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

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FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

X QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended

March 31, 2012

OR

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from

To

Commission File Number 000-52000

#### ROMA FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

UNITED STATES
(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation or organization)

51-0533946 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

2300 Route 33, Robbinsville, New Jersey (Address of principal executive offices)

08691 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(609) 223-8300

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 [X] No []

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding twelve months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

Yes [ X ] No [ ]

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act (Check one):

Large accelerated filer [ ] Accelerated filer [ X ]

Non-accelerated filer [ ] Smaller reporting company [ ]

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Yes [ ] No [X]

The number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date,

May 4, 2012:

\$0.10 par value common stock - 30,320,927 shares outstanding

#### ROMA FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

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## ROMA FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

(Unaudited)

	2012		2011				
Assets	(In thousands, except for share data)						
Cash and amounts due from depository institutions	\$	16,246	\$	17,791			
Interest-bearing deposits in other banks	*	81,740	*	41,775			
Money market funds		25,598		25,093			
Cash and Cash Equivalents		123,584		84,659			
Investment securities available for sale ("AFS") at		,		,			
fair value		40,982		42,491			
Investment securities held to maturity ("HTM") at							
amortized cost (fair value of \$ 209,485							
and \$243,022, respectively)		207,913		241,185			
Mortgage-backed securities held to maturity at							
amortized cost (fair value of \$ 443,020							
and \$458,555, respectively)		423,043		438,523			
Loans receivable, net of allowance for loan losses							
of \$6,309							
and \$5,416, respectively		973,459		962,389			
Real estate and other repossessed assets owned		5,960		3,276			
Real estate held for sale		640		970			
Real estate owned via equity investment		3,888		3,905			
Premises and equipment, net		47,649		47,433			
Federal Home Loan Bank of New York and ACBB stock		6,858		5 700			
Accrued interest receivable		6,655		5,798 6,492			
Bank owned life insurance		33,694		28,852			
Goodwill		1,826		1,826			
Deferred tax asset		12,008		12,253			
Other assets		7,385		8,032			
Total Assets	\$	1,895,544	\$	1,888,084			
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Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity							
Liabilities							
Deposits:							
Non-interest bearing	\$	69,898	\$	63,766			
Interest bearing		1,476,723		1,511,840			
Total deposits		1,546,621		1,575,606			
Federal Home Loan Bank of New York advances		47,449		33,316			
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase		40,000		40,000			
Subordinated debentures		1,918		1,915			
Securities purchased and not settled		21,023		-			
Advance payments by borrowers for taxes and		2 200		2.064			
insurance		3,398		3,064			

Accrued interest payable and other liabilities	15,743	16,188
Total Liabilities	1,676,152	1,670,089
Stockholders' Equity		
Common stock, \$0.10 par value, 45,000,000		
shares authorized, 32,731,875 shares issued;		
30,320,927 shares outstanding	3,274	3,274
Paid-in capital	100,638	100,310
Retained earnings	158,529	157,669
Unearned shares held by Employee Stock		
Ownership Plan	(5,006)	(5,141)
Treasury stock, 2,410,948 shares	(35,335)	(35,335)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(4,642 )	(4,637)
Total Roma Financial Corporation		
stockholders' equity	217,458	216,140
Noncontrolling interest	1,934	1,855
Total Stockholders' Equity	219,392	217,995
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$ 1,895,544	\$ 1,888,084
See notes to consolidated financial statements.		

#### ROMA FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,		
	2012	2011 ds, except per	
Interest Income			
Loans, including fees	\$12,026	\$11,721	
Mortgage-backed securities held to maturity	4,054	4,306	
Investment securities held to maturity	1,250	2,232	
Securities available for sale	226	268	
Other interest-earning assets	114	93	
Total Interest Income	17,670	18,620	
Interest Expense			
Deposits	3,663	4,604	
Borrowings	686	689	
Total Interest Expense	4,349	5,293	
Net Interest Income	13,321	13,327	
Provision for loan losses	1,263	800	
Net Interest Income after Provision for Loan Losses	12,058	12,527	
Non-Interest Income			
Commissions on sales of title policies	241	203	
Fees and service charges on deposits and loans	396	395	
Income from bank owned life insurance	352	305	
Net gain from sale of mortgage loans originated for sale	313	77	
Net gain for sale of available for sale securities	-	17	
Realized loss on real estate held for sale	(3	) -	
Realized (loss) from real estate owned	-	(70)	
Other	420	278	
Total Non-Interest Income	1,719	1,205	
Non-Interest Expense			
Salaries and employee benefits	6,365	6,068	
Net occupancy expense of premises	1,115	1,268	
Equipment	902	885	
Data processing fees	537	566	
Advertising	204	169	
Federal deposit insurance premiums	420	598	
Commercial and residential loan expense	885	273	

