

NBT Bancorp Inc. Announces Net Income of \$154.9 Million (\$3.54 per Diluted Common Share); Approves Dividend

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NORWICH, N.Y., Jan. 26, 2022 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- NBT Bancorp Inc. ("NBT" or the "Company") (NASDAQ: NBTB) reported net income and diluted earnings per share for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2021.

Net income for the year ended December 31, 2021 was \$154.9 million, up 48.4% from \$104.4 million for the prior year primarily due to changes in the estimated impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on expected credit losses. Diluted earnings per share for the year ended December 31, 2021 was \$3.54, as compared with \$2.37 for the prior year, an increase of 49.4%.

Pre-provision net revenue ("PPNR") ¹ for the year ended December 31, 2021 was \$195.3 million compared to \$193.4 million in the prior year. The increase in PPNR from the prior year reflected higher net interest income and higher noninterest income partly offset by higher noninterest expense. Income from Paycheck Protection Program ("PPP") loans increased \$7.1 million from the prior year.

Net income for the three months ended December 31, 2021 was \$37.3 million, or \$0.86 per diluted common share. Net income increased \$3.1 million from the fourth quarter of 2020, primarily due to higher net interest income and higher noninterest income, partly offset by higher provision for loan losses. The fourth quarter 2021 provision for loan losses was \$3.1 million compared to the fourth quarter 2020 provision release of \$0.6 million. Quarterly net income was consistent with the previous quarter and reflected improved revenue generation offset by a higher provision for loan losses and higher noninterest expense.

PPNR¹ for the fourth quarter of 2021 was \$51.5 million compared to \$47.4 million in the previous quarter and \$48.2 million in the fourth quarter of 2020. Income from PPP loans increased \$4.7 million and \$1.9 million from the previous quarter and the fourth quarter of 2020, respectively.

CEO Comments

"Our fourth quarter and full-year results for 2021 reflect the hard work of our team, and our strong finish is the culmination of a record year," said NBT President and CEO John H. Watt, Jr. "Our fee-based businesses achieved new levels of success year over year, and we saw digital adoption continue to soar across our consumer and commercial platforms, including a 64% increase in consumer digital adoption. NBT has a strong and growing capital base, which provides us with optionality that will enable our dedicated and talented team to be successful in 2022. I am excited to welcome Heidi Hoeller as our newest director. With over 25 years of experience in public accounting and financial services, we look forward to adding her valuable perspective to our strategic thinking."

Fourth Quarter Financial Highlights

Net Income	 Net income of \$37.3 million Diluted earnings per share of \$0.86
Net Interest Income / NIM	 Net interest income on a fully taxable equivalent basis was \$85.5 million¹ Net interest margin ("NIM") on a fully taxable equivalent basis was 3.08% ¹, up 20 basis points ("bps") from the prior quarter Total cost of deposits of 0.08%
PPNR	■ PPNR ¹ was \$51.5 million compared to \$47.4 million in the third quarter of 2021 and \$48.2 million in the fourth quarter of 2020
Loans and Credit Quality	 Period end total loans were \$7.5 billion at December 31, 2021 Excluding \$101 million and \$431 million of PPP loans at December 31, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively, period end loans increased \$329 million or 5% from December 31, 2020 Allowance for loan losses to total loans of 1.23% (1.24% excluding PPP loans), was consistent with the third quarter 2021 (down 4 bps excluding PPP loans) Net charge-offs to average loans were 0.22%, annualized (0.22% excluding PPP loans) Nonperforming loans to total loans were 0.44% (0.44% excluding PPP loans), down from 0.51% (0.53% excluding PPP loans) in the prior quarter
Capital	 Tangible book value per share² grew 1% for the quarter and 8% from prior year to \$22.26 at December 31, 2021 Tangible equity to assets of 8.20%¹ CET1 ratio of 12.25%; Leverage ratio of 9.41%

- Period end total loans were \$7.5 billion at December 31, 2021 and December 31, 2020.
- Excluding PPP loans, period end loans increased \$329 million from December 31, 2020. Commercial and industrial loans increased \$37.9 million to \$1.5 billion; commercial real estate loans increased \$124.7 million to \$2.3 billion; and total consumer loans increased \$166.6 million to \$3.6 billion.
- Total PPP loans as of December 31, 2021 were \$101 million (net of unamortized fees). The following PPP loan activity occurred during the fourth quarter of 2021:
 - o \$182.6 million of loans forgiven
 - o \$7.5 million of interest and fees recognized into interest income, compared to \$2.9 million for the third quarter of 2021
- Commercial line of credit utilization rate was 21% at December 31, 2021 compared to 21% at September 30, 2021 and 22% at December 31, 2020.

Deposits

- Average total deposits in the fourth quarter of 2021 were \$10.2 billion, compared to \$10.0 billion in the third quarter of 2021, driven by increases in checking and money market deposit accounts.
- Loan to deposit ratio was 73.3% at December 31, 2021, compared to 82.6% at December 31, 2020.

