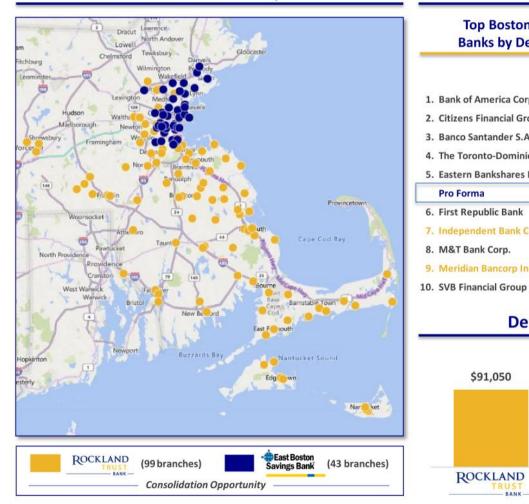


**Top Boston MSA** 



**Top Massachusetts** 

#### **Pro Forma Branch Footprint**



#### Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence; Demographics shown are deposit-weighted averages by MSA Note: Deposit market share data pro forma for recently announced transactions

#### **Pro Forma Deposit Market Share**

Banks by Deposits		Banks by Deposits	
	eposits billion)		eposits billion)
1. Bank of America Corporation	91.4	1. Bank of America Corporation	98.8
2. Citizens Financial Group Inc.	50.4	2. Citizens Financial Group Inc.	51.3
3. Banco Santander S.A.	21.7	3. Banco Santander S.A.	24.7
4. The Toronto-Dominion Bank	17.3	4. The Toronto-Dominion Bank	20.8
5. Eastern Bankshares Inc.	16.2	5. Eastern Bankshares Inc.	16.5
		Pro Forma	15.6
Pro Forma	12.6	6. Independent Bank Corp.	10.8
6. First Republic Bank	10.0	7. First Republic Bank	10.0
7. Independent Bank Corp.	7.8	8. M&T Bank Corp.	9.2
8. M&T Bank Corp.	6.8	9. Berkshire Hills Bancorp Inc.	6.2
9. Meridian Bancorp Inc.	4.8	10. Middlesex Bancorp MHC	4.8

#### **Demographically Attractive**

11. Meridian Bancorp Inc.

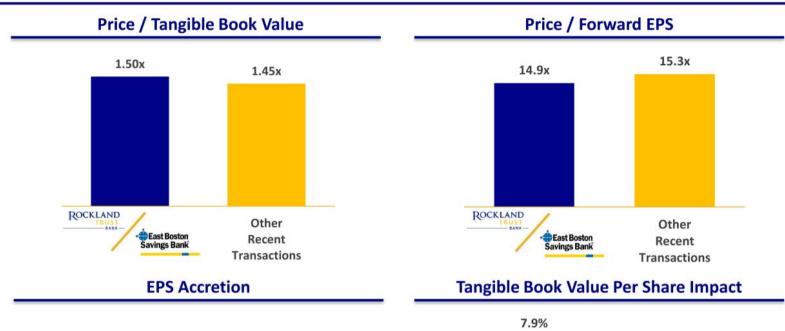


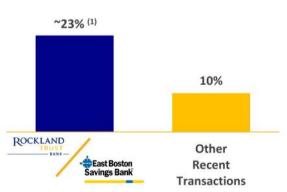
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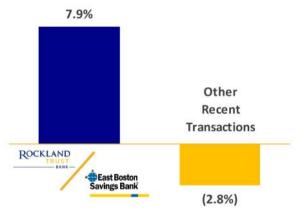
**Well-Priced Transaction Relative to Recent Comparable Deals** 











Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence; Company documents

Note: INDB/EBSB transaction metrics based on INDB stock price as of 4/21/21

Note: Includes nationwide whole bank acquisitions announced since 1/1/2019 with deal values between \$500 million and \$2 billion at announcement

EPS accretion assumes fully phased-in cost saves

**Attractive Pro Forma Financial Impact** 





#### **Strong Returns**

7.9%

Tangible Book Value Per Share Accretion at Close

~20% (1)

