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#### Horizon Bancorp, Inc. Announces Record Earnings for 2022

Michigan City, Indiana, January 25, 2023 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) — (NASDAQ GS: HBNC) — Horizon Bancorp, Inc. ("Horizon" or the "Company") announced its unaudited financial results for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2022.

"Horizon closed 2022 with record annual earnings reflecting continued strong growth in commercial and consumer loans through the fourth quarter, solid asset quality metrics and continued disciplined expense management," Chairman and CEO Craig M. Dwight said. "We have continued to produce consistent and strong returns with ROAA of 1.24% and ROATE of 18.33% for 2022. As we enter 2023, we believe we are well–positioned with talent, technology and solid pipelines to continue to support our loan growth goals for the year, and focus on reinvesting our cash flows into higher yielding assets. Our well diversified balance sheet and low credit risk profile has performed well through previous economic cycles and, given the strong markets we operate in, we expect similar performance throughout the current economic cycle."

### Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2022 Highlights

- Return on average assets ("ROAA") was 1.24% for the year ended 2022.
- Return on average tangible equity was 18.33% for the year ended 2022.
- Total loans grew 13.4% year–to–date and 12.8% annualized during the fourth quarter.
- Commercial loans grew to a record \$2.42 billion, up 13.4% year-to-date and 10.8% annualized during the fourth quarter.
- Consumer loans grew to a record \$967.8 million, up 30.6% year-to-date and 21.0% annualized during the fourth quarter.
- Asset quality remained solid with total loan delinquency at 0.26% of total loans, net charge—offs to average loans of 0.01% and non—performing loans to total loans at 0.52%.
- Total deposits remained strong increasing \$26.9 million during the quarter at an average cost of 71 basis points and \$54.8 million year—to—date at an average cost of 30 basis points.
- Fourth quarter net interest income of \$48.8 million to \$51.9 million for the previous quarter. Lower loan fees, less purchase accounting accretion and higher dealer reserve amortization represented \$2.2 million of this decrease.

- An accounting revision was made to amounts reported in previously issued financial statements covering the third quarter of 2022 related to immaterial errors discovered in the fourth quarter of 2022. The errors relate to the inclusion of the dealer reserve amortization expense in loan expense in non–interest expenses for the third quarter of 2022 rather than loan interest income. The previously issued financial statements for the three and nine months dated September 30, 2022 have been revised to correct this error, which resulted in lowering both interest income and non–interest expense by \$1.5 million for the quarter and lowering net interest margin by ten basis points from the historical presentation of these amounts (See Exhibit 1 Revision of Previously Issued Financial Statements for details). All periods presented reflect this adjustment, and there was no impact to net income.
- Non-interest income increased by 4.8% from \$10.2 million to \$10.7 million from the third quarter to the fourth quarter of 2022.
- Non-interest expense was \$35.7 million in the quarter, or 1.84% of average assets on an annualized basis, compared to \$36.8 million, or 1.91%, in the third quarter of 2022. Year-to-date non-interest expense continued to be well managed at \$143.2 million, or 1.90% of average assets.
- Net income totaled \$21.2 million, compared to \$23.8 million in the third quarter and \$21.4 million in the prior year period. Diluted earnings per share ("EPS") was \$0.48 compared to \$0.55 for the third quarter of 2022 and \$0.49 for the fourth quarter of 2021.
- The Bank's capital position continues to be robust with leverage and risk based capital ratios of 9.55% and 13.59%, respectively. The annualized dividend yield was 4.24% as of December 31, 2022.

### **Summary**

		For the Three Months Ended						
		December 31, S				ecember 31,		
Net Interest Income and Net Interest Margin		2022		2022		2021		
Net interest income	\$	48,782	\$	51,861	\$	48,477		
Net interest margin		2.85 %	, D	3.04 %	, D	2.87 %		
Adjusted net interest margin		2.83 %	, D	2.99 %	, D	2.77 %		

"Horizon's net interest income of approximately \$48.8 million in the fourth quarter was a reduction from the third quarter due to rapidly rising short term interest rates, some lag in repricing adjustable rate loans and lower fee and non–interest related income. In addition, Horizon's deposit betas increased at a faster pace in the fourth quarter due to the magnitude and velocity of the Federal Reserve Bank's Open Market Committee raising the targeted federal funds rate. We expect funding costs to stabilize in 2023 as the Federal Reserve Bank tempers the velocity of future rate increases," Mr. Dwight commented.

	For the Three Months Ended							
	December 3	31,	September 30,	Decer	mber 31,			
Asset Yields and Funding Costs	2022	2022	2021					
Interest earning assets	3.	88 %	3.58 %		3.11 %			
Interest bearing liabilities	1.:	29 %	0.69 %		0.31 %			
	For the Three Months Ende							
Non-interest Income and	December 3	31,	September 30,	Decer	mber 31,			
Mortgage Banking Income	2022		2022	2	021			
Total non-interest income	\$ 10	,674	\$ 10,188	\$	12,828			
Gain on sale of mortgage loans	1	,196	1,441		4,167			
Mortgage servicing income net of impairment		637	355		300			

(43)

(657)

(981) \$

(619) \$

12

(158) \$

(1,122) \$

2,746

(4)

717

(1,778) \$

(769) \$

1,059

8,596

54,286

9,097

1.48 %

For the Three Months Ended

						Decembe	r 31,	Septe	ember 30,	ı	December 31,	
Non-interest Expense						2022			2022		2021	
Total non-interest expense						\$ 35	,711	\$	36,816	\$	37,871	
Annualized non-interest expense to av	erag	e assets					1.84 %	, 0	1.91 %		2.01 %	
					_		For	the Thre	e Months En	de	d	
						Decembe	r 31,	Septe	ember 30,	ı	December 31,	
Credit Quality						2022			2022		2021	
Allowance for credit losses to total loan	S						1.21 %	, 0	1.27 %		1.48 %	
Non-performing loans to total loans							0.52 %	ó	0.47 %		0.52 %	
Percent of net charge-offs to average I	oans	outstanding	for t	he period			0.01 %	, o	0.00 %		0.04 %	
Allowance for	De	cember 31,	_			Net Re	eserve			_	December 31,	
Credit Losses		2022		4Q22		3Q22	2	Q22	1Q22		2021	
Commercial	\$	32,445	\$	(1,361)	\$	(996)	\$	(2,987)	\$ (2,98	6)	\$ 40,775	
Retail Mortgage		5,577		440		715		71	49	5	3,856	

(4)

20

(905) \$

(308) \$

1,020

11,422

50,464

6,279

1.21 %

\$

\$

\$

Warehouse

Consumer

ACL / Total Loans

Allowance for Credit Losses ("ACL")

Acquired Loan Discount ("ALD")

<sup>&</sup>quot;We continued to report solid asset quality metrics, including low net charge-offs and modest levels of non-performing loans to total loans. Asset quality continued to remain a hallmark of our franchise and a credit to our seasoned loan underwriters", said Mr. Dwight.

#### Exhibit 1 – Revision of Previously Issued Financial Statements

We have revised amounts reported in previously issued financial statements for our third quarter 2022 results reflected in this press release related to immaterial errors. Subsequent to the third quarter of 2022, the Company's management determined that the dealer reserve amortization expense was incorrectly included in loan expense in non–interest expenses rather than loan interest income. In addition, the dealer reserve asset was incorrectly included with other assets on the balance sheet rather than included with loans. As a result, loan interest income for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022 has been revised to include dealer reserve amortization expense, and we have reversed the impact of the inclusion of the dealer reserve amortization expense in loan expenses for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022 and for all other prior periods presented. This revision for the third quarter reduced both loan interest income and loan expense by \$1.5 million, and lowered the net interest margin by ten basis points from the amounts previously reported in the interim condensed consolidated statements of income for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022. Our financial statements for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021 set forth in this press release reflect the inclusion of the dealer reserve amortization expense in loan interest income for those periods.

We evaluated the aggregate effects of the errors to our previously issued financial statements in accordance with SEC Staff Accounting Bulletins No. 99 and No. 108 and, based upon quantitative and qualitative factors, determined that the errors were not material to the previously issued financial statements and disclosures included in our Quarterly Reports on Form 10–Q for the quarterly period ended September 30, 2022.