Net Interest Income and Net Interest Margin

- Net interest income for the fourth quarter of 2021 was \$85.2 million, which was up \$7.5 million or 9.7% from the third quarter of 2021 and up \$5.1 million or 6.3% from the fourth quarter of 2020. PPP income of \$7.5 million was \$4.7 million higher in the fourth quarter of 2021 compared to the prior quarter.
- The NIM on a fully taxable equivalent ("FTE") basis for the fourth quarter of 2021 was 3.08%, up 20 bps from the third quarter of 2021 and down 12 bps from the fourth quarter of 2020. Excluding the impact of PPP interest and fees and excess liquidity from each quarter, the NIM increased 5 bps from the prior quarter primarily due to a 3 bp increase in earning asset yields and a 2 bp decline in the cost of interest-bearing liabilities. The net impact of income from PPP loans and excess liquidity negatively impacted the NIM by 11 bps in the fourth quarter of 2021 compared to a negative 26 bps impact in the third quarter of 2021.
- Earning asset yields for the three months ended December 31, 2021 were up 18 bps from the prior quarter and down 23 bps from the same quarter in the prior year. Earning assets grew \$289.7 million or 2.7% from the prior quarter and grew \$1.0 billion or 10.3% from the same quarter in the prior year. The following are highlights comparing the fourth quarter of 2021 to the prior quarter:
 - Excess liquidity resulted in a \$131.7 million increase in the average balances of short-term interest-bearing accounts with a yield of 0.16%.
 - o The average balance of investment securities increased \$168.7 million while yields declined 7 bps.
 - Loan yields increased 36 bps to 4.20% for the quarter. Excluding PPP loans, yields increased 3 bps from the prior quarter.
- Total cost of deposits was 0.08% for the fourth quarter of 2021, down 2 bps from the prior quarter and down 9 bps from the same period in the prior year.
- The cost of interest-bearing liabilities for the three months ended December 31, 2021 was 0.24%, down 3 bps compared to the prior quarter of 0.27% and down 16 bps from the fourth quarter of 2020 of 0.40%.

Credit Quality and Allowance for Credit Losses

- Net charge-offs to total average loans of 22 bps compared to 11 bps (12 bps excluding PPP loans) in the prior quarter and 21 bps (22 bps excluding PPP loans) in the fourth quarter of 2020.
- Nonperforming assets to total assets was 0.27% (0.28% excluding PPP loans) compared to 0.33% (0.34% excluding PPP loans) at September 30, 2021 and 0.45% (0.47% excluding PPP loans) at December 31, 2020.
- Provision expense for the three months ended December 31, 2021 was \$3.1 million with net charge-offs of \$4.1 million. Provision expense was \$6.4 million higher than the third quarter of 2021 and \$3.7 million higher than fourth quarter of 2020. The increase in provision expense from the prior quarter and the fourth quarter of 2020 was driven by changes in the economic forecast, loan growth and the resultant required level of allowance for loan losses.
- The allowance for loan losses was \$92.0 million or 1.23% (1.24% excluding PPP loans and related allowance) of total loans at December 31, 2021, compared to 1.23% (1.28% excluding PPP loans and related allowance) of total loans at September 30, 2021 and 1.47% (1.56% excluding PPP loans and related allowance) of total loans at December 31, 2020. The decrease in the level of allowance for credit losses was primarily due to the positive impact the forecasted improving economic conditions had on expected credit losses partly offset by the increase in loan balances.
- The reserve for unfunded loan commitments decreased to \$5.1 million at December 31, 2021 compared to the prior quarter at \$5.3 million.

- Total noninterest income, excluding securities gains (losses), was \$41.1 million for the three months ended December 31, 2021, up \$0.7 million from the prior quarter and up \$3.2 million from the prior year quarter.
- Service charges on deposit accounts were higher than the prior quarter and the fourth quarter of 2020 but still below pre-pandemic levels.
- ATM and debit card fees were comparable to the prior quarter and higher than the fourth quarter of 2020 due to increased volume and modestly higher per transaction rates.
- Retirement plan administration fees were higher than the prior quarter and higher than the fourth quarter of 2020 driven by market performance and organic growth in relationships.
- Wealth management fees were comparable to the prior quarter and higher than the fourth quarter of 2020 aided by market performance and additional new customers.
- Other noninterest income decreased from the prior quarter and the fourth quarter of 2020 due principally to lower swap fee income.

Noninterest Expense

- Total noninterest expense for the fourth quarter of 2021 was up 3.1% from the previous quarter and comparable to the fourth quarter of 2020.
- Salaries and benefits were consistent with the prior quarter and up \$3.1 million from the fourth quarter of 2020 due to increased salaries and wages and higher levels of incentive compensation.
- Occupancy expense increased from the prior quarter and the fourth quarter of 2020 driven by seasonally higher repair and maintenance costs.
- Professional fees and outside services expense were higher than the prior quarter and the fourth quarter of 2020 due to higher costs associated with several digital and other technology-related initiatives.
- Advertising and marketing expenses were higher than the prior quarter and the fourth quarter of 2020 due to timing of refreshed collateral and messaging materials.
- Other expenses decreased from the prior quarter and the fourth quarter of 2020. The decrease from the prior year was primarily due to a \$4.1 million expense in 2020 for branch optimization charges.

Income Taxes

■ The effective tax rate was 22.4% for the fourth quarter of 2021 compared to 22.8% for the third quarter of 2021 and 21.6% for the fourth quarter of 2020. The higher effective tax rate compared to the fourth quarter of 2020 was due to the change in the level of taxable income to bring the full year effective tax rate to 22.5%.

Capital

- Capital ratios remain strong with tangible common equity to tangible assets¹ at 8.20%. Tangible book value per share² grew 1% from the prior quarter and 8% from the prior year quarter to \$22.26.
- December 31, 2021, CET1 capital ratio of 12.25%, leverage ratio of 9.41% and total risk-based capital ratio of 15.73%.

