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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2015

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.

Commission file number 1-34682

Eagle Bancorp Montana, Inc.  
(Exact name of small business issuer as specified in its charter)

Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

27-1449820  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1400 Prospect Avenue, Helena, MT 59601  
(Address of principal executive offices)

(406) 442-3080  
(Issuer's telephone number)

Website address: [www.opportunitybank.com](http://www.opportunitybank.com)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

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company

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes  
[ ] No [X]

APPLICABLE ONLY TO CORPORATE ISSUERS

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common equity, as of the latest practicable  
date:

Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share

As of May 13, 2015

3,822,981 shares outstanding

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EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

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101.INS XBRL	Instance Document
101.SCH XBRL	Taxonomy Extension Schema Document
101.CAL XBRL	Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document
101.DEF XBRL	Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document
101.LAB XBRL	Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document
101.PRE XBRL	Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document

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Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

This report includes “forward-looking statements” within the meaning and protections of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Act, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or the Exchange Act. All statements other than statements of historical fact are statements that could be forward-looking statements. You can identify these forward-looking statements through our use of words such as “may,” “will,” “anticipate,” “assume,” “should,” “indicate,” “would,” “believe,” “contemplate,” “expect,” “estimate,” “continue,” “could,” “intend,” “target” and other similar words and expressions of the future. These forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to:

- statements of our goals, intentions and expectations;
- statements regarding our business plans, prospects, growth and operating strategies;
- statements regarding the asset quality of our loan and investment portfolios; and
- estimates of our risks and future costs and benefits.

These forward-looking statements are based on current beliefs and expectations of our management and are inherently subject to significant business, economic and competitive uncertainties and contingencies, many of which are beyond our control. In addition, these forward-looking statements are subject to assumptions with respect to future business strategies and decisions that are subject to change.

The following factors, among others, could cause actual results to differ materially from the anticipated results or other expectations expressed in the forward-looking statements:

- changes in laws or government regulations or policies affecting financial institutions, including changes in regulatory fees and capital requirements;
  - general economic conditions, either nationally or in our market areas, that are worse than expected;
    - competition among depository and other financial institutions;
  - changes in the prices, values and sales volume of residential and commercial real estate in Montana;
- inflation and changes in the interest rate environment that reduce our margins or reduce the fair value of financial instruments;
  - changes or volatility in the securities markets;
  - our ability to enter new markets successfully and capitalize on growth opportunities;
    - our ability to successfully integrate acquired businesses;
    - changes in consumer spending, borrowing and savings habits;
- our ability to continue to increase and manage our commercial and residential real estate, multi-family and commercial business loans;
- possible impairments of securities held by us, including those issued by government entities and government sponsored enterprises;
  - the level of future deposit premium assessments;
- the impact of a recurring recession on our loan portfolio (including cash flow and collateral values), investment portfolio, customers and capital market activities;
  - the Company’s ability to develop and maintain secure and reliable information technology systems;
  - the impact of the current restructuring of the U.S. financial and regulatory system;
- the failure of assumptions underlying the establishment of allowance for possible loan losses and other estimates;
- changes in the financial performance and/or condition of our borrowers and their ability to repay their loans when due; and
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the effect of changes in accounting policies and practices, as may be adopted by the regulatory agencies, as well as the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board, the Financial Accounting Standards Board and other accounting standard setters.

Because of these and other uncertainties, our actual future results may be materially different from the results indicated by these forward-looking statements. For a further list and description of various risks, relevant factors and uncertainties that could cause future results or events to differ materially from those expressed or implied in our forward-looking statements, see the Item 1A, "Risk Factors" and Item 7, "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" sections contained elsewhere in this report, as well as our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the transition period from July 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014, any subsequent Reports on Form 10-Q and Form 8-K, and other filings with the SEC. We do not undertake any obligation to publicly update or correct any forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances that subsequently occur, or of which we hereafter become aware.

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## EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

(Dollars in Thousands, Except for Per Share Data)

(Unaudited)

	March 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
<b>ASSETS:</b>		
Cash and due from banks	\$3,506	\$11,889
Interest-bearing deposits in banks	1,244	613
Total cash and cash equivalents	4,750	12,502
Securities available-for-sale	152,239	161,787
Federal Home Loan Bank stock	1,967	1,968
Federal Reserve Bank stock	641	641
Investment in Eagle Bancorp Statutory Trust I	155	155
Mortgage loans held-for-sale	17,021	17,587
Loans receivable, net of deferred loan fees of \$553 at March 31, 2015 and \$486 at December 31, 2014 and allowance for loan losses of \$2,625 at March 31, 2015 and \$2,450 at December 31, 2014	333,790	316,270
Accrued interest and dividends receivable	2,146	2,318
Mortgage servicing rights, net	4,271	4,115
Premises and equipment, net	19,694	19,964
Cash surrender value of life insurance	11,816	11,735
Real estate and other repossessed assets acquired in settlement of loans, net	642	637
Goodwill	7,034	7,034
Core deposit intangible, net	625	663
Deferred tax asset, net	798	1,467
Other assets	1,776	1,364
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>\$559,365</b>	<b>\$560,207</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited consolidated financial statements.

## EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION (Continued)

(Dollars in Thousands, Except for Per Share Data)

(Unaudited)

	March 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
<b>LIABILITIES:</b>		
Deposit accounts:		
Noninterest bearing	\$65,877	\$60,507
Interest bearing	386,822	380,476
Total deposits	452,699	440,983
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	4,050	4,578
Federal Home Loan Bank advances and other borrowings	42,640	54,993
Subordinated debentures	5,155	5,155
Total liabilities	504,544	505,709
<b>SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY:</b>		
Preferred stock (no par value; 1,000,000 shares authorized; no shares issued or outstanding)	-	-
Common stock (par value \$0.01 per share; 8,000,000 shares authorized; 4,083,127 shares issued; 3,822,981 and 3,878,781 shares outstanding at March 31, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively)	41	41
Additional paid-in capital	22,126	22,122
Unallocated common stock held by Employee Stock Ownership Plan	(1,099 )	(1,141 )
Treasury stock, at cost	(2,810 )	(2,194 )
Retained earnings	35,983	35,885
Net accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	580	(215 )
Total shareholders' equity	54,821	54,498
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$559,365	\$560,207

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## EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

(Dollars in Thousands, Except for Per Share Data)

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2015	2014
<b>INTEREST AND DIVIDEND INCOME:</b>		
Interest and fees on loans	\$3,962	\$3,254
Securities available-for-sale	759	1,066
Interest on deposits in banks	3	1
Total interest and dividend income	4,724	4,321
<b>INTEREST EXPENSE:</b>		
Deposits	337	329
Federal Home Loan Bank advances and other borrowings	143	152
Subordinated debentures	21	21
Total interest expense	501	502
<b>NET INTEREST INCOME</b>	<b>4,223</b>	<b>3,819</b>
Loan loss provision	322	128
<b>NET INTEREST INCOME AFTER LOAN LOSS PROVISION</b>	<b>3,901</b>	<b>3,691</b>
<b>NONINTEREST INCOME:</b>		
Service charges on deposit accounts	223	226
Net gain on sale of loans (includes \$496 and \$366 for the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively, related to accumulated other comprehensive earnings reclassification)	1,631	836
Mortgage loan servicing fees	415	359
Wealth management income	185	119
Net gain on sale of available-for-sale securities (includes \$186 and \$196 for the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively, related to accumulated other comprehensive earnings reclassification)	186	196
Net loss on sale of real estate owned and other repossessed property	(1 )	-
Net loss on fair value hedge	(93 )	(72 )
Other noninterest income	336	459
Total noninterest income	2,882	2,123

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## EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (Continued)

(Dollars in Thousands, Except for Per Share Data)

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2015	2014
<b>NONINTEREST EXPENSE:</b>		
Salaries and employee benefits	3,379	3,209
Occupancy and equipment expense	736	711
Data processing	509	458
Advertising	219	211
Amortization of mortgage servicing rights	217	132
Amortization of core deposit intangible and tax credits	100	105
Federal insurance premiums	95	84
Postage	46	40
Legal, accounting and examination fees	156	111
Consulting fees	240	164
Other noninterest expense	664	474
Total noninterest expense	6,361	5,699
<b>INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES</b>	<b>422</b>	<b>115</b>
Income tax expense (includes \$547 and \$1,291 for the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively, related to income tax expense from reclassification items)	36	7
<b>NET INCOME</b>	<b>\$386</b>	<b>\$108</b>
<b>BASIC EARNINGS PER SHARE</b>	<b>\$0.10</b>	<b>\$0.03</b>
<b>DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE</b>	<b>\$0.10</b>	<b>\$0.03</b>
<b>WEIGHTED AVERAGE SHARES OUTSTANDING (BASIC EPS)</b>	<b>3,844,617</b>	<b>3,918,399</b>
<b>WEIGHTED AVERAGE SHARES OUTSTANDING (DILUTED EPS)</b>	<b>3,881,872</b>	<b>3,973,202</b>

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EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
 CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME  
 (Dollars in Thousands)  
 (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2015	2014
NET INCOME	\$386	\$108
<b>OTHER ITEMS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS):</b>		
Change in fair value of investment securities available for sale, before income taxes	1,495	3,489
Reclassification for realized gains and losses on investment securities included in income, before income tax	(186 )	(196 )
Change in fair value of derivatives designated as cash flow hedges, before income taxes	529	238
Reclassification for realized gains on derivatives designated as cash flow hedges, before income taxes	(496 )	(366 )
Total other items of comprehensive income	1,342	3,165
Income tax (expense) benefit related to:		
Investment securities	(534 )	(1,343 )
Derivatives designated as cash flow hedges	(13 )	52
	(547 )	(1,291 )
<b>COMPREHENSIVE INCOME</b>	<b>\$1,181</b>	<b>\$1,982</b>

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## EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2015 and 2014

(Dollars in Thousands, Except for Per Share Data)

(Unaudited)

	PREFERRED STOCK	COMMON STOCK	PAID-IN CAPITAL	UNALLOCATED ESOP SHARES	TREASURY STOCK	RETAINED EARNINGS	ACCUMULATED OTHER COMPREHENSIVE (LOSS) INCOME	TOTAL
Balance at December 31, 2013	\$ -	\$ 41	\$ 22,118	\$(1,307 )	\$ (1,800 )	\$ 34,422	\$(5,717 )	\$47,757
Net income						108		108
Other comprehensive income							1,874	1,874
Dividends paid (\$0.0725 per share)						(284 )		(284 )
Employee Stock Ownership Plan shares allocated or committed to be released for allocation (4,154 shares)			2	42				44
Balance at March 31, 2014	\$ -	\$ 41	\$ 22,120	\$(1,265 )	\$ (1,800 )	\$ 34,246	\$(3,843 )	\$49,499
Balance at December 31, 2014	\$-	\$41	\$22,122	\$(1,141 )	\$(2,194 )	\$35,885	\$(215 )	\$54,498
Net income						386		386
Other comprehensive income							795	795
Dividends paid (\$0.0750 per share)						(288 )		(288 )