	Three Months Ended										
		De	cember 31,				ecember 31,	_			
	2022			2021							
	Without Dealer Reserve Change		Dealer Reserve Change	Actual	Pre Revision		Revision	Post Revision			
Balance Sheet											
Loans, net of allowance for credit losses	\$ 4,089,370	\$	18,164	\$4,107,534	\$3,590,331	\$	13,917	\$ 3,604,248			
Other assets	157,445		(18,164)	139,281	80,753		(13,917)	66,836			
Total assets	7,872,518		_	7,872,518	7,411,889		_	7,411,889			
Income Statement											
Interest income	69,211		(2,024)	67,187	54,118		(1,499)	52,619			
Net interest income	50,806		(2,024)	48,782	49,976		(1,499)	48,477			
Non-interest expense	37,735		(2,024)	35,711	39,370		(1,499)	37,871			
Net income	21,165		_	21,165	21,425		_	21,425			
Average Balance Sheet											
Loans	4,019,744		18,912	4,038,656	3,630,896		13,792	3,644,688			
Interest earning assets	7,073,068		18,912	7,091,980	6,938,258		13,792	6,952,050			
Other assets	599,786		(18,912)	580,874	477,352		(13,792)	463,560			
Total assets	\$ 7,718,366	\$	_	\$7,718,366	\$7,461,343	\$	_	\$ 7,461,343			
Other Financial Information											
Average rate on loans	5.22 %	)	(0.20)%	5.02 %	4.52 %		(0.18)%	4.34 %			
Average rate on interest earning assets	4.01		(0.13)	3.88	3.20		(0.09)	3.11			
Net interest spread	2.72		(0.13)	2.59	2.89		(0.09)	2.80			
Net interest margin	2.97		(0.12)	2.85	2.97		(0.10)	2.87			
Efficiency ratio	61.38		(1.32)	60.06	62.69		(0.92)	61.77			
Non–interest expense to average assets	1.94 %	)	(0.10)%	1.84 %	2.09 %		(0.08)%	2.01 %			

				Twelve Mor	nths Ended						
		December 31, December 31,									
	2022			2021							
	Without Dealer Reserve Change		Dealer Reserve Change	Actual	Pre Revision		Revision	Post Revision			
Balance Sheet											
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Other assets	157,445		(18,164)	139,281	80,753		(13,917)	66,836			
Total assets	7,872,518		_	7,872,518	7,411,889		_	7,411,889			
Income Statement											
Interest income	241,895		(5,862)	236,033	199,995		(5,885)	194,110			
Net interest income	205,380		(5,862)	199,518	181,690		(5,885)	175,805			
Non-interest expense	149,063		(5,862)	143,201	139,279		(5,885)	133,394			
Net income	93,408		_	93,408	87,091		_	87,091			
Average Balance Sheet											
Loans	3,828,090		17,047	3,845,137	3,626,033		13,421	3,639,454			
Interest earning assets	6,960,360		17,047	6,977,407	6,021,740		13,421	6,035,161			
Other assets	526,276		(17,047)	509,229	459,316		(13,421)	445,895			
Total assets	\$ 7,533,915	\$	_	\$7,533,915	\$6,514,251			\$ 6,514,251			
Other Financial Information											
Average rate on loans	4.70 %	6	(0.17)%	4.53 %	4.47 %		(0.17)%	4.30 %			
Average rate on interest earning assets	3.60		(0.10)	3.50	3.43		(0.10)	3.33			
Net interest spread	2.93		(0.10)	2.83	3.03		(0.10)	2.93			
Net interest margin	3.07		(0.09)	2.98	3.13		(0.10)	3.03			
Efficiency ratio	58.96		(0.98)	57.98	58.12		(1.05)	57.07			
Non-interest expense to average assets	1.98 %	6	(0.08)%	1.90 %	2.14 %		(0.09)%	2.05 %			

#### **Income Statement**

Net income for the fourth quarter of 2022 was \$21.2 million, or \$0.48 diluted earnings per share, compared to \$23.8 million, or \$0.55, for the linked quarter and \$21.4 million, or \$0.49, for the prior year period.

The change in net income for the fourth quarter of 2022 when compared to the third quarter of 2022 reflects an increase in non–interest income of \$486,000 and a decrease in non–interest expense of \$1.1 million, offset by a decrease in net interest income of \$3.1 million and an increase in credit loss expense of \$532,000.

Non–interest expense of \$35.7 million in the fourth quarter of 2022 reflected a \$635,000 decrease in salaries and employee benefits, a \$400,000 decrease in other expense, a \$282,000 decrease in FDIC insurance expense and a \$280,000 decrease in other losses, offset by a \$345,000 increase in data processing expense and a \$142,000 increase in professional fees from the linked guarter.

Net income for the fourth quarter of 2022 when compared to the same prior year period reflects a decrease in non–interest income of \$2.2 million and an increase in credit loss expense of \$2.0 million, offset by a decrease in non–interest expense of \$2.2 million, a decrease in income tax expense of \$1.4 million and an increase in net interest income of \$305,000.

Net income for the year ended December 31, 2022 was \$93.4 million, or \$2.14 diluted earnings per share, compared to \$87.1 million, or \$1.98 diluted earnings per share, for the year ended December 31, 2021. Adjusted net income for the year ended December 31, 2022 was \$92.8 million, or \$2.13 diluted earnings per share, compared to \$88.6 million, or \$2.00 diluted earnings per share, for the year ended December 31, 2021. The increase in net income for the year ended December 31, 2022 when compared to the same prior year period reflects an increase in net interest income of \$23.7 million and a decrease in income tax expense of \$3.2 million, offset by an increase in non—interest expense of \$9.8 million, a decrease in non—interest income of \$10.5 million and an increase in credit loss expense of \$268,000.

#### **Net Interest Margin**

Horizon's net interest margin was 2.85% for the fourth quarter of 2022 compared to 3.04% for the third quarter. The decrease in net interest margin reflects an increase in the cost of interest bearing liabilities of 60 basis points, offset by an increase in the yield on interest earning assets of 42 basis points. Additionally, interest income from acquisition—related purchase accounting adjustments was \$475,000 lower during the fourth quarter of 2022 when compared to the third quarter of 2022.

Horizon's net interest margin decreased to 2.98% for the year ended December 31, 2022 compared to 3.03% for the same prior year period. The decrease in net interest margin reflects an increase in the cost of interest bearing liabilities of 27 basis points, offset by an increase in the yield on interest earning assets of 28 basis points.

Net interest margin, excluding acquisition-related purchase accounting adjustments ("adjusted net interest margin"), was 2.83% for the fourth quarter of 2022, compared to 2.99% for the linked quarter and 2.77% for the fourth quarter of 2021. Interest income from acquisition-related purchase accounting adjustments was \$431,000, \$906,000 and \$1.8 million for the three months ended December 31, 2022, September 30, 2022 and December 31, 2021, respectively.

The adjusted net interest margin was 2.93% for the year ended December 31, 2022 compared to 2.96% for the same prior year period. Interest income from acquisition–related purchase accounting adjustments was \$3.5 million and \$4.5 million for the year ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

### **Lending Activity**

Total loan balances were \$4.16 billion, or \$4.11 billion excluding PPP loans and sold commercial participation loans, on December 31, 2022 compared to \$4.03 billion, or \$3.98 billion excluding PPP loans and sold commercial participation loans, on September 30, 2022. During the three months ended December 31, 2022, commercial loans, excluding PPP loans and sold commercial participation loans, increased \$63.8 million, consumer loans increased \$48.6 million, residential mortgage loans increased \$18.4 million, and loans held for sale increased \$4.0 million, offset by a decrease in mortgage warehouse loans of \$4.2 million.

#### Loan Growth by Type

(Dollars in Thousands, Unaudited)

	De	December 31,		ptember 30,	QTD	QTD	Annualized
		2022		2022	\$ Change	% Change	% Change
Commercial, excluding PPP loans and sold commercial participation loans	\$	2,416,249	\$	2,352,446	\$ 63,803	2.7%	10.8%
PPP loans		217		315	(98)	(31.1)%	(123.4)%
Sold commercial participation loans		50,956		50,982	(26)	(0.1)%	(0.2)%
Residential mortgage		653,292		634,901	18,391	2.9%	11.5%
Consumer		967,755		919,198	 48,557	5.3%	21.0%
Subtotal		4,088,469		3,957,842	130,627	3.3%	13.1%
Loans held for sale		5,807		1,852	3,955	213.6%	847.2%
Mortgage warehouse		69,529		73,690	 (4,161)	(5.6)%	(22.4)%
Total loans	\$	4,163,805	\$	4,033,384	\$ 130,421	3.2%	12.8%
Total loans, excluding PPP loans and sold commercial participation loans	\$	4,112,632	\$	3,982,087	\$ 130,545	3.3%	13.0%

#### Loan Growth by Type

(Dollars in Thousands, Unaudited)

	De	ecember 31, 2022	De	ecember 31, 2021	\$ YTD Change	YTD % Change
Commercial, excluding PPP loans and sold commercial participation loans	\$	2,416,249	\$	2,131,644	\$ 284,605	13.4%
PPP loans Sold commercial participation loans		217 50,956		25,844 56,457	(25,627) (5,501)	(99.2)% (9.7)%
Residential mortgage Consumer		653,292 967,755		594,382 741,176	58,910 226,579	9.9% 30.6%
Subtotal		4,088,469		3,549,503	538,966	15.2%
Loans held for sale  Mortgage warehouse		5,807 69,529		12,579 109,031	(6,772) (39,502)	(53.8)% (36.2)%
Total loans	\$	4,163,805	\$	3,671,113	\$ 492,692	13.4%
Total loans, excluding PPP loans and sold commercial participation loans	\$	4,112,632	\$	3,588,812	\$ 523,820	14.6%

Residential mortgage lending activity for the three months ended December 31, 2022 generated \$1.2 million in income from the gain on sale of mortgage loans, decreasing \$245,000 from the third quarter of 2022 and decreasing \$3.0 million from the fourth quarter of 2021. Total mortgage origination volume for the fourth quarter of 2022, including loans placed into the portfolio, totaled \$62.3 million, representing a decrease of 43.8% from third quarter 2022 levels, and a decrease of 58.6% from the fourth quarter of 2021. As a percentage of total mortgage loan originations, 8% of the volume was from refinancing and 92% was from new purchases during the fourth quarter of 2022. Total origination volume of loans sold to the secondary market totaled \$23.0 million, compared to \$50.2 million in the third quarter.

