

SECOND BANCORP INC

Form 10-Q

November 14, 2003

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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**Form 10-Q**

☒ **QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 FOR THE QUARTERLY PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2003**

☐ **TRANSITION  
REPORT  
PURSUANT  
TO SECTION  
13 OR 15(d)  
OF THE  
SECURITIES  
EXCHANGE  
ACT OF 1934  
FOR THE  
TRANSITION  
PERIOD  
FROM  
\_\_\_\_\_ TO  
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**Commission File Number: 0-15624**

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**Second Bancorp Incorporated**  
*(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)*

<b>Ohio</b>	<b>34-1547453</b>
<i>(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)</i>	<i>(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)</i>

**108 Main Avenue SW, Warren, Ohio 44481**  
*(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)*

**330.841.0123**  
*(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)*

**Not applicable**  
*(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)*

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes ☒ No ☐

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an accelerated filer (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes ☐ No ☒

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date: As of October 31, 2003, the registrant had 9,471,371 outstanding shares of common stock.



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## Item 1. Financial Statements (unaudited)

**Second Bancorp Incorporated and Subsidiaries**

## Consolidated Balance Sheets

	September 30	December 31	September 30
(Dollars in thousands)	2003	2002	2002
<b><u>ASSETS</u></b>			
Cash and due from banks	\$ 57,305	\$ 60,822	\$ 40,815
Federal funds sold and temporary investments			
13,128 61,449 15,033			
Securities available-for-sale (at market value)			
602,893 523,669 535,174			
Loans			
1,301,618 1,167,791 1,153,581			
Less allowance for loan losses			
18,372 17,595 17,443			
Net loans			
1,283,246 1,150,196 1,136,138			
Premises and equipment			
17,944 16,632 16,333			
Accrued interest receivable			
8,710 8,762 9,582			
Goodwill and intangible assets			
20,117 20,422 20,224			
Servicing assets			
19,827 12,403 10,961			
Other assets			
51,580 40,420 40,975			
Total assets			
\$2,074,750 \$1,894,775 \$1,825,235			

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LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS  
EQUITY

Deposits:

Demand	non-interest bearing			
\$165,242	\$179,714	\$153,341		
Demand	interest bearing			
164,186	103,583	98,359		
Savings				
350,231	405,437	410,322		
Time deposits				
485,622	506,378	519,259		

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Total deposits  
1,165,281 1,195,112 1,181,281  
Federal funds purchased and securities sold  
under agreements to repurchase  
238,047 138,796 166,532  
Note Payable  
7,750 7,000 3,000  
Other borrowed funds  
1,579 3,863 3,788  
Federal Home Loan Bank advances  
478,198 365,844 285,887  
Accrued expenses and other liabilities  
17,562 17,331 14,583  
Corporation-obligated mandatorily redeemable  
capital securities of subsidiary trust  
30,534 30,495 30,482

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Total liabilities  
1,938,951 1,758,441 1,685,553  
Shareholders' equity:

Common stock, no par value; 30,000,000 shares  
authorized; 11,108,823, 11,041,263 and  
11,024,693 shares issued, respectively



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42,815 41,763 40,994  
 Treasury stock; 1,638,032, 1,279,009 and  
 1,147,849 shares, respectively  
 (36,173) (27,180) (23,631)  
 Accumulated other comprehensive income  
 457 6,656 8,894  
 Retained earnings  
 128,700 115,095 113,425

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Total shareholders' equity  
 135,799 136,334 139,682

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Total liabilities and shareholders' equity  
 \$2,074,750 \$1,894,775 \$1,825,235

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See notes to consolidated financial statements.

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Consolidated Statements of Income**

	<b>For the Three Months Ended September 30</b>		<b>For the Nine Months Ended September 30</b>	
<b>(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)</b>	<b>2003</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>2003</b>	<b>2002</b>
<b><u>INTEREST INCOME</u></b>				
Loans (including fees):				
Taxable				
\$18,950 \$19,598 \$56,369 \$60,034				
Exempt from federal income taxes				
212 227 629 703				
Securities:				
Taxable				
5,348 5,963 17,100 17,082				
Exempt from federal income taxes				
689 722 2,131 2,211				
Federal funds sold and other				
30 324 289 931				
Total interest income				
25,229 26,834 76,518 80,961				
<b><u>INTEREST EXPENSE</u></b>				
Deposits				
5,118 7,526 16,460 22,629				
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase				
613 597 1,790 1,799				
Note Payable				
50 10 167 10				
Other borrowed funds				
2 10 8 28				
Federal Home Loan Bank advances				
4,895 4,003 14,203 11,781				
Corporation-obligated mandatorily redeemable capital securities of subsidiary trust				
734 734 2,200 2,200				

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Total interest expense

11,412 12,880 34,828 38,447

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Net interest income

13,817 13,954 41,690 42,514

Provision for loan losses

1,096 1,573 6,124 3,809

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Net interest income after provision for loan losses

12,721 12,381 35,566 38,705

NON-INTEREST INCOME

Gain on sale of loans

3,920 2,421 14,572 5,674

Service charges on deposit accounts

1,549 1,505 4,631 4,236

Trust fees

631 596 1,803 2,078

Trading account losses

0 0 0 (20)

Security gains

3,566 832 3,617 659

Gain on sale of banking centers

0 0 5,619 0

Other operating income

(2,609) 1,807 1,777 3,551

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Total non-interest income

7,057 7,161 32,019 16,178

NON-INTEREST EXPENSE

Salaries and employee benefits

6,701 6,494 21,947 19,128

Net occupancy

1,180 1,119 3,504 3,381

Equipment

1,045 931 3,143 3,156

Professional services

707 563 2,612 1,491

Assessment on deposits and other taxes

501 384 1,281 1,043

Amortization of intangible assets

113 110 343 331

Merger costs

0 124 0 124

Other operating expenses

2,829 2,116 7,935 6,267

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Total non-interest expense

13,076 11,841 40,765 34,921

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Income before federal income taxes

6,702 7,701 26,820 19,962

Income tax expense

1,795 2,165 7,814 5,390

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Net income

\$4,907 \$5,536 \$19,006 \$14,572

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### NET INCOME PER COMMON SHARE:

Basic

\$0.52 \$0.56 \$1.99 \$1.47

Diluted

\$0.51 \$0.55 \$1.97 \$1.45

Weighted average common shares outstanding:

Basic

9,475,345 9,876,844 9,526,545 9,929,276

Diluted

9,610,770 9,993,241 9,632,083 10,051,077

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

**Table of Contents****Second Bancorp Incorporated and Subsidiaries****Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive (Loss) Income**

(Dollars in thousands)	For the Three Months Ended September 30		For the Nine Months Ended September 30	
	2003	2002	2003	2002
Net income	\$4,907	\$5,536	\$19,006	\$14,572
Other comprehensive income, net of tax:				
Change in other comprehensive income deferred compensation plan				
0 (41) 0 (41)				
Change in other comprehensive income Derivatives				
320 0 320 0				
Change in unrealized market value adjustment on securities available-for-sale				
(7,505) 1,670 (6,519) 5,501				
Total other comprehensive (loss) income				
(7,185) 1,629 (6,199) 5,460				
Comprehensive (loss) income				
\$(2,278) \$7,165 \$12,807 \$20,032				

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

**Table of Contents****Second Bancorp Incorporated and Subsidiaries  
Consolidated Statements of Shareholders' Equity**

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)	Common Stock	Treasury Stock	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income	Retained Earnings	Total
Balance, January 1, 2002	\$37,453	\$(16,798)	\$ 3,434	\$ 104,210	\$ 128,299
Net income					
14,572 14,572					
Change in other comprehensive income - deferred compensation plan, net of tax of \$(22)					
(41) (41)					
Change in unrealized gain on securities of \$9,122, net of reclassification adjustment for gains included in net income of \$659 and net of tax of \$2,962					
5,501 5,501					
Cash dividends declared: common (\$.54 per share)					
(5,357) (5,357)					
Purchase of treasury shares					
(6,833) (6,833)					
Common stock issued - dividend reinvestment plan					
3,541 3,541					
Balance, September 30, 2002					
\$40,994 \$(23,631) \$8,894 \$113,425 \$139,682					
Balance, January 1, 2003					
\$41,763 \$(27,180) \$6,656 \$115,095 \$136,334					
Net income					
19,006 19,006					



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Change in other comprehensive income derivatives, net of tax  
of \$172

320 320

Change in unrealized gain on securities of \$(6,409), net of  
reclassification adjustment for gains included in net income of  
\$3,617 and net of tax of \$(3,507)

(6,519) (6,519)

Cash dividends declared: common (\$.57 per share)

(5,401) (5,401)

Purchase of treasury shares

(8,993) (8,993)

Common stock issued dividend reinvestment plan

1,052 1,052

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Balance, September 30, 2003

\$42,815 \$(36,173) \$457 \$128,700 \$135,799

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See notes to consolidated financial statements.

