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# United Community Banks, Inc. Reports Earnings of \$230 Million for Second Quarter 2013

BLAIRSVILLE, GA -- (Marketwired) -- 07/25/13 -- United Community Banks, Inc. (NASDAQ: UCBI)

- Net income of \$230 million, or \$3.90 per share
- Earnings reflect impact of reversal of valuation allowance on deferred tax asset and accelerated sales of classified assets
- · Credit measures now at pre-credit crisis levels
- Capital levels remain strong

United Community Banks, Inc. (NASDAQ: UCBI) today reported net income of \$230 million, or \$3.90 per share, for the second quarter of 2013, and \$242 million, or \$4.05 per share, for the first six months of 2013. The results reflect the impact of two very significant events during the second quarter -- the reversal of the valuation allowance on United's net deferred tax asset and higher provision for loan losses and foreclosed property expenses from the accelerated sales of classified assets.

"The second quarter events mark the final phase of our recovery from the financial crisis that has affected so many banks throughout the country and especially within our footprint," said Jimmy Tallent, president and chief executive officer. "With the reversal of our valuation allowance and the accelerated sales of classified assets, the lingering effects of the credit crisis are behind us. We can now devote full attention toward growing our business and increasing the value of our shareholders' investments."

Tallent noted that the reduction in loans resulting from the accelerated classified loan sales masked an otherwise solid quarter of loan growth. Though the company sold loans with a carrying amount of \$151 million, total loans were only down \$5 million from the first quarter.

"Achieving quality loan growth remains a top priority despite continued challenges with the sluggish economy," Tallent said. "We are accomplishing this objective by adding lenders strategically, including in our vibrant new markets of Greenville, South Carolina and Nashville, Tennessee."

The second quarter provision for loan losses was \$48.5 million compared with \$11 million in the first quarter and with \$18 million in the second quarter of 2012. The increase reflects the higher level of charge-offs associated with the accelerated classified loan sales. Second quarter net charge-offs were \$72.4 million compared with \$12.4 million in the first quarter and \$18.9 million a year ago. The \$48.5 million provision reflects the difference between the \$72.4 million in net charge-offs offset by a \$24 million reduction in the allowance for loan losses.

"We believed the time was right to take the final step toward putting the financial crisis behind us by selling our stress-related classified assets, including a bulk sale of \$131 million," Tallent said. "We have cleansed our balance sheet of legacy problem credits and are turning full attention to strategic initiatives to grow our business and shareholder value."

Nonperforming assets at quarter-end were \$31.8 million, representing .44 percent of total assets. This total is down from \$113 million, or 1.65 percent, at March 31, 2013, and \$146 million, or 2.16 percent, at June 30, 2012. The classified asset ratio, which is the ratio of classified assets to Tier 1 regulatory capital plus the allowance for loan losses, declined to 27 percent from 49 percent at March 31 and from 62 percent a year ago.

Second quarter taxable equivalent net interest revenue totaled \$54.6 million, down \$97,000 from the first quarter and down \$2.27 million from the second quarter of 2012. "The decrease reflects the ongoing trend of lower yields on our loan and investment securities portfolios," said Tallent. "The lower loan portfolio yield reflects competitive pricing pressure on new and renewed loans and new retail product offerings with low introductory rates. Introductory rates on the new retail products will begin to expire and approximately \$50 million will reset to a market rate in the third quarter of 2013. The lower investment securities yield is due to reinvestment of cash flows at record low rates. We continue to look for reinvestment opportunities, with a focus on floating-rate securities, to alleviate market and duration risk. At quarter-end, floating-rate securities accounted for 39 percent of the total investment securities portfolio compared to 34 percent last quarter. The higher proportion improves our overall interest sensitivity position by reducing exposure to rising interest rates."

The second quarter taxable equivalent net interest margin was 3.31 percent, down seven basis points from the first quarter and 12 basis points from a year ago. "Our net interest margin will remain under pressure as long as interest rates hold at these

unprecedented low levels," stated Tallent. "To offset the impact on net interest revenue, we remain sharply focused on growing the loan portfolio in the mid-single digit range by focusing on retail loans and continuing to add commercial lenders in key markets."

Second quarter fee revenue was \$16.3 million, compared to \$12.8 million in the first quarter and \$12.9 million a year ago. Contributing to these increases were higher mortgage, advisory services and interchange fee revenue, as well as two non-core items in other fee revenue. Mortgage fee revenue increased \$348,000 from the first quarter and \$681,000 from a year ago, to \$3.0 million. Closed mortgage loans totaled \$95.2 million in the second quarter, compared with \$69.8 million in the first quarter and \$79.8 million in the second quarter of 2012.

The two non-core items that contributed to the increase in other fee revenue were a \$1.37 million recovery on a bank-owned life insurance policy and a \$468,000 gain from the sale of low-income housing tax credits. In addition, other fee revenue included customer derivative fees of \$488,000 compared with \$252,000 in the first quarter of 2013. These fees are from the company's newly rolled-out loan swap program for commercial loan customers.

Operating expenses, excluding foreclosed property costs, were \$43.7 million in the second quarter of 2013 compared to \$41.4 million for the first quarter of 2013 and \$42.5 million a year ago. The increase from both periods was due mostly to higher severance costs; second quarter 2013 severance costs were \$1.56 million compared with \$360,000 and \$1.16 million for the first quarter of 2013 and the second quarter of 2012, respectively. Also contributing to the increase in operating expenses were higher mortgage and brokerage incentives related to the higher revenue levels and higher consulting fees associated with various revenue enhancement and efficiency projects.

Foreclosed property costs were \$5.15 million in the second quarter of 2013 compared to \$2.33 million in the first quarter and \$1.85 million a year ago. The higher total reflects losses incurred on the accelerated sales of foreclosed properties. Included in second quarter 2013 costs were \$4.31 million in net losses and write-downs and \$837,000 for maintenance. For the first quarter of 2013, foreclosed property costs included \$1.15 million in net losses and write-downs and \$1.19 million in maintenance. Second quarter 2012 foreclosed property costs included \$739,000 in net losses and write-downs and \$1.11 million in maintenance.