2022 EPS Accr.

(80% phased-in cost saves)

~23% (1)

2022 EPS Accr.

(fully phased-in cost saves)

~16%

Internal Rate of Return

#### Well-Positioned Combined Company (2)

\$20bn

Pro Forma Assets

\$4bn

Pro Forma Market Capitalization

#### Top Quartile Profitability (3)

>1.2%

>12%

~47%

Pro Forma ROAA

Pro Forma ROTCE

Pro Forma Eff. Ratio

#### Robust Capital & Reserve Levels (4)

~11%

>13%

~1.7%

Pro Forma TCE / TA
Ratio at Close

Pro Forma CET1
Ratio at Close

Pro Forma ACL/Loans HFI Ratio at Close

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Based on consensus estimates

Does not include purchase accounting adjustments or balance sheet restructure

Based on consensus estimates; Assumes illustrative 100% phase-in of cost savings in 2022

<sup>4)</sup> Pro forma financial metrics at close assume consensus estimates per FactSet for each company and other purchase accounting adjustments further outlined in the appendix

**Creates Peer-Leading Financial Performance** 







Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence

Note: Peer group includes 27 publicly traded banks nationwide with assets between \$15B and \$25bn; Profitability metrics based on publicly available 2022 consensus estimates as of 4/21/21 Note: INDB pro forma financial data assumes illustrative 100% phase-in of cost savings in 2022

**Complementary Businesses with Potential Synergies** 



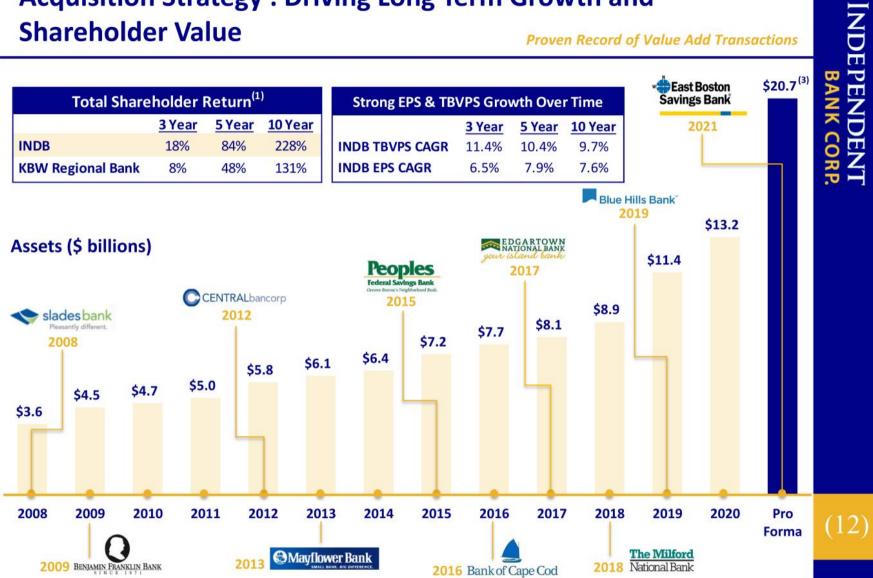


**Capabilities and Enhancement Opportunities** 

Commercial Banking	Retail Banking	Wealth Management
<ul> <li>✓ Further expansion into MA-North Shore market</li> <li>✓ Seasoned and highly talented Commercial lending team</li> <li>✓ INDB to expand specialty financing C&amp;I product set to new markets (dealer finance, asset-based lending)</li> <li>✓ Leverage INDB cash management and treasury services, 1031 exchange business</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>✓ Leverage INDB's robust mortgage product offerings and leading technology platform</li> <li>✓ Capitalize on INDB's proven home equity direct marketing program across expanded customer base</li> <li>✓ Enhance branch contribution through broad product training and established interdepartmental referral programs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>✓ Strong demographics attributable to new markets provide upside potential</li> <li>✓ Leverage client facing staff for introductions and opportunities within new client base</li> <li>✓ Capitalize on EBSB relationships to expand centers of influence for new opportunities</li> </ul>

