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Third Quarter 2019 Financial Review

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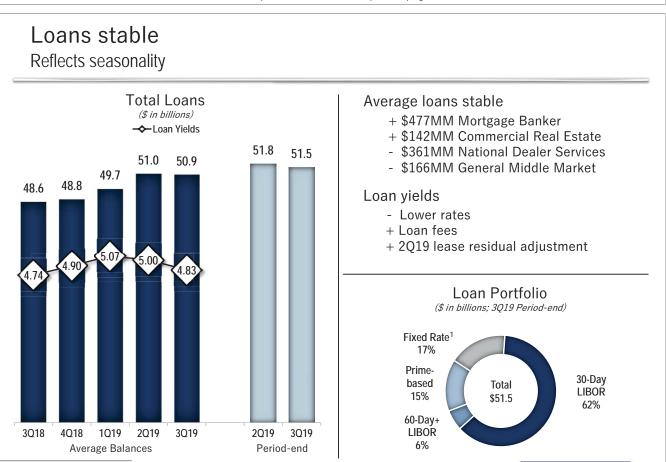


#### Third Quarter 2019 Results

Fee income growth & expense discipline kept efficiency ratio low at 52%

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(millions, except per share data)	3Q19	2Q19	3Q18	2Q19	3Q18
Average loans	\$50,887	\$50,963	\$48,584	\$(76)	\$2,303
Average deposits	55,716	54,995	56,093	721	(377)
Net interest income	\$586	\$603	\$599	\$(17)	\$(13)
Provision for credit losses	35	44	-	(9)	35
Noninterest income <sup>1</sup>	256	250	234	6	22
Noninterest expenses <sup>2</sup>	435	424	452	11	(17)
Provision for income tax	80	87	63	(7)	17
Net income	292	298	318	(6)	(26)
Earnings per share <sup>3</sup>	\$1.96	\$1.94	\$1.86	\$0.02	\$0.10
Average diluted shares	148.1	153.2	170.1	(5.1)	(22.0)
ROE <sup>4</sup>	15.97%	16.41%	16.15%		
ROA <sup>5</sup>	1.61	1.68	1.77		
Efficiency Ratio <sup>6</sup>	51.54	49.65	52.93		

3Q19 compared to 2Q19 • 13Q18 included \$20MM loss related to repositioning of securities portfolio • 23Q18 includes \$12MM in restructuring charges • 3Diluted earnings per common share • 4Return on average common shareholders' equity • 5Return on average assets • 6Noninterest expenses as a percentage of net interest income and noninterest income excluding net gains (losses) from securities and a derivative contract tied to the conversion rate of Visa Class B shares. • 73Q19 repurchases under the share repurchase program



3Q19 compared to 2Q19 • <sup>1</sup>Fixed rate loans include \$3.8B receive fixed / pay floating (30-day LIBOR) interest rate swaps

#### Key QoQ Performance Drivers

- Loans stable; reflects seasonality
- Deposits increased 1%
- Net interest income impacted by lower interest rates
- Overall credit metrics remained solid; Provision reflects higher Energy reserves
- Broad-based noninterest income growth
- Expenses well controlled; reflect higher comp, tech & occupancy
- Tax included discrete benefits of \$5MM
- Repurchased 5.7MM shares<sup>7</sup>: \$467MM returned to shareholders (buyback & dividend)

