### 2019 ANNUAL REPORT





### **OUR BRAND PROMISE**

At Burke & Herbert Bank, our customers are the focal point of our work. We know we must work hard to earn both their banking business and their loyalty. That's why we strive to deliver high-quality products and services designed to meet customers' banking, borrowing, and investing needs — products and services that help our customers to achieve their objectives and realize their dreams. It is why we are focused on exceeding customer expectations, making banking easy, convenient, and rewarding — for both consumers and businesses. And, it is why we will continue to provide friendly and attentive personal service, our signature for generations. When we say that we are "At Your Service," we mean it.

### **OUR BRAND MISSION**

We believe that delivering on this promise of putting customers and their needs first will enable us to become the bank of choice for consumers and businesses throughout northern Virginia, and at the same time, deliver strong financial results and value to our shareholders.

# TO OUR SHAREHOLDERS, CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS

Burke & Herbert Bank has a long, storied history as a local community bank focused on meeting the needs of businesses and consumers throughout the region and supporting the communities in which we do business. Our steadfast commitment to our customers and to the community has served us well and remains the cornerstone of our work as we move into our 168th year in business.

The Bank has enjoyed numerous successes throughout its history and has overcome many challenges as well – recessions, depressions, world wars, and even the Civil War – to name a few. As we reflect on 2019, while we are disappointed with our earnings results overall, we are confident in our ability to overcome today's challenges and deliver enhanced value for shareholders and customers in 2020 and beyond.

### **OVERVIEW OF 2019 FINANCIAL RESULTS**

Net income after taxes for the twelve months ending December 31, 2019 totaled \$17.0 million, resulting in basic earnings per share of \$90.63, declining from \$34.4 million and \$181.62 per share, respectively, in 2018. Key factors contributing to the decline include a single credit loss, increased interest expense without offsetting gains in interest income, and incremental employment-related costs. In the fourth quarter, the Bank recorded a \$6.8 million credit loss driven by a single distressed loan relationship. Net interest income, the Bank's principal source of revenue, declined by \$6.7 million (-7.0%), driven by a \$9.0 million year-over-year increase in deposit interest expense. Earnings also were dampened by an increase of \$8.9 million (11.8%) in non-interest expense over the previous year, driven primarily by higher salary and benefits expenses. Work is well underway to identify and implement strategies and programs designed to improve results in each of these areas and generate enhanced earnings.

### **NET INTEREST INCOME**

Net interest income after provision, which totaled \$82.7 million in 2019, was dampened by the low interest rate environment that persisted throughout the year. Market interest rates, which generally experienced increases in 2018, began to decline in early 2019, and for a portion of the year, the yield curve was inverted. Given the lower rate environment, yields on new loans originated were lower than those on maturing loans. In 2019, the Bank's loan portfolio experienced modest growth of 1.7% year-over-year. Also in 2019, the size of the Bank's investment

portfolio was reduced as part of our strategy to decrease institutional borrowings. The resulting lower pool of interest-bearing assets, combined with lower average returns on the Bank's loans and investments, resulted in lower levels of interest income.

Market interest rates and customer preferences had a significant impact on the increase in deposit interest expense. A large portion of the increase in deposit interest expense was driven by higher rates paid by the Bank on Certificates of Deposit ("CD") and money market accounts in response to Federal Reserve Bank interest rate hikes in 2018 and the resulting increased competition for deposits. When the Federal Reserve began reducing rates in 2019, a portion of the Bank's CD portfolio carried what were then above-market rates that the Bank was obligated to pay until the maturity dates of the CDs. In addition, in 2018 and continuing in 2019, many of our customers shifted balances from zero- or low-interest rate checking accounts to higherrate money market accounts, contributing to the increase in the Bank's cost of funds. In the latter part of 2019, the Bank was able to reduce rates paid on deposits and, by the end of the year, interest expense trends were moving in a favorable direction.



### **NON-INTEREST INCOME**

Reaching \$18.4 million in 2019, non-interest income experienced a 4.9% increase over 2018. This year's noninterest income was boosted by \$3.2 million in security gains, which compares favorably to the \$397 thousand realized in 2018. The increase in security gains was offset partially by a year-over-year decrease in income from Bank-Owned Life Insurance of \$2.1 million. Most other components of non-interest income experienced modest improvement over 2018.