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Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows**

(Dollars in thousands)	For the Nine Months Ended	
	September 30	September 30
	2003	2002
<b><u>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</u></b>		
Net income	\$ 19,006	\$ 14,572
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Provision for loan losses		
6,124 3,809		
Depreciation		
2,366 2,602		
Amortization of intangibles		
343 331		
Amortization of servicing rights		
6,476 2,212		
Amortization (accretion) of investment discount and premium		
1,802 (253)		
Amortization of underwriting costs corporation-obligated mandatorily redeemable capital securities of subsidiary trust		
39 40		
(Decrease) increase in allowance for servicing rights		
(1,020) 2,277		
Deferred income taxes (benefit)		
(672) 1,561		
Securities gains		
(3,617) (659)		
Gain on the sale of banking centers		
(5,619) 0		
Other gains, net		
(14,570) (4,391)		
Decrease in interest receivable		
52 690		
Decrease in interest payable		
(2) (395)		
Originations of loans held-for-sale		
(956,811) (505,050)		
Proceeds from sale of loans held-for-sale		
971,383 509,439		
Net change in other assets and other liabilities		
(6,432) (1,789)		

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Net cash provided by operating activities

18,848 24,996

### INVESTING ACTIVITIES

Proceeds from maturities of securities

available-for-sale

318,102 138,279

Proceeds from sales of securities

available-for-sale

64,986 174,052

Purchases of securities available-for-sale

(470,519) (420,670)

Net increase in loans

(152,028) (41,590)

Net increase in premises and equipment

(3,706) (2,517)

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Net cash used by investing activities

(243,165) (152,446)

### FINANCING ACTIVITIES

Net increase in demand deposits, interest  
bearing demand and savings deposits

82,374 135,220

Net deposits (sold) acquired

(85,868) 0

Net decrease in time deposits

(20,756) (77,070)

Net increase in federal funds purchased  
and securities sold under agreements to  
repurchase

99,251 59,253

Increase in note payable

750 3,000

Net decrease in borrowings

(2,284) (2,065)

Net increase in advances from Federal  
Home Loan Bank

112,354 10,735

Cash dividends

(5,401) (5,357)

Purchase of treasury stock

(8,993) (6,833)

Net issuance of common stock

1,052 1,562

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Net cash provided by financing activities

172,479 118,445

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Decrease in cash and cash equivalents  
(51,838) (9,005)

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Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of  
year  
122,271 64,853

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Cash and cash equivalents at end of period  
\$70,433 \$55,848

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Supplementary Cash Flow Information:

Cash paid for 1) Federal income taxes \$7,814 and \$5,390 for the nine months ended September 30, 2003 and 2002, respectively and 2) Interest \$34,826 and \$35,859 for the nine months ended September 30, 2003 and 2002, respectively.

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Second Bancorp Incorporated and Subsidiaries

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)

**NOTE 1 BASIS OF PRESENTATION**

The accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States for interim financial information and with the instructions to Form 10-Q and Article 10 of Regulation S-X. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information and footnotes required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States for complete financial statements. In the opinion of management, all adjustments (consisting of normal recurring accruals) considered necessary for a fair presentation have been included. Operating results for the three- and nine-month periods ended September 30, 2003 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the year ended December 31, 2003. Certain reclassifications have been made to amounts previously reported in order to conform to current period presentations. For further information, refer to the consolidated financial statements and footnotes thereto included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2002.

**NOTE 2 STOCK OPTIONS**

On December 31, 2002, SFAS No. 148, Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation-Transition and Disclosure-an Amendment of FASB Statement 123, was issued. SFAS No. 148 amends SFAS No. 123, Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation, to provide alternative methods of transition to adopting SFAS No. 123's fair value method of accounting for stock-based employee compensation. SFAS No. 148 also amends the disclosure provisions of SFAS No. 123 and APB Opinion No. 28 Interim Financial Reporting, to require disclosure in the summary of significant accounting policies of the effects of an entity's accounting policy with respect to stock-based employee compensation on reported net income and earnings per share in annual and interim financial statements. SFAS No. 148 is effective for fiscal years ending after December 15, 2002. Interim pro forma disclosures are required for interim periods beginning after December 15, 2002.

The Corporation is evaluating whether to transition to SFAS No. 123 fair value method of accounting for stock based compensation. The disclosure requirements of SFAS No. 148 are reflected below.

At September 30, 2003, the Corporation had two stock-based compensations plans. The Corporation accounts for those plans under recognition and measurement principles of Accounting Principles Board (APB) Opinion No. 25, Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees and related Interpretations. Under APB No. 25, because the exercise price of the Corporation's employee stock options equals the market price of the underlying stock on the date of the grant, no compensation expense is recognized.

Pro-forma information regarding net income and earnings per share is required by SFAS No. 123, Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation and has been determined as if the Corporation had accounted for its employee stock options under the fair value method of that Statement. Under the fair-value based method, compensation cost is measured at the grant date based upon the value of the award and recognized over the service period. For purposes of the pro-forma disclosures, the estimated fair value of the option is amortized to expense over the options' vesting period. The Corporation's pro-forma information follows:

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	Nine Months Ended September 30	
	2003	2002
Net income, as reported	\$ 19,006	\$ 14,572
Deduct: Total stock-based compensation expense determined under fair-value based method for all awards, net of related tax effects (432) (454)		
Pro-forma net income	\$18,574	\$14,118
Earnings per share:		
Basic-as reported	\$1.99	\$1.47
Basic-pro-forma	\$1.95	\$1.42
Diluted-as reported	\$1.97	\$1.45
Diluted-pro-forma	\$1.93	\$1.40

## NOTE 3 COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Accumulated other comprehensive income, net of related tax, at September 30, 2003, December 31, 2002 and September 30, 2002 totaled \$457, \$6,656 and \$8,894, respectively and was comprised of accumulated changes in unrealized market value adjustments on securities available-for-sale, net of tax, minimum pension liability, net of tax, deferred supplemental income, net of tax and derivatives, net of tax. Disclosure of reclassification amounts, net of tax for the nine-month periods ended September 30, 2003 and 2002 are as follows:

	2003	2002
Unrealized holding (losses) gains arising during the period	\$ (6,409)	\$ 9,122
Less: reclassification of gains included in net income (3,617) (659)		

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Net unrealized (losses) gains on available-for-sale securities  
 (10,026) 8,463  
 Income tax benefit (effect)  
 3,507 (2,962)

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Net unrealized (losses) gains on available-for-sale securities, net of tax  
 \$(6,519) \$5,501

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#### NOTE 4 RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

##### Guarantor's Accounting and Disclosure Requirements for Guarantees, Including Indirect Guarantees of Indebtedness of Others

On November 25, 2002, the FASB issued Interpretation No. 45, "Guarantor's Accounting and Disclosure Requirements for Guarantees, Including Indirect Guarantees of Indebtedness of Others" (FIN No. 45) which expands on the accounting guidance of Statements No. 5, 57 and 107 and incorporates without change the provisions of FASB Interpretation No. 34, which is being superseded.