Dividend and Stock Repurchase

- The Board of Directors approved a first-quarter cash dividend of \$0.28 per share at a meeting held today. The dividend will be paid on March 15, 2022 to shareholders of record as of March 1, 2022. The cash dividend is \$0.01 or 3.7% higher than the dividend paid in the first quarter of 2021. The \$0.28 cash dividend has an effective yield of 2.85% as of the market close on January 21, 2022.
- The Company purchased 204,637 shares of common stock during the fourth quarter of 2021 at a weighted average price of \$37.29 excluding commissions. The repurchase program under which these shares were purchased expired on December 31, 2021.
- On December 20, 2021, the Board of Directors authorized a repurchase program for NBT to repurchase up to 2,000,000 shares of its outstanding common stock. This plan expires on December 31, 2023.

Conference Call and Webcast

The Company will host a conference call at 8:30 a.m. (Eastern) Thursday, January 27, 2022, to review fourth quarter 2021 financial results. The audio webcast link, along with the corresponding presentation slides, will be available on the Company's Event Calendar page at https://stockholderinfo.nbtbancorp.com/events-calendar/upcoming-events and will be archived for twelve months.

Corporate Overview

NBT Bancorp Inc. is a financial holding company headquartered in Norwich, NY, with total assets of \$12.0 billion at December 31, 2021. The Company primarily operates through NBT Bank, N.A., a full-service community bank, and through two financial services companies. NBT Bank, N.A. has 140 banking locations in New York, Pennsylvania, Vermont, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Maine and Connecticut. EPIC Retirement Plan Services, based in Rochester, NY, is a full-service retirement plan administration and recordkeeping firm. NBT Insurance Agency, LLC, based in Norwich, NY, is

a full-service insurance agency. More information about NBT and its divisions is available online at: www.nbtbancorp.com, www.nbtbancorp.c

Forward-Looking Statements

This news release contains forward-looking statements, as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements may be identified by the use of phrases such as "anticipate," "believe," "expect," "forecasts," "projects," "will," "can," "would," "should," "could," "may," or other similar terms. There are a number of factors, many of which are beyond the Company's control that could cause actual results to differ materially from those contemplated by the forward-looking statements. Factors that may cause actual results to differ materially from those contemplated by such forward-looking statements include, among others, the following possibilities: (1) local, regional, national and international economic conditions and the impact they may have on the Company and its customers and the Company's assessment of that impact; (2) changes in the level of nonperforming assets and charge-offs; (3) changes in estimates of future reserve requirements based upon the periodic review thereof under relevant regulatory and accounting requirements; (4) the effects of and changes in trade and monetary and fiscal policies and laws, including the interest rate policies of the Federal Reserve Board ("FRB"); (5) inflation, interest rate, securities market and monetary fluctuations; (6) political instability; (7) acts of war or terrorism; (8) the timely development and acceptance of new products and services and perceived overall value of these products and services by users; (9) changes in consumer spending, borrowings and savings habits; (10) changes in the financial performance and/or condition of the Company's borrowers; (11) technological changes; (12) acquisitions and integration of acquired businesses; (13) the ability to increase market share and control expenses; (14) changes in the competitive environment among financial holding companies; (15) the effect of changes in laws and regulations (including laws and regulations concerning taxes, banking, securities and insurance) with which the Company and its subsidiaries must comply, including those under the Dodd-Frank Act, Economic Growth, Regulatory Relief, Consumer Protection Act of 2018, Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act ("CARES Act"), and other legislative and regulatory responses to the coronavirus ("COVID-19") pandemic; (16) the effect of changes in accounting policies and practices, as may be adopted by the regulatory agencies, as well as the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") and other accounting standard setters; (17) changes in the Company's organization, compensation and benefit plans; (18) the costs and effects of legal and regulatory developments including the resolution of legal proceedings or regulatory or other governmental inquiries and the results of regulatory examinations or reviews; (19) greater than expected costs or difficulties related to the integration of new products and lines of business; (20) the adverse impact on the U.S. economy, including the markets in which we operate, of the COVID-19 global pandemic; and (21) the Company's success at managing the risks involved in the foregoing items.

Currently, one of the most significant factors that could cause actual outcomes to differ materially from the Company's forward-looking statements is the potential adverse effect of the current COVID-19 pandemic on the financial condition, results of operations, cash flows and performance of the Company, its customers and the global economy and financial markets. The extent to which the COVID-19 pandemic impacts the Company will depend on future developments, which are highly uncertain and cannot be predicted with confidence, including the scope, severity and duration of the pandemic, treatment developments, public adoption rates of COVID-19 vaccines, including booster shots, and their effectiveness against emerging variants of COVID-19, including the Delta and Omicron variants, the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the Company's customers and demand for financial services, the actions governments, businesses and individuals take in response to the pandemic, the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and actions taken in response to the pandemic on global and regional economies, national and local economic activity, and the pace of recovery when the COVID-19 pandemic subsides, among others. Moreover, investors are cautioned to interpret many of the risks identified under the section entitled "Risk Factors" in our Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2020 as being heightened as a result of the ongoing and numerous adverse impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. The Company cautions readers not place undue reliance on any forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date made, and advises readers that various factors including, but not limited to, those described above and other factors discussed in the Company's annual and quarterly reports previously filed with the SEC, could affect the Company's financial performance and could cause the Company's actual results or circumstances for future periods to differ materially from those anticipated or projected. Unless required by law, the Company does not undertake, and specifically disclaims any obligations to, publicly release any revisions that may be made to any forward-looking statements to reflect the occurrence of anticipated or unanticipated events or circumstances after the date of such statements.

