

Bank on The Difference TM

CW Bancorp

Disclosure Statement Rule 15c2-11(5) and Rule 144(c)(2) Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

1. The exact name of the issuer and its predecessor (if any):

CW Bancorp CommerceWest Bank

2. The address of the issuer's principal executive offices:

2445 McCabe Way, Suite 300

Irvine, CA 92614

Telephone: 866-521-CWBK Website: www.cwbk.com

3. The state of incorporation:

California

4. The exact title and class of securities:

Common stock (CWBK)

5. The par or state value of the securities:

No par value.

6. The number of shares or total amount of the securities outstanding as of the end of the issuer's most recent fiscal year:

2,983,223 shares of outstanding common stock as of March 31, 2025.

7. The name and address of the firm that facilitates stock purchases and sales:

Michael Natzic Hilltop Securities Inc. 42605 Moonridge Rd. Big Bear Lake, CA 92315

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Philadelphia, PA 19103

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Portland, OR 97209

8. The name and address of the stock transfer agent:

Computershare Telephone: 800-962-4284

350 Indiana St., Suite 800 Email: syed.hussaini@computershare.com

Golden, CO 80401 Website: <u>www.computershare.com</u>

9. The nature of the issuer's business:

The issuer is a one-bank holding company for CommerceWest Bank, a California chartered commercial bank that was organized in 2000 and is based in Irvine, California.

10. The nature of the products or services offered:

CommerceWest Bank is a full service commercial bank that offers a wide range of loan products, depository products and treasury management services.

11. The nature and extent of the issuer's facilities:

Both the issuer and the Bank operate from a facility in Irvine, California.

12. The name of the Chief Executive Officer and members of the Board of Directors:

Mr. Ivo A. Tjan, Chairman & Chief Executive Officer

Mr. Christopher J. Deering, Director

Mr. David L. Gaba, Director

Mr. Gregory R. Games, Director

Ms. Linda lannone, Director

Ms. Rosanne Luth, Director

Mr. Kenneth A. Shelton, Director

13. The issuer's most recent balance sheet and profit and loss and retained earnings statements:

See financial statements as of March 31, 2025 at the end of this document.

14. Similar financial information for the preceding fiscal year:

The financial statements that are referenced in Item 13 also contain comparative information for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023.

15. Whether the broker or dealer of any associated person is affiliated, directly or indirectly with the issuer:

N/A

- 16. Whether the quotation is being published or submitted on behalf of any otherbroker or dealer, and, if so the name of such broker dealer: $_{\mbox{\scriptsize N/A}}$
- 17. Whether the quotation is being submitted or published directly or indirectly on behalf of the issuer, or any director, officer or any person, directly or indirectly the beneficial owner of more than 10 percent of the outstanding units or shares of anyequity security of the issuer, and, if so, the name of such a person, and the basis forany exemption under the federal securities laws for any sales of such securities on the behalf of such a person:

N/A

CW Bancorp and Subsidiary

Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition

as of March 31, 2025, December 31, 2024 and 2023

Consolidated Statements of Income

for the Three Months ended March 31, 2025 and 2024 for the Years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023

Consolidated Statements of Changes In Stockholders' Equity

for the Three Months ended March 31, 2025 for the Years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023



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CW BANCORP AND SUBSIDIARY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