FIN No. 45, which is applicable to public and non-public entities, has significantly changed current practice in the accounting for, and disclosure of, guarantees. Each guarantee meeting the characteristics described in FIN No. 45 is to be recognized and initially measured at fair value, which will be a change from current practice for most entities. In addition, guarantors will be required to make significant new disclosures, even if the likelihood of the guarantor making payments under the guarantee is remote, which represents another change from current general practice.

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FIN No. 45's disclosure requirements are effective for financial statements of interim or annual periods ending after December 15, 2002, while the initial recognition and initial measurement provisions are applicable on a prospective basis to guarantees issued or modified after December 31, 2002.

The Corporation has adopted FIN No. 45 effective January 1, 2003. FIN No. 45 recognition and measurement provisions have not had a material impact on the Corporation's results of operations, financial position or liquidity.

**Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities**

In January 2003, the FASB issued Interpretation No. 46 (FIN 46), Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities (VIEs), an interpretation of Accounting Research Bulletin No. 51, Consolidated Financial Statements, to improve financial reporting of special purpose and other entities. In accordance with FIN 46, business enterprises that represent the primary beneficiary of another entity by retaining a controlling financial interest in that entity's assets, liabilities and results of operating activities must consolidate the entity in its financial statements. Prior to the issuance of FIN 46, consolidation generally occurred when an enterprise controlled another entity through voting interests. Certain VIEs that are qualifying special purpose entities subject to the reporting requirements of FASB 140, Accounting for Transfers and Servicing of Financial Assets and Extinguishment of Liabilities will not be required to be consolidated under the provisions of FIN 46. The consolidation provisions of FIN 46 apply to VIEs entered into after January 31, 2003. For preexisting VIEs, the FASB deferred the consolidation provisions on October 8, 2003, to periods ending after December 15, 2003.

With respect to other interests, in entities subject to FIN 46, including low income housing investments, the adopting of FIN 46 will not have a material impact on the consolidated financial statements. The Company has determined that the provisions of FIN 46 may require de-consolidation of the subsidiary grantor trusts, which issue mandatorily redeemable preferred securities of the grantor trusts. At adoption of FIN 46, the grantor trusts may be de-consolidated and the junior subordinated debentures of the Company owned by the grantor trusts would be disclosed. The Trust Preferred Securities currently qualify as tier I capital of the Company for regulatory capital purposes. The banking regulatory agencies have not issued any guidance which would change the capital treatment for Trust Preferred Securities based on the impact of the adoption of FIN 46.

The Company makes investments directly in low income housing projects through the Retail Banking line of business. As a limited partner in these unconsolidated projects, the Company is allocated tax credits and deductions associated with the underlying properties. The Company has determined these projects to be VIEs in which it has an interest, but for which it is not the primary beneficiary. At September 30, 2003, estimated assets of the projects totaled approximately \$315,000. The Company's maximum exposure to loss from its involvement with these projects is the unamortized investment balance of \$684 at September 30, 2003. During the quarter ended September 30, 2003, the Company obtained no significant interests in low income housing projects created after January 31, 2003.



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**Accounting for Certain Financial Instruments with Characteristics of both Liabilities and Equity**

In May 2003, the FASB issued SFAS No. 150, Accounting for Certain Financial Instruments with Characteristics of both Liabilities and Equity, which establishes standards for how an issuer is to classify and measure certain financial instruments with characteristics of both liabilities and equity. It requires that an issuer classify certain financial instruments that would previously have been classified as equity as liabilities (or as assets in some circumstances). Specifically, SFAS No. 150 requires that financial instruments issued in the form of shares that are mandatorily redeemable; financial instruments that embody an obligation to repurchase the issuer's equity shares or are indexed to such an obligation; or financial instruments that embody an unconditional obligation or a conditional obligation that can be settled in certain ways be classified as liabilities. This accounting guidance is effective for financial instruments entered into or modified after May 31, 2003, and otherwise is effective at the beginning of the first interim period beginning after June 15, 2003. The adoption of SFAS No. 150 did not have a material impact on the Corporation's financial condition or results of operations.

**Amendment of Statement 133 on Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities**

In April 2003, the FASB issued SFAS No. 149, Amendment of Statement 133 on Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities, which amends and clarifies financial accounting and reporting for derivative instruments, including certain derivative instruments embedded in other contracts, and hedging activities addressed under SFAS No. 133, Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities. This accounting guidance amends SFAS No. 133 for decisions made by the FASB as part of the Derivatives Implementation Group process and also amends SFAS No. 133 to clarify the definition of a derivative. SFAS No. 149 is effective generally for contracts entered into or modified after June 30, 2003, and for hedging relationships designated after June 30, 2003. The adoption of SFAS No. 149 did not have a material impact on the Corporation's financial condition or results of operations.

**NOTE 5 SECURITIES**

Debt and equity securities are classified as available-for-sale and are carried at their estimated fair value. Adjustments to fair value of the securities available-for-sale, in the form of unrealized holding gains and losses, are excluded from earnings and reported net of tax as a separate component of shareholders' equity. Available-for-sale securities offer Management flexibility to sell securities to fund liquidity and manage the Corporation's interest rate risk.

The amortized cost of the debt securities is adjusted for amortization of premiums and accretion of discounts to maturity, probable call date, or, in the case of mortgage-backed securities, over the estimated life of the security. Such amortization is included in interest income from securities. Interest and dividends are included in interest income from securities. Realized gains and losses, and declines in value judged to be other than temporary are included in net securities gains (losses). The cost of securities sold is based on the specific identification method.

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The following is a summary of securities as of September 30, 2003 and 2002:

				September 30, 2003			
				Amortized Cost	Gross Unrealized Gains	Gross Unrealized Losses	Estimated Market Value
Available for Sale:							
U.S. Treasury securities and obligations of other							
U.S. government agencies and corporations							
	\$7,030	\$51	\$0	\$7,081			
Obligations of states and political subdivisions							
	56,151	2,999	(44)	59,106			
Corporate securities							
	40,680	811	(1,239)	40,252			
Mortgage-backed securities							
	465,753	3,475	(4,184)	465,044			
Total debt securities							
	569,614	7,336	(5,467)	571,483			
Equity securities							
	31,269	173	(32)	31,410			
Total available-for-sale securities							
	\$600,883	\$7,509	\$(5,499)	\$602,893			

					September 30, 2002			
					Amortized Cost	Gross Unrealized Gains	Gross Unrealized Losses	Estimated Market Value
Available for Sale:								
U.S. Treasury securities and obligations of other U.S. government agencies and corporations					\$33,549	\$1,347	\$(36)	\$34,860
Obligations of states and political subdivisions					61,693	4,005	(19)	65,679
Corporate securities					71,899	3,418	(2,659)	72,658
Mortgage-backed securities					257,731	7,676	0	265,407
Total debt securities					424,872	16,446	(2,714)	438,604
Equity securities					20,479	176	(85)	20,570
Money market preferred					76,000	0	0	76,000
Total available-for-sale securities					\$521,351	\$16,622	\$(2,799)	\$535,174

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Accumulated unrealized gain in other comprehensive income, net of tax is \$1,319 and \$9,006 for the nine months ended September 30, 2003 and 2002, respectively.

There were no holdings of trading securities at September 30, 2003 and 2002. The amortized cost and estimated market value of securities at September 30, 2003 by contractual maturity are shown below. Expected maturities may differ from contractual maturities because borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without prepayment penalties.