Non-GAAP Measures

This press release contains financial information determined by methods other than in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). Where non-GAAP disclosures are used in this press release, the comparable GAAP measure, as well as a reconciliation to the comparable GAAP measure, is provided in the accompanying tables. Management believes that these non-GAAP measures provide useful information that is important to an understanding of the results of the Company's core business as well as provide information standard in the financial institution industry. Non-GAAP measures should not be considered a substitute for financial measures determined in accordance with GAAP and investors should consider the Company's performance and financial condition as reported under GAAP and all other relevant information when assessing the performance or financial condition of the Company. Amounts previously reported in the consolidated financial statements are reclassified whenever necessary to conform to current period presentation.

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NBT Bancorp Inc. and Subsidiaries Selected Financial Data

(unaudited, dollars in thousands except per share data)

	20	21		2020
4th Q	3rd Q	2nd Q	1st Q	4th Q

Profitability:						
Diluted earnings per share	\$	0.86	\$ 0.86	\$ 0.92	\$ 0.91	\$ 0.78
Weighted average diluted common shares						
outstanding	43	3,574,539	43,631,497	43,792,940	43,889,889	43,973,971
Return on average assets ³		1.23%	1.26%	1.39%	1.46%	1.24%
Return on average equity ³		11.89%	12.04%	13.42%	13.57%	11.59%

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	12 Months Ended December 31,				
		2021		2020	
Profitability:	·			_	
Diluted earnings per share	\$	3.54	\$	2.37	
Weighted average diluted common shares outstanding	43	3,718,804		43,988,623	
Return on average assets		1.33%		0.99%	
Return on average equity		12.71%		9.09%	
Return on average tangible common equity ¹		16.92%		12.48%	
Net interest margin ¹		3.03%		3.31%	

Return on average tangible common equity $^{1\ 3}$

Net interest margin^{1 3}

		20	21			2020
	4th Q	3rd Q		2nd Q	1st Q	4th Q
Balance sheet data:						
Short-term interest-bearing accounts	\$ 1,111,296	\$ 1,131,074	\$	883,758	\$ 972,195	\$ 512,686
Securities available for sale	1,687,361	1,576,030		1,534,733	1,387,028	1,348,698
Securities held to maturity	733,210	683,103		622,351	592,999	616,560
Net loans	7,406,459	7,473,442		7,419,127	7,528,459	7,388,885
Total assets	12,012,111	11,994,411		11,574,947	11,537,253	10,932,906
Total deposits	10,234,469	10,195,178		9,785,257	9,815,930	9,081,692
Total borrowings	311,476	313,311		304,110	308,766	406,731
Total liabilities	10,761,658	10,752,954		10,349,891	10,346,272	9,745,288
Stockholders' equity	1,250,453	1,241,457		1,225,056	1,190,981	1,187,618
Capital:						
Equity to assets	10.41%	10.35%		10.58%	10.32%	10.86%
Tangible equity ratio ¹	8.20%	8.13%		8.28%	8.00%	8.41%
Book value per share	\$ 28.97	\$ 28.65	\$	28.19	\$ 27.43	\$ 27.22
Tangible book value per share ²	\$ 22.26	\$ 21.95	\$	21.50	\$ 20.71	\$ 20.52
Leverage ratio	9.41%	9.47%		9.40%	9.60%	9.56%
Common equity tier 1 capital ratio	12.25%	12.20%		12.12%	12.13%	11.84%
Tier 1 capital ratio	13.43%	13.39%		13.34%	13.38%	13.09%
Total risk-based capital ratio	15.73%	15.74%		15.78%	15.92%	15.62%
Common stock price (end of period)	\$ 38.52	\$ 36.12	\$	35.97	\$ 39.90	\$ 32.10

NBT Bancorp Inc. and Subsidiaries Asset Quality and Consolidated Loan Balances

		2021								2020
		4th Q		3rd Q		2nd Q		1st Q		4th Q
Asset quality:	<u></u>									
Nonaccrual loans	\$	30,285	\$	35,737	\$	40,550	\$	43,399	\$	44,647
90 days past due and still accruing		2,458		2,940		2,575		2,155		3,149
Total nonperforming loans		32,743		38,677		43,125		45,554		47,796
Other real estate owned		167		859		798		1,318		1,458
Total nonperforming assets		32,910		39,536		43,923		46,872		49,254
Allowance for loan losses		92,000		93,000		98,500		105,000		110,000

Asset quality ratios (total):					
Allowance for loan losses to total loans	1.23%	1.23%	1.31%	1.38%	1.47%
Total nonperforming loans to total loans	0.44%	0.51%	0.57%	0.60%	0.64%
Total nonperforming assets to total assets	0.27%	0.33%	0.38%	0.41%	0.45%
Allowance for loan losses to total nonperforming					
loans	280.98%	240.45%	228.41%	230.50%	230.14%
Past due loans to total loans ⁴	0.29%	0.46%	0.26%	0.22%	0.37%
Net charge-offs to average loans ³	0.22%	0.11%	0.07%	0.12%	0.21%
Asset quality ratios (excluding paycheck protect	ion program):				
Allowance for loan losses to total loans	1.24%	1.28%	1.38%	1.48%	1.56%
Total nonperforming loans to total loans	0.44%	0.53%	0.60%	0.64%	0.68%
Total nonperforming assets to total assets	0.28%	0.34%	0.39%	0.43%	0.47%
Allowance for loan losses to total nonperforming					
loans	280.96%	240.42%	228.36%	230.44%	230.10%
Past due loans to total loans ⁴	0.29%	0.48%	0.27%	0.23%	0.39%
Net charge-offs to average loans ³	0.22%	0.12%	0.07%	0.13%	0.22%

