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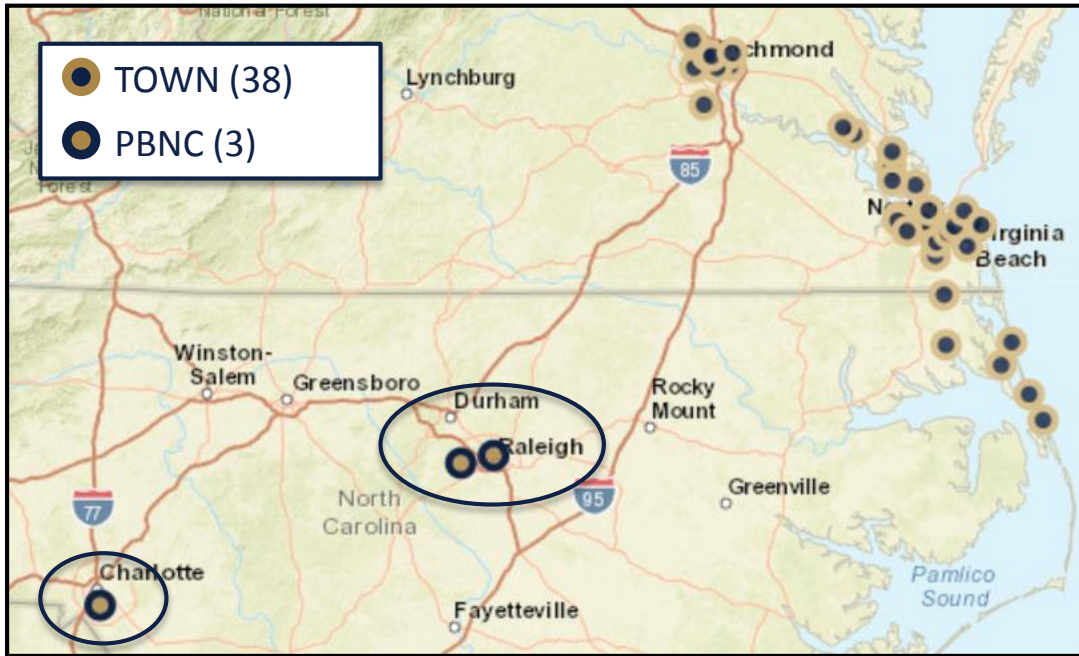
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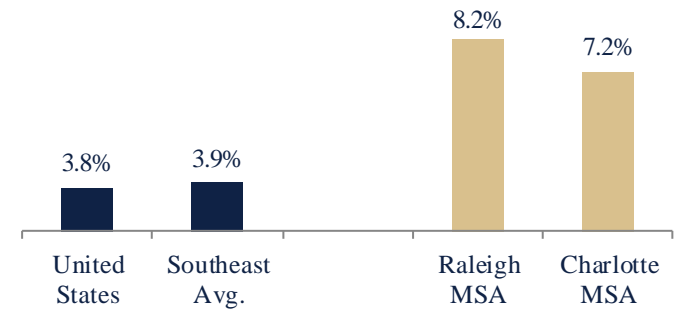
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Compelling Growth Acquisition