### **NON-INTEREST EXPENSE**

Non-interest expense for 2019 was \$84.4 million, an increase of 11.8% on a year-over-year basis. Accounting for the majority of this increase were salaries and benefits, ahead of the prior year by \$6.6 million. A significant portion of the rise in this category is related to the leadership transition that took place this past year. Additionally, in the fourth quarter, the Bank recorded a \$1.4 million reserve for the unfunded portion of the distressed credit discussed previously. This reserve also contributed to the overall increase in non-interest expense.

### **BALANCE SHEET METRICS**

Total assets at December 31, 2019 were \$2.9 billion, a 4.7% decline when compared to year-end 2018. The decline resulted primarily from our decision to reduce outstanding institutional borrowing, with funding provided through deposit growth and a reduction in the size of the Bank's investment portfolio. In 2019, the loan portfolio grew by 1.7% on a year-over-year basis, while the investment portfolio declined by 19.0% to \$700.0 million. The deposit portfolio grew by \$86.9 million, or 3.8%, to end the year at \$2.4 billion. As a result of this deposit growth







and investment sales, the Bank was able to reduce its institutional borrowing from the Federal Home Loan Bank by \$245 million. At December 31, 2019, the Bank had equity capital of \$353.5 million, a 2.2% increase over year-end 2018.

### **DIVIDENDS**

In 2019, the Board declared dividends totaling \$80.00 per share, equaling the amount paid in 2018. Despite the year-over-year decline in net income, the Board believes the 2019 dividend was appropriate, given the Bank's strong capital position and forecast of future earnings. At December 31, 2019, the Bank maintained a Tier 1 Leverage Ratio of 12.3% and a Tier 1 Capital Ratio 16.5%, both of which are significantly above the 5.0% and 8.0% ratios a commercial bank must maintain to be classified as *Well Capitalized* in accordance with regulatory requirements.

### **LEADERSHIP TRANSITION**

One of the most notable events of 2019 for the Bank was the completion of succession planning work and implementation of the leadership transition, which was designed to help us meet the shared goal of long-term, continued success for Burke & Herbert Bank. Following more than ten years of service to the Bank, W. Scott McSween, who served as our President & Chief Operating Officer and more recently as our Chief Executive Officer, retired as of December 31, 2019. We are grateful to Mr. McSween for his contributions to the Bank's success during the past decade and appreciate his many years of leadership, commitment, and dedicated service to the Bank and the communities it serves. You have our assurance that in our new leadership roles we too remain focused on the exceptional delivery of our "At Your Service" Brand Promise and committed to taking the Bank forward successfully into the next decade.

### **THE PATH FORWARD**

In the fall of 2019, the Bank's management team developed, and the Board approved, a comprehensive Strategic Plan for the next three years with the primary goal of enhancing shareholder value. The Plan outlined the following key objectives:

- · Enhancing efficiency in revenue generation
- Delivering excellence in the customer experience
- · Efficient management of risk
- Improving organizational efficiency
- Enhancing the team member experience

Work already is underway on each of these initiatives and, while there is much more to be done, we are confident that they will help put the Bank on a path to becoming one of the top performing community banks, not only in Northern Virginia, but in the entire country.

### **BECOMING THE "BANK OF CHOICE"**

We are thrilled to be on this journey together and look forward to delivering on our mission of becoming the "Bank of Choice". You have our commitment that we will continue to work hard to earn your trust, loyalty, and confidence. On behalf of the entire Burke & Herbert Bank team, thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

**E. Hunt Burke** *Chairman of the Board* 

**David P. Boyle** President & Chief Executive Officer

### **MEET DAVID P. BOYLE**

**President & Chief Executive Officer** 

As we begin a new decade, we have new leadership at Burke & Herbert Bank. On June 3, 2019, Burke & Herbert Bank welcomed David P. Boyle as President & Chief Operating Officer. Following the retirement of W. Scott McSween at year-end, Mr. Boyle was appointed President & Chief Executive Officer and elected to the Board of Directors. E. Hunt Burke, the great, great grandson of one of the Bank's founding partners, remains the Bank's Chairman.