		2021					
	4th Q	3rd Q	2nd Q	1st Q	4th Q		
Allowance for loan losses as a percentage	of loans by segment:				_		
Commercial & industrial	0.78%	0.83%	1.11%	1.20%	1.34%		
Commercial real estate	0.78%	0.93%	1.26%	1.48%	1.49%		
Paycheck protection program	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%		
Residential real estate	0.92%	0.93%	0.98%	1.03%	1.07%		
Auto	0.79%	0.78%	0.76%	0.78%	0.93%		
Other consumer	4.49%	4.57%	4.27%	4.34%	4.55%		
Total	1.23%	1.23%	1.31%	1.38%	1.47%		
Total excluding PPP loans	1.24%	1.28%	1.38%	1.48%	1.56%		

			2020				
Loans by line of business:	4th Q	3rd Q	2nd Q		1st Q		4th Q
Commercial	\$ 1,489,414	\$ 1,466,597	\$ 1,479,258	\$	1,466,841	\$	1,451,560
Commercial real estate	2,321,193	2,320,341	2,265,754		2,242,289		2,196,477
Paycheck protection program	101,222	276,195	359,738		536,494		430,810
Residential real estate mortgages	1,571,232	1,549,684	1,512,354		1,478,216		1,466,662
Indirect auto	859,454	873,860	899,324		913,083		931,286
Specialty lending	778,291	692,919	602,585		577,509		579,644
Home equity	330,357	339,316	351,469		369,633		387,974
Other consumer	47,296	47,530	47,145		49,394		54,472
Total loans	\$ 7,498,459	\$ 7,566,442	\$ 7,517,627	\$	7,633,459	\$	7,498,885
PPP unamortized fees (dollars in millions)	\$ 3.4	\$ 10.5	\$ 12.6	\$	14.2	\$	6.9

NBT Bancorp Inc. and Subsidiaries Consolidated Balance Sheets

Assets	De	ecember 31, 2021	D	ecember 31, 2020
Cash and due from banks	\$	157,775	\$	159,995
Short-term interest-bearing accounts		1,111,296		512,686
Equity securities, at fair value		33,550		30,737
Securities available for sale, at fair value		1,687,361		1,348,698
Securities held to maturity (fair value \$735,260 and \$636,827, respectively)		733,210		616,560
Federal Reserve and Federal Home Loan Bank stock		25,098		27,353
Loans held for sale		830		1,119
Loans		7,498,459		7,498,885

Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	12,012,111	\$	10,932,906
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Total stockholders' equity	\$	1,250,453	\$	1,187,618
Total liabilities	Þ	10,701,036	Φ	9,745,288
Total liabilities	\$	10,761,658	\$	
Other liabilities		215,713		256,865
Junior subordinated debt		101,196		101,196
Subordinated debt, net		98,490		98,052
Long-term debt		13,995		39,097
Short-term borrowings	•	97,795	*	168,386
Total deposits	\$	10,234,469	\$	9,081,692
Time		501,472		633,479
Savings, NOW and money market		6,043,441		5,207,090
Demand (noninterest bearing)	\$	3,689,556	\$	3,241,123
Liabilities and stockholders' equity				
Total assets	\$	12,012,111	\$	10,932,906
Other assets		266,733		293,957
Bank owned life insurance		228,238		186,434
Intangible assets, net		8,927		11,735
Goodwill		280,541		280,541
Premises and equipment, net		72,093		74,206
Net loans	\$	7,406,459	\$	7,388,885
Less allowance for loan losses		92,000		110,000

NBT Bancorp Inc. and Subsidiaries Consolidated Statements of Income

(unaudited, dollars in thousands except per share data)

	Three Mo Decen	nths Er		Twelve Months Ended December 31,				
	2021		2020		2021		2020	
Interest, fee and dividend income								
Interest and fees on loans	\$ 79,470	\$	76,863	\$	302,175	\$	307,859	
Securities available for sale	6,101		5,478		23,305		22,434	
Securities held to maturity	3,097		3,532		12,551		15,283	
Other	639		568		1,845		2,706	
Total interest, fee and dividend income	\$ 89,307	\$	86,441	\$	339,876	\$	348,282	
Interest expense								
Deposits	\$ 2,132	\$	3,887	\$	10,714	\$	22,070	
Short-term borrowings	28		193		158		3,408	
Long-term debt	88		369		389		1,553	
Subordinated debt	1,360		1,339		5,437		2,842	
Junior subordinated debt	518		545		2,090		2,731	
Total interest expense	\$ 4,126	\$	6,333	\$	18,788	\$	32,604	
Net interest income	\$ 85,181	\$	80,108	\$	321,088	\$	315,678	
Provision for loan losses	3,097		(607)		(8,257)		51,134	
Net interest income after provision for loan losses	\$ 82,084	\$	80,715	\$	329,345	\$	264,544	
Noninterest income								
Service charges on deposit accounts	\$ 3,804	\$	3,588	\$	13,348	\$	13,201	
ATM and debit card fees	7,958		6,776		31,301		25,960	
Retirement plan administration fees	11,816		9,011		42,188		35,851	
Wealth management fees	8,619		7,456		33,718		29,247	
Insurance services	3,394		3,454		14,083		14,757	
Bank owned life insurance income	1,629		1,733		6,217		5,743	
Net securities (losses) gains	(2)		160		566		(388)	
Other	 3,893		5,937		16,373		21,905	
Total noninterest income	\$ 41,111	\$	38,115	\$	157,794	\$	146,276	