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	Amortized Cost	Estimated Market Value
Under 1 year	\$ 11,814	\$ 12,010
1 to 5 years		
11,638		12,400
5 to 10 years		
31,317		33,221
Over 10 years		
49,092		48,808

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103,861	106,439
Mortgage-backed securities	
465,753	465,044
Equity securities	
31,269	31,410

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Total available-for-sale securities	
\$600,883	\$602,893

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Information relating to sales of available-for-sale securities for the nine months ended September 30 is as follows:

	2003	2002
Proceeds from sales of available-for-sale securities	\$ 64,986	\$ 174,052
Gross realized gains	\$ 3,867	\$ 2,087
Gross realized losses		
(250) (1,428)		

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Net gains on sales  
\$3,617 \$659

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At September 30, 2003 and 2002, securities with a carrying value of \$478,309 and \$278,596, respectively, were pledged to secure repurchase agreements, deposits of public funds and for other purposes.

## NOTE 6 LOANS

Loans consist of the following as of September 30, 2003 and 2002:

	2003	2002
Commercial	\$598,762	\$520,175
Consumer		
372,826	325,088	
Real estate		
330,030	308,318	

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Total loans  
\$1,301,618 \$1,153,581

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**NOTE 7 GOODWILL AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS**

In June 2001, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued Statements of Financial Accounting Standards No. 141, Business Combinations, and No. 142, Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets, effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2001. Under the new rules, goodwill and indefinite lived intangible assets will no longer be amortized but will be subject to annual impairment tests in accordance with the statements. Other intangible assets, such as core deposit intangibles, will continue to be amortized over their useful lives. The Company had approximately \$14.6 million of goodwill on its balance sheet at December 31, 2001. In preparing for its adoption of SFAS No. 142, the Company determined its reporting units and the amounts of goodwill and intangible assets to be allocated to those reporting units. The initial impairment testing has been completed and the Company has determined that there was no impairment as of January 1, 2002. Additionally, annually the Company performs an impairment analysis. There was no impairment of goodwill or intangible assets in 2002. The Company performed the annual testing for impairment as of July 1, 2003 and concluded that no impairment had occurred. The Company is not anticipating any impairment, any reclassifications between goodwill and intangible assets or any changes in the useful lives of intangible assets. No amortization expense was recorded on the goodwill during the first nine months of 2003 or for 2002.

**NOTE 8 SERVICING ASSETS**

Servicing assets consisted of the following as of September 30, 2003 and 2002:

	<b>2003</b>	<b>2002</b>
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Mortgage servicing assets	\$ 19,378	\$ 10,516
Other servicing assets		
449 445		
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Total		
\$19,827 \$10,961		
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At September 30, 2003 and 2002, the Corporation serviced mortgage loans for others totaling \$1,691,282 and \$1,121,309, respectively. Following is an analysis of the activity for capitalized servicing assets during the nine months ended September 30:

	<b>2003</b>	<b>2002</b>
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Balance at January 1	\$ 12,403	\$ 8,722
Additions		
12,880 6,878		
Amortizations		
(6,476) (2,362)		
Change in valuation allowance		
1,020 (2,277)		

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Balance at September 30  
\$19,827 \$10,961

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The amortization of mortgage servicing rights and the change in valuation allowance are offset by entries to other operating income in the Statement of Income.



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The fair value of mortgage servicing assets is estimated by calculating the present value of estimated future cash flows, taking into consideration several different variables including discount rate, investor type, product type, interest rate, escrow balances, delinquencies, servicing fees and costs and prepayment speeds. The expected and actual rate of mortgage loan prepayments is the most significant factor affecting the value of mortgage servicing assets. The risk characteristics used to stratify the recognized servicing assets include method of origination and interest rate. The fair value of the servicing assets was \$20,673 and \$10,961 as of September 30, 2003 and 2002, respectively. Following is an analysis of the aggregate changes in the valuation allowances for mortgage servicing assets for the nine months ended September 30:

	<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>
Balance at January 1	\$ 3,794	\$ 810
Additions		
0 2,277		
Reductions		
(1,020) 0		
Balance at September 30		
\$2,774 \$3,087		

The Company utilized interest rate derivatives to mitigate the risk of changes in the valuation of mortgage servicing assets. The fair value of the derivatives was \$7,305 and \$942 as of September 30, 2003 and 2002, respectively. Changes in market value of derivatives included in other operating income was \$(1,919) and \$992 for the nine months ended September 30, 2003 and 2002, respectively.

**NOTE 9 ASSET QUALITY****Allowance for Loan Losses**

The allowance for loan losses is that amount believed adequate to absorb credit losses in the loan portfolio based on management's evaluation of various factors including overall growth in the loan portfolio, an analysis of individual loans, prior and current loss experience, and current economic conditions. A provision for loan losses is charged to operations based on management's periodic evaluation of these and other pertinent factors.

Changes in the allowance for loan losses for the nine months ended September 30 were as follows:

	<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>
Balance at January 1	\$ 17,595	\$ 16,695
Charge-offs		
(5,852) (4,026)		
Recoveries		
505 965		

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Net charge-offs  
(5,347) (3,061)  
Provision for loan losses  
6,124 3,809

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Balance at September 30  
\$18,372 \$17,443

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Allowance for loan losses as a  
percent of total loans  
1.41% 1.51%

Non-accrual, past-due and restructured loans (non-performing loans) as of September 30, 2003 and 2002:

	2003	2002
Non-accrual loans	\$ 12,735	\$ 12,756
Past-due loans		
8,625 6,995		
Restructured loans		
461 259		

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Total  
\$21,821 \$20,010

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Percent of total loans at quarter end  
1.68% 1.73%  
Other real estate owned (net of reserve)  
\$753 \$1,593



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**NOTE 10 LINE OF BUSINESS REPORTING**

Management began using line of business reporting on January 1, 2002. The Corporation operates three major lines of business: Retail, Commercial and Mortgage.

Retail includes deposit gathering, direct and indirect consumer lending along with a minor amount of small business banking services. Commercial includes credit and related financial services to small- to large- sized corporations and businesses. Mortgage includes mortgage banking activities, including the ownership, origination, sale and servicing of mortgages.

The business units are identified by the product or services offered and the channel through which the product or service is delivered. The accounting policies of the individual business units are the same as those for the Corporation.

The reported results reflect the underlying economics of the businesses. Expenses for centrally provided services are allocated based upon estimated usage of those services. The business units' assets and liabilities are matched-funded and interest rate risk is centrally managed. Transactions between business units are primarily conducted at fair value, resulting in gains or losses that are eliminated for reporting consolidated results of operations.

Parent and other are primarily comprised of the results of the investment funding activities, inter-segment revenue (expense) eliminations and unallocated corporate income and expense. Selected financial information by line of business is included in the table below:

**Nine Months Ended September 30, 2003**

	<b>Mortgage</b>	<b>Commercial</b>	<b>Retail</b>	<b>Parent And Other</b>	<b>Consolidated</b>
Interest income	\$ 13,877	\$ 22,488	\$ 19,288	\$ 19,659	\$ 75,312
Interest expense					
(14,390) (20,438) (34,828)					
Transfer pricing					
(8,478) (9,657) 19,164 (1,029)					
Loan fees					
352 676 207 (29) 1,206					
Net interest margin					
5,751 13,507 24,269 (1,837) 41,690					
Provision for loan losses					
(110) (4,009) (2,005) (6,124)					
Non-interest income					
11,485 1,529 12,483 6,522 32,019					
Non-interest expense-direct					
(4,209) (4,585) (13,060) (18,911) (40,765)					


Direct contribution  
12,917 6,442 21,687 (14,226) 26,820  
Allocations  
(2,204) (561) (9,519) 12,284


Income before taxes  
10,713 5,881 12,168 (1,942) 26,820  
Income taxes  
(7,814) (7,814)


Net income  
\$10,713 \$5,881 \$12,168 \$(9,756) \$19,006


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Average assets

\$318,802 \$517,149 \$398,391 \$693,917 \$1,928,259

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**Nine Months Ended September 30, 2002**