Employee Stock Ownership Plan shares allocated or committed to be released for allocation (4,154 shares)			4		42				46
Treasury stock purchased (55,800 shares at \$11.03 average cost per share)						(616 )			(616 )
Balance at March 31, 2015	\$-	\$41	\$22,126	\$(1,099 )	\$(2,810 )	\$35,983	\$580		\$54,821

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## EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(Dollars in Thousands, Except for Per Share Data)

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2015	2014
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:</b>		
Net income	\$386	\$108
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Loan loss provision	322	128
Depreciation	296	284
Net amortization of investment securities premium and discounts	533	684
Amortization of mortgage servicing rights	217	132
Amortization of core deposit intangible and tax credits	100	105
Deferred income tax expense	121	13
Net gain on sale of loans	(1,631 )	(836 )
Net gain on sale of available-for-sale securities	(186 )	(196 )
Net loss on sale of real estate owned and other repossessed assets	1	-
Net loss on fair value hedge	93	72
Net loss on sale/disposal of premises and equipment	-	11
Net appreciation in cash surrender value of life insurance	(81 )	(78 )
Net change in:		
Accrued interest and dividends receivable	172	169
Loans held-for-sale	2,230	6,011
Other assets	(473 )	(23 )
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	(575 )	(44 )
Net cash provided by operating activities	1,525	6,540
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:</b>		
Activity in available-for-sale securities:		
Sales	8,947	3,955
Maturities, principal payments and calls	2,612	4,174
Purchases	(1,049 )	(1,597 )
Federal Home Loan Bank stock redeemed	1	18
Loan origination and principal collection, net	(18,224 )	(11,591 )
Proceeds from Bank owned life insurance	-	109
Proceeds from sale of real estate and other repossessed assets acquired in settlement of loans	3	2
Insurance proceeds related to premises and equipment	-	3
Additions to premises and equipment	(26 )	(798 )
Net cash used in investing activities	(7,736 )	(5,725 )

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EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Continued)  
(Dollars in Thousands, Except for Per Share Data)  
(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2015	2014
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:</b>		
Net increase in deposits	\$11,716	\$6,561
Net short-term payments on Federal Home Loan Bank and other borrowings	(12,303 )	(4,806 )
Long-term advances from Federal Home Loan Bank and other borrowings	5,000	-
Payments on long-term Federal Home Loan Bank and other borrowings	(5,050 )	(50 )
Dividends paid	(288 )	(284 )
Purchase of treasury stock, at cost	(616 )	-
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities	(1,541 )	1,421
<b>NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS</b>	<b>(7,752 )</b>	<b>2,236</b>
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, beginning of period</b>	<b>12,502</b>	<b>7,055</b>
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, end of period</b>	<b>\$4,750</b>	<b>\$9,291</b>
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL CASH FLOW INFORMATION:</b>		
Cash paid during the period for interest	\$490	\$485
Cash paid during the period for income taxes	\$27	\$-
<b>NON-CASH INVESTING ACTIVITIES:</b>		
Increase in market value of securities available-for-sale	\$1,309	\$3,293
Mortgage servicing rights recognized	\$373	\$207
Loans transferred to real estate and other assets acquired in foreclosure	\$9	\$51
Employee Stock Ownership Plan shares released	\$46	\$44

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited consolidated financial statements.

## EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY

## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

## NOTE 1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information and footnotes required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America for annual reports. However, such information reflects all adjustments (consisting of normal recurring adjustments) which are, in the opinion of management, necessary for a fair presentation of our financial position, results of operations, changes in comprehensive income and cash flows for the unaudited interim periods.

The results of operations for the three month period ended March 31, 2015 are not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for the year ending December 31, 2015 or any other period. The unaudited consolidated financial statements and notes presented herein should be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements and related notes thereto included in Eagle's Form 10-K for the six month transition period ended December 31, 2014.

Certain prior period amounts have been reclassified to conform to the presentation for 2015. These reclassifications had no impact on net income or total shareholders' equity.

The Company evaluated subsequent events for potential recognition and/or disclosure through May 13, 2015 the date the consolidated financial statements were issued.

## NOTE 2. INVESTMENT SECURITIES

Investment securities are summarized as follows:

	March 31, 2015			December 31, 2014				
	Amortized Cost	Gross Unrealized Gains	(Losses) Fair Value	Amortized Cost	Gross Unrealized Gains	(Losses) Fair Value		
Available-for-Sale:								
U.S. government and agency obligations	\$32,313	\$44	\$(160 )	\$32,197	\$33,472	\$42	\$(333 )	\$33,181
Municipal obligations	63,844	1,200	(665 )	64,379	71,844	1,243	(1,202 )	71,885
Corporate obligations	5,993	17	(51 )	5,959	5,990	27	(12 )	6,005
MBSs - government-backed	21,668	119	(2 )	21,785	22,097	56	(189 )	21,964
CMOs - government backed	27,971	64	(116 )	27,919	29,243	26	(517 )	28,752
Total	\$151,789	\$1,444	\$(994 )	\$152,239	\$162,646	\$1,394	\$(2,253 )	\$161,787

For the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014, net proceeds from sales of securities available-for-sale were \$8,947,000 and \$3,955,000, respectively. For the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014, gross realized gains were \$242,000 and \$213,000, respectively and gross realized losses were \$56,000 and \$17,000, respectively.





## EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY

## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

## NOTE 2. INVESTMENT SECURITIES - continued

The amortized cost and fair value of securities at March 31, 2015 by contractual maturity are shown below. Expected maturities will differ from contractual maturities because borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties.

	Amortized Cost	Fair Value
	(In Thousands)	
Due in one year or less	\$ 1,420	\$ 1,428
Due from one to five years	3,726	3,761
Due from five to ten years	16,991	17,100
Due after ten years	80,013	80,246
	102,150	102,535
MBSs - government-backed	21,668	21,785
CMOs - government-backed	27,971	27,919
Total	\$ 151,789	\$ 152,239

Maturities of securities do not reflect repricing opportunities present in adjustable rate securities.

The Company's investment securities that have been in a continuous unrealized loss position for less than twelve months and those that have been in a continuous unrealized loss position for twelve or more months were as follows:

	March 31, 2015			
	Less Than 12 Months Fair Value	Gross Unrealized Losses	12 Months or Longer Estimated Market Value	Gross Unrealized Losses
	(In Thousands)			
U.S. government and agency	\$1,590	\$(28 )	\$24,264	\$(132 )
Municipal obligations	5,720	(32 )	24,890	(633 )
Corporate obligations	1,988	(12 )	1,961	(39 )
MBSs and CMOs - government-backed	1,953	(1 )	19,454	(117 )
Total	\$11,251	\$(73 )	\$70,569	\$(921 )

	December 31, 2014			
	Less Than 12 Months Fair Value	Gross Unrealized Losses	12 Months or Longer Estimated Market Value	Gross Unrealized Losses
	(In Thousands)			
U.S. government and agency	\$1,611	\$(19 )	\$27,733	\$(314 )
Municipal obligations	2,330	(48 )	44,386	(1,154 )
Corporate obligations	997	(2 )	1,990	(10 )
MBSs and CMOs - government-backed	9,091	(68 )	35,333	(638 )

Total	\$14,029	\$(137 )	\$109,442	\$(2,116 )
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EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

NOTE 2. INVESTMENT SECURITIES - continued

Management evaluates securities for other-than-temporary impairment at least quarterly, and more frequently when economic or market concerns warrant such evaluation. Consideration is given to (1) the length of time and the extent to which the fair value has been less than cost, (2) the financial condition and near-term prospects of the issuer and (3) the intent and ability of the Company to retain its investment in the issuer for a period of time sufficient to allow for any anticipated recovery in fair value. As of March 31, 2015 and December 31, 2014, there were, respectively, 56 and 87 securities in an unrealized loss position and that were considered to be temporarily impaired and therefore an impairment charge has not been recorded.

At March 31, 2015, 45 U.S. government and agency securities and municipal obligations had unrealized losses with aggregate depreciation of approximately 1.44% from the Company's amortized cost basis of these securities. At December 31, 2014, 69 U.S. government and agency securities and municipal obligations had unrealized losses with aggregate depreciation of approximately 1.98% from the Company's amortized cost basis of these securities. These unrealized losses are principally due to changes in interest rates and credit spreads. In analyzing an issuer's financial condition, management considers whether the securities are issued by the federal government or its agencies, whether downgrades by bond rating agencies have occurred and industry analysts' reports. As management has the ability to hold debt securities until maturity, or for the foreseeable future, no declines are deemed to be other than temporary.

At March 31, 2015, 4 corporate obligations had an unrealized loss of approximately 1.28% from the Company's amortized cost basis of this security. At December 31, 2014, 3 corporate obligations had an unrealized loss with aggregate depreciation of approximately 0.40% from the Company's cost basis. This unrealized loss is principally due to changes in interest rates. No credit issues have been identified that cause management to believe the declines in market value are other than temporary. In analyzing the issuer's financial condition, management considers industry analysts' reports, financial performance and projected target prices of investment analysts within a one-year time frame. As management has the ability to hold debt securities until maturity, or for the foreseeable future, no declines are deemed to be other than temporary.

At March 31, 2015, 7 mortgage backed and CMO securities had unrealized losses with aggregate depreciation of approximately 0.55% from the Company's cost basis of these securities. At December 31, 2014, 15 mortgage backed and CMO securities have unrealized losses with aggregate depreciation of approximately 1.56% from the Company's cost basis. We believe these unrealized losses are principally due to the credit market's concerns regarding the stability of the mortgage market, changes in interest rates and credit spreads and uncertainty of future prepayment speeds. Management considers available evidence to assess whether it is more likely-than-not that all amounts due would not be collected. In such assessment, management considers the severity and duration of the impairment, the credit ratings of the security, the overall deal and payment structure, including the Company's position within the structure, underlying obligor, financial condition and near term prospects of the issuer, delinquencies, defaults, loss severities, recoveries, prepayments, cumulative loss projections, discounted cash flows and fair value estimates. There has been no disruption of the scheduled cash flows on any of the securities. Management's analysis as of December 31, 2014 revealed no expected credit losses on the securities and therefore, declines are not deemed to be other than temporary.

## EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY

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## NOTE 3. LOANS RECEIVABLE

Loans receivable consisted of the following:

	March 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
	(In Thousands)	
First mortgage loans:		
Residential mortgage (1-4 family)	\$104,546	\$102,543
Commercial real estate	131,110	117,627
Real estate construction	8,711	8,002
Other loans:		
Home equity	40,312	39,671
Consumer	13,664	13,827
Commercial	38,625	37,536
Total	336,968	319,206
Allowance for loan losses	(2,625 )	(2,450 )
Deferred loan fees, net	(553 )	(486 )
Total loans, net	\$333,790	\$316,270

Within the commercial real estate loan category above, \$12,489,000 and \$12,612,000 was guaranteed by the United States Department of Agriculture Rural Development, at March 31, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively. In addition, within the commercial loan category above, \$3,628,000 and \$3,704,000 were in loans originated through a syndication program where the business resides outside of Montana, at March 31, 2015, and December 31, 2014, respectively.

The following table includes information regarding nonperforming assets.

	March 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
	(Dollars in Thousands)	
Non-accrual loans	\$176	\$962
Accruing loans delinquent 90 days or more	-	-
Restructured loans, net	47	48
Total nonperforming loans	223	1,010
Real estate owned and other repossessed assets, net	642	637
Total nonperforming assets	\$865	\$1,647
Total non-performing assets as a percentage of total assets	0.15	%
	0.29	%

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Allowance for loan losses	\$2,625		\$2,450	
Percent of allowance for loan losses to non-performing loans	1,117.13	%	242.57	%
Percent of allowance for loan losses to non-performing assets	303.47	%	148.76	%

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## EAGLE BANCORP MONTANA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY

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## NOTE 3. LOANS RECEIVABLE - continued

Allowance for loan losses activity was as follows:

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2015							Total
	Residential Mortgage (1-4 Family)	Commercial Real Estate	Real Estate Construction	Home Equity	Consumer	Commercial		
	(In Thousands)							
Allowance for loan losses:								
Beginning balance, January 1, 2015	\$ 684	\$ 1,098	\$ 35	\$ 270	\$ 46	\$ 317	\$ 2,450	
Charge-offs	(137 )	-	-	-	(11 )	-	(148 )	
Recoveries	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	
Provision	98	128	5	36	14	41	322	
Ending balance, March 31, 2015	\$ 645	\$ 1,226	\$ 40	\$ 306	\$ 50	\$ 358	\$ 2,625	
Ending balance, March 31, 2015 allocated to loans individually evaluated for impairment	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5	\$ -	\$ 5	
Ending balance, March 31, 2015 allocated to loans collectively evaluated for impairment	\$ 645	\$ 1,226	\$ 40	\$ 306	\$ 45	\$ 358	\$ 2,620	
Loans receivable:								
Ending balance, March 31, 2015	\$ 104,546	\$ 131,110	\$ 8,711	\$ 40,312	\$ 13,664	\$ 38,625	\$ 336,968	
Ending balance, March 31, 2015 of loans individually evaluated for impairment	\$ 648	\$ 332	\$ -	\$ 224	\$ 53	\$ 234	\$ 1,491	
Ending balance, March 31, 2015 of loans	\$ 103,898	\$ 130,778	\$ 8,711	\$ 40,088	\$ 13,611	\$ 38,391	\$ 335,477	

collectively evaluated  
for impairment

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## NOTE 3. LOANS RECEIVABLE - continued

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2014							Total
	Residential		Real Estate			Commercial		
	Mortgage (1-4 Family)	Commercial Real Estate	Real Estate Construction	Home Equity	Consumer	Commercial		
	(In Thousands)							
Allowance for loan losses:								
Beginning balance, January 1, 2014	\$ 463	\$ 914	\$ 25	\$ 324	\$ 51	\$ 343	\$ 2,120	
Charge-offs	-	(21 )	-	-	(53 )	-	(74 )	
Recoveries	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	
Provision	8	23	2	1	45	49	128	
Ending balance, March 31, 2014	\$ 471	\$ 916	\$ 27	\$ 325	\$ 44	\$ 392	\$ 2,175	
Ending balance, March 31, 2014 allocated to loans individually evaluated for impairment	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 68	\$ 24	\$ 144	\$ 236	
Ending balance, March 31, 2014 allocated to loans collectively evaluated for impairment	\$ 471	\$ 916	\$ 27	\$ 257	\$ 20	\$ 248	\$ 1,939	
Loans receivable:								
Ending balance, March 31, 2014	\$ 88,507	\$ 89,896	\$ 5,050	\$ 35,952	\$ 12,299	\$ 29,477	\$ 261,181	
Ending balance, March 31, 2014 of loans individually evaluated for impairment	\$ 303	\$ 130	\$ -	\$ 247	\$ 130	\$ 290	\$ 1,100	
Ending balance, March 31, 2014 of loans collectively evaluated for impairment	\$ 88,204	\$ 89,766	\$ 5,050	\$ 35,705	\$ 12,169	\$ 29,187	\$ 260,081	

The Company utilizes a 5 point internal loan rating system, largely based on regulatory classifications, for 1-4 family real estate, commercial real estate, construction, home equity and commercial loans as follows:

Loans rated Pass: these are loans that are considered to be protected by the current net worth and paying capacity of the obligor, or by the value of the asset or the underlying collateral.

Loans rated Special Mention: these loans have potential weaknesses that deserve management's close attention. If left uncorrected, these potential weaknesses may result in deterioration of the repayment prospects for the asset at some future date.

Loans rated Substandard: these loans are inadequately protected by the current net worth and paying capacity of the obligor of the collateral pledged, if any. Loans so classified have a well-defined weakness or weaknesses. They are characterized by the distinct possibility that the Company will sustain some loss if the deficiencies are not corrected.

