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# Office of Finance Announces First Quarter 2018 Combined Operating Highlights for the Federal Home Loan Banks

The first quarter 2018 highlights are preliminary and prepared from the unaudited financial information of each Federal Home Loan Bank (FHLBank) and are subject to change. The combined and individual FHLBank balance sheet and income statement highlights are attached as Tables I and II. Each of the FHLBanks has released its unaudited financial results for the period ended March 31, 2018, and filed a Form 8-K with the U. S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

## **Highlights**

Net income was \$858 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, an increase of 6% compared to the same period in 2017. Balance sheet highlights as of March 31, 2018, compared to December 31, 2017 were:

- Total assets were \$1,087.9 billion, a decrease of 1%.
- Total liabilities were \$1,031.2 billion, a decrease of 2%.
- Total GAAP capital was \$56.6 billion, an increase of less than 1%.

#### **Balance Sheet**

(Dollars in millions)		Ma	arch 31, 2018	Dece	ember 31, 2017	Change		
Assets								
Cash and due from banks	\$	\$	2,690	\$	7,175	\$ (4,485)		
Investments			329,412		307,280	22,132		
Advances			697,066		731,544	(34,478)		
Mortgage loans held for portfolio, net			54,898		53,827	1,071		
Other assets			3,794		3,625	169		
Total assets	\$	\$	1,087,860	\$	1,103,451	\$ (15,591)		
Liabilities	_							
Consolidated obligations								
Discount notes	\$	\$	389,052	\$	391,480	\$ (2,428)		
Bonds			627,837		641,601	(13,764)		
Total consolidated obligations			1,016,889		1,033,081	(16,192)		
Mandatorily redeemable capital stock			1,237		1,272	(35)		
Other liabilities			13,096		12,618	478		
Total liabilities	_		1,031,222		1,046,971	(15,749)		
Capital					_			
Capital stock			37,285		37,657	(372)		
Retained earnings			18,463		18,099	364		
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)			890		724	166		
Total capital (GAAP)	_		56,638		56,480	158		
Total liabilities and capital	\$	\$	1,087,860	\$	1,103,451	\$ (15,591)		
Regulatory capital	\$	\$	56,985	\$	57,027	\$ (42)		
GAAP capital-to-assets ratio	_		5.21%		5.12%	0.09%		
Regulatory capital-to-assets ratio	_		5.24%		5.17%	0.07%		



As of March 31, 2018, total assets decreased 1%, total liabilities decreased 2%, and total GAAP capital increased less than 1%, compared to December 31, 2017.

- Advances totaled \$697.1 billion at March 31, 2018, a decrease of 5% due primarily to a decrease in shortterm advances.
- Investments were \$329.4 billion at March 31, 2018, an increase of 7% driven by an increase in federal funds sold.
- Mortgage loans held for portfolio, net grew to \$54.9 billion at March 31, 2018, an increase of 2% as mortgage loan purchases outpaced principal repayments.
- Consolidated obligations totaled \$1,016.9 billion at March 31, 2018, a decrease of 2% in line with the decrease
  in total assets and consisted of a 2% decrease in consolidated bonds and a 1% decrease in consolidated
  discount notes.
- Capital stock was \$37.3 billion at March 31, 2018, a decrease of 1% due to net repurchases and redemptions
  of capital stock.
- Retained earnings grew to \$18.5 billion at March 31, 2018, an increase of 2% due to net income of \$858 million, partially offset by dividends of \$499 million.

#### **Income Statement**

	Three Months Ended March 31,										
(Dollars in millions)		2018	_	2017	Change						
Interest income											
Advances	\$	3,347	\$	1,539	\$	1,808					
Investments		1,632		1,122		510					
Mortgage loans held for portfolio		463		414		49					
Other interest income		_		1		(1)					
Total interest income		5,442		3,076		2,366					
Interest expense											
Consolidated obligations - Discount notes		1,515		626		889					
Consolidated obligations - Bonds		2,621		1,598		1,023					
Other interest expense		41		32		9					
Total interest expense		4,177		2,256		1,921					
Net interest income		1,265		820		445					
Provision (reversal) for credit losses		2		-		2					
Net interest income after provision (reversal) for credit losses		1,263		820		443					
Non-interest income (loss)											
Net other-than-temporary impairment losses		(2)		(5)		3					
Net gains (losses) on trading securities		(61)		10		(71)					
Net gains (losses) on derivatives and hedging activities		55		310		(255)					
Gains on litigation settlements, net		_		139		(139)					
Other		12		38		(26)					
Total non-interest income (loss)		4		492		(488)					
Non-interest expense		312		407		(95)					
Affordable Housing Program assessments		97		93		4					
Net income	\$	858	\$	812	\$	46					
Net interest margin		0.45%		0.31%		0.149					