	<b>Mortgage</b>		<b>Commercial</b>	<b>Retail</b>	<b>Parent And Other</b>	<b>Consolidated</b>
Interest income	\$ 14,733		\$ 24,003	\$ 20,434	\$ 20,310	\$ 79,480
Interest expense						
(23,158) (15,289) (38,447)						
Transfer pricing						
(10,603) (14,362) 24,559 406						
Loan fees						
77 1,075 329 1,481						
Net interest margin						
4,207 10,716 22,164 5,427 42,514						
Provision for loan losses						
(263) (1,133) (2,413) (3,809)						
Non-interest income						
3,277 1,143 5,920 5,838 16,178						
Non-interest expense-direct						
(2,432) (2,987) (10,892) (18,610) (34,921)						
Direct contribution						
4,789 7,739 14,779 (7,345) 19,962						
Allocations						
(1,969) (546) (12,011) 14,526						


Income before taxes  
2,820 7,193 2,768 7,181 19,962  
Income taxes  
(5,390) (5,390)


Net income  
\$2,820 \$7,193 \$2,768 \$1,791 \$14,572


Average assets  
\$294,617 \$463,497 \$366,659 \$605,269 \$1,730,042






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Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

General

Second Bancorp Incorporated (the "Company") is a financial holding company headquartered in Warren, Ohio. The primary subsidiary, The Second National Bank of Warren, (the "Bank") was originally established in 1880. Operating through 33 retail banking centers and five loan production offices, we offer a wide range of commercial and consumer banking and trust services primarily to business and individual customers in various communities in a nine county area in northeastern and east-central Ohio. Among other things, our banking business includes a large and growing mortgage banking function. The Company also maintains two other subsidiaries, Stouffer-Herzog Insurance Agency, Inc. ("Stouffer-Herzog") and Second Bancorp Capital Trust I. Stouffer-Herzog was acquired in the third quarter of 2002 and operates primarily in northeast Ohio selling a wide-range of personal and commercial property & casualty and life & health products. Second Bancorp Capital Trust I was established in 2001 to facilitate raising Tier I eligible capital in the form of corporation-obligated mandatorily redeemable capital securities of subsidiary trust for the primary purpose of funding our acquisition of Commerce Exchange Bank. Additional non-operating subsidiaries include Second National Capital Corporation and Second National Financial Company, LLC, which were formed in 2002 to facilitate a capital conversion plan for the subsidiary Bank.

Forward-looking Statements

The sections that follow contain certain forward-looking statements (as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995). These forward-looking statements may involve significant risks and uncertainties. Although the Company believes that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, actual results may differ materially from the expectations discussed in these forward-looking statements.

Financial Condition

At September 30, 2003, the Company had consolidated total assets of \$2.07 billion, deposits of \$1.17 billion and shareholders' equity of \$136 million. Since September 30, 2002, total assets have increased by \$250 million or 13.7%, primarily through new loan generation and security acquisition and funded by FHLB advances as well as federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase. Deposit generation efforts have been effective over that timeframe, however the sale of two banking centers in Jefferson County, Ohio reduced deposits by \$88 million in the first quarter of 2003. The sale of the banking centers is a part of a larger banking center reconfiguration program which included the closing and / or consolidation of six banking centers into two new locations, the relocation and expansion of two other banking centers and the de novo opening of an additional banking center. The timing of these events started in 2002 and will progress through 2003 and into 2004.

Gross loans have increased by \$148 million since September 30, 2002, over one-half (\$79 million) of which was in commercial loans. Real estate loans increased \$22 million since September 30, 2002 due to the sharp increase in loan originations, which is partially offset by prepayments and secondary market sales activities during the past year. The increased activity levels were brought about by lower long-term interest rates. An increase in longer-term interest rates over the most recent quarter has significantly reduced the volume of new originations as well as prepayments of mortgage loan balances. A steady increase in direct consumer lending volume and increased indirect boat and recreational vehicle lending has offset the decline in indirect automobile loan volumes. Indirect loans have been de-emphasized due to the lower profit margins associated with the credits. Consumer loan balances have increased by \$48 million over the past year. The loan mix has changed only modestly over the past year, moving from a 45%, 28% and 27% mix of commercial, consumer and residential real estate loans, respectively, as of September 30, 2002 to a 46%, 29% and 25% mix at the end of the most recent quarter.

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Deposits decreased by \$16 million since September 30, 2002, however absent the previously mentioned banking center sale, deposits would have increased by \$72 million, or 6.1%. A shift in the composition of the deposit balances is occurring as the Company focuses on core deposit generation and funding cost reductions. Time deposit balances have declined from 44% of deposits as of September 30, 2002 to 42% of deposits at the end of the most recent quarter. Within the core funding categories, non-interest bearing demand balances increased from 13% to 14% of deposits during that time frame. Interest-bearing demand accounts increased from 8% to 14% of deposits and savings accounts decreased from 35% to 30% of deposits over the same time frame. Interest-bearing demand deposits have increased primarily as the result of the introduction of the Satisfaction NOW Account which is a NOW account with attractive temporary premium pricing. Over the most recent quarter, these core deposits decreased by \$28 million, while time deposits increased by \$20 million to offset the decline in core deposits. The shift in deposit generation and retention signals the potential start of a new wave of deposit disintermediation from financial institutions as alternative investment vehicles, including mutual funds, become more attractive to consumers.

Since June 30, 2003, total assets have increased by \$149 million, or an annualized pace of 31%. Approximately \$47 million of the increase was in securities as the Company utilized additional leveraging strategies to improve net interest income and offset the impact of a declining net interest margin.

Commercial loan balances increased by \$27 million, or an annualized pace of 19%, during the most recent quarter. Commercial loan generations totaled \$73 million in the third quarter of 2002 compared to \$86 million for the third quarter of 2003. On a year-to-date basis, commercial loan generations totaled \$232 million in 2003 versus \$166 million in 2002. Commercial lending activities have increased primarily due to increased lending in the higher growth markets in the western-most counties, primarily generated by commercial lenders and private bankers.

Strong secondary mortgage activities have kept real estate balances at 25% of total loans, despite the record level of loan originations. Mortgage originations totaled \$207 million in the third quarter of 2002 compared to \$373 million for the third quarter of 2003. Similarly, sales of mortgage loans totaled \$169 million in the third quarter of 2002 compared to \$283 million for the third quarter of 2003. On a year-to-date basis, mortgage loan originations totaled \$1.065 billion thus far in 2003 versus \$557 million in 2002. The increase in longer-term interest rates during the third quarter has significantly reduced the volume of loan originations, resulting in a much lower forecast for origination levels as well as non-interest income for at least the fourth quarter of 2003.

In prior quarters, the internal shift away from indirect automobile lending has kept internal consumer loan growth below normal and historically sustainable levels. However, direct consumer loan originations for the most recent quarter were quite strong and totaled \$74 million in the third quarter of 2003 compared to \$34 million for the third quarter of 2002. An increase in second mortgage lending helped to boost production levels as first mortgage loans fell out of favor with consumers. On a year-to-date basis, direct consumer loans totaled \$174 million in 2003 versus \$110 million in 2002. Indirect consumer loan originations, which now include loans for boats and recreational vehicles, totaled \$19 million in the third quarter of 2003 compared to \$15 million for the third quarter of 2002. On a year-to-date basis, indirect consumer loans totaled \$47 million in 2003 versus \$42 million in 2002.

**Asset Quality.** The level of non-performing loans remained at elevated levels at the end of third quarter of 2003. Non-performing loans were \$21,821 as of September 30, 2003 compared to \$19,809 as of June 30, 2003 and \$20,010 as of September 30, 2002. The increase in the most recent quarter is primarily attributable to an increase in residential real estate loans past due over 90 days. The past due balances still include two related credits totaling \$7.3 million with lease receivables as collateral. The company that originated the leases has declared bankruptcy and has allegedly perpetrated fraud in the creation of some of the leases. The leases were supported by surety bonds from two well-capitalized insurance companies.