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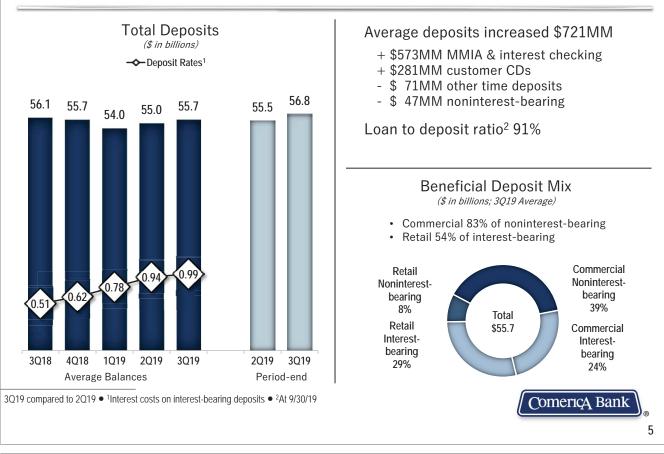
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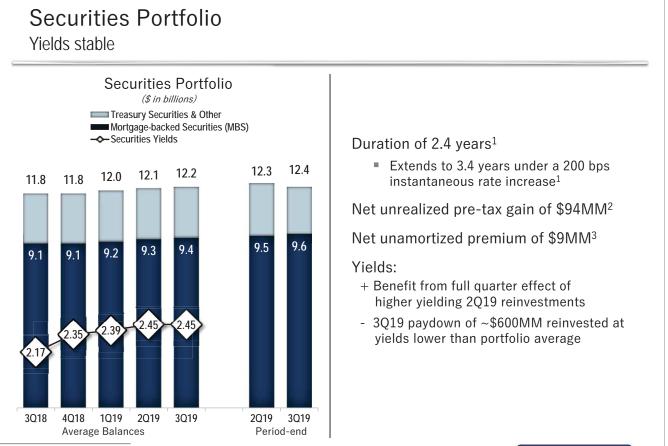
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### Deposits Increased

Average deposits increased 1%



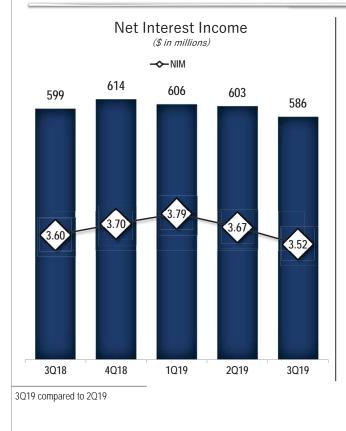


9/30/19 • <sup>1</sup>Estimated as of 9/30/19 • <sup>2</sup>Net unrealized pre-tax gain/loss on the available-for-sale (AFS) portfolio • <sup>3</sup>Net unamortized premium on the MBS portfolio



## Net Interest Income

Impacted by lower interest rates



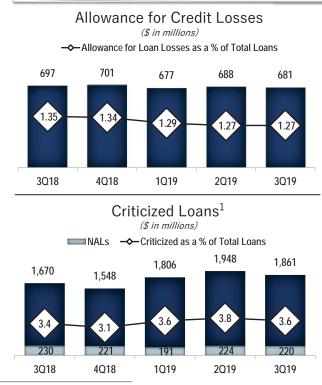
\$603MM		2Q19		3.67%
- 16MM	Loans:			- 0.13
	- 26MM + 6MM	Lower rates 1 additional day	-0.15	
		2Q lease adj.	+0.01	
	+ 2MM	Loan fees	+0.01	
-0-	-0- Fed Balances:			- 0.02
	+ 2MM	Higher balances	-0.01	
	- 2MM	Lower yield	-0.01	
- 6MM	Deposit	is:		- 0.03
	- 4MM	Higher rate	-0.02	
	- 2MM	Higher balances	-0.01	
+ 5MM	Wholes	<b>ale funding:</b> Lower rate		+ 0.03
\$586MM		3Q19		3.52%

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Credit Quality Remains Solid

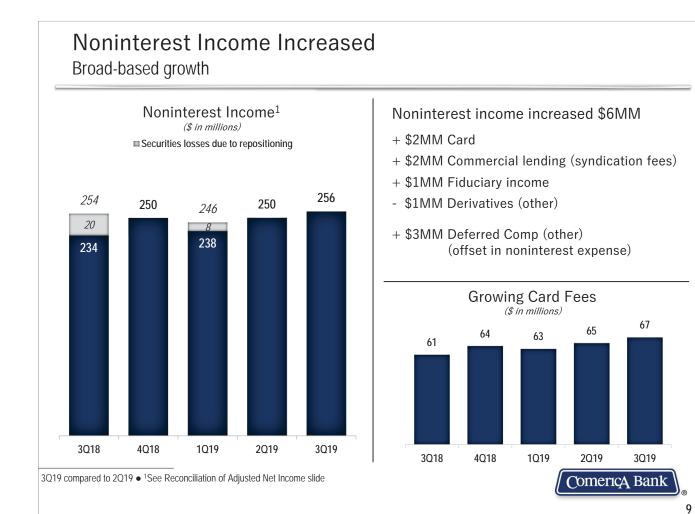
Provision reflects additional decline in value of select energy assets