Loans rated Doubtful: these loans have all the weaknesses inherent in those classified Substandard with the added characteristic that the weaknesses make collection or liquidation in full, on the basis of currently existing facts, conditions, and values, highly questionable and improbable.

Loans rated Loss: these loans are considered uncollectible and of such little value that their continuance as assets without establishment of a specific reserve is not warranted. This classification does not mean that an asset has absolutely no recovery or salvage value, but, rather, that it is not practical or desirable to defer writing off a basically worthless asset even though practical recovery may be affected in the future.

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## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

## NOTE 3. LOANS RECEIVABLE - continued

On an annual basis, or more often if needed, the Company formally reviews the ratings of all commercial real estate, construction, and commercial business loans that have a principal balance of \$500,000 or more. Quarterly, the Company reviews the rating of any consumer loan, broadly defined, that is delinquent 90 days or more. Likewise, quarterly, the Company reviews the rating of any commercial loan, broadly defined, that is delinquent 60 days or more. Annually, the Company engages an independent third-party to review a significant portion of loans within these segments. Management uses the results of these reviews as part of its annual review process.

Internal classification of the loan portfolio was as follows:

March 31, 2015

Grade:	Residential	Commercial Real Estate	Real	Home Equity	Consumer	Commercial	Total
	Mortgage (1-4 Family)		Construction				
Pass	\$ 103,898	\$ 130,778	\$ 8,711	\$ 40,088	\$ 13,611	\$ 38,391	\$ 335,477
Special mention	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Substandard	648	332	-	224	41	234	1,479
Doubtful	-	-	-	-	7	-	7
Loss	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Total	\$ 104,546	\$ 131,110	\$ 8,711	\$ 40,312	\$ 13,664	\$ 38,625	\$ 336,968

Credit risk profile based on payment activity

Performing	\$ 104,496	\$ 131,110	\$ 8,711	\$ 40,217	\$ 13,642	\$ 38,569	\$ 336,745
Restructured loans	-	-	-	47	-	-	47
Nonperforming	50	-	-	48	22	56	176
Total	\$ 104,546	\$ 131,110	\$ 8,711	\$ 40,312	\$ 13,664	\$ 38,625	\$ 336,968

December 31, 2014

Grade:	Residential	Commercial Real Estate	Home	Consumer	Commercial	Total	
	Mortgage (1-4 Family)		Construction Equity				
Pass	\$ 101,072	\$ 117,627	\$ 8,002	\$ 39,343	\$ 13,772	\$ 317,123	
Special mention	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Substandard	1,331	-	-	328	41	229	1,929
Doubtful	-	-	-	-	7	-	7
Loss	140	-	-	-	7	-	147

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Total	\$ 102,543	\$ 117,627	\$ 8,002	\$ 39,671	\$ 13,827	\$ 37,536	\$ 319,206
Credit risk profile based on payment activity							
Performing	\$ 101,722	\$ 117,627	\$ 8,002	\$ 39,575	\$ 13,811	\$ 37,459	\$ 318,196
Restructured loans	-	-	-	48	-	-	48
Nonperforming	821	-	-	48	16	77	962
Total	\$ 102,543	\$ 117,627	\$ 8,002	\$ 39,671	\$ 13,827	\$ 37,536	\$ 319,206

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## NOTE 3. LOANS RECEIVABLE - continued

The following tables include information regarding delinquencies within the loan portfolio.

	March 31, 2015					Recorded Investment >90 Days and Still Accruing
	90 Days		Total	Current	Total	
	30-89 Days	and				
	Past Due	Greater	Past Due	(In Thousands)		
Residential mortgage (1-4 family)	\$630	\$50	\$680	\$103,866	\$104,546	\$-
Commercial real estate	1,159	-	1,159	129,951	131,110	-
Real estate construction	-	-	-	8,711	8,711	-
Home equity	301	48	349	39,963	40,312	-
Consumer	162	22	184	13,480	13,664	-
Commercial	210	56	266	38,359	38,625	-
Total	\$2,462	\$176	\$2,638	\$334,330	\$336,968	\$-

	December 31, 2014					Recorded Investment >90 Days and Still Accruing
	90 Days		Total	Current	Total	
	30-89 Days	and				
	Past Due	Greater	Past Due	(In Thousands)		
Residential mortgage (1-4 family)	\$203	\$821	\$1,024	\$101,519	\$102,543	\$-
Commercial real estate	131	-	131	117,496	117,627	-
Real estate construction	-	-	-	8,002	8,002	-
Home equity	303	48	351	39,320	39,671	-
Consumer	258	16	274	13,553	13,827	-
Commercial	331	77	408	37,128	37,536	-
Total	\$1,226	\$962	\$2,188	\$317,018	\$319,206	\$-

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## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

## NOTE 3. LOANS RECEIVABLE - continued

The following tables include information regarding impaired loans.

