Madison County Financial, Inc.

Reports 2021 and 2020 Financial Results

MADISON, Nebraska, March 8, 2022. Madison County Financial, Inc. (OTC Pink: MCBK) ("Company"), the parent holding company of Madison County Bank ("Bank"), today announced its results of operations for the three months and years ended December 31, 2021 and 2020.

The Company's net income for the three months ended December 31, 2021 was \$1.2 million or \$0.45 per diluted share, compared to net income of \$1.6 million or \$0.60 per diluted share for the same period in 2020. The Company's net income for the year ended December 31, 2021 was \$7.4 million or \$2.80 per diluted share, compared to net income of \$6.7 million or \$2.55 per diluted share for the same period in 2020.

Total assets increased \$82.4 million to \$532.7 million at December 31, 2021, compared to \$450.3 million at December 31, 2020, resulting from increases in cash and cash equivalents, investment securities classified as available for sale, investment securities classified as held to maturity, and net loans, offset in part by a decrease in Federal Home Loan Bank stock. Federal Reserve Bank stock and Federal Home Loan Bank stock are required investments for institutions that are members of the Federal Reserve Bank and Federal Home Loan Bank systems. The required investment in the common stock is based on a predetermined formula, carried at cost and evaluated for impairment.

As of December 31, 2021, there were 2,678,898 issued and outstanding shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, and at March 7, 2022, there were 2,692,476 issued and outstanding shares of common stock. The Bank was considered well-capitalized under applicable federal regulatory capital guidelines at December 31, 2021.

This release may contain forward-looking statements within the meaning of the federal securities laws. These statements are not historical facts; rather, they are statements based on the Company's current expectations regarding its business strategies and their intended results and its future performance. Forward-looking statements are preceded by terms such as "expects", "believes", "anticipates", "intends" and similar expressions.

Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance. Numerous risks and uncertainties could cause or contribute to the Company's actual results, performance and achievements to be materially different from those expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements. Factors that may cause or contribute to these differences include, without limitation, general economic conditions, including changes in market interest rates and changes in monetary and fiscal policies of the federal government, legislative and regulatory changes.

Because of the risks and uncertainties inherent in forward-looking statements, readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on them, whether included in this report or made elsewhere from time to time by the Company or on its behalf. Except as may be required by applicable law or regulation, the Company assumes no obligation to update any forward-looking statements.

MADISON COUNTY FINANCIAL, INC. CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

(Dollars in Thousands, Except Per Share Data)

	Th	ree Months E	nded	December 31,		Years Ended December 31,			
		2021		2020		2021	2020		
				(Una	udited)			
Operating Data:									
Total interest income	\$	4,441	\$	4,443	\$	18,445 \$	17,967		
Total interest expense		825	_	675	_	3,018	3,089		
Net interest income		3,616		3,768		15,427	14,878		
Provision for loan losses				(245)		(700)	5		
Net interest income after provision for loan losses		3,616		4,013	_	16,127	14,873		
Total non-interest income		769		841		3,425	3,723		
Total non-interest expense	_	3,005	_	2,978	_	10,667	10,452		
Income before income taxes		1,380		1,876		8,885	8,144		
Income tax expense		189	_	303	_	1,473	1,408		
Net income	\$	1,191	\$	1,573	\$_	7,412 \$	6,736		
Per Share Information:									
Net income per share, basic	\$	0.47	\$	0.62	\$	2.94 \$	2.65		
Average common shares outstanding, basic		2,518,499		2,512,025		2,512,706	2,530,469		
Net income per share, diluted	\$	0.45	\$	0.60	\$	2.80 \$	2.55		
Average common shares outstanding, diluted		2,647,908		2,621,624		2,641,494	2,631,062		
Basic tangible book value per share	\$	31.88	\$	29.61	\$	31.88 \$	29.61		
Performance ratios (annualized for 3 month and 12 month periods):									
Return on average assets		0.90%		1.44%		1.51%	1.57%		
Return on average equity		5.45%		7.76%		8.78%	8.50%		
Efficiency ratio		68.53%		64.61%		56.58%	56.19%		
Interest rate spread		2.67%		3.42%		3.11%	3.43%		
Net interest margin		2.86%		3.63%		3.31%	3.67%		

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		2021		2020	
		(Unaudited)			
Financial Condition Data:					
Total assets	\$	532,716	\$	450,339	
Securities, including FHLB and FRB Stock		110,496		78,652	
Loans held for sale		-		299	
Loans receivable, net of allowance for losses of \$9,031					
and \$9,731, respectively		365,448		334,499	
Deposits		413,309		322,379	
Borrowings		20,700		34,900	
Total liabilities		445,486		368,812	
Stockholders' equity		87,230		81,527	
Balance Sheet Ratios:					
Securities, including FHLB and FRB Stock, as a percent of total assets		20.74%		17.47%	
Tangible common equity as a percent of tangible assets		16.09%		17.76%	
Asset Quality Data:					
Nonaccrual loans	\$	72	\$	120	
Accruing loans past due 90 days or more		4		-	
Asset Quality Ratios:					
Nonperforming assets as a percent of total assets		0.01%		0.03%	
Nonperforming loans as a percent of total assets		0.01%		0.03%	
Nonperforming loans as a percent of total loans		0.02%		0.03%	
Net chargeoffs as a percent of average loans		0.00%		0.00%	
Allowance for loan losses as a percent of total loans		2.41%		2.83%	
Allowance for loan losses as a percent of nonperforming loans		11882.89%		8109.17%	
Regulatory Capital ratios (Bank only):					
Total capital (to risk-weighted assets)		19.06%		19.80%	
Tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)		17.80%		18.53%	
Tier 1 capital (to average assets)		15.31%		17.67%	
Common Equity Tier 1 capital		17.80%		18.53%	

SOURCE: Madison County Financial, Inc.