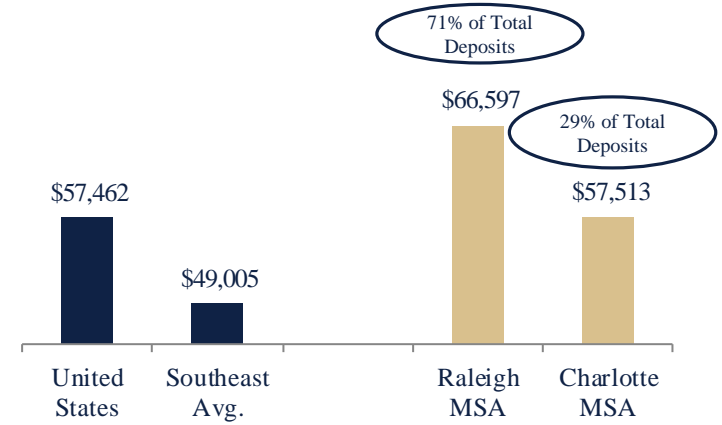


Compelling Growth Demographics

2017 – 2021 Population Growth ¹



2017 Median Household Income ¹



Business Model Positioned to Capture Continued Growth



Differentiated Business Model

High-touch private bank customer service model

Strong Organic Loan Growth

2013 - 2016 Loan CAGR: 13%

Retention of Key Personnel

Execution of Employment Contracts with PBNC personnel

¹ Source: SNL Financial. Deposit market data as of 6/30/2016.

Transaction Terms

Transaction:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TowneBank (TOWN) to acquire Paragon Commercial Corporation (PBNC)
Fixed Exchange Ratio:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1.7250 shares of TOWN common stock for each share of PBNC common stock; 100% stock
Transaction Value:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Implied Price per Share: \$59.25 per share ¹ Aggregate Transaction Value: \$323.7 million ¹
Pricing Multiples:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 22.3x of PBNC's LTM EPS ² 231% of PBNC's TBV ²
Pro Forma Ownership:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ~87% TOWN / ~13% PBNC
Board Representation:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 PBNC Directors to be appointed to TOWN's Board of Directors
Management & Leadership Retention:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Executed employment contracts with members of PBNC Executive Management, Commercial Lenders, Private Bankers and Client Development Officers
Required Approvals:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Customary regulatory approvals and shareholder approval for PBNC
Expected Closing:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Q4 2017

¹ Based on TOWN's stock price of \$34.35 as of April 26, 2017.

² As of March 31, 2017.

Transaction Rationale

Compelling Strategic Rationale

- Entrance into the high-growth and demographically attractive Raleigh and Charlotte, North Carolina markets
- Significantly enhances TOWN's existing North Carolina franchise
- Strong history of organic loan and deposit growth
- Provides geographic and portfolio diversification

Attractive Financial Metrics

- Immediately accretive to EPS, with low single-digit EPS accretion thereafter
- Offsets impact of crossing \$10.0 billion in assets estimated at \$4 million in lost annual revenue/costs
- Minimal Tangible book value dilution of less than ~1% and earned back in approximately 2.25 years
- Pro forma CRE concentration largely unchanged
- No revenue synergies modeled but complements in market Mortgage and Insurance operations

Low Risk

- Retention of Paragon Management team, Commercial Lenders, Private Bankers and CDO's
- Continued use of Paragon branding in Raleigh and Charlotte
- Thorough multi-week due diligence process covering all aspects of PBNC's operations
- Comprehensive loan portfolio review, including reviewing ~48% of the portfolio
- Strong asset quality coupled with attractive core deposit funding

Cultural Compatibility

- Efficient branching model – Paragon average branch size of \$368 million ¹
- Similar cultures with emphasis on attracting high quality clients with exceptional client service
- Long-standing relationship between TOWN and PBNC's executive management
- Maintain Paragon brand and local credit decision process

¹ Source: SNL Financial. Deposit market share information as of 6/30/2016.

Paragon's Business Model and Historical Organic Growth

PBNC at a Glance

- Founded in 1999 as North Carolina's first business-only bank, adding private banking in 2009
- Headquartered in Raleigh, NC with banking offices in Raleigh, Charlotte and Cary, NC
- All in-market and organic loan and deposit growth

Private Bank Model

- High-touch client service level of a private bank
- Expertise and sophistication of a big bank with community bank responsiveness and service

Targeted Client Base

- Focused on clients with significant banking needs who value an extraordinary client experience
- Client mix includes mature businesses, professional firms, non-profits and affluent customers