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The Company is currently litigating the matter. Due in part to the first security interest in the \$11 million in collateral (lease obligations) that supports loans and the contention that the insurance companies are still obligated to uphold their surety, the Company continues to maintain the loans as non-performing loans with a specific reserve assigned to the credits. Management believes there will be little or no losses in excess of the specific reserves assigned to these two credits.

Non-accrual loans have increased to \$12,735 from \$12,238 as of June 30, 2002. The increase is attributable to additional small balance commercial loans that are over 90 days past due. Loans past due over 90 days and still accruing totaled \$8,625 as of September 30, 2003, up 23% from a year ago. The increase is reflective of the general economic slowdown in both the national and local economies. The allowance allocated to impaired loans as of September 30, 2003 and 2002 was \$4,232 and \$4,194, respectively.

The allowance for loan losses represented 1.41% of loans as of September 30, 2003. The determination of the allowance for loan losses is based on management's evaluation of the probable losses in the loan portfolio at September 30, 2003 considering, among other relevant factors, repayment status, borrowers' ability to repay, collateral and current economic conditions. The allowance was 1.51% and 1.51% of total loans at December 31, 2002 and September 30, 2002, respectively. Part of the decline in the level of the allowance for loan losses as a percentage of loans is attributable to the sale of the Company's credit card portfolio at the end of the second quarter of 2003. The sale of these higher risk credits allowed the reserve to be reduced as a percentage of total loans.

Capital Resources. Shareholders' equity has decreased by \$535 since December 31, 2002. The increase in retained earnings of \$13.6 million has been offset by the continuation of the Company's stock repurchase program. The Company repurchased 50,000 shares during the third quarter of 2003 at an average price of \$27.18. Since September 30, 2002, shareholders' equity has decreased by nearly \$4 million due to the build up in retained earnings of \$15 million and an increase in common stock of \$2 million (due primarily to the acquisition of Stouffer-Herzog). Offsetting these increases were the addition of \$12.5 million in treasury stock and an \$8.4 million decline in other comprehensive income. The decline in other comprehensive income was primarily a result of lower market values on securities due to increased longer-term interest rates. For the first nine months of 2003, over 357,000 shares were repurchased at an average price of \$25.04. The annual 2% repurchase authorization was renewed in October of this year and will remain in effect until amended or withdrawn by subsequent board action. Repurchases under this authorization are expected to be completed through open market and / or private transactions at prevailing market prices and are discretionary, based upon management's periodic assessment of market conditions and financial benefit to the Company.

Liquidity. Management of the Company's liquidity position is necessary to ensure that funds are available to meet the cash flow needs of depositors and borrowers as well as the operating cash needs of the Company. Funds are available from a number of sources including maturing securities, payments made on loans, the acquisition of new deposits, the sale of packaged loans, borrowing from the FHLB and overnight lines of credit of \$73 million through correspondent banks. The parent company has three major sources of funding including dividends from the Bank, \$20 million in unsecured lines of credit with correspondent banks, which are renewable annually, and access to the capital markets. There were \$7.8 million in outstanding balances against the unsecured lines of credit as of September 30, 2003.

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Asset generation capabilities for the Company are quite strong at present with excellent loan generation totals and outstanding balance increases during the quarter. The efforts illustrate the successful business model employed by the Company to hire and train very productive sales personnel and to be very close to the client. With the high level of asset generation and the most recent trends of lower core deposits, the Company foresees liquidity risk building in the coming quarters. Deposit generation will be essential to maintain the recent pace of loan generation as wholesale borrowing levels represent 35% of total assets and, in the opinion of Management, should not be allowed to increase to any higher level as a percentage of assets. A limited amount of security sales or maturities can be utilized to fund loan growth unless pledging requirements ease.

### **Results of Operations Quarterly Comparison**

The Company reported net income of \$4,907 for the third quarter of 2003. Net income for the third quarter represented fifty-one cents (\$.51) per share on a diluted basis. Net income for the third quarter of 2002 was \$5,536, or \$.55 per diluted share. Return on average assets (ROA) and return on average total shareholders' equity (ROE) were 0.98% and 14.56%, respectively, for the third quarter of 2003 compared to 1.25% and 16.22% for last year's third quarter.

Net interest income decreased from \$13,954 for the third quarter of 2002 to \$13,817 for this year's third quarter. The decline was due to continued compression of the net interest margin brought on the third consecutive year of low interest rates, partially offset by an increase in earning assets. The net interest margin was 3.49% in the third quarter of 2002, 3.38 % in the fourth quarter of 2002 and 3.06% for the most recent quarter. The Company is in a relatively balanced interest sensitivity position after being asset sensitive at the end of the second quarter. Slower repayments of assets and the utilization of interest rate swaps brought the interest sensitivity position to a more balanced level. Average earning assets increased by 12.9% from last year to average \$1,871,145 in the most recent quarter. The efficiency ratio was higher, increasing from 56.94% for the third quarter of 2002 to 73.49% for this year's third quarter. Increased gains on the sale of loans generally offset increases in expenses, primarily driven by increased salary and benefit costs, however underperformance on derivative activities generated the ratio increase. As the gains on sale of mortgages are anticipated to be lower in the fourth quarter of 2003, the Company has begun efforts to reduce associated expenses.

**Commercial Lending.** Commercial lending activities focus primarily on providing local independent commercial and professional firms with commercial business loans and loans secured by owner-occupied real estate. We primarily make secured and unsecured commercial loans for general business purposes, including working capital, accounts receivable financing, machinery and equipment acquisition, and commercial real estate financing. These loans have both fixed and floating interest rates and typically have maturities of three to seven years. To a lesser extent, we also make construction loans and finance commercial equipment leases. Commercial loans comprised approximately 46% of our total loan portfolio at September 30, 2003, up from 45% at the end of the third quarter in 2002. Loan volume generated for the third quarter of 2003 totaled \$86 million versus \$73 million for the same period in 2002. Loan balances have increased by \$79 million, or 15% since September 30, 2002 due to the increase in new loan generation. The increase in loan generation can be attributed to increase lending activity in the newer western-most regions of the Company's market. The portfolio mix continues to shift towards more rate-sensitive and higher margin, variable rate commercial loans.

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**Retail Lending.** The Company offers a full range of retail loans to individuals, including the owners and principals of our commercial customers and a wide range of retail customers in our market area. We offer consumer loans for a variety of personal financial needs, including home equity, new and used automobiles, boat and recreational vehicle loans, credit cards and overdraft protection for checking account customers. At September 30, 2003, approximately 29% of loans were consumer loans. Of these balances, 15.7% was related to indirect automobile lending compared to 29.7% as of September 30, 2002. Another 18.3% of the consumer balances are now in indirect boat and recreational vehicle lending compared to 9.7% a year ago. Our indirect loans are originated through dealers in the local area. Indirect originations, which now include higher quality boat and recreational vehicle loans, have increased slightly to \$19 million during the third quarter of 2003 versus \$15 million for the same quarter in 2002. The newer indirect boat and recreational vehicle loans are experiencing a high degree of credit quality as compared to indirect auto loans. The indirect boat and recreational vehicle charge-offs and delinquencies have been extremely low since inception of the program. Direct consumer lending has increased from \$34 million for the third quarter of 2002 to \$74 million for this year's third quarter.