- \$42MM in net charge-offs<sup>2</sup> or 33bps
- Nonaccrual loans 43 bps of total loans
- ALLL/NPL coverage 2.9x
- Provision decreased \$9MM over 2Q19
  - Select energy loans impacted by continued decline in valuations
  - Strong credit quality in remainder of portfolio

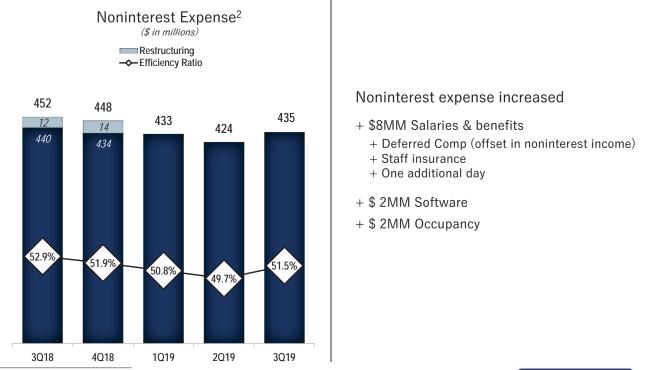
\$ in millions	Energy	Ex-Energy	Total
Total PE loans	\$2,422	\$49,069	\$51,491
% of total	5%	95%	100%
Criticized <sup>1</sup>	220	1,641	1,861
Ratio	9.08%	3.35%	3.61%
Nonaccrual	74	146	220
Ratio	3.04%	0.30%	0.43%
Net charge-offs <sup>2</sup>	34	8	42
Ratio	N/M	0.06%	0.33%

9/30/19 • <sup>1</sup>Criticized loans are consistent with regulatory defined Special Mention, Substandard, & Doubtful categories • <sup>2</sup>Net credit-related Comerce Bank charge-offs; ratio shown as a % of average loans • N/M = Not meaningful



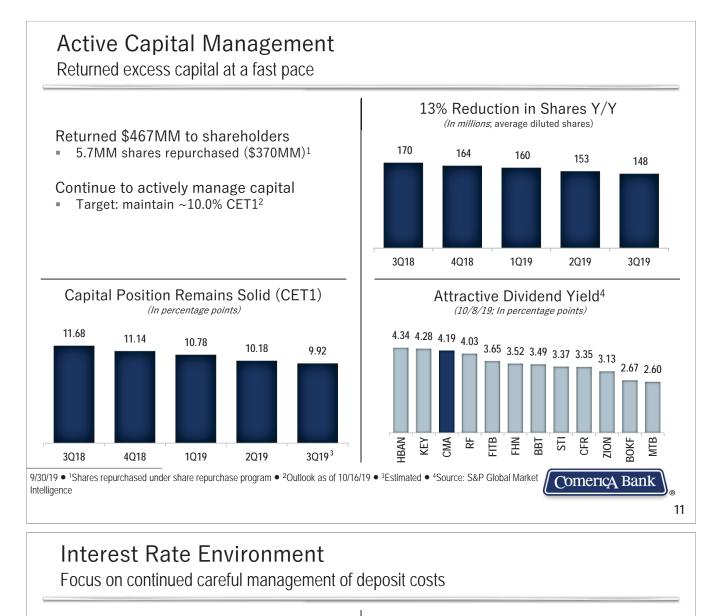
#### Noninterest Expense

Efficiency ratio<sup>1</sup> remained low at under 52% with disciplined cost management



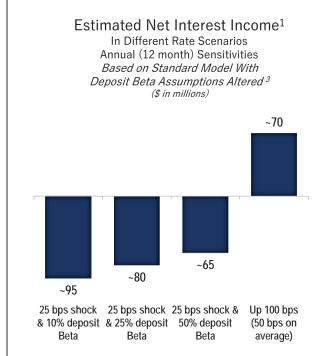
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Estimate ~\$35MM impact from rates on 4Q19 net interest income, assuming<sup>1</sup>:

- Fed funds rate cut of 25 bps on 12/11
- Benefit of swaps \$1-2MM
- Interest-bearing deposits costs decrease 3-5 bps



Hedging Activity<sup>2</sup>

- \$1.0B added in September
- \$3.8B total hedges as of 9/30/19
  - 3.3 year average term
  - 2.04% average fixed rate
  - Pay 30 day LIBOR/receive fixed

