

TowneBank Acquisition of Village Bank and Trust Financial Corp.

September 2024





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## **Enhancing Our Richmond Franchise**

## **Pro Forma Geographic Footprint** VBFC (9) Richmond, VA **#5** Market Share Attractive Richmond Triangle, NC 26 Competing Banks **Branch Density** #6 Market Share 36 Competing Banks **Hampton Roads** #1 Market Share 22 Competing Banks Greensboro, NC #16 Market Share 24 Competing Banks Charlotte, NC #11 Market Share 49 Competing Banks Greenville, NC **NE North Carolina** #8 Market Share **#8** Market Share 13 Competing Banks 13 Competing Banks

#### **Village Bank and Trust Overview**

- Established in December 1999 and headquartered in Midlothian, Virginia
- Operates through 9 retail branches primarily located in Richmond MSA
  - Twelve Fortune 1000 companies and Eight Fortune 500 companies headquartered in Richmond
  - 5 major colleges and universities located in Richmond and surrounding communities
- Excellent credit quality; limited historical charge offs
- Strong Net Interest Margin benefitting from core customer relationships

#### **Financial Highlights**

Dollars in millions	Q1-FY24	Q2-FY24
Assets	\$747	\$748
Net Loans	\$596	\$611
NPAs / Assets	0.04%	0.05%
Return on Average Assets	0.96%	0.88%
Return on Average Tangible Common Equity <sup>1</sup>	10.44%	9.57%
Net Interest Margin	3.70%	3.73%
Efficiency Ratio	70.4%	74.2%

(1) Non-GAAP financial measure - see non-GAAP reconciliations

Note: Deposit market share data as of June 30, 2023; Competing Banks' count excludes institutions with no deposits in stated market regardless of physical or other presence Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence; FDIC; Fortune; Greater Richmond Partnership

# **Transaction Highlights**

	Complementary community bank with success in operating markets well-known to TOWN				
Strategic Rationale	Completes Richmond franchise distribution network eliminating future de novo investment				
	Cash transaction preserves value of Towne Insurance				
	<ul> <li>Enhances TOWN's presence in the Richmond MSA with the addition of a very strong low-cost deposit base and excellent commercial lending teams</li> </ul>				
	• Significant <b>cultural alignment</b> , allowing TOWN to further its franchise value focused on a commitment to community banking				
	<ul> <li>Opportunity for revenue synergies and increased non-interest income through Towne Financial Services Group</li> </ul>				
	Consideration Mix: 100% cash				
	• Deal Price per Share: \$80.25				
Consideration	Transaction Value: \$120.0 million	Pricing For Similar Virginia Transactions <sup>2</sup>			
and Deal Value	Price / TBVPS: 171%	182%			
	Price to Forward Earnings: 14.9x	21.0X			
	• Price to Forward Earnings + Cost Saves¹: 7.9x	8.6x			
	Employment agreements in place for key personnel				
	Voting agreements in place with the board, executive officers and majority shareholder				
Execution	In-market transaction with conservative cost savings and purchase accounting adjustments				
	Proven and experienced acquirer				

• Well-capitalized post acquisition to support further growth

<sup>(1)</sup> Reflects fully phased-in cost savings after-tax

<sup>(2)</sup> Represents the average of Virginia M&A transactions since January 1, 2014 with deal value greater than \$50M, excluding merger of equals

# Strategically Compelling Opportunity to Deploy Capital

	VBFC Acquisition \$80.25 per Share	Equivalent Share Repurchase <sup>1</sup>	VBFC Acquisition vs. Share Repurchase
Capital Deployed	~1% of CET1 ~120mm Capital Deployed	~1% of CET1 ~\$120mm Capital Deployed	Neutral
2025E EPS	~6% Accretive	~3% Accretive	✓ Significantly More Earnings Accretion
Efficiency Ratio	~80 bps Improvement	No Improvement	<b>√</b> Improves Efficiency
Strategic Rationale	Improves Longer-Term Competitive Position	Normalize Capital Ratios	Enhances Franchise Value
Timing of Capital Deployment	1H 2025	1H 2025 <sup>2</sup>	Similar Timing of Capital Deployment

<sup>(1)</sup> Illustratively assumes shares are repurchased at current price of \$34.19 as of September 20, 2024 (2) Assumes TOWN is 15% of daily trading volume each day



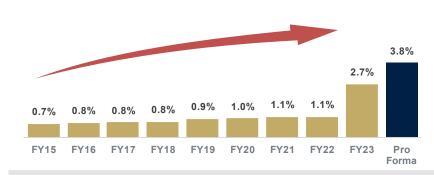
# Deeper Penetration in the Attractive Richmond MSA

#### **Richmond MSA Market Position**

As of June	30, 2023			Deposits	Mkt.	Average
Rank	Institution	VA HQ	Branches (#)	in Market (\$000)	Share (%)	Branch Size (\$000)
1	Bank of America Corp.		17	23,787,293	43.4	1,399,253
2	Truist Financial Corp.		43	9,191,157	16.8	213,748
3	Wells Fargo & Co.		40	8,121,782	14.8	203,045
4	Atlantic Union Bkshs Corp.	$\checkmark$	21	5,331,003	9.7	253,857
	Pro Forma		17	2,085,819	3.8	122,695
5	TowneBank	✓		1,465,643	2.7	162,849
6	C&F Financial Corp.	$\checkmark$	15	1,329,950	2.4	88,663
7	Primis Financial Corp.	$\checkmark$	10	851,770	1.6	85,177
8	United Bankshares Inc.		12	733,180	1.3	61,098
9	Village Bank & Tr Finl Corp.	✓		620,176	1.1	77,522
10	SouthState Corp.		6	535,520	1.0	89,253
	All Other Institutions		82	2,843,906	5.2	34,682
	Market Totals		263	54,811,380		