#### **Acquisition Strategy: Driving Long Term Growth and Shareholder Value**

**Proven Record of Value Add Transactions** 



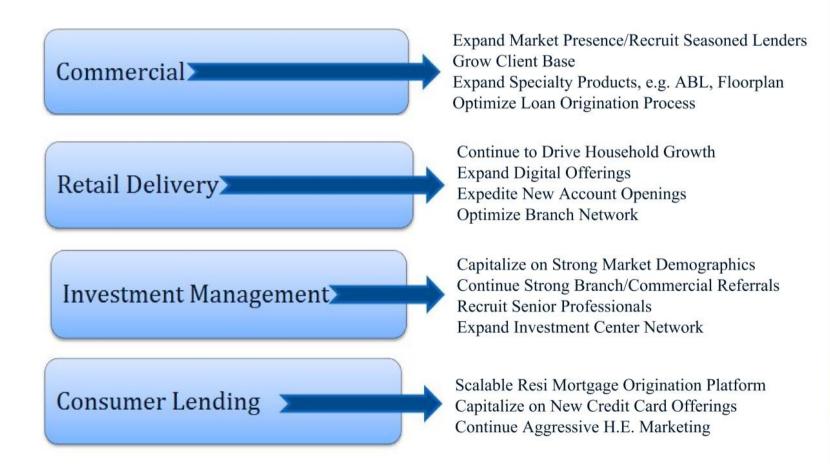
Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence

- Per FactSet; closing price as of 4/21/2021; Total return defined as stock appreciation inclusive of reinvestment of dividends into new shares
- CAGR based on INDB most recent quarter EPS and TBV per share as of 3/31/21
- Does not include purchase accounting adjustments or balance sheet restructure

## Sustaining Business Momentum

#### **Business Line**

## Focal Points



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## Financial Performance - Strong Fundamentals

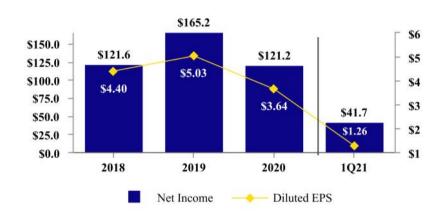
#### **Longer Term Trends**

- Robust loan/deposit originations
- · Strong core deposit base
- Low funding costs
- · Asset management growth
- · Powerful mortgage platform
- · Low credit loss rates
- Strong operating efficiency
- · Accretive acquisitions
- TBV steadily growing\*

#### 2020+ Factors

- Elevated loan loss provision; \$52.5MM in 2020
- Pressured net interest margin
- Lower fee income including July 1 Durbin impact
- · Weight of excess liquidity

#### Net Income (\$Mil)\*



#### Operating Earnings (\$Mil)\*\*

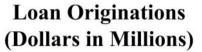


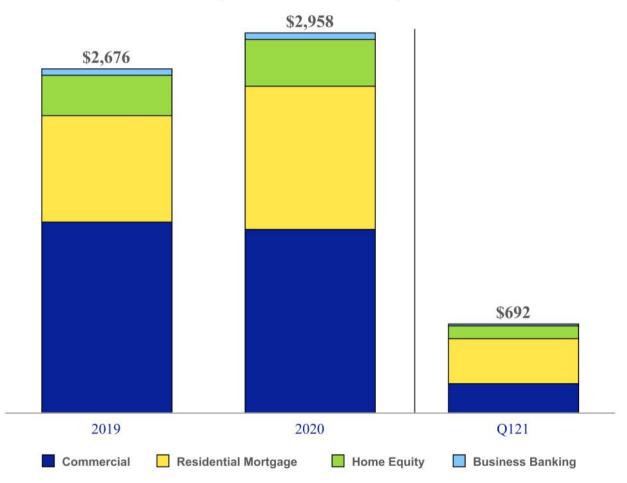
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<sup>\*</sup> See appendix A for reconciliation