CW BANCORP AND SUBSIDIARY		December 31,					
ASSETS	March 31, 2025	2024	2023				
	(unaudited)	(aud	lited)				
Cash and Due from Banks Interest-Bearing Deposits in Other Banks	\$ 159,221,000 250,000	\$ 502,121,000 752,000	\$ 385,967,000 752,000				
TOTAL CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	159,471,000	502,873,000	386,719,000				
Time Deposits in Other Banks	495,000	495,000	745,000				
Securities Available for Sale Securities Held to Maturity (net of allowance for credit losses) Loans:	135,157,000 26,556,000	136,912,000 28,581,000	110,809,000 50,610,000				
Real Estate	598,728,000	604,833,000	570,935,000				
Commercial and Industrial	134,849,000	118,223,000	85,834,000				
Consumer	60,772,000	62,129,000	59,072,000				
TOTAL LOANS	794,349,000	785,185,000	715,841,000				
Premium on Loans Purchased	5,512,000	5,589,000	6,116,000				
Net Deferred Loan (Fees) Costs	2,320,000	2,301,000	2,487,000				
Allowance for Credit Losses	(11,355,000)	(11,489,000)	(11,533,000)				
NET LOANS	790,826,000	781,586,000	712,911,000				
Premises and Equipment	752,000	808,000	1,038,000				
Restricted Stock, at Cost	6,840,000	6,840,000	6,840,000				
Bank Owned Life Insurance ("BOLI")	8,792,000	8,734,000	8,502,000				
Deferred Income Taxes	7,672,000	9,460,000	9,838,000				
Goodwill	3,061,000	3,061,000	3,061,000				
Right of Use ("ROU") Asset	2,572,000	2,734,000	3,368,000				
Accrued Interest and Other Assets	9,413,000	8,268,000	7,328,000				
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,151,607,000	\$ 1,490,352,000	\$ 1,301,769,000				
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY							
Deposits:							
Noninterest-Bearing Demand	\$ 587,167,000	\$ 613,877,000	\$ 548,149,000				
Money Market	113,995,000	115,738,000	88,643,000				
Savings and NOW	197,670,000	508,841,000	419,797,000				
Time TOTAL DEPOSITS	103,235,000	103,965,000	101,900,000				
Subordinated Debenture	50,000,000	50,000,000	50,000,000				
Operating Lease Liability Other Liabilities	2,861,000 9,280,000	3,038,000 10,307,000	3,721,000 10,698,000				
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,064,208,000	1,405,766,000	1,222,908,000				
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Commitments and Contingencies Stockholders' Equity:							
Preferred Stock - 100,000,000 Shares Authorized, No Par Value;							
No Shares Issued and Outstanding	-	-	-				
Common Stock - 100,000,000 Shares Authorized, No Par Value;							
Issued and Outstanding 2,983,223 at March 31, 2025,							
2,990,223 at December 31, 2024 and 3,096,360 at December 31, 2023	12,412,000	12,464,000	12,939,000				
Additional Paid-in Capital	2,304,000	2,219,000	2,117,000				
Retained Earnings	82,120,000	80,082,000	72,921,000				
Accumulated Other Comprehensive (Loss), Net of Taxes of (\$3,949,000) on March 31, 2025, (\$4,259,000) on December 31, 2024 and							
(\$3,815,000) on December 31, 2023	(9,437,000)	(10,179,000)	(9,116,000)				
TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	87,399,000	84,586,000	78,861,000				
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$ 1,151,607,000	\$ 1,490,352,000	\$ 1,301,769,000				

CW BANCORP AND SUBSIDIARY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (unaudited)

	Three Months Ended			
	March 31, 2025		M	arch 31, 2024
INTEREST INCOME		<u> </u>		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Interest and Fees on Loans	\$	10,981,000	\$	9,809,000
Interest on Taxable Investment Securities		1,117,000		892,000
Interest on Tax-Exempt Investment Securities		221,000		225,000
Other Interest Income		1,118,000		1,316,000
TOTAL INTEREST INCOME		13,437,000		12,242,000
INTEREST EXPENSE				
Interest on Deposits		2,924,000		2,645,000
Interest on Subordiated Debenture		469,000		469,000
TOTAL INTEREST EXPENSE		3,393,000		3,114,000
NET INTEREST INCOME		10,044,000		9,128,000
Provision for Credit Losses				
NET INTEREST INCOME AFTER				
PROVISION FOR CREDIT LOSSES		10,044,000		9,128,000
NONINTEREST INCOME				
Service Charges and Fees on Deposits		1,029,000		905,000
Earnings on BOLI		58,000		57,000
Servicing Fees		70,000		90,000
Other		88,000		156,000
		1,245,000		1,208,000
NONINTEREST EXPENSE				
Salaries and Employee Benefits		3,021,000		2,615,000
Furniture and Equipment Expense		108,000		109,000
Occupancy Expense of Premises		224,000		223,000
Data Processing		685,000		464,000
Professional and Legal		296,000		233,000
Marketing		77,000		62,000
FDIC Insurance		228,000		180,000
Other Client Expense		1,660,000		1,523,000
Other		876,000		768,000
		7,175,000		6,177,000
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES		4,114,000		4,159,000
Income Tax Expense		1,179,000		1,166,000
NET INCOME	\$	2,935,000	\$	2,993,000
Basic Earnings Per Common Share	\$	0.98	\$	0.97
Diluted Earnings Per Common Share	\$	0.97	\$	0.96