9/30/19 • Outlook as of 10/16/19 • 10utcomes may differ due to many variables, including pace of LIBOR change, balance sheet movements (loan, deposit & wholesale funding levels), competition for deposits • <sup>2</sup>YTD 9/30/19 • <sup>3</sup>For methodology see the Company's Form 10-Q, as filed with the SEC. Estimates are based on simulation modeling analysis

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### Management Outlook for 4Q19

#### Focus on driving profitable growth & enhancing long-term shareholder value

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Stable <sup>1</sup> (no change)	Modest increase <ul> <li>Growth in outside processing &amp; technology costs</li> <li>Typical seasonal &amp; inflationary pressures</li> </ul>	
No change	~23% of pre-tax income	
No change	<ul><li>~10% CET1 Target</li><li>Continue active capital management</li></ul>	
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### Current Expected Credit Losses Standard (CECL)

No material change to allowance for credit losses anticipated upon adoption

Adopting new standard 1Q20

- Requires reserves for expected losses over life of loan, based on:
  - Historical performance
  - Current conditions
  - Economic forecasts
- ±5% change in reserve expected<sup>1</sup>, therefore minimal impact to capital ratios
- Actual results depend on economic conditions & forecasts at the time of adoption
- Anticipate using a two-year forecast horizon with subsequent reversion to historical loss experience
- Continue to enhance parallel runs, which began in 4Q18
- Remain on track for successful implementation

## Should be less impacted than peers due to relatively shorter maturity of portfolio<sup>1</sup>

Loan Type	% of Portfolio	Est. Change in Reserves
Commercial	92	(5) - 0%
Retail	8	60 - 80%
Total	100	(5) - 5%

 Generally, shorter maturities of commercial loans result in decrease to reserve, while longer maturities for retail loans increase reserves

 $9/30/19 \bullet Outlook$  as of  $10/16/19 \bullet ^1$ The ultimate impact of CECL will depend on the composition of the portfolio as well as economic conditions and forecasts at the time of adoption. Estimates based on current factors as of 9/30/19.



#### Average Loans by Business and Market

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By Line of Business	3Q19	2Q19	3Q18	
Middle Market				
General	\$12.2	\$12.4	\$11.7	
Energy	2.5	2.5	1.8	
National Dealer Services	7.5	7.9	7.0	
Entertainment	0.7	0.8	0.7	
Tech. & Life Sciences	1.3	1.3	1.4	
Equity Fund Services	2.5	2.6	2.6	
Environmental Services	1.2	1.2	1.1	
Total Middle Market	\$27.9	\$28.7	\$26.4	
Corporate Banking				
US Banking	3.0	3.0	2.9	
International	1.3	1.3	1.4	
Commercial Real Estate	5.7	5.5	5.3	
Mortgage Banker Finance	2.5	2.0	2.0	
Small Business	3.5	3.5	3.7	
BUSINESS BANK	\$43.9	\$44.0	\$41.6	
Retail Banking	2.1	2.1	2.1	
RETAIL BANK	\$2.1	\$2.1	\$2.1	
Private Banking	4.9	4.9	4.9	
WEALTH MANAGEMENT	\$4.9	\$4.9	\$4.9	
TOTAL	\$50.9	\$51.0	\$48.6	

By Market	3Q19	2Q19	3Q18
Michigan	\$12.6	\$12.7	\$12.4
California	18.4	18.9	18.1
Texas	10.8	10.7	9.7
Other Markets <sup>1</sup>	9.1	8.7	8.4
TOTAL	\$50.9	\$51.0	\$48.6

- Middle Market: Serving companies with revenues generally between \$30-\$500MM
- Corporate Banking: Serving companies (and their U.S. based subsidiaries) with revenues generally over \$500MM
- Small Business: Serving companies with revenues generally under \$30MM

\$ in billions • Totals shown above may not foot due to rounding • <sup>1</sup>Other Markets includes Florida, Arizona, the International Finance Division and businesses that have a significant presence outside of the three primary geographic markets