Noninterest expense

Salaries and employee benefits	\$ 44,118	\$ 41,016	\$ 172,580	\$ 161,934
Occupancy	5,641	5,280	21,922	21,634
Data processing and communications	3,950	4,157	16,989	16,527
Professional fees and outside services	4,903	4,388	16,306	15,082
Equipment	5,607	5,395	21,854	19,889
Office supplies and postage	1,528	1,517	6,006	6,138
FDIC expense	798	739	3,041	2,688
Advertising	1,019	827	2,521	2,288
Amortization of intangible assets	651	822	2,808	3,395
Loan collection and other real estate owned, net	956	930	2,915	3,295
Other	5,934	10,133	20,339	24,863
Total noninterest expense	\$ 75,105	\$ 75,204	\$ 287,281	\$ 277,733
Income before income tax expense	\$ 48,090	\$ 43,626	\$ 199,858	\$ 133,087
Income tax expense	10,780	9,432	44,973	28,699
Net income	\$ 37,310	\$ 34,194	\$ 154,885	\$ 104,388
Earnings Per Share	·	·		
Basic	\$ 0.86	\$ 0.78	\$ 3.57	\$ 2.39
Diluted	\$ 0.86	\$ 0.78	\$ 3.54	\$ 2.37

NBT Bancorp Inc. and Subsidiaries

Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Income

(unaudited, dollars in thousands except per share data)

	2021							2020		
		4th Q		3rd Q		2nd Q		1st Q		4th Q
Interest, fee and dividend income	·									
Interest and fees on loans	\$	79,470	\$	72,817	\$	74,795	\$	75,093	\$	76,863
Securities available for sale		6,101		5,898		5,762		5,544		5,478
Securities held to maturity		3,097		2,976		3,096		3,382		3,532
Other		639		524		391		291		568
Total interest, fee and dividend income	\$	89,307	\$	82,215	\$	84,044	\$	84,310	\$	86,441
Interest expense										
Deposits	\$	2,132	\$	2,548	\$	2,862	\$	3,172	\$	3,887
Short-term borrowings		28		28		32		70		193
Long-term debt		88		89		88		124		369
Subordinated debt		1,360		1,359		1,359		1,359		1,339
Junior subordinated debt		518		517		525		530		545
Total interest expense	\$	4,126	\$	4,541	\$	4,866	\$	5,255	\$	6,333
Net interest income	\$	85,181	\$	77,674	\$	79,178	\$	79,055	\$	80,108
Provision for loan losses		3,097		(3,342)		(5,216)		(2,796)		(607)
Net interest income after provision for loan										
losses	\$	82,084	\$	81,016	\$	84,394	\$	81,851	\$	80,715
Noninterest income										
Service charges on deposit accounts	\$	3,804	\$	3,489	\$	3,028	\$	3,027	\$	3,588
ATM and debit card fees		7,958		8,172		8,309		6,862		6,776
Retirement plan administration fees		11,816		10,495		9,779		10,098		9,011
Wealth management fees		8,619		8,783		8,406		7,910		7,456
Insurance services		3,394		3,720		3,508		3,461		3,454
Bank owned life insurance income		1,629		1,548		1,659		1,381		1,733
Net securities (losses) gains		(2)		(100)		201		467		160
Other		3,893		4,222		4,426		3,832		5,937
Total noninterest income	\$	41,111	\$	40,329	\$	39,316	\$	37,038	\$	38,115
Noninterest expense										
Salaries and employee benefits	\$	44,118	\$	44,190	\$	42,671	\$	41,601	\$	41,016
Occupancy		5,641		5,117		5,291		5,873		5,280
Data processing and communications		3,950		3,881		4,427		4,731		4,157
Professional fees and outside services		4,903		3,784		4,030		3,589		4,388
Equipment		5,607		5,577		5,493		5,177		5,395
Office supplies and postage		1,528		1,364		1,615		1,499		1,517
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FDIC expense	798	772	663	808	739
Advertising	1,019	583	468	451	827
Amortization of intangible assets	651	663	682	812	822
Loan collection and other real estate owned, net	956	706	663	590	930
Other	5,934	6,232	5,416	2,757	10,133
Total noninterest expense	\$ 75,105	\$ 72,869	\$ 71,419	\$ 67,888	\$ 75,204
Income before income tax expense	\$ 48,090	\$ 48,476	\$ 52,291	\$ 51,001	\$ 43,626
Income tax expense	10,780	11,043	11,995	11,155	9,432
Net income	\$ 37,310	\$ 37,433	\$ 40,296	\$ 39,846	\$ 34,194
Earnings Per Share					
Basic	\$ 0.86	\$ 0.86	\$ 0.93	\$ 0.91	\$ 0.78
Diluted	\$ 0.86	\$ 0.86	\$ 0.92	\$ 0.91	\$ 0.78

NBT Bancorp Inc. and Subsidiaries Average Quarterly Balance Sheets

(unaudited, dollars in thousands)