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## Strong Business Volumes Despite Pandemic

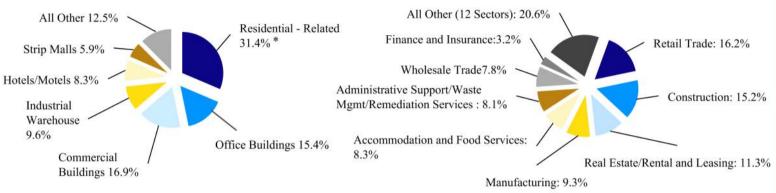




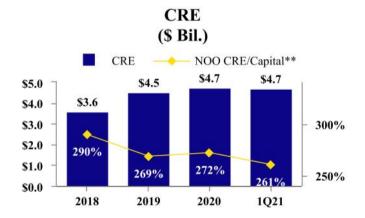
## Loan Portfolio - Commercial Diversification

#### Total Commercial Real Estate Portfolio \$4.7B as of 3/31/21

#### Total C&I Loan Portfolio\* \$2.1B as of 3/31/21

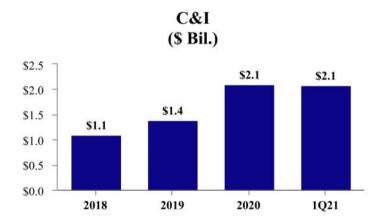


<sup>\*</sup>Includes 1-4 Family, multifamily, Condos and Approved Land



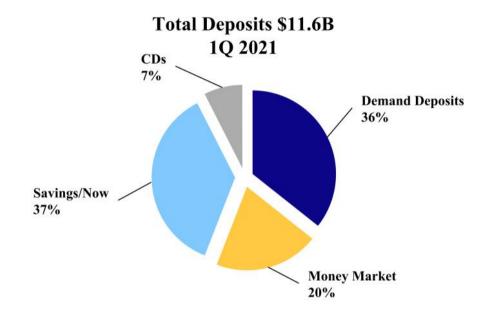
<sup>\*</sup>Inclusive of PPP

<sup>\*\*</sup>Non-Owner Occupied Commercial Real Estate divided by Total Capital



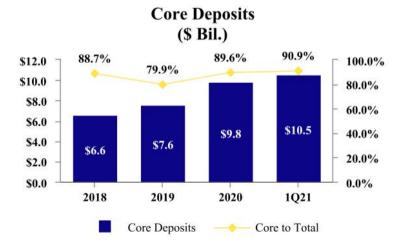
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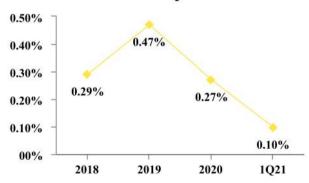
## Low Cost Deposit Base



- Sizable demand deposit component
- Record new checking account openings in 2020
- <1% of HH's are CD only
- · Valuable source of liquidity
- · Relationship-based approach
- · Expanded digital access
- Growing commercial base

**Cost of Deposits** 



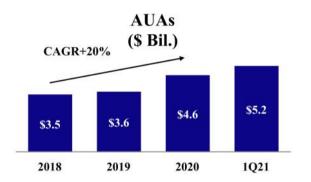


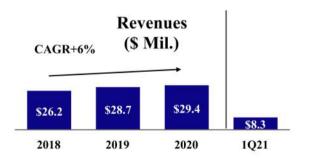
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# Investment Management: Transformed Into High Growth Business

#### **Longer Term Trends**

- · Successful business model
- Growing source of fee revenues
- Strong feeder business from Bank
- Expanding investment center locations
- · Adding experienced professionals
- Capitalizing on cross-sell opportunity in acquired bank markets





## COVID-19 Pandemic Action Steps

- Revised initial CECL assumptions
  - Leveraging Moody's economic forecasts
  - Added qualitative analyses of various exposures
- Granted relief to customers
  - Delayed payments, waived fees, etc.
- Enhanced credit monitoring of financial statements and cash flows
- Participant in PPP program
  - 2020: Processed over 6,100 loans for approximately \$800M
  - 2021: Received over 3,500 loans for approximately \$360M
     to date while still receiving more applications
- Branch strategy balancing customer access and employee safety

