# THIRD QUARTER 2021

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## CERTIFICATION

The undersigned certify that we have reviewed the September 30, 2021 quarterly report of River Valley AgCredit, ACA, that the report has been prepared under the oversight of the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors and in accordance with all applicable statutory or regulatory requirements, and that the information contained herein is true, accurate, and complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

/s/ Kyle M. Yancey Chief Executive Officer of River Valley AgCredit, ACA

/s/ David L. Richesin Chairman of the Board of River Valley AgCredit, ACA

/s/ Beth Barkley Chief Financial Officer of River Valley AgCredit, ACA

/s/ Tiffany Myers Member of the Board of Directors Chair of the Audit Committee of River Valley AgCredit, ACA

November 8, 2021

# Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

The Association's principal executives and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, are responsible for establishing and maintaining adequate internal control over financial reporting for the Association's Consolidated Financial Statements. For purposes of this report, "internal control over financial reporting" is defined as a process designed by, or under the supervision of the Association's principal executives and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, and effected by its Board of Directors, management and other personnel. This process provides reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting information and the preparation of the Consolidated Financial Statements for external purposes in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Internal control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that: (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that in reasonable detail accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the Association, (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial information in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and that receipts and expenditures are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the Association, and (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use or disposition of the Association's assets that could have a material effect on its Consolidated Financial Statements.

The Association's management has completed an assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting as of September 30, 2021. In making the assessment, management used the framework in *Internal Control* — *Integrated Framework (2013)*, promulgated by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission, commonly referred to as the "COSO" criteria.

Based on the assessment performed, the Association's management concluded that as of September 30, 2021, the internal control over financial reporting was effective based upon the COSO criteria. Additionally, based on this assessment, the Association's management determined that there were no material weaknesses in the internal control over financial reporting as of September 30, 2021.

/s/ Kyle M. Yancey Chief Executive Officer of River Valley AgCredit, ACA

/s/ Beth Barkley Chief Financial Officer of River Valley AgCredit, ACA

November 8, 2021

# Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

# FINANCIAL CONDITION

(dollars in thousands)

The following commentary reviews the financial condition and results of operations of River Valley AgCredit, ACA (Association) for the period ended September 30, 2021. These comments should be read in conjunction with the accompanying consolidated financial statements, notes to the consolidated financial statements, and the 2020 Annual Report. The accompanying consolidated financial statements were prepared under the oversight of the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors.

## COVID-19 OVERVIEW

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, and without disruption to operations, the Association activated its Business Continuity Plan on April 1, 2020 and operated under a COVID-19 Team Structure with 50% of employees working remotely on an alternating basis. All staff returned to work in June 2020 until the Business Continuity Plan was re-activated on November 30, 2020. On February 1, 2021, the Association returned to prepandemic working conditions. The priority was, and continues to be, to ensure the health and safety of employees, while continuing to serve the mission of providing support for rural America and agriculture.

The COVID-19 pandemic has disrupted businesses and the global economy since March 2020. Significant progress has been made during 2021 in mitigating the spread of COVID-19 resulting in improving macroeconomic conditions. However, the improvement has been hampered by rising inflation, supply chain disruptions and labor shortages in the United States and globally.

See further discussion of business risks associated with COVID-19 in the Annual Report.

## **COVID-19 Support Programs**

Since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic, the U.S. government has taken a number of actions to help businesses, individuals, state/local governments, and educational institutions that have been adversely impacted by the economic disruption caused by the pandemic.

Since March 2021, the USDA rolled out the Pandemic Assistance initiative that provides assistance to producers and

agricultural entities through various programs, which include, but are not limited to, the following:

- •Pandemic Livestock Indemnity Program provides financial assistance to support producers of eligible swine, chickens, and turkeys depopulated from March 1, 2020 through December 26, 2020. To be eligible, depopulation of poultry or livestock must have been due to insufficient processing access resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic;
- •Pandemic Assistance for Timber Harvesters and Haulers Program - provides financial relief to timber harvesting and timber hauling businesses that experienced losses in 2020 due to COVID-19;
- •Pandemic Cover Crop Program for most insurance policies, provided premium support to producers who insured their spring crop and planted a qualifying cover crop during the 2021 crop year; and
- •Specialty Crop Block Grant Program funds innovative projects designed to support the expanding specialty crop food sector and explore new market opportunities for U.S. food and agricultural products.

The previously enacted Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act, which was amended by subsequent legislation, included the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP). The PPP provides support to small businesses to cover payroll and certain other expenses. Loans made under the PPP are fully guaranteed by the Small Business Administration (SBA), whose guarantee is backed by the full faith and credit of the United States. As of September 30, 2021, the Association had \$542 thousand of loans outstanding to approximately 24 borrowers. In addition, through September 30, 2021, the volume of loans that have received forgiveness from the SBA since the start of the program was \$3.6 million.

For a detailed discussion of programs enacted in 2020, see pages 8 and 9 of the 2020 Annual Report.

# LOAN PORTFOLIO

The Association provides funds to farmers, rural homeowners and farm-related businesses for financing of short and intermediate-term loans and long-term real estate mortgage loans. The Association's loan portfolio is diversified over a range of agricultural commodities including corn, soybeans, poultry, and tobacco. Farm size varies and many of the

borrowers in the region have diversified farming operations. This factor, along with the numerous opportunities for non-farm income in the area, somewhat reduces the level of dependency on any single commodity.

The gross loan volume of the Association as of September 30, 2021, was \$549,806 as compared to \$559,547 at December 31, 2020, a decrease of \$9,741. Net loans outstanding at September 30, 2021, were \$542,868 as compared to \$552,554 at December 31, 2020. Net loans accounted for 96.08 percent of total assets at September 30, 2021, as compared to 94.95 percent of total assets at December 31, 2020. The decrease in gross and net loan volume during the reporting period is primarily attributable to less operating needs of borrowers.

There is an inherent risk in the extension of any type of credit. Portfolio credit quality continues to be maintained at an acceptable level and credit administration remains satisfactory. Nonaccrual loans increased from \$5,254 at December 31, 2020, to \$7,625 at September 30, 2021. This increase is primarily the result of accounts deemed non-collectible.

Other property owned (OPO) consists primarily of assets once held as loan collateral that were acquired through foreclosure or deeded to the Association (or a lender group) in satisfaction of secured loans. Traditionally, OPO is primarily in the form of real estate. However, it can also include equipment and equity interests in companies or partnerships. OPO totaled \$0 at September 30, 2021, compared to \$31 December 31, 2020.

Association management maintains an allowance for loan losses in an amount considered sufficient to absorb possible losses in the loan portfolio based on current and expected future conditions. The allowance for loan losses at September 30, 2021, was \$6938 compared to \$6,993 at December 31, 2020, and was considered by management to be adequate to cover probable losses.

# RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

# For the three months ended September 30, 2021

Net income for the three months ended September 30, 2021, totaled \$2,178 as compared to \$2,064 for the same period in 2020, an increase of \$114. Net interest income decreased \$6 for the three months ended September 30, 2021, as compared to the same period in 2020. This decrease is attributed primarily to a decrease in outstanding loan volume.