Focused Sales Culture

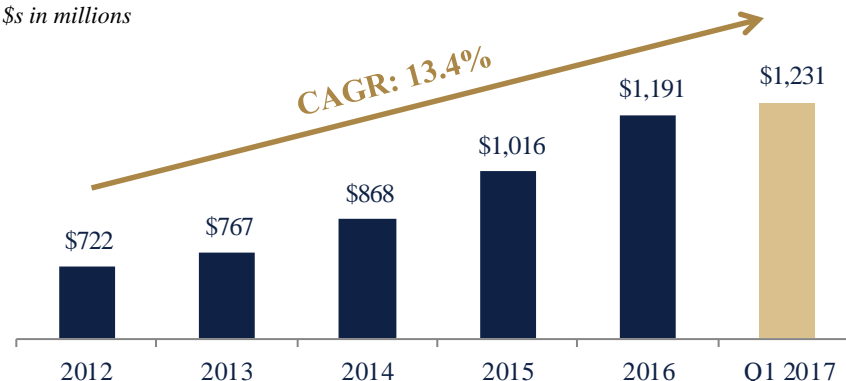
- Experienced bankers with deep local market ties
- Relationship focused bankers – 25 years of experience in banking
- Internal referral culture enhances teamwork & benefits clients

\$s in millions

PBNC	
Total Assets	\$ 1,550
Market Cap.	\$ 279

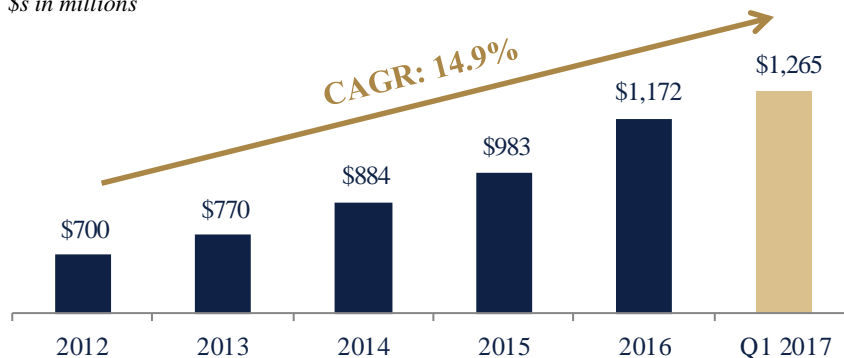
Total Gross Loans

\$s in millions



Total Deposits

\$s in millions



¹ PBNC total assets as of March 31, 2017.

² PBNC market capitalization as of April 26, 2017.

Attractive Deposit Market Share and Positioning

- PBNC possesses an established deposit platform in each of its primary markets
 - **#2 deposit market share** of community banks operating in Raleigh, NC MSA
 - **Scalable #5 deposit market share** of community banks operating in Charlotte, NC MSA

Raleigh, NC MSA

2016 Rank	2016 Comm. Bank Rank ¹	Institution (ST)	2016 Number of Branches	2016 Total Deposits in Market (\$ millions)	2016 Deposits per Branch (\$ millions)	2016 Total Market Share (%)
1	--	Wells Fargo & Co.	45	7,283	161.9	26.40
2	--	BB&T Corp.	38	3,901	102.7	14.14
3	--	Bank of America Corp.	22	3,202	145.5	11.60
4	--	First Citizens BancShares Inc.	33	3,140	95.2	11.38
5	--	PNC Financial Services Group	21	2,347	111.8	8.51
6	--	F.N.B. Corp.	12	1,516	126.3	5.49
7	1	Capital Bank Finl Corp	12	1,041	86.7	3.77
8	--	SunTrust Banks Inc.	27	1,038	38.4	3.76
9	2	TOWN / PBNC Pro Forma	2	781	390.5	2.83
10	3	North State Bancorp	6	625	104.2	2.27
Total For Institutions In Market			302	27,589	91.4	

- Supported by the Research Triangle Park, one of the most prominent high-tech research development centers in the U.S.
- Home to over 200 companies that employ over 50,000
- Supported by three major research universities: Duke, NC State and UNC
- #1 Projected population growth in southeast