## Credit Review - Loan Deferrals

**Loan Modification Requests by Loan Category:** 

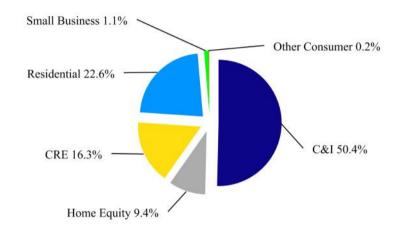
	Prin	ferral of ncipal and nterest	 Deferral of Principal Only		Deferral of Interest Only		Total Deferrals		tal Portfolio	% Deferral
					(Dollars i	n thou	isands)			
Commercial and industrial	\$	2,300	\$ 1,636	\$	1,765	\$	5,701	\$	2,086,671	0.3 %
Commercial real estate (1)		10,425	203,319		3 <del>- 3</del>		213,744		4,693,979	4.6 %
Business Banking		294	645		i—i		939		174,211	0.5 %
Residential real estate		87	-		:=:		87		1,241,789	— %
Home equity		153	.—		-		153		1,028,495	— %
Consumer		_	28 <u></u> 2		_				21,546	— %
Total active deferrals as of March 31, 2021	\$	13,259	\$ 205,600	\$	1,765	\$	220,624	\$	9,246,691	2.4 %

<sup>(1)</sup> Balances include commercial construction deferrals.

	March 31, 2	2021	
Deferrals by Industry	(Dollars in thous	sands)	
Highly Impacted Industries			
Accommodation	\$	163,073	
Food Services		698	
Other Services (except public administration)		1,013	
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation		31,126	
Total Highly Impacted Industries		195,910	
Other Industries			
Real Estate and Leasing		23,584	
Transportation and Warehousing		587	
All Other Industries		304	
Total Other Industries		24,475	
Consumer (residential, home equity and other)		239	
Grand Total	\$	220,624	

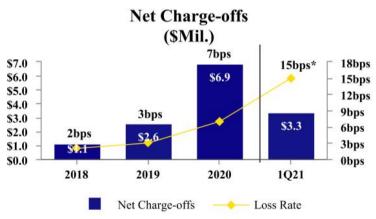
## Asset Quality: Well Managed

NPLs March 31, 2021



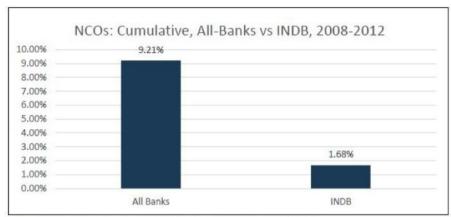
- · Disciplined underwriter
- Low loss rates
- High average FICOs and low average LTVs in consumer book
- Proactive identification and resolution of problem loans





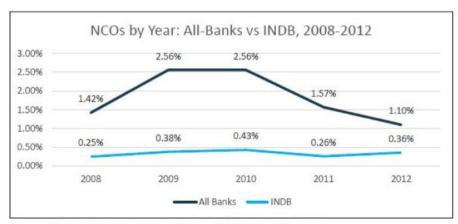
<sup>\*</sup> Annualized

## Asset Quality: A Look Back



Notes: Historical data presented is for all FDIC-insured banks.