	Average Balance	Yield / Rates	Average Balance	Yield / Rates	Average Balance	Yield / Rates	Average Balance	Yield / Rates	Average Balance	Yield / Rates
	Q4 - 20		Q3 - 20		Q2 - 20		Q1 - 20		Q4 - 20	
Assets Short-term interest-bearing	Q4 - 20	<u> </u>	Q3 - 20	21	<u> </u>	<u>, 21</u>	Q1-20	21	Q4 - 20	20
accounts	\$ 1,145,794	0.16%	\$ 1,014,120	0.16%	\$ 974,034	0.09%	\$ 587,358	0.09%	\$ 552,529	0.11%
Securities available for sale 15	1,608,128	1.51%	1,513,071	1.55%	1,453,068	1.59%	1,346,380	1.67%	1,230,411	1.77%
Securities held to maturity ^{1 5} Investment in FRB and FHLB	730,988	1.82%	657,314	1.95%	604,582	2.23%	607,407	2.43%	640,422	2.36%
Banks	25,149	2.74%	25,154	1.91%	25,115	2.67%	25,606	2.45%	28,275	5.94%
Loans ^{1 6}	7,507,165	4.20%	7,517,839	3.84%	7,574,272	3.96%	7,574,337	4.02%	7,533,953	4.06%
Total interest-earning assets Other assets	\$11,017,224 982,136	3.23%	\$10,727,498 1,019,797	3.05%	\$10,631,071 971,681	3.18%	\$10,141,088 960,994	3.38%	\$ 9,985,590 954,123	3.46%
Total assets	\$11,999,360		\$11,747,295		\$11,602,752		\$11,102,082	,	\$10,939,713	
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Liabilities and stockholders' equity										
Money market deposit accounts	\$ 2,678,477		\$ 2,580,570		\$ 2,605,767		\$ 2,484,120		\$ 2,455,510	0.27%
NOW deposit accounts	1,551,846	0.05%	1,442,678	0.05%	1,454,751	0.05%	1,358,955	0.05%	1,315,370	0.05%
Savings deposits	1,725,004	0.05%	1,691,539	0.05%	1,660,722	0.05%	1,547,983	0.05%	1,465,562	0.05%
Time deposits	537,875	0.46%	565,216	0.62%	591,147	0.75%	615,343	0.93%	645,288	1.15%
Total interest-bearing deposits	\$ 6,493,202		\$ 6,280,003		\$ 6,312,387		\$ 6,006,401		\$ 5,881,730	0.26%
Short-term borrowings	97,455	0.11%	99,703	0.11%	95,226	0.13%	115,182	0.25%	175,597	0.44%
Long-term debt	14,004	2.49%	14,029	2.52%	14,053	2.51%	19,913	2.53%	59,488	2.47%
Subordinated debt, net	98,422	5.48%	98,311	5.48%	98,204	5.55%	98,095	5.62%	97,984	5.44%
Junior subordinated debt	101,196	2.03%	101,196	2.03%	101,196	2.08%	101,196	2.12%	101,196	2.14%
Total interest-bearing liabilities		0.24%	\$ 6,593,242	0.27%	\$ 6,621,066	0.29%	\$ 6,340,787	0.34%	\$ 6,315,995	0.40%
Demand deposits	3,719,070		3,676,883		3,542,176		3,319,024		3,178,410	
Other liabilities	231,260		244,125		235,536		250,991		271,206	
Stockholders' equity	1,244,751		1,233,045		1,203,974		1,191,280		1,174,102	
Total liabilities and stockholders'	^ 44 ^000 0 55		A 44 7 4 7 0 55		444 000 7 -5		# 44 400 000		* 40.000 * 40.	
equity	\$11,999,360		\$11,747,295		\$11,602,752		\$11,102,082		\$10,939,713	
Interest rate spread		2.99%		2.78%		2.89%		3.04%		3.06%
Net interest margin (FTE) ¹		3.08%		2.88%		3.00%		3.17%		3.20%

NBT Bancorp Inc. and Subsidiaries Average Year-to-Date Balance Sheets

	Average Yield/			Yield/	Average		Yield/		
		Balance	In	terest	Rates	Balance	Int	erest	Rates
Twelve Months Ended December 31,			202	1			2020		
Assets									
Short-term interest-bearing accounts	\$	932,086	\$	1,229	0.13%	\$ 372,144	\$	610	0.16%
Securities available for sale ^{1 5}		1,480,969		23,305	1.57%	1,079,600		22,434	2.08%
Securities held to maturity ^{1 5}		650,431		13,586	2.09%	624,668		16,363	2.62%
Investment in FRB and FHLB Banks		25,255		616	2.44%	33,570		2,096	6.24%
Loans ¹⁶		7,543,149		302,331	4.01%	7,461,795		308,080	4.13%
Total interest-earning assets	\$	10,631,890	\$	341,067	3.21%	\$ 9,571,777	\$	349,583	3.65%
Other assets		983,809				942,274			
Total assets	\$	11,615,699				\$ 10,514,051			
Liabilities and stockholders' equity									
Money market deposit accounts	\$	2,587,748	\$	5,117	0.20%	\$ 2,320,947	\$	10,313	0.44%
NOW deposit accounts		1,452,560		738	0.05%	1,194,398		716	0.06%
Savings deposits		1,656,893		829	0.05%	1,393,436		745	0.05%
Time deposits		577,150		4,030	0.70%	733,073		10,296	1.40%
Total interest-bearing deposits	\$	6,274,351	\$	10,714	0.17%	\$ 5,641,854	\$	22,070	0.39%
Short-term borrowings		101,838		158	0.16%	352,809		3,408	0.97%
Long-term debt		15,479		389	2.51%	62,990		1,553	2.47%
Subordinated debt, net		98,259		5,437	5.53%	51,394		2,842	5.53%
Junior subordinated debt		101,196		2,090	2.07%	101,196		2,731	2.70%
Total interest-bearing liabilities	\$	6,591,123_	\$	18,788	0.29%	\$ 6,210,243	\$	32,604	0.53%
Demand deposits		3,565,693				2,895,341			
Other liabilities		240,434				259,992			
Stockholders' equity		1,218,449				1,148,475			
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	11,615,699				\$ 10,514,051			
Net interest income (FTE) ¹		_	\$	322,279		_	\$	316,979	
Interest rate spread					2.92%				3.12%
Net interest margin (FTE) ¹					3.03%				3.31%
Taxable equivalent adjustment		_	\$	1,191		_	\$	1,301	
Net interest income		-	\$	321,088		-	\$	315,678	