As of June 30, 2013, capital ratios were as follows: Tier 1 Risk-Based of 13.7 percent; Total Risk-Based of 15.2 percent; Tier 1 Common Risk-Based of 8.5 percent; and, Tangible Equity-to-Assets of 11.5 percent. The average Tier 1 Leverage ratio was 9.8 percent at June 30, 2013.

"With credit quality now well under control, our attention is focused on growing our business and improving earnings performance," concluded Tallent. "In a competitive landscape, we must work more efficiently to achieve our goals, all while maintaining the best customer satisfaction scores in the industry. This team is more than up to the challenge and fully committed."

### Conference Call

United will hold a conference call today, Thursday, July 25, 2013, at 11 a.m. ET to discuss the contents of this news release and to share business highlights for the quarter. To access the call, dial (877) 380-5665 and use the conference number 11766770. The conference call also will be webcast and can be accessed by selecting 'Calendar of Events' within the Investor Relations section of United's website at <u>www.ucbi.com</u>.

### About United Community Banks, Inc.

Headquartered in Blairsville, United Community Banks, Inc. is the third-largest bank holding company in Georgia. United has assets of \$7.2 billion and operates 103 banking offices throughout north Georgia, the Atlanta region, coastal Georgia, western North Carolina, east Tennessee and western South Carolina. United specializes in providing personalized community banking services to individuals and small to mid-size businesses and also offers the convenience of 24-hour access through a network of ATMs, telephone and on-line banking. United's common stock is listed on the Nasdaq Global Select Market under the symbol UCBI. Additional information may be found at United's website at <a href="https://www.ucbi.com">www.ucbi.com</a>.

#### <u>Safe Harbor</u>

This news release contains forward-looking statements, as defined by federal securities laws, including statements about United's financial outlook and business environment. These statements are based on current expectations and are provided to assist in the understanding of future financial performance. Such performance involves risks and uncertainties that may cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied in any such statements. For a discussion of some of the risks and other factors that may cause such forward-looking statements to differ materially from actual results, please refer to United's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission including its 2012 Annual Report on Form 10-K under the sections entitled "Forward-Looking Statements" and "Risk Factors." Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made, and we undertake no obligation to update or revise forward-looking statements.

## Financial Highlights Selected Financial Information

		20	13						2012			
(in thousands, except per share		Second	10		First		Fourth		Third		Second	Second Quarter 2013- 2012
data; taxable equivalent)		Quarter		_	Quarter	_	Quarter		Quarter	_	Quarter	Change
INCOME SUMMARY												
Interest revenue	\$	61,693		\$	62,134	\$	64,450	\$	65,978	\$	66,780	
Interest expense		7,131			7,475	-	8,422	-	8,607	-	9,944	
Net interest revenue		54,562			54,659		56,028		57,371		56,836	(4)%
Provision for loan losses		48,500			11,000		14,000		15,500		18,000	
Fee revenue		16,312			12,826	-	14,761	-	13,764	-	12,867	27
Total revenue		22,374			56,485		56,789		55,635		51,703	
Operating expenses		48,823			43,770	-	50,726	-	44,783	-	44,310	10
(Loss) income before income taxes		(26,449)			12,715		6,063		10,852		7,393	
Income tax (benefit) expense		(256,413)			950	_	802	_	284	_	894	
Net income		229,964			11,765		5,261		10,568		6,499	
Preferred dividends and discount accretion	t	3,055			3,052		3,045	_	3,041	_	3,032	
Net income available to common shareholders	\$	226,909		\$	8,713	\$	2,216	\$	7,527	\$	3,467	
PERFORMANCE MEASURES												
Per common share:												
Diluted income	\$	3.90		\$	.15	\$	.04	\$	.13	\$	.06	
Book value		10.90			6.85		6.67		6.75		6.61	65
Tangible book value <sup>(2)</sup>		10.82			6.76		6.57		6.64		6.48	67
Key performance ratios:												
Return on equity $\frac{(1)(3)}{(2)}$		197.22 %	)		8.51 9	%	2.15 9	%	7.43 9	%	3.51 %	
Return on assets $^{(3)}$		13.34			.70		.31		.63		.37	
Net interest margin <sup>(3)</sup>		3.31			3.38		3.44		3.60		3.43	
Efficiency ratio		68.89			64.97		71.69		62.95		63.84	
Equity to assets Tangible equity to assets		11.57	(4)	)	8.60		8.63		8.75		8.33	
(2)		11.53	(4)	)	8.53		8.55		8.66		8.24	
Tangible common equity to assets <sup>(2)</sup>		8.79	(4)		5.66		5.67		5.73		5.45	
Tangible common equity		0.75	(-)	,	0.00		0.07		0.70		0.40	
to risk-weighted assets $^{(2)}$		13.16			8.45		8.26		8.44		8.37	
ASSET QUALITY *												
Non-performing loans	\$	27,864		\$	96,006	\$	109,894	\$	115,001	\$	115,340	
Foreclosed properties		3,936			16,734	-	18,264	_	26,958	_	30,421	
Total non-performing assets (NPAs)		31,800			112,740		128,158		141,959		145,761	
Allowance for loan losses		81,845			105,753		107,137		107,642		112,705	
Net charge-offs		72,408			12,384		14,505		20,563		18,896	
Allowance for loan losses to loans		1.95 %	)		2.52	%	2.57	%	2.60 9	%	2.74 %	
Net charge-offs to average												

loans <sup>(3)</sup>	6.87	1.21	1.39	1.99	1.85	
NPAs to loans and foreclosed						
properties	.76	2.68	3.06	3.41	3.51	
NPAs to total assets	.44	1.65	1.88	2.12	2.16	
<b>AVERAGE BALANCES</b> (\$ in millions)						
Loans	\$ 4,253	\$ 4,197	\$ 4,191	\$ 4,147	\$ 4,156	2
Investment securities	2,161	2,141	2,088	1,971	2,145	1
Earning assets	6,608	6,547	6,482	6,346	6,665	(1)
Total assets	6,915	6,834	6,778	6,648	6,993	(1)
Deposits	5,983	5,946	5,873	5,789	5,853	2
Shareholders' equity	636	588	585	582	583	9
Common shares - basic (thousands)	58,141	58,081	57,971	57,880	57,840	
Common shares - diluted (thousands)	58,141	58,081	57,971	57,880	57,840	
AT PERIOD END (\$ in millions)						
Loans *	\$ 4,189	\$ 4,194	\$ 4,175	\$ 4,138	\$ 4,119	2
Investment securities	2,152	2,141	2,079	2,025	1,984	8
Total assets	7,163	6,849	6,802	6,699	6,737	6
Deposits	6,012	6,026	5,952	5,823	5,822	3
Shareholders' equity	829	592	581	585	576	44
Common shares outstanding (thousands)	57,831	57,767	57,741	57,710	57,641	