Noninterest income for the three months ended September 30, 2021, totaled \$1,208 as compared to \$1,291 for the same period in 2020, a decrease of \$83. This is attributed to decreases of \$69 in fee income, \$26 in patronage refunds from other farm credit institutions, \$3 in gains on sale of rural home loans in Farm Credit System and \$1 in other noninterest income. These were offset by increases of \$14 in gains on sales of premises and equipment and \$2 in financially related services.

Noninterest expense for the three months ended September 30, 2021, totaled \$2,778 as compared to \$2,691 for the same period in 2020, an increase of \$87. This increase in expense is attributed to a \$73 increase in other operating expenses, \$50 increase in salary and employee benefits, \$45 increase in insurance premiums and a \$6 increase in occupancy and equipment. These were offset by an \$87 decrease in losses on OPO.

# For the nine months ended September 30, 2021

Net income for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, totaled \$6,628, as compared to \$5,788 for the same period in 2020. Net interest income increased \$181 for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, as compared to the same period in 2020. This increase in net interest income is attributed primarily the current rate environment. Nonaccrual income was \$357 for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, as compared to \$142 for the same period in 2020. This increase is mainly the result of normal nonaccrual loan collections.

Noninterest income for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, totaled \$4,035, as compared to \$3,676 for the same period of 2020, an increase of \$359. The increase is the result of an increase of \$358 in loan fees, \$68 in gains on sales of premises and equipment, \$53 in gains on sale of rural home loans and \$1 in financially related service fees. These were offset by decreases of \$89 in Farm Credit System Insurance Corporation Refund, \$30 in patronage refund and \$2 in other noninterest income.

Noninterest expense for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, increased \$469 compared to the same period of 2020. The primary reason for the increase is an increase in salaries and employee benefits of \$373, an increase of \$193 in insurance fund premiums, an increase in other operating expenses of \$75 and an increase of \$19 in occupancy and equipment. These were offset by a decrease of \$191 in losses on other property owned.

For the nine months ending September 30, 2021, the Association recorded \$434 of insurance premiums as compared to \$241 in 2020, from the Farm Credit System Insurance Corporation (FCSIC), which insures the System's debt obligations. The amount is reflected in Noninterest Expenses on the Consolidated Statements of Income.

The Association recorded a reversal of provision for loan losses of \$56 for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, as compared to a provision of \$720 for the same period in 2020. The provision for loan loss is attributed to the change in allowance for the quarter.

#### FUNDING SOURCES

The principal source of funds for the Association is the borrowing relationship established with AgFirst Farm Credit Bank (the Bank) through a General Financing Agreement. The General Financing Agreement utilizes the Association's credit and fiscal performance as criteria for establishing a line of credit on which the Association may draw funds. The Bank advances funds to the Association in the form of notes payable. The notes payable are segmented into variable rate and fixed rate sections. The variable rate note is utilized by the Association to fund variable rate loan advances and operating funds requirements. The fixed rate note is used specifically to fund fixed rate loan advances made by the Association. The total notes payable to the Bank at September 30, 2021, was \$444,382 compared to \$462,996 at December 31, 2020.

## CAPITAL RESOURCES

Total members' equity at September 30, 2021, increased to \$106,627 from the December 31, 2020, total of \$103,907. The increase is primarily attributed to prior year earnings retained. Total capital stock and participation certificates were \$4,856 on September 30, 2021, compared to \$4,726 on December 31, 2020.

FCA sets minimum regulatory capital requirements for System banks and associations. Capital adequacy is evaluated using a number of regulatory ratios. According to the FCA regulations, each institution's permanent capital ratio is calculated by dividing permanent capital by a risk adjusted asset base. Risk adjusted assets are the total dollar amount of the institution's assets adjusted by an appropriate credit conversion factor as defined by regulation. For all periods represented, the Association exceeded minimum regulatory standards for all the ratios.

The following sets forth the regulatory capital ratios, which were effective January 1, 2017:

Ratio	Minimum Requirement	Capital Conservation Buffer*	Minimum Requirement with Capital Conservation Buffer	Capital Ratios as of September 30, 2021
Risk-adjusted ratios:				
CET1 Capital	4.5%	2.500%	7.00%	18.81%
Tier 1 Capital	6.0%	2.500%	8.50%	18.81%
Total Capital	8.0%	2.500%	10.50%	20.33%
Permanent Capital Ratio	7.0%	0.0%	7.0%	19.59%
Non-risk-adjusted:				
Tier 1 Leverage Ratio	4.0%	1.0%	5.0%	17.88%
UREE Leverage Ratio	1.5%	0.0%	1.5%	17.64%

<sup>\* -</sup> The capital conservation buffers had a 3 year phase-in period and became fully effective January 1, 2020.

If the capital ratios fall below the minimum regulatory requirements, including the buffer amounts, capital distributions (equity redemptions, dividends, and patronage) and discretionary senior executive bonuses are restricted or prohibited without prior FCA approval.

# Future of LIBOR

In 2017, the United Kingdom's Financial Conduct Authority (UK FCA), which regulates LIBOR, announced its intention to stop persuading or compelling the group of major banks that sustains LIBOR to submit rate quotations after 2021.

On March 5, 2021, ICE Benchmark Administration (IBA) (the entity that is responsible for calculating LIBOR) announced its intention to cease the publication of the one-week and two-month US dollar LIBOR settings immediately following the LIBOR publication on December 31, 2021, and the remaining US dollar LIBOR settings immediately following the LIBOR publication on June 30, 2023. On the same day, the UK FCA announced that the IBA had notified the UK FCA of its intent, among other things, to cease providing certain US dollar LIBOR settings as of June 30, 2023. In its announcement, the UK FCA confirmed that all 35 LIBOR tenors (including with respect to US dollar LIBOR) will be discontinued or declared nonrepresentative as of either: (a) immediately after December 31, 2021 or (b) immediately after June 30, 2023.

The Association has exposure to LIBOR arising from loans made to customers and Systemwide Debt Securities issued by the Funding Corporation on the Bank's behalf, and preferred stock issued by the Bank. Alternative reference rates that replace LIBOR may not yield the same or similar economic results over the lives of the financial instruments, which could adversely affect the value of, and return on, instruments held.

The FCA has issued guidelines with similar guidance as the U.S. prudential regulators but applicable for System institutions to follow as they prepare for the expected phase-out of LIBOR. The guidelines direct each System institution to develop a LIBOR transition plan designed to provide an orderly roadmap of actions that will reduce LIBOR exposure, stop the inflow of new LIBOR volume, and adjust operating processes to implement alternative reference rates.

The Association has implemented LIBOR transition plans and continues to analyze potential risks associated with the LIBOR transition, including, but not limited to, financial, market,

accounting, operational, legal, tax, reputational, and compliance risks.

On July 26, 2021, the Alternative Reference Rates Committee (ARRC) announced it will recommend the CME Group's forward-looking SOFR term rates. The ARRC's formal recommendation of SOFR term rates is a major milestone and is expected to increase the volume of transactions quoted in SOFR, supporting the implementation of the transition away from LIBOR.