¹ The following tables provide the Non-GAAP reconciliations for the Non-GAAP measures contained in this release:

Non-GAAP measures

(unaudited, dollars in thousands)

Pre-provision net revenue ("PPNR")			2020				
	4th Q	3rd Q	2nd Q		1st Q		4th Q
Net income	37,310	37,433	40,296		39,846		34,194
Income tax expense	10,780	11,043	11,995		11,155		9,432
Provision for loan losses	3,097	(3,342)	(5,216)		(2,796)		(607)
FTE adjustment	292	298	299		302		318
Net securities losses (gains)	2	100	(201)		(467)		(160)
Provision for unfunded loan commitments							
reserve	(250)	(470)	(80)		(500)		900
Nonrecurring expense	250	2,288	1,880		-		4,100
PPNR	\$ 51,481	\$ 47,350	\$ 48,973	\$	47,540	\$	48,177
Average Assets	\$ 11,999,360	\$ 11,747,295	\$ 11,602,757	\$	11,102,082	\$	10,939,713
Return on Average Assets ³	1.23%	1.26%	1.39%		1.46%		1.24%
PPNR Return on Average Assets ³	1.70%	1.60%	1.69%		1.74%		1.75%

12 Months Ended December 31,

	2021	2020
Net income	\$ 154,885	\$ 104,388
Income tax expense	44,973	28,699
Provision for loan losses	(8,257)	51,134
FTE adjustment	1,191	1,301
Net securities (gains) losses	(566)	388
Provision for unfunded loan commitments		
reserve	(1,300)	2,700
Nonrecurring expense	4,418	4,750
PPNR	\$ 195,344	\$ 193,360
Average Assets	\$ 11,615,699	\$ 10,514,051
Return on Average Assets	1.33%	0.99%
PPNR Return on Average Assets	1.68%	1.84%

PPNR is a Non-GAAP financial measure that management believes is useful in evaluating the underlying operating results of the Company excluding the volatility in the provision for loan losses, net securities gains (losses) and non-recurring income and/or expense.

FTE Adjustment	2021								2020		
	4th Q	3rd Q 2nd Q 1st Q				4th Q					
Net interest income	\$ 85,181	\$	77,674	\$	79,178	\$	79,055	\$	80,108		
Add: FTE adjustment	292		298		299		302		318		
Net interest income (FTE)	\$ 85,473	\$	77,972	\$	79,477	\$	79,357	\$	80,426		
Average earning assets	\$ 11,017,224	\$	10,727,498	\$	10,631,071	\$	10,141,088	\$	9,985,590		
Net interest margin (FTE) ³	3.08%		2.88%		3.00%		3.17%		3.20%		

	1:	2 Months Ende	d De	ecember 31,
		2021		2020
Net interest income	\$	321,088	\$	315,678
Add: FTE adjustment		1,191		1,301
Net interest income (FTE)	\$	322,279	\$	316,979
Average earning assets	\$	10,631,890	\$	9,571,777
Net interest margin (FTE)		3.03%		3.31%

Interest income for tax-exempt securities and loans have been adjusted to a FTE basis using the statutory Federal income tax rate of 21%.

Non-GAAP measures

Tangible equity to tangible assets				2020						
		4th Q		3rd Q		2nd Q		1st Q		4th Q
Total equity	\$	1,250,453	\$	1,241,457	\$	1,225,056	\$	1,190,981	\$	1,187,618
Intangible assets		289,468		290,119		290,782		291,464		292,276
Total assets	\$	12,012,111	\$	11,994,411	\$	11,574,947	\$	11,537,253	\$	10,932,906
Tangible equity to tangible assets		8.20%		8.13%		8.28%		8.00%		8.41%
Return on average tangible common equity	2021									2020
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Return on average tangible common equity		20	021			2020
	4th Q	3rd Q		2nd Q	1st Q	4th Q
Net income	\$ 37,310	\$ 37,433	\$	40,296	\$ 39,846	\$ 34,194
Amortization of intangible assets (net of tax)	488	497		512	609	617
Net income, excluding intangibles amortization	\$ 37,798	\$ 37,930	\$	40,808	\$ 40,455	\$ 34,811
Average stockholders' equity	\$ 1,244,751	\$ 1,233,045	\$	1,203,974	\$ 1,191,280	\$ 1,174,102
Less: average goodwill and other intangibles	289,834	290,492		291,133	291,921	292,725
Average tangible common equity	\$ 954,917	\$ 942,553	\$	912,841	\$ 899,359	\$ 881,377

¹ The following tables provide the Non-GAAP reconciliations for the Non-GAAP measures contained in this release:

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	12 Months Ended December 31								
		2021		2020					
Net income	\$	154,885	\$	104,388					
Amortization of intangible assets (net of tax)		2,106		2,546					
Net income, excluding intangibles amortization	\$	156,991	\$	106,934					
Average stockholders' equity	\$	1,218,449	\$	1,148,475					
Less: average goodwill and other intangibles		290,838		291,787					
Average tangible common equity	\$	927,611	\$	856,688					
Return on average tangible common equity		16.92%		12.48%					

² Non-GAAP measure - Stockholders' equity less goodwill and intangible assets divided by common shares outstanding.

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³ Annualized.

 $^{^{4}\,}$ Total past due loans, defined as loans 30 days or more past due and in an accrual status.

⁵ Securities are shown at average amortized cost.

⁶ For purposes of these computations, nonaccrual loans and loans held for sale are included in the average loan balances outstanding.