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GOLDEN STATE BANCORP ANNOUNCES SECOND QUARTER OF 2022 FINANCIAL RESULTS

Glendale, CA, August 10, 2022 - Golden State Bancorp (OTC Pink: GSBX) ("us," "we," "our," or the "Company"), the holding company of Golden State Bank (the "Bank"), today announced financial results for the second quarter of 2022.

Current Quarter Highlights:

- Total assets increased by \$78.1 million, or 14.8%, from \$526.3 million at December 31, 2021 to \$604.4 million
- Loans, net of deferred fees, increased by \$48.4 million, or 11.6%, from \$416.0 million at December 31, 2021 to \$464.4 million
- Credit quality remains strong
- Cash and cash equivalents increased by \$5.8 million, or 5.5%, from \$104.6 million at December 31, 2021 to \$110.4 million; also held \$24.6 million in short term US Treasuries at the end of the quarter
- Deposits increased by \$75.3 million, or 17.0%, from \$443.2 million at December 31, 2021 to \$518.5 million
- Net income of \$1.9 million for the three months ended June 30, 2022
- Fully diluted book value per share of \$18.55

Mr. Robert Setrakian, Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of the Company stated, "We had a quarter beyond our expectations. Besides the robustness of our loan and deposit pipelines, we were also well positioned to benefit from the rate increases that the Federal Reserve is implementing, and at the same time cognizant of some of the challenges that we and our clients may face going forward. We intend to complete the final phase of our previously announced capital raise in this quarter."

"I am very pleased with our financial performance; we continue to meet loan growth expectations and have diligently maintained an above target net interest margin." said Ms. Mercedes Herrera, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Bank. "Satisfied clients return for new loans and refer others to the bank. Our deposit business has been steadily growing, however, some of the recent increases specially in demand deposits may be temporary in nature. Overall, I could not be more pleased with our business development efforts. The last phase of our capital raise is timely to support immediate future growth and financial strength."

About Golden State Bancorp and Golden State Bank

Golden State Bancorp is the holding company of Golden State Bank. Golden State Bank is a full service bank, serving the business, commercial and professional markets. The Bank meets financial needs of its business clients with loans for working capital, equipment, owner-occupied and investment commercial real estate, and a full array of cash management services and deposit products for businesses and their owners. Golden State Bank meets its clients' needs through its head office and branch in Glendale and regional office and branch in Upland, California. For more information, please visit www.goldenstatebank.com and www.goldenstatebancorp.com.

Forward Looking Statements

Certain statements in this press release that are not historical facts are "forward-looking statements". Such statements are not guarantees of future performance and are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause the Company's actual results and financial position to differ materially from those included within the forward-looking statements. Specific factors include, but are not limited to, expectations regarding growth, credit quality, the success and timing of the Company's planned capital raise, the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, loan production, balance sheet management, expanded net interest margin, the ability to control costs and expenses, interest rate changes and financial policies of the United States government, and general economic conditions. The Company disclaims any obligation to update any such factors or to publicly announce the results of any revisions to any forward-looking statements contained in this release to reflect future events or developments. Forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties, including those relating to the illiquidity of the Company's stock. Actual results may differ materially from projected results, and reported results should not be considered as an indication of future performance. More information about the Bank is available via the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation's website: www.fdic.gov.

GOLDEN STATE BANCORP Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Condition (unaudited)

ASSETS	<u>J</u>	une 30, 2022	Dec	ember 31, 2021 (audited)
Cash & due from banks	\$	3,097,219	\$	6,642,406
Interest-earning deposit & FFS	Y	107,279,871	Y	97,976,054
TOTAL CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		110,377,090		104,618,459
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Securities Investment		24,550,551		-
Total Loans, net of deferred fees		464,429,612		416,016,235
Allowance for loan losses		(6,554,130)		(5,736,672)
NET LOANS		457,875,482		410,279,563
Federal Home Loan Bank stock, at cost		2,060,200		1,534,400
Premises and equipment		912,108		1,021,351
Other real estate owned		1,056,200		1,331,857
Operating lease ROU assets, net		1,044,583		1,250,081
Deferred tax asset		4,251,905		4,251,905
Other assets		2,241,250		2,001,222
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	604,369,368	\$	526,288,838
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Noninterest bearing deposits	\$	141,757,766	\$	76,407,218
Interest bearing deposits	Ψ	376,730,686	7	366,822,110
TOTAL DEPOSITS		518,488,452		443,229,327
FHLB borrowings		17,500,000		25,000,000
Subordinated notes, net		14,696,896		14,662,605
Other borrowings		1,746,439		1,746,439
Operating lease liabilities		1,199,007		1,425,856
Other liabilities		3,458,856		2,287,737
TOTAL LIABILITIES		557,089,651		488,351,964
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		47,279,717		37,936,874
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Selected Financial and Ratios						
Asset Quality Ratios						
Nonperforming loans to total loans, net of deferred fees	0.43%	0.46%				
Allowance for loan losses to total loans, net of deferred fees	1.41%	1.38%				
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Capital Ratios (1)						
Tier 1 leverage ratio	9.93%	9.05%				
Common equity tier 1 capital ratio	12.62%	11.28%				
Tier 1 risk based capital ratio	12.62%	11.28%				
Total risk based capital ratio	13.87%	12.53%				
Common shares outstanding	2,047,146	2,047,146				
Book value per share (2)	\$23.10	\$18.53				
Fully diluted book value per share (3)	\$18.55	\$17.43				

⁽¹⁾ All ratios calculated are at the "Bank" level, except per share information, which is at the "Bancorp" level.

⁽²⁾ Basic book value per share is calculated as total shareholders' equity divided by the number of common shares outstanding as at the end of the period, giving no effect to dilutive shares. Book value per share of \$23.10 includes \$6.0MM net proceeds from the sale of the prefunded warrants which is recorded as additional paid-in capital.

⁽³⁾ Fully diluted book value per share is calculated based on fully diluted equity and the total number of common shares that would be outstanding if all in-the-money employee stock options, warrants and the conditional, restricted and non-assignable rights to purchase common stock are exercised by investors.

GOLDEN STATE BANCORP Condensed Consolidated Statement of Income (Unaudited)

	For the three months ended			For the six months ended June 30,				
	June	e 30, 2022	June 30, 2021		2022		2021	
Interest income	\$	7,329,939	\$	5,381,017	\$	13,518,965	\$	10,501,916
Interest expense		1,128,527		1,204,697		2,256,211		2,460,547
Net interest income		6,201,412		4,176,320		11,262,754		8,041,370
Provision for loan losses		559,000		380,000		857,000		650,000
Net interest income after								
provision for loan losses		5,642,412		3,796,320		10,405,754		7,391,370
Noninterest income		57,133		58,781		118,588		105,898
Noninterest expense		3,055,673		2,864,707		5,945,846		5,721,373
Income before taxes		2,643,872		990,395		4,578,497		1,775,895
Income tax		790,396		304,710		1,369,326		543,390
Net Income	\$	1,853,476	\$	685,685	\$	3,209,171	\$	1,232,505