Charlotte, NC MSA

2016 Rank	2016 Comm. Bank Rank ¹	Institution (ST)	2016 Number of Branches	2016 Total Deposits in Market (\$ millions)	2016 Deposits per Branch (\$ millions)	2016 Total Market Share (%)
1	--	Bank of America Corp.	60	149,574	2,493	74.47
2	--	Wells Fargo & Co.	91	30,560	336	15.22
3	--	BB&T Corp.	70	5,952	85	2.96
4	--	Fifth Third Bancorp	39	2,329	60	1.16
5	--	First Citizens BancShares Inc.	46	2,296	50	1.14
6	--	SunTrust Banks Inc.	33	1,471	45	0.73
7	1	Park Sterling Corporation	19	947	50	0.47
8	--	F.N.B. Corp.	16	838	52	0.42
9	2	Capital Bank Finl Corp	16	674	42	0.34
10	--	Pinnacle Financial Partners	8	632	79	0.31
11	--	PNC Financial Services Group	17	605	36	0.30
12	3	South State Corporation	8	568	71	0.28
13	4	F & M Financial Corp.	11	499	45	0.25
14	5	TOWN / PBNC Pro Forma	1	323	323	0.16
15	6	First FSB of Lincolnton	4	308	77	0.15
Total For Institutions In Market			536	200,848		

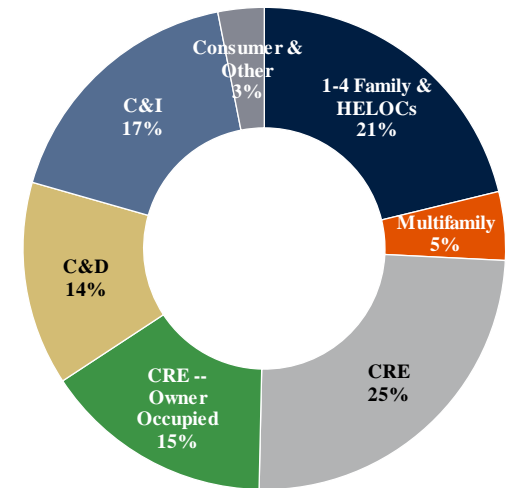
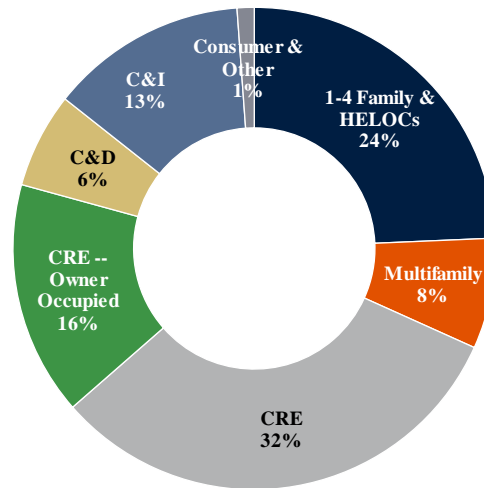
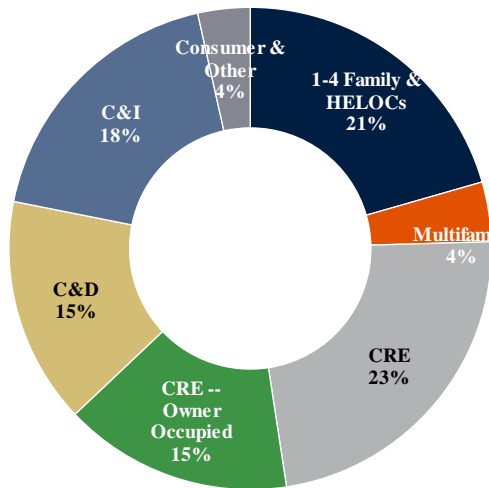
- Largest metropolitan area in the Carolinas and home to over 2.4 million people
- 7 Fortune 500 companies
- #1 Best city for high-pay and low expenses
- #2 Fastest growing big city in the United States

¹ Community bank is defined as less than \$15 billion in total consolidated assets and as adjusted for announced mergers. Source: SNL Financial. Deposit market share information as of 6/30/2016.