On October 20, 2021, the U.S. prudential regulators issued a joint statement emphasizing the expectation that supervised institutions with LIBOR exposure continue to progress toward an orderly transition away from LIBOR, reiterating that supervised institutions should, with limited exceptions, cease entering into new contracts that use US dollar LIBOR as a reference rate as soon as practicable, but no later than December 31, 2021. They further stated that entering into new contracts, including derivatives, after that date would create safety and soundness risks. The joint statement clarified that entering into such new contracts would include an agreement that (1) creates additional LIBOR disclosure or (2) extends the term of an existing LIBOR contract, but that a draw on an existing agreement that is legally enforceable, e.g., a committed credit facility, would not be a new contract. The joint statement also provided considerations when assessing the appropriateness of alternative reference rates used in lieu of LIBOR and the regulator expectation that new or updated LIBOR contracts include strong and clearly defined fallback rates for when the initial reference rate is discontinued.

# REGULATORY MATTERS

On September 9, 2021, the FCA adopted a final rule that amended certain sections of the FCA's regulations to provide technical corrections, amendments, and clarification to certain provisions in the FCA's tier 1/tier 2 capital framework for the Farm Credit System. The rule incorporates guidance previously provided by the FCA related to its tier 1/tier 2 capital framework as well as ensures that the FCA's capital requirements continue to be comparable to the standardized approach that the other federal banking regulatory agencies have adopted. The final rule will become effective on January 1, 2022, or 30 days after publication in the Federal Register during which either house of Congress is in session, whichever is later.

On August 26, 2021, the FCA issued a proposed rule to revise its regulatory capital requirements to define and establish risk-weightings for High Volatility Commercial Real Estate (HVCRE) by assigning a 150 percent risk-weighting to such exposures, instead of the current 100 percent. The proposed rule would ensure that the FCA's rule remains comparable with the capital rule of other federal banking regulatory agencies and recognizes the increased risk posed by HVCRE exposures. The public comment period is open until January 24, 2022.

On June 30, 2021, the FCA issued an advance notice of proposed rulemaking (ANPRM) that seeks public comments on whether to amend or restructure the System bank liquidity regulations. The purpose of this advance notice is to evaluate the applicability of the Basel III framework to the Farm Credit System and gather input to ensure that System banks have the liquidity to withstand crises that adversely impact liquidity and threaten their viability. The public comment period is open until November 27, 2021.

On September 23, 2019, the FCA issued a proposed rule that would ensure the System's capital requirements, including certain regulatory disclosures, reflect the current expected credit losses methodology, which revises the accounting for credit losses under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The proposed rule identifies which credit loss allowances under the Current Expected Credit Losses (CECL) methodology in the Financial Accounting Standards Board's "Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments" are eligible for inclusion in a System institution's regulatory capital. Credit loss allowances related to loans, lessor's net investments in leases, and held-to-maturity debt securities would be included in a System institution's Tier 2 capital up to 1.25 percent of the System institution's total risk weighted assets. Credit loss allowances for available-for-sale debt securities and purchased credit impaired assets would not be eligible for inclusion in a System institution's Tier 2 capital. In addition, the proposed regulation does not include a transition phase-in period for the CECL day 1 cumulative effect adjustment to retained earnings on a System institution's regulatory capital ratios. The public comment period ended on November 22, 2019.

## RECENTLY ISSUED ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

Please refer to Note 1, Organization, Significant Accounting Policies, and Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements, in the Notes to the Financial Statements, and the 2020 Annual Report to Shareholders for recently issued accounting pronouncements. Additional information is provided in the table below.

The following ASU was issued by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB):

Summary of Guidance	Adoption and Potential Financial Statement Impact
Summary of Guidance  ASU 2016-13 – Financial Instruments – Credit Losses (Topic 3  Replaces multiple existing impairment standards by establishing a single framework for financial assets to reflect management's estimate of current expected credit losses (CECL) over the entire remaining life of the financial assets.  Changes the present incurred loss impairment guidance for loans to an expected loss model.  Modifies the other-than-temporary impairment model for debt securities to require an allowance for credit impairment instead of a direct write-down, which allows for reversal of credit impairments	•
in future periods based on improvements in credit impairments in future periods based on improvements in credit quality.  Eliminates existing guidance for purchased credit impaired (PCI) loans, and requires recognition of an allowance for expected credit losses on these financial assets.  Requires a cumulative-effect adjustment to retained earnings as of the beginning of the reporting period of adoption.  Effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2022, and interim periods within those fiscal years. Early application is permitted.	change because it will then cover credit losses over the full remaining expected life of the portfolio, and will consider expected future changes in macroeconomic conditions,  2. An allowance will be established for estimated credit losses on any debt securities,  3. The nonaccretable difference on any PCI loans will be recognized as an allowance, offset by an increase in the carrying value of the related loans.  • The extent of allowance change is under evaluation, but will depend upon the nature and characteristics of the financial instrument portfolios, and the macroeconomic conditions and forecasts, at the adoption date.  • The guidance is expected to be adopted January 1, 2023.

**NOTE**: Shareholder investment in the Association is materially affected by the financial condition and results of operations of AgFirst Farm Credit Bank. Copies of AgFirst's annual and quarterly reports are available upon request free of charge by calling 1-800-845-1745, ext. 2764, or writing Matthew Miller, AgFirst Farm Credit Bank, P.O. Box 1499, Columbia, SC 29202. Information concerning AgFirst Farm Credit Bank can also be obtained at their website, *www.agfirst.com*. Copies of the Association's annual and quarterly reports are also available upon request free of charge by calling (270) 247-5613, writing Beth Barkley, Chief Financial Officer, River Valley AgCredit, ACA, P.O. Box 309, Mayfield, KY 42066, or accessing the website, *www.rivervalleyagcredit.com*. The Association prepares a quarterly report within 40 days after the end of each fiscal quarter, except that no report need be prepared for the fiscal quarter that coincides with the end of the fiscal year of the institution.

# **Consolidated Balance Sheets**

(dollars in thousands)	September 30, 2021	D	ecember 31, 2020
	(unaudited)		(audited)
Assets			
Cash	\$ 361	\$	396
Loans	549,806		559,547
Allowance for loan losses	(6,938)		(6,993)
Net loans	542,868		552,554
Loans held for sale	1		1,329
Accrued interest receivable	6,361		6,892
Equity investments in other Farm Credit institutions	5,949		5,945
Premises and equipment, net	6,708		5,758
Other property owned	<del>_</del>		31
Accounts receivable	2,562		8,772
Other assets	214		279
Total assets	\$ 565,024	\$	581,956
Liabilities			
Notes payable to AgFirst Farm Credit Bank	\$ 444,382	\$	462,996
Accrued interest payable	793		860
Patronage refunds payable	4,721		4,810
Accounts payable	587		653
Advanced conditional payments	4,619		4,375
Other liabilities	3,295		4,355
Total liabilities	458,397		478,049
Commitments and contingencies (Note 7)			
Members' Equity			
Capital stock and participation certificates	4,856		4,726
Additional paid-in-capital	15,817		15,817
Retained earnings			
Allocated	48,228		46,708
Unallocated	37,726		36,656
Total members' equity	106,627		103,907
Total liabilities and members' equity	\$ 565,024	\$	581,956

 $\label{thm:companying} \textit{The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements}.$ 

# **Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income**

(unaudited)

