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GOLDEN STATE BANCORP ANNOUNCES SECOND QUARTER OF 2024 FINANCIAL RESULTS

Glendale, CA, August 20, 2024 - Golden State Bancorp (OTCQX: 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 2024.

Current Quarter Highlights:

- Total assets increased by \$72.8 million, or 10.0%, from \$729.5 million at December 31, 2023 to \$802.3 million
- Loans, net of deferred fees, increased by \$106.7 million, or 18.9%, from \$564.3 million at December 31, 2023 to \$671.0 million
- Credit quality remains strong
- On balance sheet liquidity remains strong with cash and cash equivalents at \$108.7 million; also held \$12.9 million in short-term US Treasuries and \$2.3 million in FDIC-insured CD investments in other banks
- Deposits increased by \$75.6 million, or 12.2%, from \$618.1 million at December 31, 2023 to \$693.7 million
- Net income of \$1.84 million for the three months ended June 30, 2024
- Fully diluted book value per share of \$23.67
- The Board of Directors approved and authorized a stock repurchase program of up to \$2.0 million of the Company's outstanding common stock

Mr. Robert H. Setrakian, Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of the Company stated, "We continue to perform well on all fronts. Interesting times in our industry with unprecedented volatility in interest rate expectations and on what the Federal Reserve will do, and when. We will continue to remain conservative with our approach for growth and opportunities that present to us."

"I am pleased with our results and confident in our ability to maintain this level of performance throughout the year. Our loan portfolio is performing well, we have no bad loans, and our pipeline remains robust. Our deposit base is strong and continues to grow steadily. In the current environment of interest rate, we are committed to managing our financial operations with prudence, ensuring the success of our institution", said Ms. Mercedes N. Herrera, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Bank.

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. Forward-looking statements include, among others, expectations regarding the Company's future growth, opportunities, financial condition and potential repurchase of common stock. Factors and risks that may cause actual results to vary include, but are not limited to, the trading price and liquidity of the Company's common stock, credit quality, loan production, balance sheet management, profitability, net interest margin, interest rate changes and financial policies of the United States government, general economic conditions, and changes in and adjustments to the Company's business plans in reaction to such factors or otherwise. 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)

	<u>June 30, 2024</u>			<u>December 31, 2023</u>		
ASSETS						
Cash & due from banks	\$	3,687,201	\$	2,658,595		
Interest-earning deposits		104,965,660		136,369,725		
TOTAL CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		108,652,861		139,028,320		
Interest-earning deposits in other financial institutions		2,250,000		3,250,000		
Securities held-to-maturity, at cost		12,910,927		15,785,760		
Total Loans, net of deferred fees		670,959,564		564,253,612		
Allowance for credit losses		(8,963,219)		(7,691,455)		
NET LOANS		661,996,346		556,562,157		
Federal Home Loan Bank stock, at cost		3,157,900		3,063,100		
Premises and equipment		1,504,342		1,642,544		
Operating lease ROU assets, net		2,639,423		2,805,685		
Deferred taxes, net		2,981,783		2,981,783		
Other assets		6,174,189		4,425,564		
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	802,267,771	\$	729,544,913		
LIABILITIES						
Noninterest bearing deposits	\$	125,990,823	\$	106,531,562		
Interest bearing deposits		567,757,121		511,560,086		
TOTAL DEPOSITS		693,747,944		618,091,648		
Federal Home Loan Bank borrowings		20,000,000		25,000,000		
Subordinated notes, net		14,834,151		14,799,837		
Other borrowings		389,003		1,746,439		
Operating lease liabilities		3,351,971		3,539,240		
Other liabilities		3,213,498		3,688,114		
TOTAL LIABILITIES		735,536,567		666,865,278		
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY						
Common stock		45,763,505		45,628,315		
Additional Paid in Capital		9,783,227		9,631,883		
Retained Earnings		11,184,472		7,419,437		
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		66,731,204		62,679,635		
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$	802,267,771	\$	729,544,913		

Selected Financial and Ratios

	June 30, 2024	<u>December 31, 2023</u>	
Asset Quality			
Allowance for credit losses on loans (ALL)	\$ 8,963,219 \$	7,691,455	
Allowance for unfunded commitments	728,370	846,360	
Allowance for credit losses (ACL)	\$ 9,691,589 \$	8,537,815	
ALL to total loans	1.34%	1.36%	
ACL to total loans	1.44%	1.51%	
Nonperforming loans to total loans, net of deferred fees	0.07%	1.11%	
Capital (1)			
Tier 1 leverage ratio	9.83%	9.99%	
Common shares outstanding	2,706,706	2,588,119	
Book value per share	\$24.65	\$24.22	
Fully diluted book value per share (2)	\$23.67	\$22.51	

 $^{(1) \} Capital\ ratio\ calculated\ at\ the\ "Bank"\ level,\ except\ per\ share\ information,\ which\ is\ at\ the\ "Bancorp"\ level.$

⁽²⁾ 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)

	Three Months Ended		Six Months Ended					
	Jui	ne 30, 2024	June 30, 2023		June 30, 2024		June 30, 2023	
Interest income	\$	13,420,939	\$	10,468,747	\$	26,480,845	\$	20,355,089
Interest expense		6,361,147		3,821,528		12,523,530		6,588,569
Net interest income		7,059,792		6,647,219		13,957,315		13,766,520
Provision for (reversal of) credit losses		490,985		(50,656)		759,528		397,344
Net interest income after								
provision for credit losses		6,568,807		6,697,875		13,197,787		13,369,176
Noninterest income		84,354		69,461		184,403		45,705
Noninterest expense		4,039,420	-	3,977,626		8,040,534		7,646,131
Income before taxes		2,613,741		2,789,710		5,341,656		5,768,750
Income taxes		776,644		823,016		1,576,621		1,697,824
Net Income	\$	1,837,097	\$	1,966,694	\$	3,765,035	\$	4,070,926