Source: FDIC, Company Documents, Compass Point



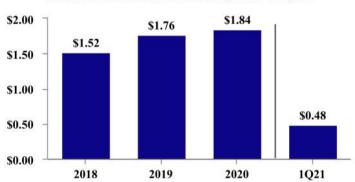
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Source: FDIC, Company Documents, Compass Point

- Strong credit results through prior financial crisis
- Experienced management and loan workout team
- Consistent and conservative credit philosophy

## **Strong Capital Position**





- · Strong internal capital generation
- · History of healthy dividend increases
- TBV rising even with multiple acquisitions
- · No storehousing of excess capital
- Completed 1.5 million share repurchase for \$95.1MM during 2020





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<sup>\*</sup> See appendix A for reconciliation

## **Near-Term Priorities**

- Preparing for EBSB closing and integration
- Fulfilling demand for current round of PPP
- Extending our presence in attractive Worcester market
- Branch optimization including select openings and closings
- Expansion of dealer floor-plan efforts
- Maximizing use of Salesforce platform
- Continued investment in digital/mobile technology
- Deepening of risk management programs
- Reassessment of physical workspace needs

## **INDB** Investment Merits

- High quality franchise in attractive markets
- Regained momentum following prior crises
- Consistent, strong financial performance
- Strong organic business volumes
- Growing brand recognition
- Leverageable operating platform
- Capitalizing on in-market consolidation opportunities
- Diligent stewards of shareholder capital
- Grounded management team

Positioned to grow, build and acquire to drive long-term value creation

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## Appendix A: Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Capital Metrics

The following table reconciles Book Value per share, which is a GAAP based measure to Tangible Book Value per share, which is a non-GAAP based measure. It also reconciles the ratio of Equity to Assets, which is a GAAP based measure, to Tangible Equity to Tangible Assets, a non-GAAP measure, for the dates indicated:

		2018	_	2019	_	2020		1Q21	_
Tangible common equity									
Stockholders' equity (GAAP)	\$	1,073,490	\$	1,708,143	\$	1,702,685	\$	1,715,371	(a)
Less: Goodwill and other intangibles		271,355		535,492		529,313		527,895	
Tangible common equity	-5	802,135		1,172,651		1,173,372	-	1,187,476	(b)
Tangible assets									
Assets (GAAP)		8,851,592		11,395,165		13,204,301		13,773,914	(c)
Less: Goodwill and other intangibles		271,355		535,492		529,313		527,895	
Tangible assets		8,580,237		10,859,673		12,674,988	100	13,246,019	(d)
Common shares		28,080,408		34,377,388		32,965,692		33,024,882	(e)
Common equity to assets ratio (GAAP)		12.13 %		14.99 %		12.89 %		12.45 %	% (a/c)
Tangible common equity to tangible assets ratio (Non-GAAP)		9.35 %		10.80 %		9.26 %		8.96 %	% (b/d)
Book Value per share (GAAP)	\$	38.23	\$	49.69	\$	51.65	\$	51.94	(a/e)
Tangible book value per share (Non-GAAP)	\$	28.57	\$	34.11	\$	35.59	\$	35.96	(b/e)

# Appendix B: Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Earnings Metrics

The following table reconciles net income and diluted EPS, which are GAAP measures, to operating earnings and diluted EPS on an operating basis, which are Non-GAAP Measures as of the time periods indicated:

	82	201	8			201	9		100	202	0			1Q2	1		
	100					(Dolla	rs in	thousand	ls, ex	cept per sha	re da	ata)				-	
Net income available to common shareholders (GAAP)	\$	121,622	\$	4.40	\$	165,175	\$	5.03	\$	121,167	\$	3.64	\$	41,711	\$	1.26	(a)
Non-GAAP adjustments																	
Noninterest income components																	
Gain on sale of loans		-		-		951		0.03						_		_	
Noninterest expense components																	
Loss on termination of derivatives				1-0		-		-		684		0.03		_		-	
Merger and acquisition expenses		11,168		0.40	_	26,433		0.80		-				<u> </u>			
Total impact of noncore items		11,168		0.4		25,482		0.77		684		0.03		=		_	
Less - net tax benefit associated with noncore items (1)		(2,967)		(0.11)		(6,686)		(0.20)		(192)		(0.01)		-		_	
Add - adjustment for tax effect of previously incurred merger and acquisition expense		-		_		650		0.02		_		_	A.	_		_	
Total tax impact		(2,967)		(0.11)		(6,036)		0.59		492		0.02	10	_			
Net operating earnings (Non-GAAP)	\$	129,823	S	4.69	S	184,621	\$	5.62	\$	121,659	\$	3.66	\$	41,711	\$	1.26	(b)
everage assets	\$	8,305,174			\$	10,875,297			\$ 1	12,605,611			\$ 1	3,375,654	(c)		
Average equity	\$	987,988			\$	1,521,921			\$	1,699,547			\$	1,713,372	(d)		
Return on average assets		1.46 %	6			1.52 %	ó			0.96 %	6			1.26 %	6 (a/(c	))	
Return on average assets on an operating basis		1.56 %	6			1.70 %	ó			0.97 %	6			1.26 %	6 (b)/(	c))	
Return on average common equity		12.31 %	6			10.85 %	ó			7.13 %	6			9.87 %	6 (a)/(	d))	
Return on average common equity on an operating basis		13.14 %	6			12.13 %	ó			7.16 %	6			9.87 %	6 (b)/(	d))	