(1) Net income available to common shareholders, which is net of preferred stock dividends, divided by average realized common equity, which excludes accumulated other comprehensive income (loss).

(2) Excludes effect of acquisition related intangibles and associated amortization.

(3) Annualized.

(4) Calculated as of period-end to reflect the full impact of the reversal of the valuation allowance on United's deferred tax asset. The period-end ratio is more indicative of the ratio going forward.

\* Excludes loans and foreclosed properties covered by loss sharing agreements with the FDIC.

## UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

Financial Highlights

### Selected Financial Information

	 For th Months June		YTD 2013-2012	
(in thousands, except per share data; taxable equivalent)	 2013		2012	Change
INCOME SUMMARY				
Interest revenue	\$ 123,827	\$	137,001	
Interest expense	 14,606		21,301	
Net interest revenue	109,221		115,700	(6)%
Provision for loan losses	59,500		33,000	
Fee revenue	 29,138		28,246	3
Total revenue	78,859		110,946	
Operating expenses	 92,593		91,265	1
(Loss) income before income taxes	 (13,734)		19,681	
Income tax (benefit) expense	(255,463)		1,654	
Net income	 241,729		18,027	
Preferred dividends and discount accretion	6,107		6,062	
Net income available to common shareholders	\$ 235,622	<u>\$</u>	11,965	

PERFORMANCE MEASURES					
Per common share:					
Diluted income	\$	4.05	\$	.21	
Book value		10.90		6.61	65
Tangible book value <sup>(2)</sup>		10.82		6.48	67
Key performance ratios:					
Return on equity $^{(1)(3)}$		108.34 9	%	6.12 %	
Return on assets <sup>(3)</sup>		7.09		.52	
Net interest margin <sup>(3)</sup>		3.34		3.48	
Efficiency ratio		66.98		63.56	
Equity to assets		8.90		8.26	
Tangible equity to assets $(2)$		8.83		8.16	
Tangible common equity to assets <sup>(2)</sup>		5.99		5.39	
Tangible common equity to risk-weighted assets $^{(2)}$		13.16		8.37	
ASSET QUALITY *					
Non-performing loans	\$	27,864	\$	115,340	
Foreclosed properties		3,936		30,421	
Total non-performing assets (NPAs)		31,800		145,761	
Allowance for loan losses		81,845		112,705	
Net charge-offs		84,792		34,763	
Allowance for loan losses to loans		1.95 9	%	2.74 %	
Net charge-offs to average loans <sup>(3)</sup>		4.07		1.70	
NPAs to loans and foreclosed properties		.76		3.51	
NPAs to total assets		.44		2.16	
AVERAGE BALANCES (\$ in millions)					
Loans	\$	4,225	\$	4,162	2
Investment securities		2,151		2,149	-
Earning assets		6,578		6,682	(2)
Total assets		6,875		7,019	(2)
Deposits		5,964		5,940	-
Shareholders' equity		612		580	6
Common shares - basic (thousands)		58,111		57,803	
Common shares - diluted (thousands)		58,111		57,803	
AT PERIOD END (\$ in millions)					
Loans *	\$	4,189	\$	4,119	2
Investment securities		2,152		1,984	8
Total assets		7,163		6,737	6
Deposits		6,012		5,822	3
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## Non-GAAP Performance Measures Reconciliation Selected Financial Information

		201	13					2012		
(in thousands, except per share data; taxable equivalent)		Second Quarter		First Quarter		Fourth Quarter		Third Quarter		econd luarter
Interest revenue reconciliation										
Interest revenue - taxable equivalent	\$	61,693	\$	62,134	\$	64,450	\$	65,978	\$	66,780
Taxable equivalent adjustment		(368)		(365)		(381)	_	(419)		(444_)
Interest revenue (GAAP)	\$	61,325	\$	61,769	\$	64,069	\$	65,559	\$	66,336
Net interest revenue reconciliation										
Net interest revenue - taxable										
	\$	54,562	\$	54,659	\$	56,028	\$	57,371	\$	56,836
Taxable equivalent adjustment	<u> </u>	(368)	<u> </u>	(365)		(381)	<u> </u>	(419)		(444)
Net interest revenue (GAAP)	<u>\$</u>	54,194	\$	54,294	<u>\$</u>	55,647	<u>\$</u>	56,952	\$	56,392
Total revenue reconciliation										
Total operating revenue	\$	22,374	\$	56,485	\$	56,789	\$	55,635	\$	51,703
Taxable equivalent adjustment	. —	(368)	. —	(365)	. —	(381)	. –	(419)	. —	(444)
Total revenue (GAAP)	<u>\$</u>	22,006	\$	56,120	\$	56,408	<u>\$</u>	55,216	<u>\$</u>	51,259
(Loss) income before taxes reconciliation										
(Loss) income before taxes	\$	(26,449)	\$	12,715	\$	6,063	\$	10,852	\$	7,393
Taxable equivalent adjustment		(368)		(365)		(381)	_	(419)		(444_)
(Loss) income before taxes (GAAP)	\$	(26,817)	\$	12,350	\$	5,682	\$	10,433	\$	6,949
Income tax (benefit) expense reconciliation										
Income tax (benefit) expense	\$	(256,413)	\$	950	\$	802	\$	284	\$	894
Taxable equivalent adjustment	_	(368)		(365)		(381)	_	(419)		(444)
Income tax (benefit) expense (GAAP)	\$	(256,781)	\$	585	\$	421	\$	(135)	\$	450
Book value per common share reconciliation										
Tangible book value per common share	\$	10.82	\$	6.76	\$	6.57	\$	6.64	\$	6.48
Effect of goodwill and other intangibles		.08		.09		.10	_	.11		.13
Book value per common share (GAAP)	<u>\$</u>	10.90	<u>\$</u>	6.85	<u>\$</u>	6.67	\$	6.75	<u>\$</u>	6.61
Average equity to assets reconciliation										
Tangible common equity to assets		8.79 %	•	5.66 %	, 0	5.67 %	, 0	5.73 %	, D	5.45 %
Effect of preferred equity	_	2.74		2.87		2.88	_	2.93		2.79
Tangible equity to assets		11.53		8.53		8.55		8.66		8.24
Effect of goodwill and other intangibles		.04		.07		.08	_	.09		.09
Equity to assets (GAAP)	_	11.57 %	' _	8.60 %	, o	8.63 %	é =	8.75 %	, 	8.33 %
Tangible common equity to risk- weighted assets reconciliation										
Tangible common equity to risk-				<b>•</b> •= •	,		,	<b>_</b>		• •= • ·
weighted assets		13.16 %	)	8.45 %	Ō	8.26 %	ò	8.44 %	D	8.37 %
Effect of other comprehensive income		.29		.49		.51		.36		.28
Effect of deferred tax limitation		(4.99)		- 4 4 E		- 1 1 E		-		-
Effect of trust preferred		1.11		1.15		1.15		1.17		1.19