#### **Net Income**

Net income was \$858 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, an increase of 6% compared to the same period in 2017. This increase was primarily the result of an increase in net interest income and a decrease in non-interest expense, partially offset by lower gains on derivatives and hedging activities and no gains on litigation settlements during the first quarter of 2018.

#### **Net Interest Income**

Net interest income after provision (reversal) for credit losses was \$1,263 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, an increase of 54% compared to the same period in 2017. Net interest margin improved to 0.45% for the three months ended March 31, 2018, an increase of 14 basis points compared to the same period in 2017. Net interest income, net interest margin, and yield on advances for the three months ended March 31, 2017, were negatively affected by the FHLBank of Atlanta's recording of \$302 million of accelerated amortization, due to prepayments of certain previously restructured and hedged advances. However, this accelerated amortization was offset by corresponding gains recorded in net gains (losses) on derivatives and hedging activities included in non-interest income during the same period.

- Interest income grew to \$5,442 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, an increase of 77% compared to the same period in 2017. This increase was due primarily to higher yields on interest-earning assets, principally advances, in the higher interest-rate environment.
- Interest expense was \$4,177 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, an increase of 85% compared to the same period in 2017. This increase was due primarily to higher yields on consolidated discount notes and consolidated bonds in the higher interest-rate environment.

#### Non-Interest Income

Non-interest income was \$4 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, a decrease of \$488 million compared to the same period in 2017, due primarily to lower gains on derivatives and hedging activities and no gains on litigation settlements during the first quarter of 2018. The decrease in gains on derivatives and hedging activities was due primarily to the prepayments of certain previously restructured and hedged advances at the FHLBank of Atlanta resulting in fair value hedge ineffectiveness gains, during the first quarter of 2017.

## Non-Interest Expense

Non-interest expense was \$312 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, a decrease of 23% compared to the same period in 2017. This decrease was primarily the result of expenses incurred during the first quarter of 2017 related to a charge of \$70 million by the FHLBank of New York to settle all claims related to the 2008 Lehman Brothers bankruptcy and voluntary charitable contributions of \$40 million by the FHLBank of San Francisco for a donor-advised fund established to support quality job growth and small business expansion.

# <u>Affordable Housing Program Assessments</u>

Affordable Housing Program assessments result from individual FHLBank income subject to assessments. Affordable Housing Program assessments were \$97 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, an increase of 4% compared to the same period in 2017.



# **About the FHLBanks**

Each FHLBank manages its operations independently and is responsible for establishing its own accounting and financial reporting policies in accordance with GAAP. The accounting and financial reporting policies and practices of the individual FHLBanks are not always identical because different policies and presentations are permitted under GAAP in certain circumstances within a combined financial statement presentation.

The FHLBanks have delivered innovation and service to the U.S. housing market since 1932, and currently have approximately 7,000 members serving all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. territories. Please contact Nancy Nowalk at 703-467-3608 or nnowalk@fhlb-of.com for additional information.

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# FHLBanks Office of Finance Table I to Combined Operating Highlights Balance Sheet Highlights