<sup>(1)</sup> The net tax benefit associated with noncore items is determined by assessing whether each noncore item is included or excluded from net taxable income and applying the Company's combined marginal tax rate to only those items included in net taxable income.

### Credit Review - Potentially Impacted COVID-19 Industries

The table below provides total outstanding balances of commercial loans as of March 31, 2021 within industries that could potentially be more impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic:

#### **Highly Impacted COVID-19 Industries - Balances**

8 1		
	Mar	ch 31, 2021 (1)
	(Doll	ars in thousands)
Accommodations	\$	402,259
Food Services		135,480
Retail Trade		530,544
Other Services (except Public Administration)		147,968
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation		99,919
Total	\$	1,316,170

(1) Amounts presented above exclude \$222.9 million of processed PPP loans.

Accommodations	
Balance	\$ 402,259
Average borrower loan size	\$ 4,193
% secured by real estate	99.8 %
Weighted average loan to value	54.3 %

#### Other information:

- The accommodation portfolio consists of 68 properties representing a combination of flagged (59%) and non-flagged (41%) hotels, motels
  and inns.
- Loans secured by hotel properties deemed to be located in areas of leisure comprise \$167.5 million, or 42% of the hotel portfolio.
- Approximately 89% of the balances outstanding are secured by properties located within the six New England states with the largest concentration in Massachusetts (58%).

Food Services	
Balance	\$ 135,480
Average borrower loan size	\$ 363
% secured by real estate	69.4 %
Weighted average loan to value	50.4 %
Other information:	

The food services portfolio includes full-service restaurants (60%), limited service restaurants and fast food (38%), and other types of food service (caterers, bars, mobile food service 2%).

## Credit Review - Potentially Impacted COVID-19 Industries - Cont'd

Retail Trade	
Balance	\$ 530,544
Average borrower loan size	\$ 492
% secured by real estate	42.7 %
Weighted average loan to value	56.6 %
Other information:	

#### ther information:

- The retail trade portfolio consists broadly of food and beverage stores (43%), motor vehicle and parts dealers (28%), gasoline stations (14%), and all other retailers account for (15%).
- Collateral for these loans varies and may consist of real estate, motor vehicles inventories, other types of inventories and general business assets.

Other Services (except Public Administration)	"
Balance	\$ 147,968
Average borrower loan size	\$ 259
% secured by real estate	51.0 %
Weighted average loan to value	50.4 %

#### Other information:

The other services portfolio consists of various for-profit and not-for-profit services diversified across religious, civic and social service organizations (41%), repair and maintenance business (31%) and personal services, including car washes, beauty salons, laundry services, funeral homes, pet care and other types of services (28%).

Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	
Balance	\$ 99,919
Average borrower loan size	\$ 805
% secured by real estate	83.9 %
Weighted average loan to value	52.9 %
Other information	

Amusement, gambling and recreational industries make up a majority of this category (94%) and include amusement/theme parks, bowling centers, fitness centers, golf courses, marinas, and other recreational industries. Other industries including museums, performing arts, and spectator sports account for the remaining outstanding balances (6%).

## **NASDAQ Ticker: INDB**

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