#### Average Deposits by Business and Market

By Line of Business	3Q19	2Q19	3Q18
Middle Market			
General	\$13.6	\$13.4	\$13.4
Energy	0.4	0.4	0.5
National Dealer Services	0.3	0.3	0.3
Entertainment	0.1	0.1	0.1
Tech. & Life Sciences	4.6	4.7	5.4
Equity Fund Services	0.9	0.8	0.9
Environmental Services	0.2	0.2	0.1
Total Middle Market	\$20.1	\$19.9	\$20.8
Corporate Banking			
US Banking	1.9	1.7	2.1
International	1.6	1.6	2.0
Commercial Real Estate	1.6	1.5	1.5
Mortgage Banker Finance	0.7	0.7	0.7
Small Business	3.0	2.9	3.1
BUSINESS BANK	\$28.9	\$28.3	\$30.3
Retail Banking	20.7	20.6	20.8
RETAIL BANK	\$20.7	\$20.6	\$20.8
Private Banking	3.5	3.5	3.7
WEALTH MANAGEMENT	\$3.8	\$3.7	\$4.0
Finance/Other <sup>2</sup>	2.3	2.4	1.1
TOTAL	\$55.7	\$55.0	\$56.1

By Market	3Q19	2Q19	3Q18
Michigan	\$20.2	\$19.8	\$20.7
California	16.7	16.3	16.9
Texas	8.7	8.7	8.9
Other Markets <sup>1</sup>	7.8	7.8	8.5
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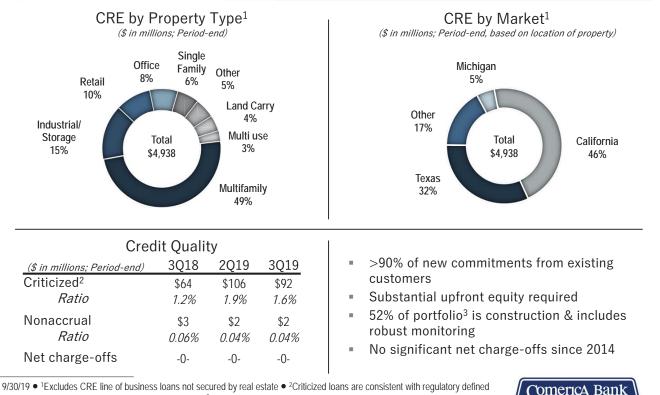
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#### **Commercial Real Estate Line of Business**

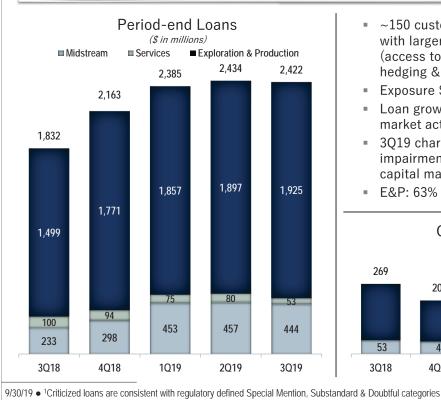
Long history of working with well established, proven developers

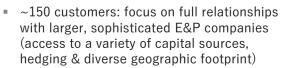


Special Mention, Substandard & Doubtful categories • <sup>3</sup>Period-end loans

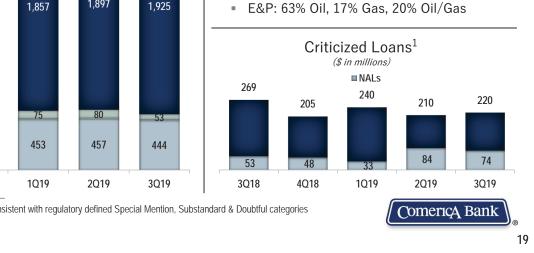
### Energy Line of Business

#### 30+ years industry experience





- Exposure \$4.4B / 55% utilization
- Loan growth driven by reduced capital market activity as well as higher utilization
- 3Q19 charge-offs reflect valuation impairments on select energy credits as capital markets remained soft



3Q19

4Q19

### Mortgage Banker Finance

50+ years experience with reputation for consistent, reliable approach

- Provide warehouse financing: bridge from residential mortgage origination to sale to end market
- Extensive backroom provides collateral monitoring and customer service
- Focus on full banking relationships
- Granular portfolio with ~100 relationships
- Underlying mortgages are typically related to home purchases as opposed to refinances

As of 3Q19:

- Comerica: ~70% purchase
- Industry: 62% purchase<sup>1</sup>
- Strong credit quality
   No charge-offs since 2010
- Period-end loans: \$3.3B



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9/30/19 • <sup>1</sup>Source: Mortgage Bankers Association (MBA) Mortgage Finance Forecast as of 9/19/19; 3Q19 estimated