			March 31, 2015		
	Recorded Investment	Unpaid Principal Balance	Related Allowance (In Thousands)	Interest Income Recognized	Average Recorded Investment
With no related allowance:					
Residential mortgage (1-4 family)	\$648	\$648	\$-	\$6	\$649
Commercial real estate	332	332	-	4	166
Construction	-	-	-	-	-
Home equity	224	288	-	2	276
Consumer	48	81	-	1	48
Commercial	234	264	-	2	232
With a related allowance:					
Residential mortgage (1-4 family)	-	-	-	-	411
Commercial real estate	-	-	-	-	-
Construction	-	-	-	-	-
Home equity	-	-	-	-	-
Consumer	5	5	5	-	6
Commercial	-	-	-	-	-
Total:					
Residential mortgage (1-4 family)	648	648	-	6	1,060
Commercial real estate	332	332	-	4	166
Construction	-	-	-	-	-
Home equity	224	288	-	2	276
Consumer	53	86	5	1	54
Commercial	234	264	-	2	232
Total	\$1,491	\$1,618	\$5	\$15	\$1,788

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## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

## NOTE 3. LOANS RECEIVABLE - continued

	December 31, 2014				
	Recorded Investment	Unpaid Principal Balance	Related Allowance (In Thousands)	Interest Income Recognized	Average Recorded Investment
With no related allowance:					
Residential mortgage (1-4 family)	\$650	\$650	\$-	\$14	\$655
Commercial real estate	-	-	-	-	140
Construction	-	-	-	2	-
Home equity	328	392	-	6	293
Consumer	48	82	-	2	65
Commercial	229	259	-	9	265
With a related allowance:					
Residential mortgage (1-4 family)	821	821	140	-	411
Commercial real estate	-	-	-	-	-
Construction	-	-	-	-	-
Home equity	-	-	-	-	16
Consumer	7	7	7	-	14
Commercial	-	-	-	-	8
Total:					
Residential mortgage (1-4 family)	1,471	1,471	140	14	1,066
Commercial real estate	-	-	-	-	140
Construction	-	-	-	2	-
Home equity	328	392	-	6	309
Consumer	55	89	7	2	79
Commercial	229	259	-	9	273
Total	\$2,083	\$2,211	\$147	\$33	\$1,867

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

NOTE 4. TROUBLED DEBT RESTRUCTURINGS

The Company adopted the amendments in Accounting Standards Update No. 2011-02 during the quarter ended December 31, 2011. As required, the Company reassessed all restructurings that occurred on or after the beginning of that fiscal year starting July 1, 2011 for identification as troubled debt restructurings. The Company identified as troubled debt restructurings certain receivables for which the allowance for credit losses had previously been measured under a general allowance for credit losses methodology (ASC 450-20). Upon identifying the reassessed receivables as troubled debt restructurings, the Company also identified them as impaired under the guidance in ASC 310-10-35. The amendments in Accounting Standards Update No. 2011-02 require prospective application of the impairment measurement guidance in Section 310-10-35 for those receivables newly identified as impaired. As of March 31, 2015, the recorded investment in receivables for which the allowance for credit losses was previously measured under a general allowance for credit losses methodology and are now impaired under Section 310-10-35 was \$47,000 (310-40-65-1(b)), and there was no allowance for credit losses associated with these receivables, on the basis of a current evaluation of loss (310-40-65-1(b)). There was \$34,000 charged-off at the time of restructure related to these receivables.

The Company offers a variety of modifications to borrowers. The modification categories offered can generally be described in the following categories:

Rate Modification – A modification in which the interest rate is changed.

Term Modification – A modification in which the maturity date, timing of payments, or frequency of payments is changed.

Interest Only Modification – A modification in which the loan is converted to interest only payments for a period of time.

Payment Modification – A modification in which the dollar amount of the payment is changed, other than an interest only modification described above.

Combination Modification – Any other type of modification, including the use of multiple categories above.



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## NOTE 4. TROUBLED DEBT RESTRUCTURINGS - continued

The following tables present troubled debt restructurings.

	Accrual Status	March 31, 2015	
		Non-Accrual Status	Total Modification
(In Thousands)			
Residential mortgage (1-4 family)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Commercial real estate	-	-	-
Real estate construction	-	-	-
Home equity	47	-	47
Consumer	-	-	-
Commercial	-	-	-
Total	\$ 47	\$ -	\$ 47

	Accrual Status	December 31, 2014	
		Non-Accrual Status	Total Modification
(In Thousands)			
Residential mortgage (1-4 family)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Commercial real estate	-	-	-
Real estate construction	-	-	-
Home equity	48	-	48
Consumer	-	-	-
Commercial	-	-	-
Total	\$ 48	\$ -	\$ 48

The Bank's policy is that loans placed on non-accrual will typically remain on non-accrual status until all principal and interest payments are brought current and the prospect for future payment in accordance with the loan agreement appears relatively certain. The Bank's policy generally refers to six months of payment performance as sufficient to warrant a return to accrual status.

During the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014, there were no new restructured loans.

There were no loans modified as a troubled debt restructured loan within the previous three months for which there was a payment default during the three months ended March 31, 2015.

A default for purposes of this disclosure is a troubled debt restructured loan in which the borrower is 90 days past due or results in the foreclosure and repossession of the applicable collateral. As of March 31, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the Company had no commitments to lend additional funds to loan customers whose terms had been modified in trouble debt restructures.



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## NOTE 5. DEPOSITS

Deposits are summarized as follows:

	March 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
	(In Thousands)	
Noninterest checking	\$65,877	\$60,507
Interest-bearing checking	76,498	76,367
Savings	66,513	62,455
Money market	94,445	91,431
Time certificates of deposit	149,366	150,223
Total	\$452,699	\$440,983

## NOTE 6. EARNINGS PER SHARE

Basic earnings per share for the three months ended March 31, 2015 was computed using 3,844,617 weighted average shares outstanding. Basic earnings per share for the three months ended March 31, 2014 was computed using 3,918,399 weighted average shares outstanding. Diluted earnings per share was computed using the treasury stock method by adjusting the number of shares outstanding by the shares purchased. The weighted average shares outstanding for the diluted earnings per share calculations was 3,881,872 for the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 3,973,202 for the three months ended March 31, 2014.