Mr. Boyle is a CPA and brings more than 30 years of banking and financial services management experience to Burke & Herbert Bank, most recently serving as Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer at Orrstown Bank, a \$2.4 billion community bank headquartered in Shippensburg, Pennsylvania. Prior to that role, he served as the Chief Performance Officer at PNC Financial Services in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Previously, he held several other executive leadership positions at PNC and its predecessors. "I am honored to have been selected to lead the Bank forward into the next decade," said Mr. Boyle. "Right from the start, it has been clear to me that Burke & Herbert Bank is a special place. It feels like family!" He added, "I appreciate the warm welcome from the Board, the Burke & Herbert Bank team, and the community. I am excited about our future and committed to being *At Your Service.*"



David P. Boyle, President & Chief Executive Officer

# **BALANCE SHEET**

December 31, (in thousands)	2019	2018
ASSETS Cash & Due from Banks	\$ 83,747	\$ 101,880
Total Investments	699,694	864,206
Loans, Total Reserve for Loan Losses Loans, Net	1,885,171 (24,201) 1,860,970	1,852,866 (17,321) 1,835,545
Premises & Equipment Other Real Estate Other Assets	41,188 0 180,340	42,460 338 162,280
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 2,865,939	\$ 3,006,709
LIABILITIES Demand Deposits Interest Checking Deposits Time & Savings Deposits Total Deposits Other Borrowed Funds Other Liabilities	\$ 621,424 386,617 1,385,971 2,394,012 75,000 43,399	\$ 618,527 425,051 1,263,493 2,307,071 320,000 33,775
TOTAL LIABILITIES	2,512,411	2,660,846
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Common Stock Surplus Retained Earnings Net Income Year to Date Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income / (Loss) Common Stock Repurchased	3,739 10,032 346,515 16,978 1,426 (25,162)	3,762 10,000 327,095 34,388 (7,344) (22,038)
TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY TOTAL LIABILITIES & STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	353,528 \$ 2,865,939	345,863 \$ 3,006,709

**The Bank's transfer agent is**: American Stock Transfer (AST), 6201 15th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11219. Visit AST online at astfinancial.com or call 1-888-509-4619. To request a copy of Burke & Herbert Bank's audited financial statements, please call us at 703-684-1655.

# **INCOME STATEMENT**

December 31, Twelve Months Ended (in thousands)	2019	2018
INTEREST INCOME Interest on Investments Interest & Fees on Loans TOTAL INTEREST INCOME	\$25,952 84,496 <b>110,448</b>	\$ 28,594 82,576 <b>111,170</b>
INTEREST EXPENSE Interest on Deposits Interest on Other Borrowed Funds TOTAL INTEREST EXPENSE	17,572 3,884 <b>21,456</b>	8,612 6,863 <b>15,475</b>
NET INTEREST INCOME BEFORE PROVISION Provision for Loan Losses NET INTEREST INCOME AFTER PROVISION	88,992 6,243 <b>82,749</b>	95,695 1,148 <b>94,547</b>
NON-INTEREST INCOME Fiduciary & Wealth Management Income Service Charges, Commissions & Fees Net Gains on Securities Income on Bank Owned Life Insurance Other TOTAL NON-INTEREST INCOME	4,254 8,988 3,192 1,913 41 <b>18,388</b>	4,223 8,792 397 4,053 63 <b>17,528</b>
NON-INTEREST EXPENSE Salaries & Benefits Occupancy Expense Other Operating Expenses TOTAL NON-INTEREST EXPENSE	52,929 6,527 24,958 <b>84,414</b>	46,305 5,797 23,405 <b>75,507</b>
NET INCOME BEFORE TAX Income Tax Expense	16,723 (255)	36,568 2,180
NET INCOME	\$ 16,978	\$ 34,388
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Basic Earnings per Share	\$ 90.63	\$ 181.62
Number of Shares Outstanding	186,958	188,100
Dividend per Share	\$ 80.00	\$ 80.00
Book Value per Share	\$ 1,890.95	\$ 1,838.72
Return on Average Assets	0.58%	1.14%
Return on Average Equity	<b>4.79</b> %	10.12%
Overhead Efficiency Ratio	81.09%	<b>67.08</b> %
Gross Loans to Deposits	<b>78.68</b> %	80.25%

## **MEET THE TEAM**



**Paul G. Brown** Senior Vice President Commercial Banking



**Terry Cole** Executive Vice President Chief Marketing Officer



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