Gain on sale of mortgage loans and mortgage warehousing income was 3.2% of total revenue for the three months ended December 31, 2022, compared to 3.8% for the linked quarter and 8.8% for the three months ended December 31, 2021.

### **Deposit Activity**

Total deposit balances of \$5.86 billion on December 31, 2022 increased 0.5% compared to \$5.83 billion on September 30, 2022, or 1.8% annualized.

#### **Deposit Growth by Type**

(Dollars in Thousands, Unaudited)

	December 31,		September 30,		QTD	QTD	Annualized
		2022		2022	 \$ Change	% Change	% Change
Non-interest bearing	\$	1,277,768	\$	1,315,155	\$ (37,387)	(2.8)%	(11.3)%
Interest bearing		3,582,891		3,736,798	(153,907)	(4.1)%	(16.3)%
Time deposits		997,115		778,885	 218,230	28.0%	111.2%
Total deposits	\$	5,857,774	\$	5,830,838	\$ 26,936	0.5%	1.8%

Total deposit balances of \$5.86 billion on December 31, 2022 increased 0.9% compared to \$5.80 billion on December 31, 2021.

#### **Deposit Growth by Type**

(Dollars in Thousands, Unaudited)

	December 31,		December 31,		YTD		YTD
		2022		2021		Change	% Change
Non-interest bearing	\$	1,277,768	\$	1,360,338	\$	(82,570)	(6.1)%
Interest bearing		3,582,891		3,711,767		(128,876)	(3.5)%
Time deposits		997,115		730,886		266,229	36.4%
Total deposits	\$	5,857,774	\$	5,802,991	\$	54,783	0.9%

#### **Expense Management**

#### Non-Interest Expense

(Dollars in Thousands, Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended								
	De	cember 31,	Se	eptember 30,		QTD	QTD		
Non-interest Expense		2022		2022		\$ Change	% Change		
Salaries and employee benefits	\$	19,978	\$	20,613	\$	(635)	(3.1)%		
Net occupancy expenses		3,279		3,293		(14)	(0.4)%		
Data processing		2,884		2,539		345	13.6%		
Professional fees		694		552		142	25.7%		
Outside services and consultants		2,985		2,855		130	4.6%		
Loan expense		1,281		1,392		(111)	(8.0)%		
FDIC insurance expense		388		670		(282)	(42.1)%		
Other losses		118		398		(280)	(70.4)%		
Other expense		4,104		4,504		(400)	(8.9)%		
Total non-interest expense	\$	35,711	\$	36,816	\$	(1,105)	(3.0)%		
Annualized non-interest expense to average assets		1.84 %		1.91 %					

Total non–interest expense was \$1.1 million lower in the fourth quarter of 2022 when compared to the third quarter of 2022. The decrease in expenses was primarily due to a decrease in salaries and employee benefits of \$635,000 from lower commissions and health care costs, a decrease in other expense of \$400,000, a decrease in FDIC insurance expense of \$282,000 and a decrease in other losses of \$280,000, offset by an increase in data processing of \$345,000 and professional fees of \$142,000.

#### Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Non-Interest Expense

(Dollars in Thousands, Unaudited)

#### **Three Months Ended**

		December 31	,		December 31				
		2022			2021		Adjusted		
Non–interest Expense	Actual	Acquisition & Non– Recurring Expenses	Adjusted	Actual	Acquisition & Non– Recurring Expenses	Adjusted	Amount Change	Percent Change	
Salaries and employee benefits	\$ 19,978	\$ —	\$ 19,978	\$ 20,549	\$ (202)	\$ 20,347	\$ (369)	(1.8)%	
Net occupancy expenses	3,279	_	3,279	3,204	_	3,204	75	2.3%	
Data processing	2,884	_	2,884	2,672	(1)	2,671	213	8.0%	
Professional fees	694	_	694	562	(45)	517	177	34.2%	
Outside services and consultants	2,985	_	2,985	2,197	(162)	2,035	950	46.7%	
Loan expense	1,281	_	1,281	1,304	(83)	1,221	60	4.9%	
FDIC insurance expense	388	_	388	798	(6)	792	(404)	(51.0)%	
Other losses	118	_	118	1,925	(1,904)	21	97	461.9%	
Other expense	4,104		4,104	4,660	(381)	4,279	(175)	(4.1)%	
Total non-interest expense	\$ 35,711	<u>\$</u>	\$ 35,711	\$ 37,871	\$ (2,784)	\$ 35,087	\$ 624	1.8%	
Annualized non–interest expense to average assets	1.84 %		1.84 %	2.01 %		1.87 %			

Total adjusted non–interest expense was \$624,000 higher in the fourth quarter of 2022 when compared to the fourth quarter of 2021. The increase in expenses was primarily due to an increase in outside services and consultants of \$950,000 and an increase in data processing of \$213,000, offset by a decrease in salaries and employee benefits of \$369,000, a decrease in FDIC insurance expense of \$404,000 and a decrease in other expense of \$175,000.

#### Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Non-Interest Expense

(Dollars in Thousands, Unaudited)

Twelve Mor	nths	<b>Ended</b>
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		Decembe	er 31,	ı		Dece	mber 31,				_
		2022	2			:	2021			Adjus	ted
Non–interest Expense	Actual	Acquis & Non Recuri Expen	_ ring	Adjusted	Actual	Re	quisition & Non– curring penses	Adjusted	-	Amount Change	Percent Change
Salaries and employee benefits	\$ 80,283	\$	_	\$ 80,283	\$ 74,051	\$	(227)	\$ 73,824	\$	6,459	8.7%
Net occupancy expenses	13,323		_	13,323	12,541		(13)	12,528		795	6.3%
Data processing	10,567		_	10,567	9,962		(18)	9,944		623	6.3%
Professional fees	1,843		_	1,843	2,216		(149)	2,067		(224)	(10.8)%
Outside services and consultants	10,850		_	10,850	8,449		(750)	7,699		3,151	40.9%
Loan expense	5,411		_	5,411	5,492		(83)	5,409		2	—%
FDIC insurance expense	2,558		_	2,558	2,377		(6)	2,371		187	7.9%
Other losses	1,046		_	1,046	2,283		(5)	2,278		(1,232)	(54.1)%
Other expense	17,320			17,320	16,023		(2,574)	13,449		3,871	28.8%
Total non-interest expense	\$143,201	\$		\$143,201	\$133,394	\$	(3,825)	\$129,569	\$	13,632	10.5%
Annualized non–interest expense to average assets	1.90 %			1.90 %	2.05 %			1.99 %			

Total adjusted non-interest expense was \$13.6 million higher for the year ended December 31, 2022 when compared to the same prior year period. The year-over-increase was due to increases in salaries and employee benefits, outside services and consultants, other expense, net occupancy expenses and data processing, offset by a decrease in other losses.

Annualized non–interest expense as a percent of average assets was 1.84%, 1.91% and 2.01% for the three months ended December 31, 2022, September 30, 2022 and December 31, 2021, respectively. Annualized non–interest expense, excluding acquisition expenses and non–recurring ESOP settlement expenses, as a percent of average assets was 1.84%, 1.91% and 1.87% for the three months ended December 31, 2022, September 30, 2022 and December 31, 2021, respectively.

Annualized non-interest expense as a percent of average assets was 1.90% and 2.05% for the year ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. Annualized non-interest expense, excluding acquisition expenses and non-recurring ESOP settlement expenses, as a percentage of average assets was 1.90% and 1.99% for the year ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

Income tax expense totaled \$2.6 million for the fourth quarter of 2022, \$2.0 million for the third quarters of 2022 and \$4.1 million for the fourth quarter of 2021.

Income tax expense totaled \$12.2 million for the year ended December 31, 2022, a decrease of \$3.2 million when compared to the year ended December 31, 2021. The decrease in income tax expense was primarily due to an increase income tax credits received during 2022.

### Capital

The capital resources of the Company and the Bank exceeded regulatory capital ratios for "well capitalized" banks at December 31, 2022. Stockholders' equity totaled \$677.4 million at December 31, 2022 and the ratio of average stockholders' equity to average assets was 9.07% for the twelve months ended December 31, 2022.

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The following table presents the actual regulatory capital dollar amounts and ratios of the Company and the Bank as of December 31, 2022.