## NOTE 7. DIVIDENDS AND STOCK REPURCHASE PROGRAM

For the six month transition period from July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014, Eagle paid dividends of \$0.075 per share each quarter. A dividend of \$0.075 per share was declared on January 22, 2015, and paid March 6, 2015 to shareholders of record on February 13, 2015. A dividend of \$0.075 per share was declared on April 23, 2015, payable on June 6, 2015 to shareholders of record on May 13, 2015.

On July 1, 2013, the Company announced that its Board of Directors authorized a common stock repurchase program for 150,000 shares of common stock, effective July 1, 2013. The Company did not purchase any shares of our common stock during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014. The repurchase program expired on June 30, 2014.

On July 1, 2014, the Company announced that its Board of Directors had authorized the repurchase of up to 200,000 shares of its common stock. Under the plan, shares may be purchased by the company on the open market or in privately negotiated transactions. The extent to which the company repurchases its shares and the timing of such repurchase will depend upon market conditions and other corporate considerations. The Company has purchased 110,800 shares of its common stock. The repurchase program expires on June 30, 2015.

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## NOTE 8. ACCUMULATED OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)

The following table includes information regarding the activity in accumulated other comprehensive income (loss).

	Gains (Losses) on Derivatives Designated as Cash Flow Hedges	Unrealized (Losses) Gains on Investment Securities Available for Sale	Total
Balance, January 1, 2015	\$ 294	\$(509 )	\$(215 )
Other comprehensive income before, reclassifications and income taxes	529	1,495	2,024
Amounts reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income (loss), before income taxes	(496 )	(186 )	(682 )
Income tax expense	(13 )	(534 )	(547 )
Total other comprehensive income	20	775	795
Balance, March 31, 2015	\$ 314	\$ 266	\$ 580
Balance, January 1, 2014	\$ 217	\$(5,934 )	\$(5,717 )
Other comprehensive income (loss), before reclassifications and income taxes	238	3,489	3,727
Amounts reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income (loss), before income taxes	(366 )	(196 )	(562 )
Income tax benefit	52	(1,343 )	(1,291 )
Total other comprehensive loss	(76 )	1,950	1,874
Balance, March 31, 2014	\$ 141	\$(3,984 )	\$(3,843 )

## NOTE 9. DERIVATIVES AND HEDGING ACTIVITIES

The Company is exposed to certain risks relating to its ongoing business operations. The primary risk managed by using derivative instruments is interest rate risk. The Company entered into an interest rate swap agreement on August 27, 2010 with a third party to manage interest rate risk associated with a fixed-rate loan. The interest rate swap agreement effectively converted the loan's fixed rate into a variable rate. Derivatives and hedging accounting requires that the Company recognize all derivative instruments as either assets or liabilities at fair value in the statement of financial position. In accordance with this guidance, the Company designated the interest rate swap on this fixed-rate loan as a fair value hedge.

The Company was exposed to credit-related losses in the event of nonperformance by the counterparties to this agreement. The Company controlled the credit risk of its financial contracts through credit approvals, limits and monitoring procedures, and did not expect any counterparties to fail their obligations. The Company deals only with

primary dealers.

If certain hedging criteria specified in derivatives and hedging accounting guidance are met, including testing for hedge effectiveness, hedge accounting may be applied. The hedge effectiveness assessment methodologies for similar hedges are performed in a similar manner and are used consistently throughout the hedging relationships.

The hedge documentation specifies the terms of the hedged item and the interest rate swap. The documentation also indicates that the derivative is hedging a fixed-rate item, that the hedge exposure is to the changes in the fair value of the hedged item, and that the strategy is to eliminate fair value variability by converting fixed-rate interest payments to variable-rate interest payments.

For derivative instruments that are designated and qualify as a fair value hedge, the gain or loss on the derivative as well as the offsetting loss or gain on the hedged item attributable to the hedged risk are recognized in current earnings. The Company includes the gain or loss on the hedged items in the same line item—noninterest income—as the offsetting loss or gain on the related interest rate swap.

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NOTE 9. DERIVATIVES AND HEDGING ACTIVITIES - continued

The hedged fixed rate loan had an original maturity of 20 years and was not callable. This loan was hedged with a “pay fixed rate, receive variable rate” swap with a similar notional amount, maturity, and fixed rate coupons. The swap is not callable. At December 31, 2014, the loan had an outstanding principal balance of \$10,641,000 and the interest rate swap had a notional value of \$10,673,000.

At December 31, 2014, the interest rate swap on the fixed-rate loan was ineffective. The Bank recorded a loss of \$317,000 in noninterest income during the quarter ended December 31, 2014 related to the ineffectiveness. The interest rate swap was terminated during the quarter ended March 31, 2015. The Bank recorded a loss of \$93,000 in noninterest income during the quarter ended March 31, 2015 related to the swap termination. The loan fair value adjustment of \$138,000 at March 31, 2015 will be amortized over the remaining life of the loan which matures September 1, 2030.

Effect of Derivative Instruments on Statement of Financial Condition  
Fair Value of Derivative Instruments

Asset Derivatives	Liabilities Derivatives
March 31, 2015	