**Mortgage Banking.** Our mortgage department underwrites and originates a wide range of retail mortgage loan products and sells a significant volume of them primarily on a servicing retained basis. Generally, the loans sold into the secondary mortgage market make funds available for reuse in mortgage or other lending activities. The sales generate a net gain (including deferred origination fee income and deferred costs), limit the interest rate risk caused by holding long-term, fixed-rate loans, and build a portfolio of serviced loans which generate a recurring stream of fee income. We originated \$373 million in residential real estate loans and sold approximately \$283 million of loans during the third quarter of 2003, generating a net gain of \$3.7 million. Comparatively, we originated \$207 million and sold \$169 million during the third quarter of 2002, generating net gains on sale of \$2.3 million. We service \$1.7 billion in mortgage loans for others at September 30, 2003 versus \$1.1 billion as of September 30, 2002. Due to the sharp increase in mortgage interest rates in the third quarter of 2003, the valuation allowance on mortgage servicing rights (MSRs) associated with these serviced loans decreased to a total of \$2,774 as of September 30, 2003, compared to an allowance of \$3,087 as of September 30, 2002. Included in other income during the third quarters of 2003 and 2002 were valuation allowance recoveries and impairment charges of \$3,530 and \$(802), respectively. Typically the impact of the changes in the valuation allowance are offset by the gains realized on new residential real estate production and sale. The Company began implementing derivative activities in the second quarter of 2002 designed to offset the income statement impact of changes in the valuation allowance for the mortgage servicing rights. Included in other income in the third quarter of 2003 was a loss from the changes in market values of the derivatives of \$6,759 compared to a \$1,087 gain for the third quarter of 2002. The underperformance of the derivative instruments versus the recovery of the mortgage servicing rights was due to the sharpness of the rate increase over a very short time period. The Company analyzes the value of the MSRs at the end of each month and a risk profile is modeled to gauge the expected impact on the value of the MSRs versus rate changes up and down. Derivative instruments are constructed or adjusted to create an offset to the MSR risk profile. As rates rose the anticipated upward movement in the MSRs did not match the expected movement and underperformed expectations. The value was thought to be approaching the lower of cost or market cap for valuation of the MSRs at the end of July and derivative positions were adjusted accordingly. As the values for the end of July were finalized additional derivative positions were established to re-balance the MSR risk position and in the interim underperformance financial results were realized. The MSR portfolio continues to be valued relatively near its lower of cost or market cap making the constructive use of effective derivative positions difficult. As a result, there is an increased likelihood of additional losses from net MSR and derivative value movement in the fourth quarter.

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**Trust.** The trust department is a traditional provider of fiduciary services with a focus on administration of estates, trusts and qualified employee benefit plans. The department discontinued the use of internally managed common trust funds, except for a tax-free municipal fund, during the fourth quarter of 2002. The change did not have a material impact on fee income. Fee income is up 5.9% from the third quarter of 2002 due a rebound in asset values along with increased sales activity. Our trust department had approximately \$490 million in assets under management at September 30, 2003 as compared to \$528 million at September 30, 2002.

**Insurance.** The acquisition of Stouffer-Herzog on September 4, 2002 had a relatively minor impact on earnings for the subsequent quarters. The agency has provided insurance services to Ohio residents since 1956. Stouffer-Herzog has a diverse income base by line of business. Commissions historically are derived from personal lines (42%), commercial lines (35%) and life and health lines (23%).

**Provision for Loan Losses.** The allowance for loan losses is that amount believed adequate to absorb probable credit losses in the loan portfolio based on management's evaluation of various factors including overall growth in the loan portfolio, an analysis of individual loans, prior and current loss experience, and current economic conditions. A provision for loan losses is charged to operations based on management's periodic evaluation of these and other pertinent factors. The provision for loan losses was \$1,096 for the third quarter of 2003 versus \$1,573 during the same period in 2002. Total net charge-offs were \$753 for the third quarter of 2003 versus \$940 for the third quarter of 2002. While the annualized net charge-offs to average loans outstanding ratio was .24% for the most recent quarter, the Company expects loan losses to be between .30% to .50% of average gross loans on an annualized basis for the fourth quarter and 2004, primarily due to continued soft economic conditions and their impact on our commercial borrowers.

**Non-interest Income.** Non-interest income (excluding security gains and losses) totaled \$3,491 for the third quarter of 2003 versus \$6,329 for the same period last year. The decline is primarily the result of the underperformance of the derivatives versus MSR value changes during the quarter described earlier. There was improvement in the gain on sale of loans, which increased to \$3,920 in the third quarter of 2003 from \$2,421 in the same period of 2002 due to the increase in mortgage lending activities. Deposit service income is up 2.9% from the same period a year ago.

**Non-interest Expense.** Expenses for the third quarter of 2003 were \$13,076 up 11.6% from the same period last year due to increased sales staff in the western regions, increased mortgage staff to accommodate increased origination and sales volumes and increased professional services (primarily legal fees associated with problem credits and recruiter fees for new sales staff).

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### Results of Operations

#### Year-to date Comparison

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)

The Company reported net income of \$19,006 for the first nine months of 2003 versus \$14,572 in 2002. Net income for the first three quarters of 2003 represented \$1.97 per share on a diluted basis. Return on average assets (ROA) and return on average total shareholders' equity (ROE) were 1.31% and 18.57%, respectively, for the first nine months of 2003 compared to 1.12% and 14.59% for the same period last year. Part of the increase in earnings was attributable to the aforementioned sale of two banking centers. The sale generated \$5.6 million in pre-tax and \$3.65 million in after-tax profits. Absent this non-recurring event, diluted earnings per share would have been \$1.59, ROA would have been 1.06% and ROE would have been 15.00%.

Net interest income decreased from \$42,514 for the first nine months of 2002 to \$41,690 for the same period in 2003. The decline was due to continued compression of the net interest margin brought on by the third consecutive year of low interest rates. The net interest margin was 3.19% in the first three quarters of 2003 and 3.63% for the same period in 2002. Average earning assets increased by 11.4% from last year to average \$1,804,326 in the first half of 2003. The efficiency ratio was improved, decreasing from 58.57% for the first three quarters of 2002 to 56.95% for this year's first nine months. The year-to-date numbers include the \$5.6 gain on sale of the banking centers previously cited. Absent that gain the efficiency ratio would have been 61.80% for the first nine months of 2003. Increased gains on the sale of loans generally offset increases in expenses, primarily driven by increased salary and benefit costs, however, underperformance on derivative activities generated the ratio increase.

**Commercial Lending.** Loan volume generated for the first nine months of 2003 totaled \$232 million versus \$166 million for the same period in 2002. The increase in loan generation can be attributed to increase lending activity in the newer western-most regions of the Company's market. The portfolio mix continues to shift towards more rate-sensitive and higher margin, variable rate commercial loans.

**Retail Lending.** Indirect loan originations, which now include higher quality boat and recreational vehicle loans, have increased slightly from \$42 million during the first nine months of 2002 to \$47 million for the same period this year. Direct consumer lending has increased from \$110 million for the first nine months of 2002 to \$174 million for this year's first three quarters.

**Mortgage Banking.** We originated \$1,065 million in residential real estate loans and sold approximately \$938 million of loans during the first three quarters of 2003, generating a net gain of \$14,083. Comparatively, we originated \$557 million and sold \$169 million during the first nine months of 2002, generating net gains on sale of \$5,139. Included in other income during the first nine months of 2003 and 2002 were valuation allowance recovery and impairment charges of \$1,019 and \$(2,277), respectively. Typically the impact of the changes in the valuation allowance are offset by the gains realized on new residential real estate production and sale. The Company began implementing derivative activities in the second quarter of 2002 designed to offset the income statement impact of changes in the valuation allowance for the mortgage servicing rights. Included in other income in the first half of 2003 was a loss from the changes in market values of the derivatives of \$1,919 compared to a \$992 gain for the first three quarters of 2002.



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Trust. Fee income is down 13.2% from the first nine months of 2002 due the negative impact of current market conditions on asset values during the first half of 2003. Fee income totaled \$1,803 for the first nine months of 2003. Personal trust accounts, employee benefit accounts and investment management agency accounts (including safekeeping) produced approximately 62%, 22% and 16% of the total revenues of the department, respectively.