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101		104		315		262
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,208		1,291		4,035		3,676
,953		1,903		6,073		5,700
130		124		408		389
148		103		434		241
1		88		14		205
546		473		1,726		1,651
2,778		2,691		8,655		8,186
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# **Consolidated Statements of Changes in Members' Equity**

(unaudited)

	St	Capital ock and				Retained	Total			
(dollars in thousands)		ticipation rtificates	Additional Paid-in-Capital		Allocated		Unallocated		Members' Equity	
Balance at December 31, 2019 Comprehensive income Capital stock/participation	\$	4,559	\$	15,817	\$	41,930	\$	34,478 5,788	\$	96,784 5,788
certificates issued/(retired), net Retained earnings retired		101				(4,349)		(504)		101 (4,349)
Patronage distribution adjustment						2,583		(594)		1,989
Balance at September 30, 2020	\$	4,660	\$	15,817	\$	40,164	\$	39,672	\$	100,313
Balance at December 31, 2020 Comprehensive income Capital stock/participation	\$	4,726	\$	15,817	\$	46,708	\$	36,656 6,628	\$	103,907 6,628
certificates issued/(retired), net Patronage distribution		130								130
Cash								(4,006)		(4,006)
Patronage distribution adjustment						1,520		(1,552)		(32)
Balance at September 30, 2021	\$	4,856	\$	15,817	\$	48,228	\$	37,726	\$	106,627

# Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

(dollars in thousands, except as noted) (unaudited)

# Note 1 — Organization, Significant Accounting Policies, and Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

## Organization

The accompanying financial statements include the accounts of River Valley AgCredit, ACA and its Production Credit Association (PCA) and Federal Land Credit Association (FLCA) subsidiaries (collectively, the Association). A description of the organization and operations, the significant accounting policies followed, and the financial condition and results of operations for the Association as of and for the year ended December 31, 2020, are contained in the 2020 Annual Report to Shareholders. These unaudited interim consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the latest Annual Report to Shareholders.

# Basis of Presentation

In the opinion of management, the accompanying consolidated financial statements contain all adjustments necessary for a fair statement of results for the periods presented. These adjustments are of a normal recurring nature, unless otherwise disclosed.

Certain amounts in the prior period's consolidated financial statements may have been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation. Such reclassifications had no effect on the prior period net income or total capital as previously reported.

The results of any interim period are not necessarily indicative of those to be expected for a full year.

## Significant Accounting Policies

The Association's accounting and reporting policies conform with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and practices in the financial services industry. To prepare the financial statements in conformity with GAAP, management must make estimates based on assumptions about future economic and market conditions (for example, unemployment, market liquidity, real estate prices, etc.) that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, income and expenses during the reporting period, and the related disclosures. Although these estimates contemplate current conditions and expectations of change in the future, it is reasonably possible that actual conditions may be different than anticipated, which could materially affect results of operations and financial condition.

Management has made significant estimates in several areas, including loans and allowance for loan losses (Note 2, *Loans and Allowance for Loan Losses*), investment securities and

other-than-temporary impairment (Note 3, *Investments*), and financial instruments (Note 5, *Fair Value Measurement*). Actual results could differ from those estimates.

For further details of significant accounting policies, see Note 2, *Summary of Significant Accounting Policies*, from the latest Annual Report.

# Accounting Standards Updates (ASUs) Issued During the Period and Applicable to the Association

There were no applicable Updates issued by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) during the period.

# ASUs Pending Effective Date

For a detailed description of the ASUs below, see the latest Annual Report.

Potential effects of ASUs issued in previous periods:

In June 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-13 Financial Instruments—Credit Losses (Topic 326): Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments. This Update, and subsequent clarifying guidance issued, is intended to improve financial reporting by requiring timelier recording of credit losses on financial instruments. It requires an organization to measure all expected credit losses for financial assets held at the reporting date through the life of the financial instrument. Financial institutions and other organizations will use forwardlooking information to estimate their credit losses. Additionally, the ASU amends the accounting for credit losses on available-for-sale debt securities and purchased financial assets with credit deterioration. For public companies that are not SEC filers, it will take effect for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2022, and interim periods within those fiscal years. Evaluation of any possible effects the guidance may have on the statements of financial condition and results of operations is in progress.

# Accounting Standards Effective During the Period

There were no changes in the accounting principles applied from the latest Annual Report, other than any discussed below.

No recently adopted accounting guidance issued by the FASB had a significant effect on the current period reporting.

In October 2020, the FASB issued ASU 2020-10
 Codification Improvements. The amendments represent changes to clarify the Codification, correct unintended

application of guidance, or make minor improvements to the Codification that are not expected to have a significant effect on current accounting practice or create a significant administrative cost to most entities. The Update moves or references several disclosure requirements from Section 45 - Other Presentation Matters to Section 50 - Disclosures. It also includes minor changes to other guidance such as Cash Balance Plans, Unusual or Infrequent Items, Transfers and Servicing, Guarantees, Income Taxes, Foreign Currency, Imputation of Interest, Not For Profits and Real Estate Projects. The amendments had no impact on the statements of financial condition and results of operations.

- In January 2020, the FASB issued ASU 2020-01 Investments—Equity Securities (Topic 321), Investments—Equity Method and Joint Ventures (Topic 323), and Derivatives and Hedging (Topic 815): Clarifying the Interactions between Topic 321, Topic 323, and Topic 815. The amendments clarify certain interactions between the guidance on accounting for certain equity securities under Topic 321, the guidance on accounting for investments under the equity method in Topic 323, and the guidance in Topic 815. The Update could change how an entity accounts for an equity security under the measurement alternative or a forward contract or purchased option to purchase securities that, upon settlement of the forward contract or exercise of the purchased option, would be accounted for under the equity method of accounting or the fair value option in accordance with Topic 825, Financial Instruments. The amendments are intended to improve current GAAP by reducing diversity in practice and increasing comparability of the accounting for these interactions. For public business entities, the amendments are effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2020, and interim periods within those fiscal years. Adoption of this guidance had no effect on the statements of financial condition and results of operations.
- In December 2019, the FASB issued ASU 2019-12
   Income Taxes (Topic 740): Simplifying the Accounting for Income Taxes. The amendments simplify the accounting for income taxes by removing the following exceptions:
  - Exception to the incremental approach for intraperiod tax allocation when there is a loss from continuing operations and income or a gain from other items (for example, discontinued operations or other comprehensive income),
  - Exception to the requirement to recognize a deferred tax liability for equity method investments when a foreign subsidiary becomes an equity method investment,
  - Exception to the ability not to recognize a deferred tax liability for a foreign subsidiary when a foreign equity method investment becomes a subsidiary, and

• Exception to the general methodology for calculating income taxes in an interim period when a year-to-date loss exceeds the anticipated loss for the year.