CW BANCORP AND SUBSIDIARY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

	Year Ended December 31,					
	2024 202 (audited)			2023		
INTEREST INCOME	Φ.	40.500.000		40.04=.000		
Interest and Fees on Loans	\$	40,690,000	\$	40,017,000		
Interest on Taxable Investment Securities		3,905,000		3,283,000		
Interest on Tax-Exempt Investment Securities		894,000		1,026,000		
Other Interest Income		8,701,000		7,859,000		
TOTAL INTEREST INCOME		54,190,000		52,185,000		
INTEREST EXPENSE						
Interest on Deposits		12,366,000	9,584,000			
Interest on Subordiated Debenture		1,875,000	1,875,000			
Interest on Borrowings			9,000			
TOTAL INTEREST EXPENSE		14,241,000		11,468,000		
NET INTEREST INCOME		39,949,000		40,717,000		
Provision for Credit Losses (Benefit from)		25,000	(1,326,000)		
NET INTEREST INCOME AFTER						
PROVISION FOR CREDIT LOSSES (BENEFIT FROM) NONINTEREST INCOME		39,924,000		42,043,000		
Service Charges and Fees on Deposits		4,932,000		5,088,000		
Earnings on BOLI		232,000		214,000		
Net Loss on Sale of Available for Sale Securities		-		(166,000)		
Servicing Fees		382,000		481,000		
Other	620,000			764,000		
		6,166,000		6,381,000		
NONINTEREST EXPENSE						
Salaries and Employee Benefits		10,757,000		10,465,000		
Furniture and Equipment Expense		441,000	498,000			
Occupancy Expense of Premises		901,000	854,000			
Data Processing		2,341,000	1,748,000			
Professional and Legal		999,000		1,015,000		
Marketing		320,000		337,000		
FDIC Insurance		764,000		643,000		
Other Client Expense		7,428,000		4,950,000		
Other		3,847,000	3,577,000			
		27,798,000		24,087,000		
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES		18,292,000		24,337,000		
Income Tax Expense		5,144,000		6,726,000		
NET INCOME	\$	13,148,000	\$	17,611,000		
Basic Earnings Per Common Share	\$	4.34	\$	5.46		
Diluted Earnings Per Common Share	\$	4.30	\$	5.39		

CW BANCORP AND SUBSIDIARY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

	Number of			Retained	Accumulated Other Comprehensive			
	Shares	Amount	Capital	Earnings	I	ncome (Loss)		Total
Balance at December 31, 2022 (audited)	3,314,358	\$ 13,986,000	\$ 2,305,000	\$ 65,128,000	\$	(11,799,000)	\$	69,620,000
Cumulative effect of change in accounting principle				(587,000)				(587,000)
Balance at January 1, 2023 (as adjusted for change in accounting principle)	3,314,358	13,986,000	2,305,000	64,541,000		(11,799,000)		69,033,000
Net Income				17,611,000				17,611,000
Stock-Based Compensation			225,000					225,000
Stock Repurchase	(293,898)	(2,601,000)		(6,286,000)				(8,887,000)
Stock Options Exercised	75,900	1,554,000	(413,000)					1,141,000
Dividends on Common Stock				(2,945,000)				(2,945,000)
Other Comprehensive Income						2,683,000		2,683,000
Balance at December 31, 2023 (audited)	3,096,360	\$ 12,939,000	\$ 2,117,000	\$ 72,921,000	\$	(9,116,000)	\$	78,861,000
Net Income				13,148,000				13,148,000
Stock-Based Compensation			274,000					274,000
Stock Repurchase	(141,313)	(1,283,000)		(3,203,000)				(4,486,000)
Stock Options Exercised	35,176	808,000	(172,000)					636,000
Dividends on Common Stock				(2,784,000)				(2,784,000)
Other Comprehensive Loss						(1,063,000)		(1,063,000)
Balance at December 31, 2024 (audited)	2,990,223	\$ 12,464,000	\$ 2,219,000	\$ 80,082,000	\$	(10,179,000)	\$	84,586,000
Net Income				2,935,000				2,935,000
Stock-Based Compensation			88,000					88,000
Stock Repurchase	(8,000)	(74,000)		(211,000)				(285,000)
Stock Options Exercised	1,000	22,000	(3,000)					19,000
Dividends on Common Stock				(686,000)				(686,000)
Other Comprehensive Loss						742,000		742,000
Balance at March 31, 2025 (unaudited)	2,983,223	\$ 12,412,000	\$ 2,304,000	\$ 82,120,000	\$	(9,437,000)	\$	87,399,000