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GOLDEN STATE BANCORP ANNOUNCES THIRD QUARTER 2020 FINANCIAL RESULTS

Glendale, CA, November 25, 2020 - Golden State Bancorp (OTCBB: GSBX), the holding company of Golden State Bank, today announced financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2020. Highlights include:

- Net loss of \$0.3 million for the third guarter of 2020
- Total assets increased by \$92.7 million, or 26.3%, from \$352.2 million at December 31, 2019 to \$444.9 million
- Loans, net of deferred fees increased \$38.0 million, or 15.0%, from \$253.9 million at December 31, 2019 to \$291.9 million
- Deposits increased by \$79.9 million, or 27.0%, from \$295.8 million at December 31, 2019 to \$375.6 million
- Cash and cash equivalents stood at \$144.4 million
- Credit quality remains strong

Robert Setrakian, Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of Golden State Bancorp stated, "We continue to be focused on revamping our foundation, especially in administrative areas such as operations, compliance, BSA/AML and IT infrastructure, to prepare for the next stage of growth. Even though Covid-19 and the interest rate environment continue to make things challenging, we are confident that we will see improvements in results in 2021. Our balance sheet remains very strong. Finally, the Bank disposed two of its three legacy OREOs recently."

Tom Vertin, President and Chief Executive Officer of Golden State Bank stated, "In addition to our foundation building, we are focused on building our earnings engine by lowering deposit cost, and prudently building our loan portfolio while maintaining our pricing discipline. We saw a 23-bp improvement in our deposit cost, quarter-over-quarter, as our deposit cost reduction efforts took effect."

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. 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 Bank'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, 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 Bank 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 Bank'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	September 30, 2020			December 31, 2019					
Cash & due from banks	\$	4,301,192	\$	3,585,233					
Interest-earning deposit in FRB/FFS		140,085,539		83,020,133					
Total Loans, net of deferred fees		291,884,436		253,925,334					
Allowance for loan losses		(3,899,813)		(3,377,813)					
NET LOANS		287,984,623		250,547,521					
Federal Home Loan Bank stock, at cost		1,137,600		951,700					
Premises and equipment		1,152,345		1,243,376					
Other real estate owned		1,796,857		4,497,357					
Operating lease ROU assets, net		1,518,942		1,807,102					
Deferred tax asset		4,856,465		4,857,878					
Other assets		2,041,975		1,652,875					
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	444,875,538	\$	352,163,175					
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY									
Noninterest bearing deposits	\$	58,848,480	\$	46,183,428					
Interest bearing deposits		316,795,694		249,570,473					
TOTAL DEPOSITS		375,644,174		295,753,901					
FHLB borrowings		30,000,000		16,500,000					
Other borrowings		5,000,000		5,000,000					
Operating lease liabilities		1,735,566		1,991,165					
Other liabilities		1,508,648		1,536,172					
TOTAL LIABILITIES		413,888,388		320,781,238					
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		30,987,150		31,381,938					
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Asset Quality Ratios								
Nonperforming loans to tota loans, net of deferred fees	0.48%	0.23%						
Allowance for loan losses to total loans, net of deferred fees	1.34%	1.33%						
Capital Ratios (1)								
Tier 1 leverage ratio	7.42%	9.32%						
Common equity tier 1 capital ratio	10.16%	10.97%						
Tier 1 risk based capital ratio	10.16%	10.97%						
Total risk based capital ratio	11.41%	12.22%						
Common shares outstanding	1,836,538	1,836,538						
Book value per share	\$16.87	\$17.09						
Fully diluted book value per share (2)	\$15.90	\$16.08						

⁽¹⁾ All ratios calculated are 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 the in-the-money employee stock options are exercised.

GOLDEN STATE BANCORP Condensed Consolidated Statement of Income (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended			Ni	Nine Months Ended September 30,				
	Se	ptember 30,	September 30,						
		2020		2019		2020		2019	
Interest income	\$	4,290,778	\$	4,649,561	\$	12,674,013	\$	13,445,911	
Interest expense		1,448,071		1,577,772		4,386,143		4,320,631	
Net interest income		2,842,708		3,071,789		8,287,870		9,125,280	
Provision for loan losses		267,000		178,500		522,000		453,500	
Net interest income after									
provision for loan losses		2,575,708		2,893,289		7,765,870		8,671,780	
Non-interest income		(50,871)		55,245		37,273		266,929	
Non-interest expense		2,953,443		2,326,919		8,448,678		6,681,270	
Income (loss) before taxes		(428,607)		621,615		(645,535)		2,257,439	
Income tax (loss)		(118,970)		188,843		(162,950)		682,948	
Net Income (Loss)	\$	(309,637)	\$	432,772	\$	(482,585)	\$	1,574,491	