Pro Forma Loan Composition

(Dollar values in thousands)

TowneBank			Paragon Commercial Corporation			Pro Forma Company		
Loan Type	Balance	% Total	Loan Type	Balance	% Total	Loan Type	Balance	% Total
1-4 Family & HELOCs	\$1,215,278	20.6%	1-4 Family & HELOCs	\$299,301	24.3%	1-4 Family & HELOCs	\$1,514,579	21.2%
Multifamily	\$236,782	4.0%	Multifamily	\$91,368	7.4%	Multifamily	328,150	4.6%
CRE	\$1,362,184	23.0%	CRE	\$391,795	31.8%	CRE	1,753,979	24.6%
CRE -- Owner Occupied	\$907,049	15.3%	CRE -- Owner Occupied	\$193,291	15.7%	CRE -- Owner Occupied	1,100,340	15.4%
C&D	\$898,540	15.2%	C&D	\$78,552	6.4%	C&D	977,092	13.7%
C&I	\$1,086,273	18.4%	C&I	\$162,580	13.2%	C&I	1,248,853	17.5%
Consumer & Other	\$206,974	3.5%	Consumer & Other	\$14,066	1.1%	Consumer & Other	221,040	3.1%
Total	\$5,913,080	100.0%	Total	\$1,230,953	100.0%	Total	\$7,144,033	100.0%



Loan composition information as of March 31, 2017.

Transaction Assumptions and Pro Forma Financial Impact

Assumptions

- Gross credit mark of \$26.8 million or 2.2%
 - Comprehensive credit review performed by TOWN
 - Reviewed 375 loan files representing approximately 48% of total loan exposure
 - Reviewed 100% of classified grades
- Cost savings of ~19% of PBNC's non-interest expense base
- One-time merger related expenses of ~\$22 million (pre-tax)
- Includes estimated financial impact associated with crossing \$10 billion in total assets
- Redemption of PBNC outstanding TruPs post-closing
- No revenue synergies assumed
- Projected close Q4 2017

Pro Forma Financial Impact

- Low single-digit EPS accretion
- Nominal tangible book value dilution of less than 1.0%
- Estimated tangible book value earnback
 - ~2.25 years using cross-over method ¹
 - ~1.8 years using simple method ²

Pro Forma Capital Impact

- TOWN's capital ratios will continue to exceed well-capitalized regulatory standards
- Pro forma Tangible Common Equity / Tangible Assets ~9.7%
- Pro forma CRE levels largely unchanged

¹ Calculated as the time at which TOWN pro forma tangible book value per share equals TOWN's estimated stand-alone tangible book value.

² Simple TBV Earn-back Calculation is computed as the tangible book value dilution at closing divided by first full year of PF (2019) estimated EPS accretion

Crossing \$10 Billion in Total Assets

- This transaction accelerates TOWN's growth to over \$10 billion in total assets at the time of closing or Q4 2017