The amendments also simplify the accounting for income taxes by doing the following:

- Requiring that an entity recognize a franchise tax (or similar tax) that is partially based on income as an income-based tax and account for any incremental amount incurred as a non-income-based tax.
- Requiring that an entity evaluate when a step up in the tax basis of goodwill should be considered part of the business combination in which the book goodwill was originally recognized and when it should be considered a separate transaction,
- Specifying that an entity is not required to allocate
  the consolidated amount of current and deferred tax
  expense to a legal entity that is not subject to tax in
  its separate financial statements; however, an entity
  may elect to do so (on an entity-by-entity basis) for a
  legal entity that is both not subject to tax and
  disregarded by the taxing authority,
- Requiring that an entity reflect the effect of an enacted change in tax laws or rates in the annual effective tax rate computation in the interim period that includes the enactment date, and
- Making minor codification improvements for income taxes related to employee stock ownership plans and investments in qualified affordable housing projects accounted for using the equity method.

For public business entities, the amendments in this Update are effective for fiscal years, and interim periods within those fiscal years, beginning after December 15, 2020. Adoption of this guidance did not have a material impact on the statements of financial condition and results of operations.

## Note 2 — Loans and Allowance for Loan Losses

The Association maintains an allowance for loan losses at a level considered adequate by management to provide for probable and estimable losses inherent in the loan portfolio as of the report date. The allowance for loan losses is increased through provisions for loan losses and loan recoveries and is decreased through loan charge-offs and allowance reversals. A review of individual loans in each respective portfolio is performed periodically to determine the appropriateness of risk ratings and to ensure loss exposure to the Association has been identified. See Note 3, *Loans and Allowance for Loan Losses*, from the latest Annual Report for further discussion.

Credit risk arises from the potential inability of an obligor to meet its repayment obligation. The Association manages credit risk associated with lending activities through an assessment of the credit risk profile of an individual obligor. The Association sets its own underwriting standards and lending policies that provide direction to loan officers and are approved by the board of directors.

A summary of loans outstanding at period end follows:

	<b>September 30, 2021</b>	December 31, 2020
Real estate mortgage	\$ 294,911	\$ 296,440
Production and intermediate-term	186,172	195,255
Loans to cooperatives	688	649
Processing and marketing	7,472	7,642
Farm-related business	14,964	9,615
Rural residential real estate	19,491	15,479
Other (including Mission Related)	26,108	34,467
Total loans	\$ 549,806	\$ 559,547

A substantial portion of the Association's lending activities is collateralized, and exposure to credit loss associated with lending activities is reduced accordingly.

The Association may purchase or sell participation interests with other parties in order to diversify risk, manage loan volume, and comply with Farm Credit Administration (FCA) regulations. The following tables present the principal balance of participation loans at periods ended:

Real estate mortgage Production and intermediate-term Loans to cooperatives Processing and marketing Other (including Mission Related) Total

	September 30, 2021															
7	Within AgFirst District Within Farm					Credit System Outside Farr				Credi	t System		Total			
Participations Purchased		Par	ticipations Sold	Participations Purchased		Participations Sold			Participations Purchased		icipations Sold		icipations rchased	Part	icipations Sold	
\$	2,354 3,177	\$	4,671 540	\$	290	\$	_	\$	_	\$	3,684 2,358	\$	2,354 3,467	\$	8,355 2,898	
	689		-				-		-				689			
	2,808		=		_		_		25,143		<u> </u>		2,808 25,143		-	
\$	9,028	\$	5,211	\$	290	\$	-	\$	25,143	\$	6,042	\$	34,461	\$	11,253	

Real estate mortgage
Production and intermediate-term
Loans to cooperatives
Processing and marketing
Farm-related business
Other (including Mission Related)
Total

,	Within AgF	irst D	istrict	Within Farm Credit System			it System	0	utside Farm	Cred	it System		Total		
	Participations Purchased Participations Sold		Participations Participations Purchased Sold				ticipations urchased	Participations Sold		Participations Purchased		Par	ticipations Sold		
\$	2,626	\$	5,134	\$	_	\$	_	\$	-	\$	3,568	\$	2,626	\$	8,702
	3,106		3,189		214		-		-		2,781		3,320		5,970
	651		_		_		_		_		_		651		_
	3,429		4,000		_		-		-		_		3,429		4,000
	11		198		_		_		_		_		11		198
			_		_		-		32,980		_		32,980		_
\$	9,823	\$	12,521	\$	214	\$	-	\$	32,980	\$	6,349	\$	43,017	\$	18,870

December 31, 2020

The recorded investment in a receivable is the face amount increased or decreased by applicable accrued interest, unamortized premium, discount, finance charges, or acquisition costs and may also reflect a previous direct write-down of the investment.

The following table shows the recorded investment of loans, classified under the FCA Uniform Loan Classification System, as a percentage of the recorded investment of total loans by loan type as of:

	September 30, 2021	December 31, 2020		September 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
Real estate mortgage:	93.92%	94.17%	Farm-related business:	84.45%	72.84%
Acceptable	4.31	1.93	Acceptable	6.71	24.76
OAEM	1.77	3.90	OAEM	8.84	2.40
Substandard/doubtful/loss	100.00%	100.00%	Substandard/doubtful/loss	100.00%	100.00%
Production and intermediate-term:	89.14%	90.71%	Rural residential real estate:	99.34%	98.84%
Acceptable	6.60	4.97	Acceptable	0.21	0.07
OAEM	4.26	4.32	OAEM	0.45	1.09
Substandard/doubtful/loss	100.00%	100.00%	Substandard/doubtful/loss	100.00%	100.00%
Loans to cooperatives: Acceptable OAEM Substandard/doubtful/loss	100.00% - - 100.00%	100.00% - - - 100.00%	Other (including Mission Related): Acceptable OAEM Substandard/doubtful/loss	100.00% - - 100.00%	100.00% - - 100.00%
Processing and marketing:	94.07%	100.00%	Total loans:	92.53%	93.16%
Acceptable	-		Acceptable	4.74	3.19
OAEM	5.93		OAEM	2.73	3.65
Substandard/doubtful/loss	100.00%		Substandard/doubtful/loss	100.00%	100.00%

The following tables provide an aging analysis of the recorded investment of past due loans as of:

				3	epter	nber 30, 2021					
	30 Through 89 Days Past Due			Days or More Past Due	7	Total Past Due	Les	Past Due or ss Than 30 ys Past Due	Total Loans		
Real estate mortgage	\$	703	\$	2,326	\$	3,029	\$	295,081	\$	298,110	
Production and intermediate-term		148		2,945		3,093		185,776		188,869	
Loans to cooperatives		_		_		_		688		688	
Processing and marketing		-		_		_		7,479		7,479	
Farm-related business		1,150		_		1,150		13,946		15,096	
Rural residential real estate		349		5		354		19,221		19,575	
Other (including Mission Related)		987		886		1,873		24,477		26,350	
Total	\$	3,337	\$	6,162	\$	9,499	\$	546,668	\$	556,167	

	December 31, 2020										
	30 Through 89 Days Past Due			Days or More Past Due	Т	otal Past Due	Le	Past Due or ss Than 30 ys Past Due	Total Loans		
Real estate mortgage	\$	506	\$	2,763	\$	3,269	\$	296,557	\$	299,826	
Production and intermediate-term		274		1,470		1,744		196,605		198,349	
Loans to cooperatives		_		_		_		649		649	
Processing and marketing		_		_		_		7,660		7,660	
Farm-related business		233		_		233		9,472		9,705	
Rural residential real estate		_		52		52		15,479		15,531	
Other (including Mission Related)		2,104		_		2,104		32,615		34,719	
Total	\$	3,117	\$	4,285	\$	7,402	\$	559,037	\$	566,439	