Unaudited

		Combine	ed <sup>(1)</sup>	В	oston		New Y	ork (		Pittsk	ourgh		Atla	inta		Cincinnati				
(Dollars in millions)	Ma	rch 31, 2018 [	December 31, 2017	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017	Ma	rch 31, 2018	December 31, 2017	Ma	arch 31, 2018	December 31, 2017		March 31, 2018	December 31, 201	,	March 31, 2018	Decemb	oer 31, 2017		
Assets																				
Cash and due from banks	\$	2,690 \$	7,175	\$ 2	7 \$ 262	\$	87 \$	\$ 127	\$	253	\$ 3,415	\$	80	\$ 2,35	7	\$ 1,853	\$	27		
Investments		329,412	307,280	18,73	0 17,942		36,258	33,069		18,487	17,756		47,483	40,37	8	36,012		27,058		
Advances		697,066	731,544	37,98	8 37,566		112,202	122,448		70,278	74,280		91,733	102,44	0	63,883		69,918		
Mortgage loans held for portfolio, net		54,898	53,827	4,02	7 4,004		2,879	2,897		4,019	3,923		416	43	5	9,731		9,681		
Other assets		3,794	3,625	18	6 588		456	377		332	289		748	95	6	230		211		
Total assets	\$	1,087,860 \$	1,103,451	\$ 60,95	8 \$ 60,362	\$	151,882	\$ 158,918	\$	93,369	\$ 99,663	\$	140,460	\$ 146,56	6	\$ 111,709	\$	106,895		
Liabilities															_					
Consolidated obligations																				
Discount notes	\$	389,052 \$	391,480	\$ 29,46	8 \$ 27,721	\$	56,510	\$ 49,614	\$	23,906	\$ 36,193	\$	54,659	\$ 50,13	9	\$ 53,089	\$	46,211		
Bonds		627,837	641,601	27,12	5 28,345		85,656	99,288		63,706	57,534		77,160	87,52	3	51,767		54,163		
Total consolidated obligations		1,016,889	1,033,081	56,59	3 56,066		142,166	148,902		87,612	93,727		131,819	137,66	2	104,856		100,374		
Mandatorily redeemable capital stock		1,237	1,272	3	6 36		19	20		5	5		3		1	28		30		
Other liabilities		13,096	12,618	1,01	1 995		1,815	1,755		947	1,003		1,743	1,63	6	1,356		1,326		
Total liabilities		1,031,222	1,046,971	57,64	0 57,097		144,000	150,677		88,564	94,735		133,565	139,29	9	106,240		101,730		
Capital																				
Capital stock		37,285	37,657	2,32	4 2,284		6,311	6,750		3,528	3,659		4,748	5,15	4	4,524		4,241		
Retained earnings		18,463	18,099	1,33	5 1,308		1,575	1,546		1,180	1,158		2,052	2,00	3	961		940		
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		890	724	(34	1) (327)		(4)	(55)		97	111		95	11	0	(16	)	(16)		
Total capital (GAAP)		56,638	56,480	3,31	8 3,265		7,882	8,241		4,805	4,928		6,895	7,26	7	5,469		5,165		
Total liabilities and capital	\$	1,087,860 \$	1,103,451	\$ 60,95	8 \$ 60,362	\$	151,882	\$ 158,918	\$	93,369	\$ 99,663	\$	140,460	\$ 146,56	6	\$ 111,709	\$	106,895		
Regulatory capital	\$	56,985 \$	57,027	\$ 3,69	6 \$ 3,628	\$	7,905	\$ 8,316	\$	4,713	\$ 4,822	\$	6,803	\$ 7,15	7	\$ 5,513	\$	5,211		
		Indianar	oolis	Cl	nicago	Des Moin		Moines		Dallas		Topek		Горека		San Francisco				

