

River Valley Community Bancorp Announces 2nd Quarter Financial Results (Unaudited)

Yuba City, California, July 16, 2019 – River Valley Community Bancorp (OTC markets: RVCB) with its wholly owned subsidiary, River Valley Community Bank (collectively referred to as the "Bank"), today announced financial results for the quarter and six months ended June 30, 2019.

Consolidated financial highlights:

- Total assets as of June 30, 2019 were \$402.6 million compared to \$359.7 million as of June 30, 2018 and \$377.0 million as of December 31, 2018.
- Net income for the six months ended June 30, 2019 totaled \$2.2 million or \$0.90 per diluted share compared to \$1.9 million or \$0.75 per diluted share for the six months ended June 30, 2018.
- Net income for the quarter ended June 30, 2019 totaled \$1.4 million or \$0.55 per diluted share compared to \$1.0 million or \$0.42 per diluted share for the quarter ended June 30, 2018 and \$0.8 million or \$0.35 per diluted share for the quarter ended March 31, 2019.
- Net interest income totaled \$6.1 million for the six months ended June 30, 2019 compared to \$5.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2018.
- Net interest income totaled \$3.1 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2019 compared to \$2.6 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2018 and \$3.0 million for the quarter ended March 31, 2019.

Selected Consolidated Financial Information - Unaudited (amounts in thousands, except per share data)

	June 30, 2019		March 31, 2019		Dec 31, 2018		Sep 30, 2018		Jun 30, 2018	
Total investment securities	\$	156,731	\$	169,269	\$	158,476	\$	144,670	\$	146,106
Total loans, gross		186,735		180,066		168,727		154,690		144,351
Allowance for loan losses		(2,322)		(2,265)		(2,139)		(2,007)		(2,005)
Total assets		402,663		383,337		376,986		364,236		359,711
Total deposits		271,932		268,763		285,774		264,033		260,249
Borrowings		85,000		80,000		60,000		70,000		70,000
Total shareholders' equity		36,108		33,219		29,936		29,374		28,701
Loan to deposit ratio		69%		67%		67%		59%		59%
Book value per common share	\$	15.10	\$	13.93	\$	12.56	\$	12.03	\$	11.93
Subsidiary Bank's Tier 1 leverage ratio		8.44%		8.34%		8.40%		8.15%		8.29%

Total gross loans were \$186.7 million as of June 30, 2019, which represents an increase of \$42.4 million or 29.4% from \$144.4 million as of June 30, 2018. As of June 30, 2019, the Bank had no non-accrual loans. Total deposits of \$271.9 million as of June 30, 2019 represent an increase of \$11.7 million or 4.5% from \$260.2 million as of June 30, 2018.

Selected Consolidated Financial Information - Unaudited (continued) (amounts in thousands, except per share data)

		Six Mont	hs En	ded						
	Ju	ne 30, June 30,		une 30,	Variance					
		2019	2018			mount	Percent			
Net interest income	\$	6,047	\$	5,002	\$	1,045	20.9%			
Provision for loan losses		180		-		180	100.0%			
Net income		2,233		1,861		373	20.0%			
Earnings per share - basic	\$	0.94	\$	0.78	\$	0.16	20.5%			
Earnings per share - diluted	\$	0.90	\$	0.75	\$	0.15	20.0%			
Net interest margin		3.29%		3.00%		0.28%	9.4%			
Net interest margin - tax equivalent		3.36%		3.04%		0.31%	10.3%			
Efficiency ratio		59.10%		52.64%		6.46%	12.3%			
Return on average assets		1.15%		1.06%		0.08%	8.0%			
Return on average equity		13.83%		13.19%		0.64%	4.9%			

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	Quarter Ended									
	June 30, 2019		March 31, 2019		Dec 31, 2018		Sep 30, 2018		Jun 30, 2018	
Net interest income	\$	3,079	\$	2,968	\$	2,958	\$	2,768	\$	2,639
Provision for loan losses		55		125		130		-		-
Net income		1,357		876		784		1,012		1,038
Earnings per share - basic	\$	0.57	\$	0.37	\$	0.33	\$	0.42	\$	0.43
Earnings per share - diluted	\$	0.55	\$	0.35	\$	0.32	\$	0.41	\$	0.42
Net interest margin		3.28%		3.26%		3.29%		3.31%		3.05%
Net interest margin - tax equivalent		3.35%		3.32%		3.35%		3.37%		3.11%
Efficiency ratio		57.24%		61.03%		63.71%		52.56%		50.68%
Return on average assets		1.37%		0.91%		0.83%		1.15%		1.14%
Return on average equity		15.94%		11.34%		10.52%		13.70%		14.42%

Net interest income of \$6.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2019 is an increase of \$1.0 million or 20.9% from the six months ended June 30, 2018. Net interest income of \$3.1 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2019 is an increase of \$440,000 or 16.7% from the quarter ended June 30, 2018 and an increase of \$111,000 or 3.8% (15.0% annualized) from the quarter ended March 31, 2019. As a function of the Bank's loan growth, a provision expense of \$55,000 was realized during the quarter ended June 30, 2019.

CFO Michael Finn commented, "During the second quarter, events in fixed income markets presented management with an opportunity to sell and replace selected investment securities while reducing risk in the portfolio, generating a higher weighted average yield, and realizing approximately \$528,000 in net gains in the process, which contributed to our strong earnings for the quarter. The Bank is also experiencing improving efficiency ratios, as income generated at new branch locations added in 2018 is growing and helping to offset the costs of those locations."

CEO John M. Jelavich stated, "I am very pleased with the direction of the Bank and the results we have achieved to date. Our loan growth has been strong, and our credit quality remains good. We are seeing the positive diversification

impact that Auburn and Grass Valley bring to our deposit base, which is early validation of our game plan. Our Auburn office, which opened last fall, continues to maintain solid momentum and is working closer to achieving its stand-alone profitability."

"From a macro perspective, during the second quarter, there was a significant decline in long term interest rates and a flattening of the yield curve, which to the degree this environment persists, could put pressure on margins for our Bank and our industry going forward. That said, we believe our Bank is well positioned for rate cycles as they may occur. We are fortunate to have a professional and engaged team who continue to deliver the local banking experience our customers desire, which is instrumental in generating long term value for our shareholders." Jelavich concluded.

The Bank remains highly rated with BauerFinancial, Depositaccounts.com and Bankrate and serves its customer base through its offices located at:

- 1629 Colusa Avenue, Yuba City, CA
- 580 Brunswick Rd, Grass Valley, CA
- 905 Lincoln Way, Auburn, CA

The Bank offers a full suite of competitive products, services, and banking technology. For more information please visit our website at www.myrvcb.com or contact John M. Jelavich at (530) 821-2469.

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