Effect of preferred equity	4.11	4.22	4.24	4.2		4.35
Tier I capital ratio (Regulatory)	13.68 %	14.31 %	14.16 %	14.2	<u>6</u> %	14.19 %
UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. Non-GAAP Performance Measures Re Selected Financial Information	conciliation					
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(in thousands, except per sharedata; tax	able equivalent)		2	013		2012
Interest revenue reconciliation	. ,					
Interest revenue - taxable equivalent Taxable equivalent adjustment			\$	123,827 (733 )	\$	137,001 (890)
Interest revenue (GAAP)			\$	123,094	\$	136,111
Net interest revenue reconciliation						
Net interest revenue - taxable equivalent	t		\$	109,221	\$	115,700
Taxable equivalent adjustment				(733)		(890)
Net interest revenue (GAAP)			\$	108,488	\$	114,810
Total revenue reconciliation						
Total operating revenue			\$	78,859	\$	110,946
Taxable equivalent adjustment				(733)		(890)
Total revenue (GAAP)			\$	78,126	<u>\$</u>	110,056
(Loss) income before taxes reconcilia	tion					
(Loss) income before taxes			\$	(13,734)	\$	19,681
Taxable equivalent adjustment				(733)		(890)
(Loss) income before taxes (GAAP)			\$	(14,467)	\$	18,791
Income tax (benefit) expense reconcil	liation					
Income tax (benefit) expense			\$	(255,463)	\$	1,654
Taxable equivalent adjustment				(733)		(890)
Income tax (benefit) expense (GAAP)			\$	(256,196)	<u>\$</u>	764
Book value per common share recond	ciliation					
Tangible book value per common share			\$	10.82	\$	6.48
Effect of goodwill and other intangibles			<u> </u>	.08	<u> </u>	.13
Book value per common share (GAA			\$	10.90	<u>\$</u>	6.61
Average equity to assets reconciliatio	n					
Tangible common equity to assets				5.99 %		5.39 %
Effect of preferred equity				2.84		2.77
Tangible equity to assets				8.83		8.16
Effect of goodwill and other intangibles Equity to assets (GAAP)				.07 8.90 %		.10
				0.90 %		8.26 %
Tangible common equity to risk-weigh		lation				0.07.0/
Tangible common equity to risk-weighted Effect of other comprehensive income	assels			13.16 % .29		8.37 % .28
Effect of deferred tax limitation				.29 (4.99)		.20
Effect of trust preferred				(4.99)		1.19
Effect of preferred equity				4.11		4.35
Tier I capital ratio (Regulatory)				13.68 %		<u>4.35</u> 14.19 %
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## UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. Financial Highlights

Loan Portfolio Composition at Period-End  $^{(1)}$ 

	2013									
(in millions)		econd uarter		First Quarter		Fourth Quarter		Third Quarter		Second Quarter
LOANS BY CATEGORY										
Owner occupied commercial RE	\$	1,119	\$	1,130	\$	1,131	\$	1,126	\$	1,140
Income producing commercial RE		629		674		682		693		697
Commercial & industrial		437		454		458		460		450
Commercial construction		133		152		155	_	161		169
Total commercial		2,318		2,410		2,426		2,440		2,456
Residential mortgage		876		850		829		833		834
Home equity lines of credit		402		396		385		341		294
Residential construction		332		372		382		389		409
Consumer installment		261	_	166	_	153	_	135	-	126
Total loans	\$	4,189	\$	4,194	\$	4,175	\$	4,138	\$	4,119
LOANS BY MARKET										
North Georgia	\$	1,265	\$	1,363	\$	1,364	\$	1,383	\$	1,387
Atlanta MSA		1,227		1,262		1,250		1,238		1,242
North Carolina		576		575		579		579		576
Coastal Georgia		397		398		400		380		369
Gainesville MSA		256		259		261		256		259
East Tennessee		282		282		283		283		276
South Carolina		34		-		-		-		-
Other <sup>(2)</sup>		152	_	55	-	38	-	19	-	10
Total loans	\$	4,189	\$	4,194	\$	4,175	\$	4,138	\$	4,119
RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION										
Dirt loans										
Acquisition & development	\$	42	\$	57	\$	62	\$	71	\$	78
Land loans		36		42		46		41		45
Lot loans		173	_	188	_	193	_	196	-	203
Total		251	_	287	-	301	-	308		326
House loans										
Spec		34		40		41		44		49
Sold		47	-	45	-	40	-	37	-	34
Total		81	_	85	_	81	-	81		83
Total residential construction	\$	332	\$	372	\$	382	\$	389	\$	409

(1) Excludes total loans of \$25.7 million, \$28.3 million, \$33.4 million, \$37.0 million and \$41.5 million as of June 30, 2013, March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012, September 30, 2012 and June 30, 2012, respectively, that are covered by the loss-sharing agreement with the FDIC, related to the acquisition of Southern Community Bank.