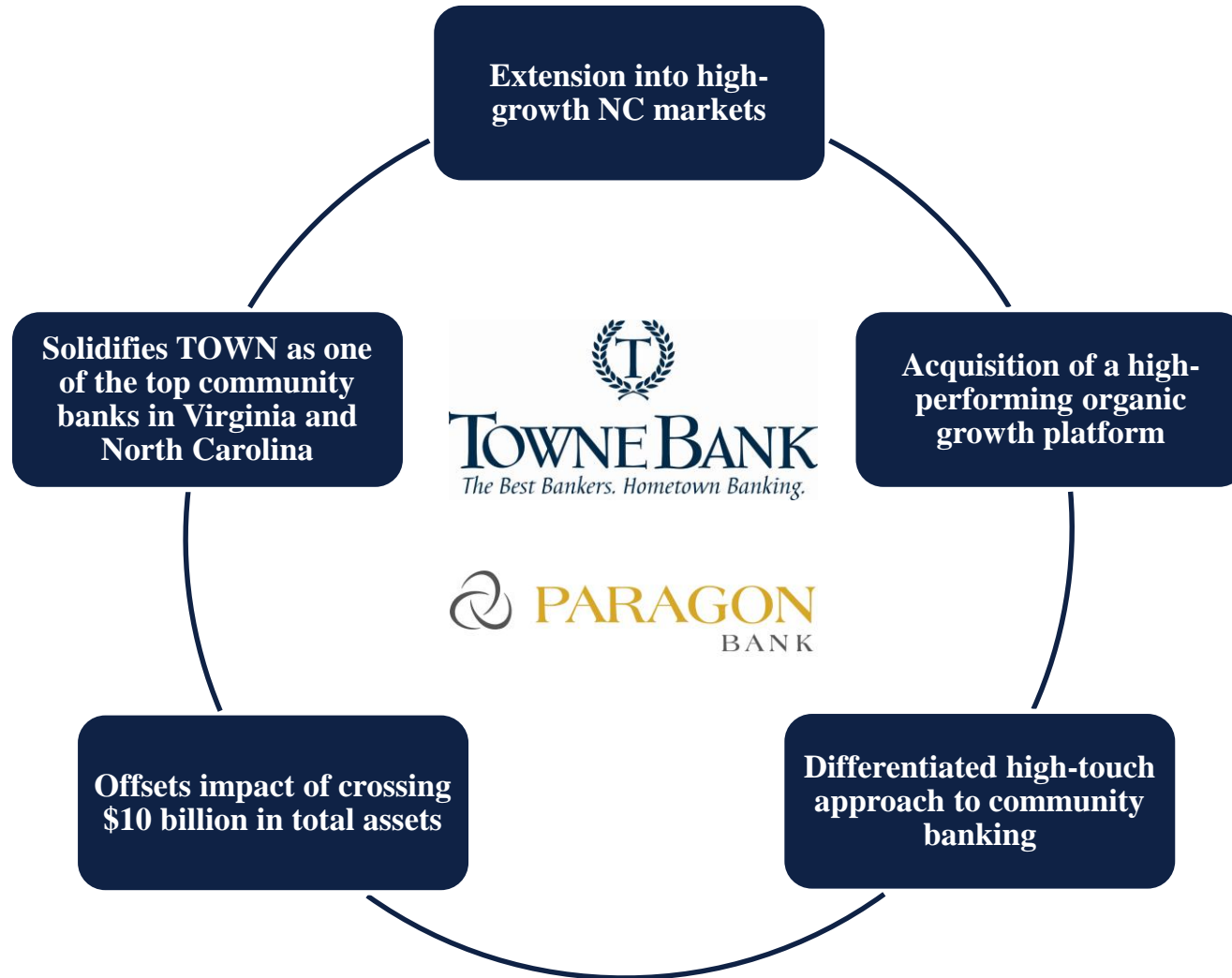
\$s in millions

TOWN Total Assets as of 3/31/17	PBNC Total Assets as of 3/31/17	TOWN PF Total Assets as of 3/31/17	TOWN PF Total Assets Estimated as of Closing or Q4 2017
\$8,175	\$1,550	\$9,725	\$10,505

- Estimated financial impact of crossing \$10 billion in total assets (included in pro forma financial impact):

<i>\$s in millions</i>	Estimated Financial Impact 2018E	Estimated Financial Impact 2019E & Thereafter
Pre-Tax	(\$3.0)	(\$4.0)
After-Tax	(\$2.0)	(\$2.6)
Per Share Impact	(\$0.03)	(\$0.04)

Transaction Summary



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