Nonperforming assets (including related accrued interest as applicable) and related credit quality statistics at period end were as follows:

	Septem	ber 30, 2021	December 31, 2020		
Nonaccrual loans:					
Real estate mortgage	\$	2,617	\$	3,049	
Production and intermediate-term		3,835		2,087	
Farm-related business		1,168		_	
Rural residential real estate		5		118	
Total	\$	7,625	\$	5,254	
Accruing restructured loans:					
Real estate mortgage	\$	4,124	\$	5,026	
Production and intermediate-term		238		236	
Rural residential real estate		11		12	
Total	\$	4,373	\$	5,274	
Accruing loans 90 days or more past due:					
Other (including Mission Related)	\$	886	\$	_	
Total	\$	886	\$	_	
Total nonperforming loans	\$	12,884	\$	10,528	
Other property owned				31	
Total nonperforming assets	\$	12,884	\$	10,559	
Nonaccrual loans as a percentage of total loans Nonperforming assets as a percentage of total loans		1.39%		0.94%	
and other property owned		2.34%		1.89%	
Nonperforming assets as a percentage of capital		12.08%		10.16%	

The following table presents information related to the recorded investment of impaired loans at period end. Impaired loans are loans for which it is probable that all principal and interest will not be collected according to the contractual terms of the loan.

	Sep	tember 30, 2021	De	cember 31, 2020
Impaired nonaccrual loans:				
Current as to principal and interest	\$	1,365	\$	880
Past due		6,260		4,374
Total	\$	7,625	\$	5,254
Impaired accrual loans:				
Restructured	\$	4,373	\$	5,274
90 days or more past due		886		_
Total	\$	5,259	\$	5,274
Total impaired loans	\$	12,884	\$	10,528
Additional commitments to lend	\$	23	\$	20

The following tables present additional impaired loan information at period end. Unpaid principal balance represents the contractual principal balance of the loan.

	September 30, 2021							Three M Septem		Nine Months Ended September 30, 2021				
Impaired loans:		Recorded Investment		Unpaid Principal Balance		elated owance	Average Impaired Loans		Interest Income Recognized on Impaired Loans		Average Impaired Loans		Interest Income Recognized on Impaired Loans	
With a related allowance for credi	t losse	es:												
Production and intermediate-term	\$	2,106	\$	2,119	\$	832	\$	1,915	\$	8	\$	1,727	\$	60
Total	\$	2,106	\$	2,119	\$	832	\$	1,915	\$	8	\$	1,727	\$	60
With no related allowance for cred	lit los	ses:												
Real estate mortgage	\$	6,741	\$	7,325	\$	_	\$	6,129	\$	25	\$	5,527	\$	191
Production and intermediate-term		1,967		2,369		=		1,787		7		1,612		56
Farm-related business		1,168		1,168		_		1,062		5		957		33
Rural residential real estate		16		16		_		14		-		13		_
Other (including Mission Related)		886		830		_		806		3		727		25
Total	\$	10,778	\$	11,708	\$	_	\$	9,798	\$	40	\$	8,836	\$	305
Total impaired loans:														
Real estate mortgage	\$	6,741	\$	7,325	\$	_	\$	6,129	\$	25	\$	5,527	\$	191
Production and intermediate-term		4,073		4,488		832		3,702		15		3,339		116
Farm-related business		1,168		1,168		-		1,062		5		957		33
Rural residential real estate		16		16		=		14		-		13		_
Other (including Mission Related)		886		830		_		806		3		727		25
Total	\$	12,884	\$	13,827	\$	832	\$	11,713	\$	48	\$	10,563	\$	365

		I	Decem	ber 31, 202	20	Year Ended December 31, 2020							
Impaired loans:		ecorded vestment	Unpaid Principal Balance			elated owance	Average Impaired Loans		Interest Income Recognized on Impaired Loans				
With a related allowance for credit losses:													
Production and intermediate-term	\$	1,041	\$	1,262	\$	346	\$	1,078	\$	16			
Rural residential real estate		42		79		14		43		1			
Total	\$	1,083	\$	1,341	\$	360	\$	1,121	\$	17			
With no related allowance for cred	lit losse	s:											
Real estate mortgage	\$	8,075	\$	8,099	\$	_	\$	8,359	\$	127			
Production and intermediate-term		1,282		1,367		_		1,326		20			
Rural residential real estate		88		87		_		92		1			
Total	\$	9,445	\$	9,553	\$	-	\$	9,777	\$	148			
Total impaired loans:													
Real estate mortgage	\$	8,075	\$	8,099	\$	_	\$	8,359	\$	127			
Production and intermediate-term		2,323		2,629		346		2,404		36			
Rural residential real estate		130		166		14		135		2			
Total	\$	10,528	\$	10,894	\$	360	\$	10,898	\$	165			

A summary of changes in the allowance for loan losses and recorded investment in loans for each reporting period follows:

		al Estate Iortgage		Production and termediate- term	Ag	ribusiness*		Rural Residential Real Estate	`	Other including Mission Related)		Total
Activity related to the allowance	for cr	edit losses:										
Balance at June 30, 2021	\$	2.978	\$	3,414	\$	474	\$	132	\$	_	\$	6,998
Charge-offs	Ψ.	_,,,,	Ψ.		Ψ.		Ψ	-	Ψ	_	Ψ	-
Recoveries		11		2		_		_		_		13
Provision for loan losses		(143)		217		(151)		4		_		(73)
Balance at September 30, 2021	\$	2,846	\$	3,633	\$	323	\$	136	\$	-	\$	6,938
Balance at December 31, 2020	\$	3,036	\$	3,531	\$	297	\$	129	\$	_	\$	6,993
Charge-offs	Ψ.	(3)	Ψ.	(194)	Ψ.		Ψ	-	Ψ	_	Ψ	(197)
Recoveries		23		152		_		23		_		198
Provision for loan losses		(210)		144		26		(16)		_		(56)
Balance at September 30, 2021	\$	2,846	\$	3,633	\$	323	\$	136	\$		\$	6,938
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Balance at June 30, 2020	\$	2,727	\$	3,823	\$	180	\$	86	\$	_	\$	6,816
Charge-offs		(12)		(49)		_		_		_		(61)
Recoveries		23		35		23		3		_		84
Provision for loan losses		181		36		(49)		32				200
Balance at September 30, 2020	\$	2,919	\$	3,845	\$	154	\$	121	\$	_	\$	7,039
Balance at December 31, 2019	\$	2,522	\$	3,549	\$	133	\$	88	\$	_	\$	6,292
Charge-offs		(18)		(68)		_		_		_		(86)
Recoveries		43		44		23		3		_		113
Provision for loan losses		372		320		(2)		30		_		720
Balance at September 30, 2020	\$	2,919	\$	3,845	\$	154	\$	121	\$	-	\$	7,039
Allowance on loans evaluated for	r imna	irment:										
Individually	\$	_	\$	832	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	832
Collectively	Ψ	2,846	Ψ.	2,801	Ψ	323	Ψ	136	Ψ	_	Ψ	6,106
PCI**				_,001		-		-		_		-
Balance at September 30, 2021	\$	2,846	\$	3,633	\$	323	\$	136	\$	_	\$	6,938
	Φ.		•	246	Φ.		Φ.	1.4	Ф		Φ.	260
Individually	\$	- 2.026	\$	346	\$	-	\$	14	\$	_	\$	360
Collectively		3,036		3,185		297		115		_		6,633
PCI** Balance at December 31, 2020	\$	3,036	\$	3,531	\$	297	\$	129	\$		\$	6,993
				-	Ψ	2,,	Ψ	12/	Ψ		Ψ	0,,,,
Recorded investment in loans ev												
Individually	\$	6,738	\$	4,073	\$	1,168	\$	16	\$	886	\$	12,881
Collectively		291,372		184,796		22,095		19,559		25,464		543,286
PCI** Balance at September 30, 2021	\$	298,110	\$	188,869	\$	23,263	\$	19,575	\$	26,350	\$	556,167
Datance at Deptember 50, 2021		,		•		23,203		-		20,550		
Individually	\$	8,075	\$	2,323	\$	_	\$	130	\$	_	\$	10,528
Collectively		291,751		196,026		18,014		15,401		34,719		555,911
PCI** Balance at December 31, 2020	\$	299,826	\$	198,349	\$	18,014	\$	15,531	\$	34,719	\$	566,439
Datance at December 31, 2020	Ф	477,040	Ф	170,349	Ф	10,014	Φ	13,331	Φ	34,/19	Ф	300,439