	Actu	ıal	Required for Adequacy		Required for Adequacy I with Capital	Purposes	Well Capi Under P Corrective Provisi	rompt Action
	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio
Total capital (to risk– weighted assets)								
Consolidated	\$ 782,705	14.48 %	\$ 432,525	8.00 %	\$ 567,688	10.50 %	N/A	N/A
Bank	734,578	13.59 %	432,413	8.00 %	567,542	10.50 %	\$ 540,516	10.00 %
Tier 1 capital (to risk– weighted assets)								
Consolidated	736,150	13.62 %	324,393	6.00 %	459,557	8.50 %	N/A	N/A
Bank	686,069	12.69 %	324,310	6.00 %	459,439	8.50 %	432,413	8.00 %
Common equity tier 1 capital (to risk–weighted assets)								
Consolidated	616,231	11.40 %	243,295	4.50 %	378,459	7.00 %	N/A	N/A
Bank	686,069	12.69 %	243,232	4.50 %	378,361	7.00 %	351,336	6.50 %
Tier 1 capital (to average assets)								
Consolidated	736,150	10.23 %	287,867	4.00 %	287,867	4.00 %	N/A	N/A
Bank	686,069	9.55 %	287,262	4.00 %	287,262	4.00 %	359,077	5.00 %

Tangible book value per common share ("TBVPS") declined \$0.99 during the twelve months ended December 31, 2022 to \$11.59, as unrealized net losses on securities available for sale ("AFS") of \$2.71 per common share, reduced accumulated other comprehensive income ("AOCI") by \$118.0 million during the twelve months ended December 31, 2022..

#### Liquidity

The Bank maintains a stable base of core deposits provided by long-standing relationships with individuals and local businesses. These deposits are the principal source of liquidity, while other sources of liquidity for Horizon include earnings, loan repayments, investment security sales and maturities, proceeds from the sale of residential mortgage loans, unpledged investment securities and borrowing relationships with correspondent banks, including the Federal Home Loan Bank of Indianapolis (the "FHLB"). At December 31, 2022, in addition to liquidity available from the normal operating, funding, and investing activities of Horizon, the Bank had approximately \$438.0 million in unused credit lines with various money center banks, including the FHLB and the Federal Reserve Discount Window. The Bank also had approximately \$2.1 billion of unpledged investment securities at December 31, 2022. Total available liquidity was \$2.7 billion at December 31, 2022.

### **Forward Looking Statements**

This press release may contain forward–looking statements regarding the financial performance, business prospects, growth and operating strategies of Horizon Bancorp, Inc. and its affiliates (collectively, "Horizon"). For these statements, Horizon claims the protection of the safe harbor for forward–looking statements contained in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Statements in this press release should be considered in conjunction with the other information available about Horizon, including the information in the filings we make with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). Forward–looking statements provide current expectations or forecasts of future events and are not guarantees of future performance. The forward–looking statements are based on management's expectations and are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties. We have tried, wherever possible, to identify such statements by using words such as "anticipate," "estimate," "project," "intend," "plan," "believe," "will" and similar expressions in connection with any discussion of future operating or financial performance.

Although management believes that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, actual results may differ materially from those expressed or implied in such statements. Risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially include: changes in the level and volatility of interest rates, changes in spreads on earning assets and changes in interest bearing liabilities; increased interest rate sensitivity; continuing increases in inflation; loss of key Horizon personnel; increases in disintermediation; potential loss of fee income, including interchange fees, as new and emerging alternative payment platforms take a greater market share of the payment systems; estimates of fair value of certain of Horizon's assets and liabilities; changes in prepayment speeds, loan originations, credit losses, market values, collateral securing loans and other assets; changes in sources of liquidity; continuing risks and uncertainties relating to the COVID-19 pandemic and government responses thereto; legislative and regulatory actions and reforms; changes in accounting policies or procedures as may be adopted and required by regulatory agencies; litigation, regulatory enforcement, and legal compliance risk and costs; rapid technological developments and changes; cyber terrorism and data security breaches; the rising costs of cybersecurity; the ability of the U.S. federal government to manage federal debt limits; climate change and social justice initiatives; material changes outside the U.S. or in overseas relations, including changes in U.S. trade relations related to imposition of tariffs, Brexit, and the phase out of the London Interbank Offered Rate ("LIBOR"); the inability to realize cost savings or revenues or to effectively implement integration plans and other consequences associated with mergers, acquisitions, and divestitures; acts of terrorism, war and global conflicts, such as the Russia and Ukraine conflict; and supply chain disruptions and delays. These and additional factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed in the forward-looking statements are discussed in Horizon's reports (such as the Annual Report on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, and Current Reports on Form 8-K) filed with the SEC and available at the SEC's Internet website (www.sec.gov).risk factors relating to the banking industry and the other factors detailed from time to time in Horizon's reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including those described in Horizon's Annual Report on Form 10-K and its quarterly reports on Form 10-Q. Further, statements about the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic on our business, operations, financial performance, and prospects may constitute forward-looking statements and are subject to the risk that the actual impacts may differ, possibly materially, from what is reflected in those forward-looking statements due to factors and future developments that are uncertain, unpredictable, and in many cases beyond our control, including the scope and duration of the pandemic, actions taken by governmental authorities in response to the pandemic, and the direct and indirect impact of the pandemic on our customers, third parties, and us. Undue reliance should not be placed on the forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date hereof. Horizon does not undertake, and specifically disclaims any obligation, to publicly release the result of any revisions that may be made to update any forwardlooking statement to reflect the events or circumstances after the date on which the forward-looking statement is made, or reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events, except to the extent required by law.

# Financial Highlights

	De	ecember 31,	Se	ptember 30,	June 30,	March 31,	De	cember 31,
		2022		2022	2022	2022		2021
Balance sheet:								
Total assets	\$	7,872,518	\$	7,718,695	\$7,640,936	\$7,420,328	\$	7,374,903
Interest earning deposits & federal funds sold		12,233		7,302	5,646	20,827		502,364
Interest earning time deposits		2,812		2,814	3,799	4,046		4,782
Investment securities		3,020,306		3,017,191	3,093,792	3,118,641		2,713,255
Commercial loans		2,467,422		2,403,743	2,363,991	2,259,327		2,213,945
Mortgage warehouse loans		69,529		73,690	116,488	105,118		109,031
Residential mortgage loans		653,292		634,901	608,582	593,372		594,382
Consumer loans		967,755		919,198	866,819	768,854		741,176
Total loans		4,157,998		4,031,532	3,955,880	3,726,671		3,658,534
Earning assets		7,225,833		7,087,368	7,088,737	6,898,208		6,878,968
Non-interest bearing deposit accounts		1,277,768		1,315,155	1,328,213	1,325,570		1,360,338
Interest bearing transaction accounts		3,582,891		3,736,798	3,760,890	3,782,644		3,711,767
Time deposits		997,115		778,885	756,482	743,283		730,886
Total deposits		5,857,774		5,830,838	5,845,585	5,851,497		5,802,991
Borrowings		1,142,949		1,048,091	959,222	728,664		712,739
Subordinated notes		58,896		58,860	58,823	58,786		58,750
Junior subordinated debentures issued to capital trusts		57,027		56,966	56,907	56,850		56,785
Total stockholders' equity		677,375		644,993	657,865	677,450		723,209

### **Financial Highlights**

(Dollars in Thousands Except Share and Per Share Data and Ratios, Unaudited)

(				Thre	e M	onths End	ed			
	De	cember 31,	Sep	otember 30,	,	June 30,	N	/larch 31,	De	cember 31,
		2022		2022		2022		2022		2021
Income statement:										
Net interest income	\$	48,782	\$	51,861	\$	52,044	\$	46,831	\$	48,477
Credit loss expense (recovery)		(69)		(601)		240		(1,386)		(2,071)
Non-interest income		10,674		10,188		12,434		14,155		12,828
Non-interest expense		35,711		36,816		35,404		35,270		37,871
Income tax expense		2,649		2,013		3,975	3,539			4,080
Net income	\$	21,165	\$	23,821	\$	24,859	\$	23,563	\$	21,425
Per share data:										
Basic earnings per share	\$	0.49	\$	0.55	\$	0.57	\$	0.54	\$	0.49
Diluted earnings per share		0.48		0.55		0.57		0.54		0.49
Cash dividends declared per common share		0.16		0.16		0.16		0.15		0.15
Book value per common share		15.55		14.80		15.10		15.55		16.61
Tangible book value per common share		11.59		10.82		11.11		11.54		12.58
Market value – high		20.00		20.59		19.21		23.45		21.14
Market value – low	\$	14.51	\$	16.74	\$	16.72	\$	18.67	\$	18.01
Weighted average shares outstanding – Basis	43	3,574,151	4	3,573,370	43	,572,796	43	3,554,713	43	3,534,298
Weighted average shares outstanding – Diluted	43	3,667,954	4	3,703,793	43	,684,691	43	3,734,556	43	3,733,416
Key ratios:										
Return on average assets		1.09 %		1.24 %		1.33 %		1.31 %		1.14 %
Return on average common stockholders' equity		12.72		13.89		14.72		13.34		11.81
Net interest margin		2.85		3.04		3.13		2.90		2.87
Allowance for credit losses to total loans		1.21		1.27		1.32		1.41		1.48
Average equity to average assets		8.55		8.91		9.06		9.79		9.64
Efficiency ratio		60.06		59.33		54.91		57.83		61.77
Annualized non-interest expense to average assets		1.84		1.91		1.90		1.95		2.01
Bank only capital ratios:										
Tier 1 capital to average assets		9.55		8.84		8.85		8.83		8.50
Tier 1 capital to risk weighted assets		12.69		12.74	12.87			13.23		13.69
Total capital to risk weighted assets		13.59		13.65	13.83			14.25		14.72