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## UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

### Financial Highlights

Loan Portfolio Composition at Period-End <sup>(1)</sup>

		20	13	13 2012		2012				
(in millions)	-	Second Quarter		First uarter	Second Quarter		Linked Quarter Change		_	Year over Year Change
LOANS BY CATEGORY										
Owner occupied commercial RE Income producing commercial RE	\$	1,119 629	\$	1,130 674	\$	1,140 697	\$	(11) (45)	\$	(21) (68)

Commercial & industrial 437 454 450 (1	17) (13)
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(36)
	92) (138)
	26 42
Home equity lines of credit 402 396 294	6 108
	40) (77)
Consumer installment 261 166 126 g	95 135
Total loans \$ 4,189 \$ 4,194 \$ 4,119	(5) 70
LOANS BY MARKET	
North Georgia \$ 1,265 \$ 1,363 \$ 1,387 (9	98) (122)
Atlanta MSA 1,227 1,262 1,242 (3	35) (15)
North Carolina 576 575 576	1 -
Coastal Georgia 397 398 369	(1) 28
Gainesville MSA 256 259 259	(3) (3)
East Tennessee 282 282 276	- 6
South Carolina 34 3	34 34
Other <sup>(2)</sup> 55105	97 142
	(5) 70
RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION	
Dirt loans	
Acquisition & development \$ 42 \$ 57 \$ 78 (1	15) (36)
Land loans 36 42 45	(6) (9)
Lot loans <u>173</u> 188 203 (1	15) (30)
Total 251 287 326 (3	36) (75)
House loans	
Spec 34 40 49	(6) (15)
Sold 47 45 34	2 13
Total 81 85 83	(4) (2)
	40) (77)

(1) Excludes total loans of \$25.7 million, \$28.3 million, \$33.4 million, \$37.0 million and \$41.5 million as of June 30, 2013, March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012, September 30, 2012 and June 30, 2012, respectively, that are covered by the loss-sharing agreement with the FDIC, related to the acquisition of Southern Community Bank.

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## UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. Financial Highlights

Credit Quality<sup>(1)</sup>

	5	Second C	Quarter 201	3		
(in thousands)	performing Loans		eclosed perties		Total NPAs	
NONPERFORMING ASSETS BY CATEGORY						
Owner occupied CRE	\$ 5,283	\$	547	\$	5,830	
Income producing CRE	1,954		-		1,954	
Commercial & industrial	548		-		548	
Commercial construction	 504		376		880	
Total commercial	 8,289		923		9,212	
Residential mortgage	12,847		1,303		14,150	
Home equity lines of credit	1,491		140		1,631	
Residential construction	4,838		1,570		6,408	
Consumer installment	 399		-		399	
Total NPAs	\$ 27,864	\$	3,936	\$	31,800	

Balance as a % of Unpaid Principal	62.6 %	31.6 %	55.8 %
NONPERFORMING ASSETS BY MARKET			
North Georgia	\$ 12,830	\$ 1,617	\$ 14,447
Atlanta MSA	3,803	1,197	5,000
North Carolina	6,512	295	6,807
Coastal Georgia	2,588	627	3,215
Gainesville MSA	1,008	-	1,008
East Tennessee	1,123	200	1,323
South Carolina	-	-	-
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	 -	 -	 -
Total NPAs	\$ 27,864	\$ 3,936	\$ 31,800
NONPERFORMING ASSETS ACTIVITY			
Beginning Balance	\$ 96,006	\$ 16,734	\$ 112,740
Loans placed on non-accrual	13,200	-	13,200
Payments received	(47,937)	-	(47,937)
Loan charge-offs	(23,972)	-	(23,972)
Foreclosures	(9,433)	9,433	-
Capitalized costs	-	55	55
Property sales	-	(17,972)	(17,972)
Write downs	-	(1,369)	(1,369)
Net losses on sales	 _	 (2,945)	 (2,945)
Ending Balance	\$ 27,864	\$ 3,936	\$ 31,800

(1) Excludes non-performing loans and foreclosed properties covered by the loss-sharing agreement with the FDIC, related to the acquisition of Southern Community Bank.

(2) Annualized.

<sup>(3)</sup> Includes purchased indirect auto loans that are not assigned to a geographic region.

# UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

# Financial Highlights

Credit Quality<sup>(1)</sup>

		First (	Quarter 2013	
(in thousands)	performing Loans		oreclosed roperties	 Total NPAs
NONPERFORMING ASSETS BY CATEGORY				
Owner occupied CRE	\$ 8,142	\$	4,750	\$ 12,892
Income producing CRE	9,162		834	9,996
Commercial & industrial	29,545		-	29,545
Commercial construction	 22,359		3,027	 25,386
Total commercial	69,208		8,611	77,819
Residential mortgage	10,901		3,463	14,364
Home equity lines of credit	916		-	916
Residential construction	14,592		4,660	19,252
Consumer installment	 389		-	 389
Total NPAs	\$ 96,006	\$	16,734	\$ 112,740
Balance as a % of Unpaid Principal	66.3 %		45.0 %	 62.0 %
NONPERFORMING ASSETS BY MARKET				
North Georgia	\$ 63,210	\$	6,616	\$ 69,826
Atlanta MSA	17,380		3,524	20,904
North Carolina	8,519		2,533	11,052
Coastal Georgia	3,523		1,449	4,972