Insurance. The acquisition of Stouffer-Herzog on September 4, 2002 had a relatively minor impact on earnings for the subsequent quarters.

Provision for Loan Losses. The provision for loan losses was \$6,124 for the first nine months of 2003 versus \$3,809 during the same period in 2002 due to an increase in estimated loss rates associated with higher charge-offs on commercial loans. Total net charge-offs were \$5,347 for the first three quarters of 2003 versus \$3,061 for the same period of 2002. While the annualized net charge-offs to average loans outstanding ratio was .59% for the first nine months of 2002, the Company expects loan losses to be between .30% to .50% of average gross loans on an annualized basis for the remainder of the year and for 2004, primarily due to continued soft economic conditions and their impact on our commercial borrowers.

Non-interest Income. Non-interest income (excluding security gains and losses) totaled \$28,402 for the first nine months of 2003 versus \$15,539 for the same period last year. The improvement is primarily the result of improvement in the gain on sale of loans, which increased 157% to \$14,572 in the first nine months of 2003 due to the increase in mortgage lending activities. The improvement in non-interest income can also be attributed to the increase in deposit service charges of 9.3%, resulting from an increase in core transaction accounts. Additionally, included in other operating income during the first nine months of 2003 and 2002 were valuation allowance recovery and impairment charges of \$1,019 and \$(2,277), respectively, and changes in market values of derivatives of (\$1,919) and \$992, respectively.

Non-interest Expense. Expenses for the first nine months of 2003 were \$40,765 up 17.2% from the same period last year due to increased sales staff in the western regions, increased mortgage staff to accommodate increased origination and sales volumes and increased professional services (primarily legal fees associated with problem credits and recruiter fees for new sales staff).

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### Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures about Market Risk

#### Forward-looking statements

The section that follows contains certain forward-looking statements (as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995). These forward-looking statements may involve significant risks and uncertainties. Although the Company believes that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, actual results may differ materially from the expectations discussed in these forward-looking statements.

#### Market Risk Management

Market risk is the risk of economic loss from adverse changes in the fair value of financial instruments due to changes in (a) interest rates, (b) foreign exchange rates, or (c) other factors that relate to market volatility of the rate, index, or price underlying the financial instrument. The Company's market risk is composed primarily of interest rate risk. The Company's Asset/Liability Committee (ALCO) is responsible for reviewing the interest rate sensitivity position of the Company and establishing policies to monitor and limit the exposure to interest rate risk. Since nearly the Company's entire interest rate risk exposure relates to the financial instrument activity of the Bank, the Bank's Board of Directors reviews the policies and guidelines established by ALCO.

The primary objective of asset/liability management is to provide an optimum and stable net interest margin, after-tax return on assets and return on equity capital, as well as adequate liquidity and capital. Interest rate risk is monitored through the use of two complementary measures: dynamic gap analysis and earnings simulation models. While each of the measurement techniques has limitations, taken together they represent a reasonably comprehensive tool for measuring the magnitude of interest rate risk inherent in the Company.

The earnings simulation model forecasts earnings for a one-year horizon frame under a variety of interest rate scenarios; including interest rate shocks, stepped rates and yield curve shifts. Management evaluates the impact of the various rate simulations against earnings in a stable interest rate environment. The most recent model projects net interest income would decrease by 2.4% if interest rates would immediately rise by 200 basis points. It projects a decrease in net interest income of 5.0% if interest rates would immediately fall by 100 basis points. Management believes this reflects an acceptable level of risk from interest rate movements based on the current level of interest rates. The earnings simulation model includes assumptions about how the various components of the balance sheet and rate structure are likely to react through time in different interest rate environments. These assumptions are derived from historical analysis and management's outlook. Management expects interest rates to have a neutral bias for the remainder of 2003 and into 2004. Additionally, Management measures the expected impact on the economic value of equity (EVE) given various levels of interest rate shocks. While the net interest income volatility measurement cited above gives Management a near-term view of interest rate risk, the EVE analysis gives Management a longer-term view as EVE serves to measure the net duration of assets and liabilities. The most recent model projects EVE would decrease by 5.6% if interest rates would immediately rise by 200 basis points. It projects a decrease in EVE of 9.8% if interest rates would immediately fall by 100 basis points. Management believes this reflects an acceptable level of risk from interest rate movements based on the current level of interest rates.

Interest rate sensitivity is managed through the use of security portfolio management techniques, the use of fixed rate long-term borrowings from the FHLB, the establishment of rate and term structures for time deposits and loans and the sale of long-term fixed rate mortgages through the secondary mortgage market. The Company also may use interest rate swaps, caps, floors or other derivative products to manage interest rate risk.

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Item 4. Controls and Procedures

The Management of Second Bancorp Incorporated is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective disclosure controls and procedures, as defined under Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. As of September 30, 2003, an evaluation was performed under the supervision and with the participation of management, including the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, of the effectiveness of the design and operation of Second Bancorp's disclosure controls and procedures. Based on that evaluation, management concluded that Second Bancorp's disclosure controls and procedures as of September 30, 2003 were effective in ensuring that information required to be disclosed in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q was recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time period required by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission's rules and forms. Additionally, there were no changes in Second Bancorp's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the quarter ended September 30, 2003 that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the Corporation's internal control over financial reporting.

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PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

Item 1. Legal Proceedings

The Company is subject to various pending and threatened lawsuits in the ordinary course of business in which claims for monetary damages are asserted. While any litigation involves an element of uncertainty, in the opinion of management, liabilities, if any, arising from such litigation or threat thereof will not have a material impact on the financial position or results of operations of the Company.

Item 2. Changes in Securities and Use of Proceeds None

Item 3. Defaults upon Senior Securities Not Applicable

Item 4. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

Second Bancorp Incorporated's Annual Meeting of Shareholders was held on April 17, 2003. The results of the votes on the matters presented to shareholders were included in the Form 10-Q for the period ended March 31, 2003.

Item 5. Other Information Not applicable

Item 6. Exhibits and Reports on Form 8-K

a. Exhibit Index.

11.1	Statement re: Computation of Earnings per Share (filed as Exhibit 11.1).
31.1	Certification of
	Chief Executive
	Officer pursuant to
	Exchange Act Rule
	13a-14(a)/15d-14(a)
	as adopted pursuant
	to Section 302 of the
	Sarbanes-Oxley Act
	of 2002 (filed as
	Exhibit 31.1).31.2
	Certification of
	Chief Financial
	Officer pursuant to
	Exchange Act Rule
	13a-14(a)/15d-14(a)
	as adopted pursuant
	to Section 302 of the
	Sarbanes-Oxley Act
	of 2002 (filed as
	Exhibit 31.2).32.1
	Certification of
	Chief Executive
	Officer pursuant to
	18 U.S.C.
	Section 1350, as
	adopted pursuant to

Section 906 of the  
Sarbanes-Oxley Act  
of 2002 (furnished  
as  
Exhibit 32.1).32.2  
Certification of  
Chief Financial  
Officer pursuant to  
18 U.S.C.  
Section 1350, as  
adopted pursuant to  
Section 906 of the  
Sarbanes-Oxley Act  
of 2002 (furnished  
as Exhibit 32.2).

b. Reports on Form 8-K. The Company filed the following reports on Form 8-K during the quarter ended September 30, 2003: The Company filed a report on Form 8-K on July 18, 2003 to announce earnings for the second quarter 2003. In the fourth quarter, the Company filed the following report on Form 8-K: The Company filed a report on Form 8-K on October 16, 2003 to announce earnings for the third quarter 2003.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

SECOND BANCORP INCORPORATED

Date: November 13, 2003

/s/ David L. Kellerman

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David L. Kellerman, Chief Financial  
Officer and Treasurer

Signing on behalf of the registrant and as principal accounting officer and principal financial officer.