<sup>\*</sup>Includes the loan types: Loans to cooperatives, Processing and marketing, and Farm-related business.

A restructuring of a debt constitutes a troubled debt restructuring (TDR) if the creditor for economic or legal reasons related to the debtor's financial difficulties grants a concession to the debtor that it would not otherwise consider. There were no new TDRS that occurred during the three and nine month periods ended September 30, 2021 and 2020.

Interest concessions may include interest forgiveness and interest deferment. Principal concessions may include principal forgiveness, principal deferment, and maturity extension. Other concessions may include additional compensation received which might be in the form of cash or other assets.

The following table presents outstanding recorded investment for TDRs that occurred during the previous twelve months and for which there was a subsequent payment default during the period. Payment default is defined as a payment that was thirty days or more past due.

**Defaulted troubled debt restructurings:** Production and intermediate-term Total

Three Mon Septem		Nine Months Ended September 30,							
2021	2020	2	2021		2020				
\$ -	\$ -	\$	_	\$	19				
\$ _	\$ -	\$	_	\$	19				

<sup>\*\*</sup>Purchased credit impaired loans.

The following table provides information at period end on outstanding loans restructured in troubled debt restructurings. These loans are included as impaired loans in the impaired loan table.

Real estate mortgage
Production and intermediate-term
Rural residential real estate
Total loans
Additional commitments to lend

	Total	TDRs		Nonaccrual TDRs							
Septen	September 30, 2021 December 31, 2020		nber 31, 2020	Septen	nber 30, 2021	Decer	nber 31, 2020				
\$	4,662	\$	6,408	\$	538	\$	1,382				
	869		868		631		632				
	11		12		=						
\$	5,542	\$	7,288	\$	1,169	\$	2,014				
\$	17	\$	20								

# Purchased Credit Impaired (PCI) Loans

For further discussion of the Association's accounting for PCI loans, see Note 2, *Summary of Significant Accounting Policies*, from the Association's most recent Annual Report. At September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, there was no remaining balance or allowance for loan losses included in the balance sheet for these loans which were acquired in a 2012 business combination.

## Note 3 — Investments

# Equity Investments in Other Farm Credit System Institutions

Equity investments in other Farm Credit System institutions are generally nonmarketable investments consisting of stock and participation certificates, allocated surplus, and reciprocal investments in other institutions regulated by the FCA. These investments are carried at cost and evaluated for impairment based on the ultimate recoverability of the par value rather than by recognizing temporary declines in value.

Associations are required to maintain ownership in AgFirst (AgFirst or the Bank) in the form of Class B or Class C stock as determined by the Bank. The Bank may require additional capital contributions to maintain its capital requirements. The Association owned 2.04 percent of the issued stock of the Bank as of September 30, 2021 net of any reciprocal investment. As of that date, the Bank's assets totaled \$37.9 billion and shareholders' equity totaled \$2.7 billion. The Bank's earnings were \$357 million for the first nine months of 2021. In addition, the Association held investments of \$461 related to other Farm Credit institutions.

# Note 4 — Debt

## Notes Payable to AgFirst Farm Credit Bank

The Association's indebtedness to the Bank represents borrowings by the Association to fund its earning assets. This indebtedness is collateralized by a pledge of substantially all of the Association's assets. The contractual terms of the revolving line of credit are contained in the General Financing Agreement (GFA). The GFA also defines Association performance criteria for borrowing from the Bank, which includes borrowing base margin, earnings and capital covenants, among others.

# Note 5 — Fair Value Measurement

Fair value is defined as the exchange price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants in the principal or most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

Accounting guidance establishes a hierarchy for disclosure of fair value measurements to maximize the use of observable inputs, that is, inputs that reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing an asset or liability based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. The hierarchy is based upon the transparency of inputs to the valuation of an asset or liability as of the measurement date. A financial instrument's categorization within the hierarchy tiers is based upon the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

The classifications of the Association's financial instruments within the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

Level 1 inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets.

Level 2 inputs include quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets; quoted prices in markets that are not active; and inputs that are observable, or can be corroborated, for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 inputs are unobservable and supported by little or no market activity. Valuation is determined using pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies, or similar techniques, and could include significant management judgment or estimation. Level 3 assets and liabilities also could include instruments whose price has been adjusted based on dealer quoted pricing that is different than the third-party valuation or internal model pricing.

For a complete discussion of the inputs and other assumptions considered in assigning various assets and liabilities to the fair value hierarchy levels, see the latest Annual Report to Shareholders.

There were no Level 3 assets or liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis for the periods presented. The Association had no transfers of assets or liabilities into or out of Level 1 or Level 2 during the periods presented.

Fair values are estimated at each period end date for assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis. Other Financial Instruments are not measured at fair value in the statement of financial position, but their fair values are estimated as of each period end date. The following tables summarize the carrying amounts of these assets and liabilities at period end, and their related fair values.