### **Financial Highlights**

(Dollars in Thousands Except Share and Per Share Data and Ratios, Unaudited)

		Twelve Mo	nths	Ended
	De	cember 31,	De	cember 31,
		2022		2021
Income statement:				
Net interest income	\$	199,518	\$	175,805
Credit loss expense (recovery)		(1,816)		(2,084)
Non-interest income		47,451		57,952
Non-interest expense		143,201		133,394
Income tax expense		12,176		15,356
Net income	\$	93,408	\$	87,091
Per share data:				
Basic earnings per share	\$	2.14	\$	1.99
Diluted earnings per share	Ψ	2.14	Ψ	1.98
Cash dividends declared per common share		0.63		0.56
Book value per common share		15.55		16.61
Tangible book value per common share		11.59		12.58
Market value – high		23.45		21.14
Market value – low	\$	14.51	\$	15.43
Weighted average shares outstanding – Basis		3,568,823		3,802,733
Weighted average shares outstanding – Diluted		3,699,734		3,955,280
Key ratios:				
Return on average assets		1.24 %		1.34 %
Return on average common stockholders' equity		13.66		12.23
Net interest margin		2.98		3.03
Allowance for credit losses to total loans		1.21		1.48
Average equity to average assets		9.07		10.93
Efficiency ratio		57.98		57.07
Annualized non-interest expense to average assets		1.90		2.05
Bank only capital ratios:				
Tier 1 capital to average assets		9.55		8.50
Tier 1 capital to risk weighted assets		12.69		13.69
Total capital to risk weighted assets		13.59		14.72

### **Financial Highlights**

(Dollars in Thousands Except Ratios, Unaudited)

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	De	cember 31,	Se	ptember 30,	•	June 30,	IV	/larch 31,	De	cember 31,
		2022		2022		2022		2022		2021
Loan data:										
Substandard loans	\$	56,194	\$	57,932	\$	59,377	\$	57,928	\$	56,968
30 to 89 days delinquent		10,709		6,970		6,739		6,358		8,536
Non-performing loans:										
90 days and greater delinquent – accruing interest		92		193		210		107		145
Trouble debt restructures – accruing interest		2,570		2,529		2,535		2,372		2,391
Trouble debt restructures – non–accrual		1,548		1,665		1,345		1,501		1,521
Non-accrual loans		17,630		14,771		16,116		16,133		14,962
Total non-performing loans	\$	21,840	\$	19,158	\$	20,206	\$	20,113	\$	19,019
Non-performing loans to total loans		0.52 %		0.47 %		0.51 %		0.54 %		0.52 %

#### **Allocation of the Allowance for Credit Losses**

(Dollars in Thousands, Unaudited)

	De	cember 31,	Se	ptember 30,	J	une 30,	М	arch 31,	Dec	ember 31,
		2022		2022		2022		2022		2021
Commercial	\$	32,445	\$	33,806	\$	34,802	\$	37,789	\$	40,775
Residential mortgage		5,577		5,137		4,422		4,351		3,856
Mortgage warehouse		1,020		1,024		1,067		1,055		1,059
Consumer		11,422		11,402		12,059		9,313		8,596
Total	\$	50,464	\$	51,369	\$	52,350	\$	52,508	\$	54,286

### Net Charge-offs (Recoveries)

(Dollars in Thousands Except Ratios, Unaudited)

	Dec	ember 31,	Sept	tember 30,	J	une 30,	Ma	arch 31,	December 31		
		2022		2022		2022		2022		2021	
Commercial	\$	(94)	\$	51	\$	(75)	\$	38	\$	926	
Residential mortgage		(8)		(75)		40		(10)		126	
Mortgage warehouse		_		_		_		_		_	
Consumer		387		162		319		108		360	
Total	\$	285	\$	138	\$	284	\$	136	\$	1,412	
Percent of net charge–offs (recoveries) to average loans outstanding for the period		0.01 %		0.00 %		0.01 %	, , ,	0.00 %	)	0.04 %	

### **Total Non-performing Loans**

(Dollars in Thousands Except Ratios, Unaudited)

	Dec	cember 31,	Sep	tember 30,	June 30,	N	larch 31,	Dec	ember 31,
		2022		2022	 2022		2022		2021
Commercial	\$	9,330	\$	7,199	\$ 8,008	\$	7,844	\$	7,509
Residential mortgage		8,123		8,047	8,469		8,584		8,005
Mortgage warehouse		_		_	_		_		_
Consumer		4,387		3,912	3,729		3,685		3,505
Total	\$	21,840	\$	19,158	\$ 20,206	\$	20,113	\$	19,019
Non-performing loans to total loans		0.52 %		0.47 %	0.51 %		0.54 %		0.52 %

### Other Real Estate Owned and Repossessed Assets

	Dec	cember 31,	Se	ptember 30,	lune 30,	N	larch 31,	De	cember 31,
		2022		2022	2022		2022		2021
Commercial	\$	1,881	\$	3,206	\$ 1,414	\$	2,245	\$	2,861
Residential mortgage		107		22	_		170		695
Mortgage warehouse		_		_	_		_		_
Consumer		152		14	 58		5		5
Total	\$	2,140	\$	3,242	\$ 1,472	\$	2,420	\$	3,561

#### **Average Balance Sheets**

(Dollars in Thousands, Unaudited)

# Three Months Ended December 31, 2022

Three Months Ended December 31, 2021

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	Average Balance	Interest	Average Rate	Average Balance	Interest	Average Rate
Assets						
Interest earning assets						
Federal funds sold	\$ 4,023	\$ 34	3.35 %	\$ 654,225	\$ 251	0.15 %
Interest earning deposits	8,233	48	2.31 %	22,537	32	0.56 %
Investment securities – taxable	1,655,728	8,703	2.09 %	1,405,689	6,208	1.75 %
Investment securities – non–taxable (1)	1,385,340	7,543	2.73 %	1,224,911	6,456	2.65 %
Loans receivable (2)(3)	4,038,656	50,859	5.02 %	3,644,688	39,672	4.34 %
Total interest earning assets	7,091,980	67,187	3.88 %	6,952,050	52,619	3.11 %
Non-interest earning assets						
Cash and due from banks	96,835			102,273		
Allowance for credit losses	(51,323)			(56,540)		
Other assets	580,874			463,560		
Total average assets	\$ 7,718,366	•	=	\$ 7,461,343		
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity						
Interest bearing liabilities						
Interest bearing deposits	\$ 4,555,887	\$ 10,520	0.92 %	\$ 4,543,989	\$ 1,663	0.15 %
Borrowings	850,236	5,729	2.67 %	525,638	1,025	0.77 %
Repurchase agreements	141,676	311	0.87 %	137,868	36	0.10 %
Subordinated notes	58,874	881	5.94 %	58,728	881	5.95 %
Junior subordinated debentures issued to capital trusts	56,988	964	6.71 %	56,745	537	3.75 %
Total interest bearing liabilities	5,663,661	18,405	1.29 %	5,322,968	4,142	0.31 %
Non-interest bearing liabilities						
Demand deposits	1,321,139			1,366,621		
Accrued interest payable and other liabilities	73,378			52,111		
Stockholders' equity	660,188	_	_	719,643		
Total average liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 7,718,366	:	=	\$ 7,461,343		
Net interest income / spread		\$ 48,782	2.59 %		\$ 48,477	2.80 %
Net interest income as a percent of average interest earning assets (1)			2.85 %			2.87 %

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(1)</sup> Securities balances represent daily average balances for the fair value of securities. The average rate is calculated based on the daily average balance for the amortized cost of securities. The average rate is presented on a tax equivalent basis.

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes fees on loans. The inclusion of loan fees does not have a material effect on the average interest rate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(3)</sup> Non–accruing loans for the purpose of the computation above are included in the daily average loan amounts outstanding. Loan totals are shown net of unearned income and deferred loan fees. The average rate is presented on a tax equivalent basis.

#### **Average Balance Sheets**

(Dollars in Thousands, Unaudited)

# Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2022

Twelve Months Ended
December 31, 2021

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	Average Balance		Interest	Avera Rat		Average Balance		Interest	Average Rate
Assets									
Interest earning assets									
Federal funds sold	\$ 62,211	\$	165	0.	.27 %	\$ 398,528	\$	535	0.13 %
Interest earning deposits	13,596		141	1.	.04 %	25,993		160	0.62 %
Investment securities – taxable	1,700,418		33,202	1.	.95 %	884,244		14,437	1.63 %
Investment securities – non–taxable (1)	1,356,045		29,025	2	.71 %	1,086,942		23,246	2.71 %
Loans receivable (2)(3)	 3,845,137		173,500	4.	.53 %	3,639,454		155,732	4.30 %
Total interest earning assets	6,977,407		236,033	3.	.50 %	6,035,161		194,110	3.33 %
Non-interest earning assets									
Cash and due from banks	99,885					89,993			
Allowance for credit losses	(52,606)					(56,798)			
Other assets	 509,229	_			_	445,895			
Total average assets	\$ 7,533,915	:			=	\$ 6,514,251			
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity									
Interest bearing liabilities									
Interest bearing deposits	\$ 4,513,668	\$	17,809	0.	.39 %	\$ 3,897,750	\$	7,867	0.20 %
Borrowings	696,584		11,938	1.	.71 %	425,214		4,546	1.07 %
Repurchase agreements	141,048		527	0.	.37 %	123,675		155	0.13 %
Subordinated notes	58,819		3,522	5.	.99 %	58,672		3,522	6.00 %
Junior subordinated debentures issued to capital trusts	56,899		2,719	4.	.78 %	56,657		2,215	3.91 %
Total interest bearing liabilities	5,467,018		36,515	0.	.67 %	4,561,968		18,305	0.40 %
Non-interest bearing liabilities									
Demand deposits	1,332,937					1,188,275			
Accrued interest payable and other liabilities	50,330					51,886			
Stockholders' equity	683,630					712,122			
Total average liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 7,533,915				=	\$ 6,514,251			
Net interest income / spread		\$	199,518	2.	.83 %		\$	175,805	2.93 %
Net interest income as a percent of average interest earning assets (1)				2.	.98 %				3.03 %

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(1)</sup> Securities balances represent daily average balances for the fair value of securities. The average rate is calculated based on the daily average balance for the amortized cost of securities. The average rate is presented on a tax equivalent basis.