Note: Deposit market share data as of June 30 for each respective year shown Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence; FDIC; U.S. Census Bureau

#### **Enhancing Our Growing Presence in Richmond**



#### **Richmond Demographic Highlights**

- Total Population: 1,359,801
- Proj. Pop. Growth ('24-'29): 4.8%
  - o Nationwide: 2.4%
- Median HH Income: \$81,777
  - o Nationwide: \$75,874



# Comprehensive Due Diligence

- · Coordinated comprehensive due diligence review with executives from TOWN & VBFC, along with advisors & lawyers
- Modest loan portfolio size with detailed credit review completed by internal team
- Long standing relationship among key principals with significant market knowledge and an emphasis on cultural fit between the two companies

## **Scope of Loan Review Process**

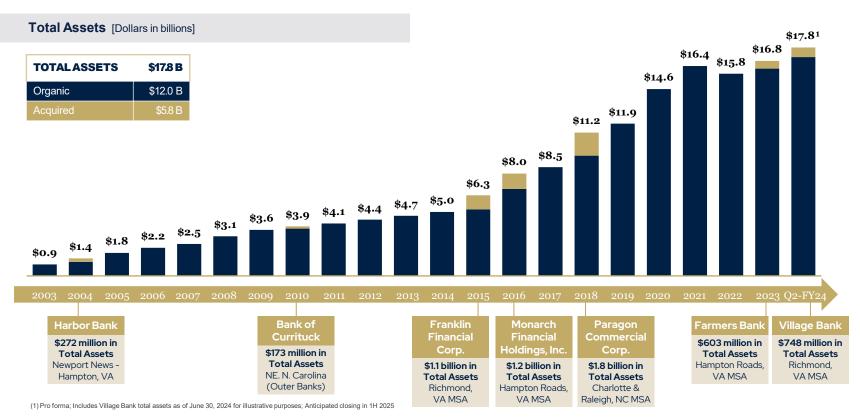
**Comprehensive Loan Review Analysis** 

#### ~50% of total loan portfolio reviewed

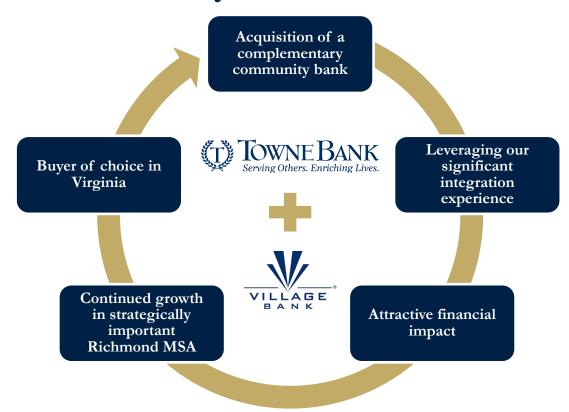
- Cross-section analysis of the loan portfolio's performance; review of loan terms and structure; and borrower's continued ability to service their debt
- · Additional focus on underwriting standards and credit culture
- All Special Mention, Substandard and Non-Accrual loans
- All significant relationships
- Random sampling of select loan classes



## Disciplined Acquirer and Experienced Integrator



## **Transaction Summary**





# Appendix

## **TOWN**

#### **VBFC**

Multifamily

#### PRO FORMA<sup>1</sup>

1-4 Family

16.4%

\$12.1B

Other

4.3%

Consumer

9.1%

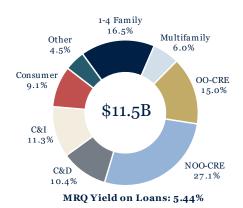
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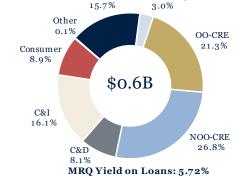
Multifamily

5.8%

OO-CRE

15.3%

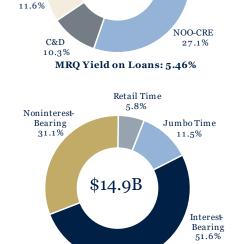




1-4 Family







(1) Pro Forma composition is exclusive of purchase accounting adjustments; Pro Forma totals may not sum due to rounding Note: Financial data as of June 30, 2024; Loan and deposit composition reflects Call Report data

Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence

MRQ Cost of Deposits: 2.28%

## Non-GAAP Reconciliations

## **Return on Average Tangible Common Equity of VBFC**

	QTD	
Dollars in millions	Q1-FY24	Q2-FY24
Average Shareholder's Equity	\$67.9	\$69.1
Less: Average Preferred Stock		
Less: Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets		
Average Tangible Common Equity	\$67.9	\$69.1
Net Income Available to Common Shareholders	\$1.8	\$1.7
Return on Average Tangible Common Equity	10.44%	9.57%



Member FDIC