Gainesville MSA East Tennessee	911 2,463	370 2,242		1,281 4,705
South Carolina	-	-		-
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	-	-		-
Total NPAs	\$ 96,006	\$ 16,734	\$	112,740
NONPERFORMING ASSETS ACTIVITY				
Beginning Balance	\$ 109,894	\$ 18,264	\$	128,158
Loans placed on non-accrual	9,665	-		9,665
Payments received	(6,809)	-		(6,809)
Loan charge-offs	(10,456)	-		(10,456)
Foreclosures	(6,288)	6,288		-
Capitalized costs	-	54		54
Property sales	-	(6,726)		(6,726)
Write downs	-	(1,041)		(1,041)
Net losses on sales	 -	 (105)	_	(105)
Ending Balance	\$ 96,006	\$ 16,734	\$	112,740

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## UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. Financial Highlights

Credit Quality<sup>(1)</sup>

	Fourth Quarter 2012									
(in thousands)		performing Loans		reclosed operties		Total NPAs				
NONPERFORMING ASSETS BY CATEGORY										
Owner occupied CRE	\$	12,599	\$	4,989	\$	17,588				
Income producing CRE		9,549		490		10,039				
Commercial & industrial		31,817		-		31,817				
Commercial construction		23,843		2,204		26,047				
Total commercial		77,808		7,683		85,491				
Residential mortgage		11,151		4,753		15,904				
Home equity lines of credit		1,438		-		1,438				
Residential construction		18,702		5,828		24,530				
Consumer installment		795		-		795				
Total NPAs	\$	109,894	\$	18,264	\$	128,158				
Balance as a % of Unpaid Principal		69.5 %	)	39.7 %	)	62.8 %				
NONPERFORMING ASSETS BY MARKET										
North Georgia	\$	69,950	\$	8,219	\$	78,169				
Atlanta MSA		18,556		3,442		21,998				
North Carolina		11,014		2,579		13,593				
Coastal Georgia		3,810		1,609		5,419				
Gainesville MSA		903		556		1,459				
East Tennessee		5,661		1,859		7,520				
South Carolina		-		-		-				
Other <sup>(3)</sup>		-		-		-				
Total NPAs	\$	109,894	\$	18,264	\$	128,158				

Beginning Balance	\$ 115,001	\$ 26,958	\$ 141,959
Loans placed on non-accrual	20,211	-	20,211
Payments received	(6,458)	-	(6,458)
Loan charge-offs	(11,722)	-	(11,722)
Foreclosures	(7,138)	7,138	-
Capitalized costs	-	201	201
Property sales	-	(12,845)	(12,845)
Write downs	-	(1,438)	(1,438)
Net losses on sales	 -	 (1,750)	 (1,750)
Ending Balance	\$ 109,894	\$ 18,264	\$ 128,158

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#### UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

## Financial Highlights

Credit Quality<sup>(1)</sup>

	Second Quarter 2013				First Quart	ter 2013	Fourth Quarter 2012			
(in thousands)	c	Net Charge- Offs	Net Charge- Offs to Average Loans <sup>(2)</sup>	Net Charge- Offs		Net Charge- Offs to Average Loans <sup>(2)</sup>	(	Net Charge- Offs	Net Charge- Offs to Average Loans <sup>(2)</sup>	
NET CHARGE-OFFS BY CATEGORY										
Owner occupied CRE	\$	16,545	5.85 %	\$	1,922	.69 %	\$	4,997	1.76 %	
Income producing CRE		8,921	5.45		3,321	1.99		1,153	.67	
Commercial & industrial		15,576	13.91		1,501	1.34		135	.12	
Commercial construction	_	6,295	17.53		(4)	(.01)	_	1,688	4.25	
Total commercial		47,337	7.96		6,740	1.14		7,973	1.30	
Residential mortgage		5,469	2.52		1,635	.79		3,254	1.55	
Home equity lines of credit		1,040	1.04		512	.53		445	.49	
Residential construction		18,506	20.91		2,973	3.22		2,435	2.52	
Consumer installment	_	56	.10		524	1.35	_	398	1.10	
Total	\$	72,408	6.87	\$	12,384	1.21	\$	14,505	1.39	
NET CHARGE-OFFS BY MARKET										
North Georgia	\$	59,102	17.20 %	\$	4,868	1.45 %	\$	4,458	1.29 %	
Atlanta MSA		9,986	3.21		3,295	1.07		3,977	1.27	
North Carolina		1,952	1.36		2,249	1.59		2,032	1.39	
Coastal Georgia		480	.49		821	.85		574	.60	
Gainesville MSA		123	.19		430	.67		1,331	2.04	
East Tennessee		711	1.01		679	.98		2,117	2.98	
South Carolina		-	-		-	-		-	-	
Other <sup>(3)</sup>	_	54	.24		42	.39	_	16	.19	
Total	\$	72,408	6.87	\$	12,384	1.21	\$	14,505	1.39	

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# UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

## Consolidated Statement of Operations (Unaudited)

• • • • •		Six Months Ended June 30,					
(in thousands, except per share data)	2013	ne 30, 2012	2013	2012			
Interest revenue:							
Loans, including fees	\$ 50,728	\$ 54,17	8 \$ 101,662	\$ 109,937			
Investment securities, including tax exempt of	·, -	Ŧ - )		÷ ,			
\$210, \$262, \$422 and \$512	9,681	11,06	2 19,646	24,066			
Deposits in banks and short-term investments	916	1,09	6 1,786	2,108			
Total interest revenue	61,325	66,33	6 123,094	136,111			
Interest expense:							
Deposits:							
NOW	419	50	3 873	1,140			
Money market	534	66	1 1,096	1,302			
Savings	36	3	8 72	75			
Time	2,924	5,07	6,150	11,232			
Total deposit interest expense	3,913	6,27		13,749			
Short-term borrowings	522	90		1,949			
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	30	39		856			
Long-term debt	2,666	2,37		4,747			
Total interest expense	7,131	9,94		21,301			
Net interest revenue	54,194	56,39		114,810			
Provision for loan losses	48,500	18,00		33,000			
Net interest revenue after provision for loan			<u> </u>				
losses	5,694	38,39	2 48,988	81,810			
Fee revenue:							
Service charges and fees	7,972	7,81		15,599			
Mortgage loan and other related fees	3,003	2,32		4,421			
Brokerage fees	1,063	80	,	1,622			
Securities gains, net	-	6,49		7,047			
Loss from prepayment of debt	-	(6,19	•	(6,681)			
Other	4,274	1,62		6,238			
Total fee revenue	16,312	12,86	7 29,138	28,246			
Total revenue	22,006	51,25	9 78,126	110,056			
Operating expenses:							
Salaries and employee benefits	24,734	24,29	7 48,326	49,522			
Communications and equipment	3,468	3,21	1 6,514	6,366			
Occupancy	3,449	3,53	9 6,816	7,310			
Advertising and public relations	1,037	1,08	8 1,975	1,934			
Postage, printing and supplies	894	91	6 1,757	1,895			
Professional fees	2,499	1,95	2 4,865	3,927			
Foreclosed property	5,151	1,85	1 7,484	5,676			
FDIC assessments and other regulatory charges	2,505	2,54	5 5,010	5,055			
Amortization of intangibles	491	73	0 1,196	1,462			
Other	4,595	4,18	1 8,650	8,118			
Total operating expenses	48,823	44,31	0 92,593	91,265			
Net (loss) income before income taxes	(26,817						
Income tax (benefit) expense	(256,781		,				
Net income	229,964	,	/	18,027			
Preferred stock dividends and discount accretion	3,055	3,03		6,062			