September 30, 2021

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		Total Carrying Amount		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Total Fair Value
Recurring Measurements		Timount		Leveri		Ecver 2		Levero		, muc
Assets:										
Recurring Assets	\$	_	\$	-	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_
Liabilities: Recurring Liabilities	\$	_	\$		\$	_	\$	_	\$	_
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Nonrecurring Measurements Assets:										
Impaired loans	\$	1,274	\$	_	\$	_	\$	1,274	\$	1,274
Other property owned		,		_		_				
Nonrecurring Assets	\$	1,274	\$		\$	=	\$	1,274	\$	1,274
Other Financial Instruments										
Assets:										
Cash	\$	361	\$	361	\$	-	\$	_	\$	361
Loans		541,595		-		- 6.261		538,609		538,609
Accrued interest receivable Other Financial Assets	\$	6,361	\$	361	\$	6,361	\$	- 529.600	\$	6,361 545,331
Other Financial Assets	•	548,317	Þ	301	Þ	6,361	Þ	538,609	Þ	343,331
Liabilities:										
Notes payable to AgFirst Farm Credit Bank	\$	444,382	\$	-	\$	-	\$	441,743	\$	441,743
Accrued interest payable		793				793		_		793
Other Financial Liabilities	\$	445,175	\$		\$	793	\$	441,743	\$	442,536
				D	ecen	nber 31, 202	0			
		Total								Total
		Carrying Amount		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Fair Value
Recurring Measurements		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		EC (CI I		20,012		Levere		, mac
Assets:										
Recurring Assets	\$	-	\$	_	\$	-	\$	_	\$	-
Liabilities:										
Recurring Liabilities	\$	-	\$	_	\$	-	\$		\$	-
Nonrecurring Measurements										
Assets:										
Impaired loans	\$	723	\$	-	\$	-	\$	723	\$	723
Other property owned		31				_	Ф	33	\$	756
	•		2		·			756		
Nonrecurring Assets	\$	754	\$	_	\$		\$	756	φ	
Nonrecurring Assets  Other Financial Instruments	\$		\$	_	\$	_	\$	756	J	
Nonrecurring Assets  Other Financial Instruments Assets:		754		-			·	756	·	206
Nonrecurring Assets  Other Financial Instruments Assets: Cash	\$	754 396	\$	396	\$	-	\$	_	\$	396
Nonrecurring Assets  Other Financial Instruments Assets: Cash Loans		396 553,160		396		- - - 6 902	·	756 - 556,205	·	556,205
Nonrecurring Assets  Other Financial Instruments Assets: Cash		754 396		396 - - 396		- - 6,892 6,892	·	_	·	
Nonrecurring Assets  Other Financial Instruments Assets: Cash Loans Accrued interest receivable Other Financial Assets	\$	396 553,160 6,892	\$	- -	\$		\$	556,205	\$	556,205 6,892
Nonrecurring Assets  Other Financial Instruments Assets: Cash Loans Accrued interest receivable Other Financial Assets  Liabilities:	\$	754 396 553,160 6,892 560,448	\$	- -	\$		\$	556,205 - 556,205	\$	556,205 6,892 563,493
Nonrecurring Assets  Other Financial Instruments Assets: Cash Loans Accrued interest receivable Other Financial Assets  Liabilities: Notes payable to AgFirst Farm Credit Bank	\$	754 396 553,160 6,892 560,448 462,996	\$	- -	\$	6,892	\$	556,205	\$	556,205 6,892 563,493 465,893
Nonrecurring Assets  Other Financial Instruments Assets: Cash Loans Accrued interest receivable Other Financial Assets  Liabilities:	\$	754 396 553,160 6,892 560,448	\$	- -	\$		\$	556,205 - 556,205	\$	556,205 6,892 563,493

## Uncertainty in Measurements of Fair Value

Discounted cash flow or similar modeling techniques are generally used to determine the recurring fair value measurements for Level 3 assets and liabilities. Use of these techniques requires determination of relevant inputs and assumptions, some of which represent significant unobservable inputs as indicated in the tables that follow. Accordingly, changes in these unobservable inputs may have a significant impact on fair value.

Certain of these unobservable inputs will (in isolation) have a directionally consistent impact on the fair value of the

instrument for a given change in that input. Alternatively, the fair value of the instrument may move in an opposite direction for a given change in another input. Where multiple inputs are used within the valuation technique of an asset or liability, a change in one input in a certain direction may be offset by an opposite change in another input having a potentially muted impact to the overall fair value of that particular instrument. Additionally, a change in one unobservable input may result in a change to another unobservable input (that is, changes in certain inputs are interrelated with one another), which may counteract or magnify the fair value impact.

## Inputs to Valuation Techniques

Management determines the Association's valuation policies and procedures. The Bank performs the majority of the Association's valuations, and its valuation processes are calibrated annually by an independent consultant. The fair value measurements are analyzed on a quarterly basis. For other valuations, documentation is obtained for third party information, such as pricing, and periodically evaluated alongside internal information and pricing that is available.

Quoted market prices are generally not available for the instruments presented below. Accordingly fair values are based on judgments regarding anticipated cash flows, future expected loss experience, current economic conditions, risk characteristics of various financial instruments, and other factors. These estimates involve uncertainties and matters of judgment, and therefore cannot be determined with precision. Changes in assumptions could significantly affect the estimates.

## Quantitative Information about Recurring and Nonrecurring Level 3 Fair Value Measurements

	Fai	r Value	Valuation Technique(s)	Unobservable Input	Range
Impaired loans and other property owned	\$	1,274	Appraisal	Income and expense	*
				Comparable sales	*
				Replacement cost	*
				Comparability adjustments	*
				Collateral discounts	*

<sup>\*</sup> Ranges for this type of input are not useful because each collateral property is unique.

#### Information about Other Financial Instrument Fair Value Measurements

	Valuation Technique(s)	Input
Cash	Carrying value	Par/principal and appropriate interest yield
Loans	Discounted cash flow	Prepayment forecasts
		Probability of default
		Loss severity
Accrued interest receivable	Carrying value	Par/principal
Notes payable to AgFirst Farm Credit Bank	Discounted cash flow	Prepayment forecasts
		Probability of default
		Loss severity
Accrued interest payable	Carrying value	Par/principal

# Note 6 — Employee Benefit Plans

The following is a table of retirement and other postretirement benefit expenses for the Association:

	Th	Three Months Ended September 30,				Nine Months Ende September 30,				
		2021		2020		2021		2020		
Pension	\$	251	\$	221	\$	752	\$	663		
401(k)		92		88		292		255		
Other postretirement benefits		45		44		130		131		
Total	\$	388	\$	353	\$	1,174	\$	1,049		

Expenses in the above table are computed using allocated estimates of funding for multi-employer plans in which the Association participates. These amounts may change when a total funding amount and allocation is determined by the respective Plan's Sponsor Committee. Also, market conditions could impact discount rates and return on plan assets which could change contributions necessary before the next plan measurement date of December 31, 2021.

Further details regarding employee benefit plans are contained in the 2020 Annual Report to Shareholders.

## Note 7 — Commitments and Contingent Liabilities

From time to time, legal actions are pending against the Association in which claims for money damages are asserted. On at least a quarterly basis, the Association assesses its liabilities and contingencies in connection with outstanding legal proceedings utilizing the latest information available. While the outcome of legal proceedings is inherently uncertain, on the basis of information presently available, management, after consultation with legal counsel, is of the opinion that the ultimate liability, if any, from these actions, would not be material in relation to the financial position of the Association. Because it is remote that the Association will incur a loss or the loss is not estimable, no liability has been recorded for any claims that may be pending.

#### **Note 8** — **Subsequent Events**

The Association evaluated subsequent events and determined that, except as described below, there were none requiring disclosure through November 8, 2021, which was the date the financial statements were issued.

On October 18, 2021, AgFirst's Board of Directors indicated an intention to declare, in December 2021, a special patronage distribution. The Association will receive between approximately \$5,371 and \$5,595 which will be recorded as patronage refunds from other Farm Credit institutions.