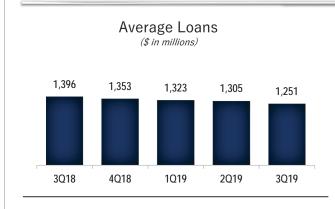
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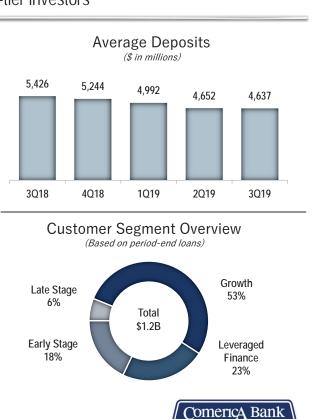


# Technology and Life Sciences

Deep expertise & strong relationships with top-tier investors



- ~475 customers
- Manage concentration to numerous verticals to ensure widely diversified portfolio
- Closely monitor cash balances & maintain robust backroom operation
- 11 offices throughout US & Canada

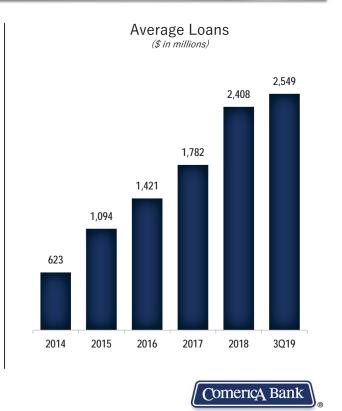


### Equity Fund Services

Deep expertise & strong relationships with top-tier investors

- Customized credit, treasury management & investment solutions for venture capital & private equity firms
- National scope with customers in 17 states & Canada
- ~250+ customers
- Firms' AUM range from \$30MM to over \$80B
- Drive connectivity with other teams
  - Energy
  - Middle Market
  - TLS
  - Environmental Services
  - Private Banking
- Strong credit profile
  - No charge-offs
    - No criticized loans

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	Senior Unsecured/Long-Term Issuer Rating	Moody's	<u>S&amp;P</u>	<u>Fitch</u>
	BB&T	A2	A-	A+
	Cullen Frost	A3	A-	
	M&T Bank	A3	A-	А
	Comerica	A3	BBB+	А
Banks	BOK Financial Corporation	A3	BBB+	А
Ba	Huntington	Baal	BBB+	A-
Peer	Fifth Third	Baa1	BBB+	A-
P	KeyCorp	Baal	BBB+	A-
	SunTrust	Baal	BBB+	A-
	Regions Financial	Baa2	BBB+	BBB+
	Zions Bancorporation	Baa2	BBB+	BBB
	First Horizon National Corp	Baa3	BBB-	BBB
ŝ	U.S. Bancorp	A1	A+	AA-
Banks	JP Morgan	A2	A-	AA-
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_ (	<ul> <li>PNC Financial Services Group</li> </ul>	A3	A-	A+

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#### Reconciliation of Adjusted Net Income

	3Q19		2Q19		3Q	18
(\$ in millions, except per share data)	\$	Per Share <sup>1</sup>	\$	Per Share <sup>1</sup>	\$	Per Share <sup>1</sup>
Net income	\$292	\$1.96	\$298	\$1.94	\$318	\$1.86
Securities repositioning <sup>2</sup>	-	-	-	-	15	0.09
Restructuring charges <sup>2</sup>	-	-	-	-	9	0.05
Discrete tax items	(5)	(0.03)	-	-	(23)	(0.14)
Adjusted net income	\$287	\$1.93	\$298	\$1.94	\$319	\$1.86

3Q19 discrete tax items: benefits from deferred tax adjustments related to annual state tax filings

3Q18 securities repositioning: losses incurred on the sale of  $\sim$ \$1.3B of treasury securities that were replaced by higher-yielding treasuries

3Q18 discrete tax items: benefits from a review of certain tax capitalization & recovery positions

<sup>1</sup>Based on diluted average common shares • <sup>2</sup>Net of tax • Comerica believes non-GAAP measures are meaningful because they reflect adjustments commonly made by management, investors, regulators and analysts to evaluate the adequacy of equity and our performance trends. Comerica believes the adjusted financial results provide a greater understanding of ongoing operations and enhance the comparability of results with prior periods.





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