Net income available to common shareholders		226,9	09	\$	3,467	\$	235,6	22	\$	11,965
Earnings per common share - basic / diluted	\$	3.9	90	\$	.06	\$	4.	05	\$	.21
Weighted average common shares outstanding - basic / diluted		58,14	41		57,840		58,1	11		57,803
UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.										
Consolidated Balance Sheet										
(in thousands, except share and per share data)			une 3 2013	}		cembe 2012			2	ne 30, 012
400570		(ur	naudi	ted)	(	audite	d)		(au	dited)
ASSETS		¢		62 664	¢		66 F26	¢		
Cash and due from banks		\$		62,564 41,016	\$		66,536	\$		50,596
Interest-bearing deposits in banks Short-term investments							24,613 60,000			133,857 120,000
				57,000				-		
Cash and cash equivalents				60,580 37,264			51,149			304,453
Securities available for sale			1,8	57,204		1,0	34,593			1,701,583
Securities held to maturity (fair value \$226,695, \$261,131 and \$299,971)			2	14,947		2	44,184			282,750
Mortgage loans held for sale				19,150		:	28,821			18,645
Loans, net of unearned income			4,1	89,368		4,1	75,008			4,119,235
Less allowance for loan losses			(	81,845	)	(1	07,137)			(112,705)
Loans, net			4,1	07,523		4,0	67,871	-		4,006,530
Assets covered by loss sharing agreements with FDIC	the			35,675			47,467			65,914
Premises and equipment, net			1	67,197		1	68,920			172,200
Bank owned life insurance				82,276			81,867			81,265
Accrued interest receivable				19,279			18,659			20,151
Goodwill and other intangible assets				4,315			5,510			6,965
Foreclosed property				3,936			18,264			30,421
Net deferred tax asset			2	72,287			-			-
Other assets				38,206			34,954	_		46,229
Total assets		\$	7,1	62,635	<u>\$</u>	6,8	02,259	<u>\$</u>		6,737,106
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY										
Liabilities:										
Deposits:										
Demand		\$	1,3	49,804	\$	1,2	52,605	\$		1,150,444
NOW			1,2	25,664			16,453			1,196,507
Money market			1,1	67,889			49,912			1,117,139
Savings			2	47,821		2	27,308			219,077
Time:										
Less than \$100,000				82,009			55,271			1,164,451
Greater than \$100,000				64,112			05,558			764,343
Brokered				74,530			45,033	-		210,506
Total deposits				11,829			52,140			5,822,467
Short-term borrowings				54,163			52,574			53,656
Federal Home Loan Bank advances				70,125			40,125			125,125
Long-term debt				24,845			24,805			120,265
Accrued expenses and other liabilities				72,370			51,210	-		39,598
Total liabilities			6,3	33,332		6,2	20,854	-		6,161,111
Shareholders' equity: Preferred stock, \$1 par value; 10,000,000 shares authorized;	6									

Series A; \$10 stated value; 21,700 shares issued and outstanding	217	217	217
Series B; \$1,000 stated value; 180,000 shares issued and outstanding	179,323	178,557	177,814
Series D; \$1,000 stated value; 16,613 shares issued and outstanding	16,613	16,613	16,613
Common stock, \$1 par value; 100,000,000 shares authorized; 43,356,492, 42,423,870 and 41,726,509 shares issued and outstanding	43,356	42,424	41,727
Common stock, non-voting, \$1 par value; 30,000,000 shares authorized; 14,474,810, 15,316,794 and 15,914,209 shares issued and outstanding	14,475	15,317	15,914
Common stock issuable; 271,215, 133,238 and 94,657 shares	4,705	3,119	2,893
Capital surplus	1,057,931	1,057,951	1,056,819
Accumulated deficit	(473,531)	(709,153)	(718,896)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(13,786)	(23,640)	(17,106)
Total shareholders' equity	829,303	581,405	575,995
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	7,162,635	\$ 6,802,259	\$ 6,737,106

# UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

## Average Consolidated Balance Sheets and Net Interest Analysis

For the Three Months Ended June 30,

			20	13	2012						
(dollars in thousands, taxable equivalent)		Average Balance		Interest	Avg. Rate		Average Balance	Interest		Avg. Rate	
Assets:											
Interest-earning assets:											
Loans, net of unearned											
income <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	\$	4,253,361	\$	50,806	4.79 %	\$	4,155,619	\$	54,296	5.25 %	
Taxable securities <sup>(3)</sup>		2,139,221		9,471	1.77		2,121,053		10,800	2.04	
Tax-exempt securities $^{(1)(3)}$		21,597		344	6.37		24,242		429	7.08	
Federal funds sold and other interest-earning assets		193,370		1,072	2.22		364,099		1,255	1.38	
Total interest-earning assets	_	6,607,549		61,693	3.74	-	6,665,013		66,780	4.03	
Non-interest-earning assets:						-					
Allowance for loan losses		(106,417)					(115,955)				
Cash and due from banks		63,457					51,907				
Premises and equipment		168,272					173,792				
Other assets <sup>(3)</sup>		181,987				_	218,347				
Total assets	<u>\$</u>	6,914,848				\$	6,993,104				
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity:											
Interest-bearing liabilities:											
Interest-bearing deposits:											
NOW	\$	1,245,301		419	.13	\$	1,279,686		503	.16	
Money market		1,306,522		534	.16		1,132,548		661	.23	
Savings		245,211		36	.06		216,175		38	.07	
Time less than \$100,000		1,000,511		1,568	.63		1,183,845		2,520	.86	
Time greater than \$100,000		674,200		1,380	.82		778,477		2,063	1.07	
Brokered time deposits	_	195,182		(24)	(.05)	_	150,449		490	1.31	

Total interest-bearing deposits	4,666,927	 3,913	.34	4,741,180	 6,275	.53
Federal funds purchased and other borrowings	72,139	522	2.90	97,134	904	3.74
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	58,916	30	.20	278,971	390	.56
Long-term debt	124,838	2,666	8.57	120,256	 2,375	7.94
Total borrowed funds	255,893	3,218	5.04	496,361	3,669	2.97
Total interest-bearing liabilities	4,922,820	7,131	.58	5,237,541	9,944	.76
Non-interest-bearing liabilities:						
Non-interest-bearing deposits	1,315,812			1,112,128		
Other liabilities	40,603			60,726		
Total liabilities	6,279,235			6,410,395		
Shareholders' equity	635,613			582,709		
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$ 6,914,848			<u>\$6,993,104</u>		
Net interest revenue		\$ 54,562			\$ 56,836	
Net interest-rate spread		 	<u>3.16</u> %		 	3.27 %
Net interest margin <sup>(4)</sup>			<u>3.31</u> %			3.43 %

(1) Interest revenue on tax-exempt securities and loans has been increased to reflect comparable interest on taxable securities and loans. The rate used was 39%, reflecting the statutory federal income tax rate and the federal tax adjusted state income tax rate.

(2) Included in the average balance of loans outstanding are loans where the accrual of interest has been discontinued and loans that are held for sale.

(3) Securities available for sale are shown at amortized cost. Pretax unrealized gains of \$17.7 million in 2013 and \$25.7 million in 2012 are included in other assets for purposes of this presentation.

(4) Net interest margin is taxable equivalent net-interest revenue divided by average interest-earning assets.

### UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

### Average Consolidated Balance Sheets and Net Interest Analysis

For the Six Months Ended June 30,

			2	2013			2012							
(dollars in thousands, taxable equivalent)	Average Balance		Interest		Avg. Rate		Average Balance		Interest	Avg. Rate				
Assets:														
Interest-earning assets:														
Loans, net of unearned income <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	\$	4,225,215	\$	101,805	4.86 %	\$	4,162,030	\$	110,138	5.32 %				
Taxable securities <sup>(3)</sup>		2,129,208		19,224	1.81		2,124,422		23,554	2.22				
Tax-exempt securities $^{(1)(3)}$		21,665		691	6.38		24,840		839	6.76				
Federal funds sold and other interest-earning assets	_	201,478	-	2,107	2.09	-	371,044	_	2,470	1.33				
Total interest-earning assets	_	6,577,566	_	123,827	3.79	-	6,682,336	_	137,001	4.12				
Non-interest-earning assets:														
Allowance for loan losses		(108,667)	)				(116,879)	)						
Cash and due from banks		63,873					53,286							
Premises and equipment		168,773					174,321							
Other assets <sup>(3)</sup>	_	173,168				_	226,013							
Total assets	\$	6,874,713				\$	7,019,077							

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Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity:									
Interest-bearing liabilities:									
Interest-bearing deposits:									
NOW	\$	1,274,144		873	.14	\$	1,368,900	1,140	.17
Money market		1,282,101		1,096	.17		1,101,103	1,302	.24
Savings		239,691		72	.06		210,789	75	.07
Time less than \$100,000		1,020,000		3,317	.66		1,227,599	5,546	.91
Time greater than \$100,000		684,320		2,857	.84		799,821	4,478	1.13
Brokered time deposits	_	185,210		(24)	(.03)	_	155,892	 1,208	1.56
Total interest-bearing deposits	_	4,685,466		8,191	.35	_	4,864,104	 13,749	.57
Federal funds purchased and other borrowings		72,148		1,038	2.90		99,696	1,949	3.93
Federal Home Loan Bank advances		46,064		49	.21		208,672	856	.82
Long-term debt		124,827		5,328	8.61		120,246	4,747	7.94
Total borrowed funds	-	243,039		6,415	5.32	-	428,614	 7,552	3.54
Total interest-bearing liabilities	-	4,928,505	_	14,606	.60	_	5,292,718	 21,301	.81
Non-interest-bearing liabilities:								 	
Non-interest-bearing									
deposits		1,278,875					1,076,358		
Other liabilities	_	55,639				_	70,330		
Total liabilities		6,263,019					6,439,406		
Shareholders' equity	_	611,694				_	579,671		
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$	6,874,713				<u>\$</u>	7,019,077		
Net interest revenue			\$	109,221				\$ 115,700	
Net interest-rate spread					<u> </u>			 	<u>3.31</u> %
Net interest margin <sup>(4)</sup>					<u>3.34</u> %				3.48 %

(1) Interest revenue on tax-exempt securities and loans has been increased to reflect comparable interest on taxable securities and loans. The rate used was 39%, reflecting the statutory federal income tax rate and the federal tax adjusted state income tax rate.

(2) Included in the average balance of loans outstanding are loans where the accrual of interest has been discontinued and loans that are held for sale.

(3) Securities available for sale are shown at amortized cost. Pretax unrealized gains of \$17.4 million in 2013 and \$24.7 million in 2012 are included in other assets for purposes of this presentation.

(4) Net interest margin is taxable equivalent net-interest revenue divided by average interest-earning assets.

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