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes fees on loans. The inclusion of loan fees does not have a material effect on the average interest rate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(3)</sup> Non–accruing loans for the purpose of the computation above are included in the daily average loan amounts outstanding. Loan totals are shown net of unearned income and deferred loan fees. The average rate is presented on a tax equivalent basis.

### **Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets**

(Dollars in Thousands)

	De	cember 31, 2022	De	cember 31, 2021
	(L	Jnaudited)		
Assets				
Cash and due from banks	\$	123,505	\$	593,508
Interest earning time deposits		2,812		4,782
Investment securities, available for sale		997,558		1,160,812
Investment securities, held to maturity (fair value \$1,681,309 and \$1,559,991)		2,022,748		1,552,443
Loans held for sale		5,807		12,579
Loans, net of allowance for credit losses of \$50,464 and \$54,286		4,107,534		3,604,248
Premises and equipment, net		92,677		93,441
Federal Home Loan Bank stock		26,677		24,440
Goodwill		155,211		154,572
Other intangible assets		17,239		20,941
Interest receivable		35,294		26,137
Cash value of life insurance		146,175		97,150
Other assets		139,281		66,836
Total assets	\$	7,872,518	\$	7,411,889
Liabilities				
Deposits				
Non-interest bearing	\$	1,277,768	\$	1,360,338
Interest bearing		4,580,006		4,442,653
Total deposits		5,857,774		5,802,991
Borrowings		1,142,949		712,739
Subordinated notes		58,896		58,750
Junior subordinated debentures issued to capital trusts		57,027		56,785
Interest payable		5,380		2,235
Other liabilities		73,117		55,180
Total liabilities		7,195,143		6,688,680
Commitments and contingent liabilities				
Stockholders' equity				
Preferred stock, Authorized, 1,000,000 shares, Issued 0 shares		_		_
Common stock, no par value, Authorized 99,000,000 shares Issued and Outstanding 43,937,889 and 43,811,421 shares		_		_
Additional paid-in capital		354,188		352,122
Retained earnings		429,385		363,742
Accumulated other comprehensive income		(106,198)		7,345
Total stockholders' equity		677,375		723,209
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	7,872,518	\$	7,411,889

### **Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income**

(Dollars in Thousands Except Per Share Data, Unaudited)

(=	Three Months Ended										
	December 31,	Septembe	er 30,	J	une 30,	М	larch 31,	December 31,			
	2022	2022	2		2022		2022		2021		
Interest income		-									
Loans receivable	\$ 50,859	\$ 45	5,517	\$	40,585	\$	36,539	\$	39,672		
Investment securities – taxable	8,785	8	8,501		8,716		7,506		6,491		
Investment securities – non-taxable	7,543	-	7,478		7,307		6,697		6,456		
Total interest income	67,187	6	1,496		56,608		50,742		52,619		
Interest expense					•						
Deposits	10,520	4	4,116		1,677		1,496		1,663		
Borrowed funds	6,040		3,895		1,450		1,080		1,061		
Subordinated notes	881		880		881		880		881		
Junior subordinated debentures issued to capital trusts	964		744		556		455		537		
Total interest expense	18,405		9,635		4,564		3,911		4,142		
Net interest income	48,782	5	1,861		52,044		46,831		48,477		
Credit loss expense (recovery)	(69)		(601)		240		(1,386)		(2,071)		
Net interest income after credit loss expense (recovery)	48,851	52	2,462		51,804		48,217		50,548		
Non-interest Income					•						
Service charges on deposit accounts	2,947	;	3,023		2,833		2,795		2,510		
Wire transfer fees	118		148		170		159		205		
Interchange fees	2,951	;	3,089		3,582		2,780		3,082		
Fiduciary activities	1,270	•	1,203		1,405		1,503		1,591		
Gain on sale of mortgage loans	1,196	•	1,441		2,501		2,027		4,167		
Mortgage servicing income net of impairment	637		355		319		3,489		300		
Increase in cash value of bank owned life insurance	751		814		519		510		547		
Death benefit on bank owned life insurance	_		_		644		_		_		
Other income	804		115		461		892		426		
Total non-interest income	10,674	10	0,188		12,434		14,155		12,828		
Non-interest expense											
Salaries and employee benefits	19,978	20	0,613		19,957		19,735		20,549		
Net occupancy expenses	3,279	;	3,293		3,190		3,561		3,204		
Data processing	2,884		2,539		2,607		2,537		2,672		
Professional fees	694		552		283		314		562		
Outside services and consultants	2,985		2,855		2,485		2,525		2,197		
Loan expense	1,281		1,392		1,533		1,205		1,304		
FDIC insurance expense	388		670		775		725		798		
Other losses	118		398		362		168		1,925		
Other expenses	4,104	4	4,504		4,212		4,500		4,660		
Total non-interest expense	35,711	36	6,816		35,404		35,270		37,871		
Income before income taxes	23,814	2	5,834		28,834		27,102		25,505		
Income tax expense	2,649		2,013		3,975		3,539		4,080		
Net income	\$ 21,165	\$ 23	3,821	\$	24,859	\$	23,563	\$	21,425		
Basic earnings per share	\$ 0.49	\$	0.55	\$	0.57	\$	0.54	\$	0.49		
Diluted earnings per share	0.48		0.55		0.57		0.54		0.49		

### **Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income**

(Dollars in Thousands Except Per Share Data, Unaudited)

	Twelve Months Ended				
	Dec	ember 31,	Dec	ember 31,	
		2022		2021	
Interest income					
Loans receivable	\$	173,500	\$	155,732	
Investment securities – taxable		33,508		15,132	
Investment securities – non–taxable		29,025		23,246	
Total interest income		236,033		194,110	
Interest expense					
Deposits		17,809		7,867	
Borrowed funds		12,465		4,701	
Subordinated notes		3,522		3,522	
Junior subordinated debentures issued to capital trusts		2,719		2,215	
Total interest expense		36,515		18,305	
Net interest income		199,518		175,805	
Credit loss expense (recovery)		(1,816)		(2,084)	
Net interest income after credit loss expense (recovery)		201,334		177,889	
Non-interest Income					
Service charges on deposit accounts		11,598		9,192	
Wire transfer fees		595		892	
Interchange fees		12,402		10,901	
Fiduciary activities		5,381		7,419	
Gains / (losses) on sale of investment securities		_		914	
Gain on sale of mortgage loans		7,165		19,163	
Mortgage servicing income net of impairment		4,800		2,352	
Increase in cash value of bank owned life insurance		2,594		2,094	
Death benefit on bank owned life insurance		644		783	
Other income		2,272		4,242	
Total non-interest income		47,451		57,952	
Non-interest expense					
Salaries and employee benefits		80,283		74,051	
Net occupancy expenses		13,323		12,541	
Data processing		10,567		9,962	
Professional fees		1,843		2,216	
Outside services and consultants		10,850		8,449	
Loan expense		5,411		5,492	
FDIC insurance expense		2,558		2,377	
Other losses		1,046		2,283	
Other expenses		17,320		16,023	
Total non-interest expense		143,201		133,394	
Income before income taxes		105,584		102,447	
Income tax expense		12,176		15,356	
Net income	\$	93,408	\$	87,091	
Basic earnings per share	\$	2.14	\$	1.99	
Diluted earnings per share		2.14		1.98	

#### **Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

Certain information set forth in this press release refers to financial measures determined by methods other than in accordance with GAAP. Specifically, we have included non–GAAP financial measures relating to net income, diluted earnings per share, pre–tax, pre–provision income, net interest margin, tangible stockholders' equity, tangible book value per share, efficiency ratio, the return on average assets, the return on average common equity and the return on average tangible equity. In each case, we have identified special circumstances that we consider to be non–recurring and have excluded them. We believe that this shows the impact of such events as acquisition–related purchase accounting adjustments, among others we have identified in our reconciliations. Horizon believes these non–GAAP financial measures are helpful to investors and provide a greater understanding of our business and financial results without giving effect to the purchase accounting impacts and one–time costs of acquisitions and non–recurring items. These measures are not necessarily comparable to similar measures that may be presented by other companies and should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for the related GAAP measure. See the tables and other information below and contained elsewhere in this press release for reconciliations of the non–GAAP information identified herein and its most comparable GAAP measures.

### Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Net Income

		Three	Twelve Months Ended				
	December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	December 31,	December 31,	December 31,
	2022	2022	2022	2022	2021	2022	2021
Net income as reported	\$ 21,165	\$ 23,821	\$ 24,859	\$ 23,563	\$ 21,425	\$ 93,408	\$ 87,091
Acquisition expenses	_	_	_	_	884	_	1,925
Tax effect					(184)		(401)
Net income excluding acquisition expenses	21,165	23,821	24,859	23,563	22,125	93,408	88,615
Credit loss expense acquired loans	_	_	_	_	_	_	2,034
Tax effect							(427)
Net income excluding credit loss expense acquired loans	21,165	23,821	24,859	23,563	22,125	93,408	90,222
Gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts	_	_	_	_	_	_	(2,329)
Tax effect						_	489
Net income excluding gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts	21,165	23,821	24,859	23,563	22,125	93,408	88,382
ESOP settlement expenses	_	_	_	_	1,900	_	1,900
Tax effect					(315)	_	(315)
Net income excluding ESOP settlement expenses	21,165	23,821	24,859	23,563	23,710	93,408	89,967
(Gain) / loss on sale of investment securities	_	_	_	_	_	_	(914)
Tax effect							192
Net income excluding (gain) / loss on sale of investment securities	21,165	23,821	24,859	23,563	23,710	93,408	89,245
Death benefit on bank owned life insurance ("BOLI")	_	_	(644)	_	_	(644)	(783)
Net income excluding death benefit on BOLI	21,165	23,821	24,215	23,563	23,710	92,764	88,462
Prepayment penalties on borrowings	_	_	_	_	_	_	125
Tax effect							(26)
Net income excluding prepayment penalties on borrowings	21,165	23,821	24,215	23,563	23,710	92,764	88,561
Adjusted net income	\$ 21,165		\$ 24,215	\$ 23,563	\$ 23,710	\$ 92,764	\$ 88,561
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### Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Diluted Earnings per Share

		Three	Months End	ed	Twelve Months Ended			
	December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	December 31,	December 31,	December 31,	
	2022	2022	2022	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Diluted earnings per share ("EPS") as reported	\$ 0.48	\$ 0.55	\$ 0.57	\$ 0.54	\$ 0.49	\$ 2.14	\$ 1.98	
Acquisition expenses	_	_	_	_	0.02	_	0.04	
Tax effect								
Diluted EPS excluding acquisition expenses	0.48	0.55	0.57	0.54	0.51	2.14	2.02	
Credit loss expense acquired loans	_	_	_	_	_	_	0.05	
Tax effect						_	(0.01)	
Diluted EPS excluding credit loss expense acquired loans	0.48	0.55	0.57	0.54	0.51	2.14	2.06	
Gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts	_	_	_	_	_	_	(0.05)	
Tax effect							0.01	
Diluted EPS excluding gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts	0.48	0.55	0.57	0.54	0.51	2.14	2.02	
ESOP settlement expenses	_	_	_	_	0.04	_	0.04	
Tax effect					(0.01)	_	(0.01)	
Diluted EPS excluding ESOP settlement expenses	0.48	0.55	0.57	0.54	0.54	2.14	2.05	
(Gain) / loss on sale of investment securities	_	_	_	_	_	_	(0.02)	
Tax effect						_		
Diluted EPS excluding (gain) / loss on sale of investment securities	0.48	0.55	0.57	0.54	0.54	2.14	2.03	
Death benefit on bank owned life insurance ("BOLI")			(0.01)			(0.01)	(0.03)	
Diluted EPS excluding death benefit on BOLI	0.48	0.55	0.56	0.54	0.54	2.13	2.00	
Prepayment penalties on borrowings	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Tax effect	<u> </u>							
Diluted EPS excluding prepayment penalties on borrowings	0.48	0.55	0.56	0.54	0.54	2.13	2.00	
Adjusted diluted EPS	\$ 0.48					\$ 2.13		
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### Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Pre-Tax, Pre-Provision Income

(Dollars in Thousands, Unaudited)

				Twelve Months Ended										
	Dec	ember 31,	Se	September 30,		June 30,		March 31,		December 31,		cember 31,	December 31	
		2022		2022		2022		2022	2021		2022			2021
Pre-tax income	\$	23,814	\$	25,834	\$	28,834	\$	27,102	\$	25,505	\$	105,584	\$	102,447
Credit loss expense		(69)		(601)		240		(1,386)		(2,071)		(1,816)		(2,084)
Pre-tax, pre-provision income	\$	23,745	\$	25,233	\$	29,074	\$	25,716	\$	23,434	\$	103,768	\$	100,363
Pre-tax, pre-provision income	\$	23,745	\$	25,233	\$	29,074	\$	25,716	\$	23,434	\$	103,768	\$	100,363
Acquisition expenses		_		_		_		_		884		_		1,925
Gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts		_		_		_		_		_		_		(2,329)
ESOP settlement expenses		_		_		_		_		1,900		_		1,900
(Gain) / loss on sale of investment securities		_		_		_		_		_		_		(914)
Death benefit on BOLI		_		_		(644)		_		_		(644)		(783)
Prepayment penalties on borrowings				<u> </u>										125
Adjusted pre-tax, pre- provision income	\$	23,745	\$	25,233	\$	28,430	\$	25,716	\$	26,218	\$	103,124	\$	100,162

### Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Net Interest Margin

	Three Months Ended											Twelve Months Ende			
	De	cember 31,	Se	eptember 30,	,	June 30,	N	larch 31,	D	ecember 31,	De	ecember 31,	De	ecember 31,	
		2022		2022		2022		2022		2021		2022		2021	
Net interest income as reported	\$	48,782	\$	51,861	\$	52,044	\$	46,831	\$	48,477	\$	199,518	\$	175,805	
Average interest earning assets	-	7,091,980		7,056,208	6	,943,633	6,	814,756		6,952,050		6,977,407		6,035,161	
Net interest income as a percentage of average interest earning assets ("Net Interest Margin")		2.85 %		3.04 %		3.13 %		2.90 %		2.87 %		2.98 %		3.03 %	
Net interest income as reported	\$	48,782	\$	51,861	\$	52,044	\$	46,831	\$	48,477	\$	199,518	\$	175,805	
Acquisition-related purchase accounting adjustments ("PAUs")		(431)		(906)		(1,223)		(916)		(1,819)		(3,476)		(4,503)	
Prepayment penalties on borrowings								_						125	
Adjusted net interest income	\$	48,351	\$	50,955	\$	50,821	\$	45,915	\$	46,658	\$	196,042	\$	171,302	
Adjusted net interest margin		2.83 %		2.99 %		3.06 %		2.85 %		2.77 %		2.93 %		2.96 %	

# Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Tangible Stockholders' Equity and Tangible Book Value per Share

	December 31,			ptember 30,	June 30,	March 31,	De	ecember 31,
	2022			2022	2022	2022		2021
Total stockholders' equity	\$	677,375	\$	644,993	\$ 657,865	\$ 677,450	\$	723,209
Less: Intangible assets		172,450		173,375	173,662	174,588		175,513
Total tangible stockholders' equity	\$	504,925	\$	471,618	\$ 484,203	\$ 502,862	\$	547,696
Common shares outstanding		43,574,151		43,574,151	43,572,796	43,572,796		43,547,942
Book value per common share	\$	15.55	\$	14.80	\$ 15.10	\$ 15.55	\$	16.61
Tangible book value per common share	\$	11.59	\$	10.82	\$ 11.11	\$ 11.54	\$	12.58

# Non-GAAP Calculation and Reconciliation of Efficiency Ratio and Adjusted Efficiency Ratio

	Three Months Ended										Twelve Months Ended			
	De	cember 31,	Sep	tember 30,	J	une 30,	١	March 31,	De	cember 31,	De	cember 31,	De	cember 31,
		2022		2022		2022		2022		2021		2022		2021
Non–interest expense as reported	\$	35,711	\$	36,816	\$	35,404	\$	35,270	\$	37,871	\$	143,201	\$	133,394
Net interest income as reported		48,782		51,861		52,044		46,831		48,477		199,518		175,805
Non–interest income as reported	\$	10,674	\$	10,188	\$	12,434	\$	14,155	\$	12,828	\$	47,451	\$	57,952
Non-interest expense / (Net interest income + Non-interest income) ("Efficiency Ratio")	_	60.06 %		59.33 %		54.91 %	_	57.83 %		61.77 %		57.98 %		57.07 %
Non-interest expense as reported	\$	35,711	\$	36,816	\$	35,404	\$	35,270	\$	37,871	\$	143,201	\$	133,394
Acquisition expenses		_		_				_		(884)		_		(1,925)
ESOP settlement expenses										(1,900)				(1,900)
Non-interest expense excluding acquisition expenses and ESOP settlement expenses		35,711		36,816		35,404		35,270		35,087		143,201		129,569
Net interest income as reported		48,782		51,861		52,044		46,831		48,477		199,518		175,805
Prepayment penalties on borrowings														125
Net interest income excluding prepayment penalties on borrowings		48,782		51,861		52,044		46,831		48,477		199,518		175,930
Non–interest income as reported		10,674		10,188		12,434		14,155		12,828		47,451		57,952
Gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts		_		_		_		_		_		_		(2,329)
(Gain) / loss on sale of investment securities		_		_		_		_		_		_		(914)
Death benefit on BOLI						(644)						(644)		(783)
Non-interest income excluding (gain) / loss on sale of investment securities and death							_							
benefit on BOLI	\$	10,674	\$	10,188	\$	11,790	\$	14,155	<u>\$</u>	12,828	\$	46,807	\$	53,926
Adjusted efficiency ratio	_	60.06 %	_	59.33 %	_	55.46 %	_	57.83 %		57.23 %		58.13 %	_	56.37 %

### Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Return on Average Assets

		Three		Twelve Months Ended				
	December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	December 31,	December 31,	December 31,	
	2022	2022	2022	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Average assets	\$ 7,718,366	\$ 7,635,102	\$7,476,238	\$7,319,675	\$ 7,461,343	\$ 7,533,915	\$ 6,514,251	
Return on average assets ("ROAA") as reported	1.09 %	1.24 %	1.33 %	1.31 %	1.14 %	1.24 %	1.34 %	
Acquisition expenses	_	_	_	_	0.05	_	0.03	
Tax effect					(0.01)		(0.01)	
ROAA excluding acquisition expenses	1.09	1.24	1.33	1.31	1.18	1.24	1.36	
Credit loss expense acquired loans	_	_	_	_	_	_	0.03	
Tax effect							(0.01)	
ROAA excluding credit loss expense on acquired loans	1.09	1.24	1.33	1.31	1.18	1.24	1.38	
Gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts	_	_	_	_	_	_	(0.04)	
Tax effect							0.01	
ROAA excluding gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts	1.09	1.24	1.33	1.31	1.18	1.24	1.35	
ESOP settlement expenses	_	_	_	_	0.10	_	0.03	
Tax effect					(0.02)	_		
ROAA excluding ESOP settlement expenses	1.09	1.24	1.33	1.31	1.26	1.24	1.38	
(Gain) / loss on sale of investment securities	_	_	_	_	_	_	(0.01)	
Tax effect								
ROAA excluding (gain) / loss on sale of investment securities	1.09	1.24	1.33	1.31	1.26	1.24	1.37	
Death benefit on BOLI	_	_	(0.03)	_	_	(0.01)	(0.01)	
ROAA excluding death benefit on BOLI	1.09	1.24	1.30	1.31	1.26	1.23	1.36	
Prepayment penalties on borrowings	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Tax effect								
ROAA excluding prepayment penalties on borrowings	1.09	1.24	1.30	1.31	1.26	1.23	1.36	
Adjusted ROAA	1.09 %		1.30 %	1.31 %	1.26 %	1.23 %	1.36 %	
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### Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Return on Average Common Equity

	Three Months Ended								Twelve Months Ended			
	De	cember 31,	Se	ptember 30,	June 30,	March 31,	Dec	cember 31,	December 31,	De	cember 31,	
		2022		2022	2022	2022		2021	2022		2021	
Average common equity	\$	660,188	\$	680,376	\$677,299	\$716,341	\$	719,643	\$ 683,630	\$	712,122	
Return on average common equity ("ROACE") as reported		12.72 %		13.89 %	14.72 %	13.34 %		11.81 %	13.66 %		12.23 %	
Acquisition expenses		_		_	_	_		0.49	_		0.27	
Tax effect								(0.10)			(0.06)	
ROACE excluding acquisition expenses		12.72		13.89	14.72	13.34		12.20	13.66		12.44	
Credit loss expense acquired loans		_		_	_	_		_	_		0.29	
Tax effect											(0.06)	
ROACE excluding credit loss expense acquired loans		12.72		13.89	14.72	13.34		12.20	13.66		12.67	
Gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts		_		_	_			_	_		(0.33)	
Tax effect								_	_		0.07	
ROACE excluding gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts		12.72		13.89	14.72	13.34		12.20	13.66		12.41	
ESOP settlement expenses		_		_	_	_		1.05	_		0.27	
Tax effect								(0.17)			(0.04)	
ROACE excluding ESOP settlement expenses		12.72		13.89	14.72	13.34		13.08	13.66		12.64	
(Gain) / loss on sale of investment securities				_	_			_	_		(0.13)	
Tax effect											0.03	
ROACE excluding (gain) / loss on sale of investment securities		12.72		13.89	14.72	13.34		13.08	13.66		12.54	
Death benefit on BOLI		_		_	(0.38)	_		_	(0.09)		(0.11)	
ROACE excluding death benefit on BOLI		12.72		13.89	14.34	13.34		13.08	13.57		12.43	
Prepayment penalties on borrowings		_		_	_	_		_	_		0.02	
Tax effect												
ROACE excluding prepayment penalties on borrowings		12.72 %		13.89 %	14.34 %	13.34 %		13.08 %	13.57 %		12.45 %	
Adjusted ROACE		12.72 %		13.89 %	14.34 %	13.34 %		13.08 %	13.57 %		12.45 %	
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### Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Return on Average Tangible Equity

	Three Months Ended								Twelve Months Ended			
	De	ecember 31, 2022	Se	ptember 30, 2022	June 30, 2022	March 31, 2022	De	ecember 31, 2021	De	cember 31, 2022	De	cember 31, 2021
Average tangible equity	\$	660,188	\$	680,376	\$677,299	\$716,341	\$	719,643	\$	683,630	\$	712,122
Less: Average intangible assets		173,050		173,546	175,321	176,356		179,594		174,003		175,811
Average tangible equity	\$	487,138	\$	506,830	\$501,978	\$539,985	\$	540,049	\$	509,627	\$	536,311
Return on average tangible equity ("ROATE") as reported		17.24 %		18.65 %	19.86 %	17.70 %		15.74 %		18.33 %		16.24 %
Acquisition expenses		_		_	_	_		0.65		_		0.36
Tax effect								(0.14)				(80.0)
ROATE excluding acquisition expenses		17.24		18.65	19.86	17.70		16.25		18.33		16.52
Credit loss expense acquired loans		_		_	_	_		_		_		0.38
Tax effect												(80.0)
ROATE excluding credit loss expense acquired loans		17.24		18.65	19.86	17.70		16.25		18.33		16.82
Gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts		_		_	_	_		_		_		(0.43)
Tax effect		_		_	_	_		_		_		0.10
ROATE excluding gain on sale of ESOP trustee accounts		17.24		18.65	19.86	17.70		16.25		18.33		16.49
ESOP settlement expenses		_		_	_	_		1.40		_		0.35
Tax effect		_		_	_	_		(0.23)		_		(0.06)
ROATE excluding ESOP settlement expenses		17.24		18.65	19.86	17.70		17.42		18.33		16.78
(Gain) / loss on sale of investment securities		_		_	_	_		_		_		(0.17)
Tax effect												0.04
ROATE excluding (gain) / loss on sale of investment securities		17.24		18.65	19.86	17.70		17.42		18.33		16.65
Death benefit on BOLI		_		_	(0.51)	_				(0.13)		(0.15)
ROATE excluding death benefit on BOLI		17.24		18.65	19.35	17.70		17.42		18.20		16.50
Prepayment penalties on borrowings		_		_	_	_		_		_		0.02
Tax effect												(0.01)
ROATE excluding prepayment penalties on borrowings		17.24 %		18.65 %	19.35 %	17.70 %		17.42 %		18.20 %		16.51 %
Adjusted ROATE		17.24 %		18.65 %	19.35 %	17.70 %		17.42 %		18.20 %		16.51 %

### **Earnings Conference Call**

As previously announced, Horizon will host a conference call to review its fourth quarter and full year 2022 financial results and operating performance.

Participants may access the live conference call on January 26, 2023 at 7:30 a.m. CT (8:30 a.m. ET) by dialing 833–974–2379 from the United States, 866–450–4696 from Canada or 1–412–317–5772 from international locations and requesting the "Horizon Bancorp Call." Participants are asked to dial in approximately 10 minutes prior to the call.

A telephone replay of the call will be available approximately one hour after the end of the conference through February 2, 2023. The replay may be accessed by dialing 877–344–7529 from the United States, 855–669–9658 from Canada or 1–412–317–0088 from other international locations, and entering the access code 9666758.

#### About Horizon Bancorp, Inc.

Horizon Bancorp, Inc. (NASDAQ GS: HBNC) is the \$7.9 billion—asset bank holding company for Horizon Bank, which serves customers across diverse and economically attractive Midwestern markets through convenient digital and virtual tools, as well as its Indiana and Michigan branches. Horizon's retail offerings include prime residential, indirect auto, and other secured consumer lending to in—market customers, as well as a range of personal banking and wealth management solutions. Horizon also provides a comprehensive array of in—market business banking and treasury management services, with commercial lending representing over half of total loans. More information on Horizon, headquartered in Northwest Indiana's Michigan City, is available at horizonbank.com and investor.horizonbank.com.