	Indianapolis			Chicago				Des M	oines		Dal	las	Topeka				San Francisco			
	Mar	ch 31, 2018	December 31, 2017	March 31, 2018	Decei	mber 31, 2017	Ma	rch 31, 2018	December 31, 2017	Ma	arch 31, 2018	December 31, 2017		March 31, 2018	December 31, 20	17	March 31	i, 2018	December 31, 2017	
Assets																				
Cash and due from banks	\$	77	\$ 55	\$	40 \$	42	\$	194	\$ 503	\$	39	\$ 88	\$	25	\$	268	\$	15	\$ 31	
Investments		17,531	17,572	34,8	18	30,683		33,370	34,452		28,571	30,941		18,438	13,	198		39,832	43,570	
Advances		32,965	34,055	50,8	40	48,085		108,253	102,613		35,304	36,461		26,978	26,	196		66,642	77,382	
Mortgage loans held for portfolio, net		10,496	10,356	5,3	57	5,193		7,112	7,096		1,019	878		7,466	7,:	287		2,376	2,076	
Other assets		323	311	3	36	352		418	435		167	156		243		228		360	326	
Total assets	\$	61,392	\$ 62,349	\$ 91,3	91 \$	84,355	\$	149,347	\$ 145,099	\$	65,100	\$ 68,524	\$	53,150	\$ 48,	)77	\$ :	109,225	\$ 123,385	
Liabilities																			•	
Consolidated obligations																				
Discount notes	\$	19,556	\$ 20,358	\$ 41,4	83 \$	41,191	\$	33,930	\$ 36,682	\$	26,641	\$ 32,511	\$	22,607	\$ 20,	121	\$	27,203	\$ 30,440	
Bonds		37,779	37,896	43,5	16	37,121		106,204	98,893		33,502	31,377		27,237	24,	14		74,297	85,063	
Total consolidated obligations		57,335	58,254	84,9	99	78,312		140,134	135,575		60,143	63,888		49,844	44,9	135	:	101,500	115,503	
Mandatorily redeemable capital stock		164	164	3	11	311		356	385		1	6		5		5		309	309	
Other liabilities		885	985	1,0	18	880		1,422	2,118		1,357	1,150		818		530		740	767	
Total liabilities		58,384	59,403	86,3	28	79,503		141,912	138,078		61,501	65,044		50,667	45,	70ر		102,549	116,579	
Capital																				
Capital stock		1,881	1,858	1,5	79	1,443		5,372	5,068		2,351	2,318		1,598	1,0	540		3,068	3,243	
Retained earnings		993	976	3,3	58	3,297		1,904	1,839		973	942		855	:	341		3,273	3,245	
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		134	112	1	26	112		159	114		275	220		30		26		335	318	
Total capital (GAAP)		3,008	2,946	5,0	63	4,852		7,435	7,021		3,599	3,480		2,483	2,	507		6,676	6,806	
Total liabilities and capital	\$	61,392	\$ 62,349	\$ 91,3	91 \$	84,355	\$	149,347	\$ 145,099	\$	65,100	\$ 68,524	\$	53,150	\$ 48,0	)77	\$ :	109,225	\$ 123,385	
Regulatory capital	\$	3,038	\$ 2,998	\$ 5,2	48 \$	5,051	\$	7,632	\$ 7,292	\$	3,324	\$ 3,266	\$	2,458	\$ 2,	186	\$	6,650	\$ 6,797	

<sup>(1)</sup> The sum of the individual FHLBank balance sheet amounts may not agree to the combined balance sheet amounts due to combining adjustments.



# FHLBanks Office of Finance Table II to Combined Operating Highlights Income Statement Highlights

Unaudited

Three Months Ended March 31,																		
	Combined <sup>(1)</sup>				Boston		New York			Pittsburgh				Atlanta		Cincinnati		
(Dollars in millions)		2018	2017		2018	2017		2018	2017	_	2018	2017		2018	2017		2018	2017
Net interest income after provision (reversal) for credit losses	\$	1,263 \$	820	\$	80 \$	62	\$	193 \$	174	\$	108 \$	108	\$	135 \$	(202)	\$	118 \$	103
Non-interest income (loss)		4	492		2	-		(19)	4		2	12		27	319		(4)	(11)
Non-interest expense		312	407		21	21		34	100		22	24		35	34		22	20
Affordable Housing Program assessments		97	93		6	4		14	8		9	9		13	8		9	7
Net income (loss)	\$	858 \$	812	\$	55 \$	37	\$	126 \$	70	\$	79 \$	87	\$	114 \$	75	\$	83 \$	65
	Indianapolis		lis	Chicago			Des Moines				Dallas			Topeka		San Francisco		со
		2018	2017		2018	2017		2018	2017		2018	2017		2018	2017		2018	2017
Net interest income after provision (reversal) for credit losses	\$	71 \$	59	\$	124 \$	113	\$	157 \$	153	\$	68 \$	53	\$	66 \$	67	\$	148 \$	134
Non-interest income (loss)		6	(3)		_	10		8	35		3	8		(7)	9		(8)	112
Non-interest expense		23	20		42	42		33	32		24	22		15	16		49	80
Affordable Housing Program assessments		6	4		8	8		14	16		5	4		4	6		10	18
Net income (loss)	\$	48 \$	32	\$	74 \$	73	\$	118 \$	140	\$	42 \$	35	\$	40 \$	54	\$	81 \$	148

<sup>(1)</sup> The sum of the individual FHLBank income statement amounts may not agree to the combined income statement amounts due to combining adjustments.