Other	1,252	1,150
Total Non-Interest Expense	11,680	10,977
Income Before Income Taxes	2,097	2,755
Income Taxes	627	884
Net income	1,470	1,871
Plus: net gain attributable to the noncontrolling interest	(54)	(18 )
Net Income attributable to Roma Financial Corporation	\$1,416	\$1,853
Net income attributable to Roma Financial Corporation per common share Basic and Diluted Dividends Declared Per Share	\$.05 \$.08	\$.06 \$.08
Weighted Average Number of Common Shares Outstanding Basic and Diluted	29,811,474	30,137,145

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

### ROMA FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,		
	2012	2011	
	(In thousa	ands)	
Net Income	\$1,470	\$1,871	
Other comprehensive income:			
Unrealized holding gains on available for sale securities:			
Unrealized holding gains (losses) arising during the period	35	(34	)
Less: reclassification adjustment for losses (gains) included in net income	-	17	
Net realized gain (losses) on securities available for sale	35	(17	)
Tax effect	(15	) 7	
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax	20	(10	)
Comprehensive income	\$1,490	\$1,861	
Comprehensive income attributable to the noncontrolling interest	(79	) (18	)
Comprehensive income attributable to Roma Financial Corporation	\$1,411	\$1,843	

# ROMA FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY (Unaudited) (In thousands)

	Commo	on Stock	Paid-In	Retained	Unearned	Accumulate Other Income		nnoontroll	ina	
:	Shares	Amoun	t Capital	Earnings	By ESOP		Stock	Interest	Total	
Balance December 31,			•		·	, ,		¢ 1 722	¢ 212 476	-
2010 Net income for the three months ended March	30,281	\$ 3,274	\$ 99,585	\$ 152,911	\$ (3,083)	\$ (3,463)	\$(33,880)	\$ 1,/32	\$ 212,476	)
31, 2011 Other comprehensive	-	-	-	1,853	-	-	-	18	1,871	
income, net Dividends declared and	-	-	-	-	-	(10 )	-	-	(10	)
paid Stock-based	-	-	-	(552	) -	-	-	-	(552	)
compensation ESOP shares	-	-	303	-	-	-	-	-	303	
earned Balance March	-	-	7	-	135	-	-	-	142	
31, 2011	30,281	\$3,274	\$99,895	\$154,212	\$ (5,548)	\$ (3,473)	\$(35,880)	\$ 1,750	\$214,230	
Balance December 31, 2011 Net income for the three months ended March	30,321	\$ 3,274	\$ 100,310	\$ 157,669	\$ (5,141)	\$ (4,637)	\$(35,335)	\$ 1,855	\$ 217,995	j
31, 2012 Other	-	-	-	1,416	-	-	-	54	1,470	
comprehensive income, net Dividends declared and	-	-	-	-	-	(5)	-	25	20	
paid Stock-based	-	-	-	(556	) -	-	-	-	(556	)
compensation ESOP shares	-	-	324	-	-	-	-	-	324	
earned	-	-	4	-	135	-	-	-	139	
	30,321	\$3,274	\$100,638	\$158,529	\$ (5,006)	\$ (4,642)	\$(35,335)	\$ 1,934	\$219,392	

Balance March 31, 2012

See notes to consolidated financial statements

## ROMA FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Unaudited)

(Chaudited)	Three Mor March 31, 2012 (In thousa	•	2011	
Cash Flows from Operating Activities	¢ 1 470		¢1 071	
Net income  A divergents to reasonable not income to not each provided by	\$1,470		\$1,871	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization	611		598	
Amortization of premiums and accretion of discounts on securities	242		20	
Accretion of deferred loan fees and discounts	(66	`		`
	,	)	(23	)
Amortization of net premiums on loans	130	`	245	`
Amortization of premiums on deposits	(6	)	(108	)
Gain on sale of securities available for sale	-	,	(17	)
Net gain on sale of mortgage loans originated for sale	(313	)	(77	)
Mortgage loans originated for sale	(8,414	)	(4,060	)
Proceeds from sales of mortgage loans originated for sale	8,727		4,137	
Net realized loss from sales of real estate owned	-		70	
Proceeds from sale of real estate held for sale	327		-	
Realized loss on sale of real estate held for sale	3		-	
Provision for loan losses	1,263		800	
Stock-based compensation, including warrants	324		303	
ESOP shares earned	139		142	
(Increase) decrease in accrued interest receivable	(163	)	591	
Increase in cash surrender value of bank owned life insurance	(292	)	(253	)
Decrease in other assets	647		19	
Decrease in accrued interest payable	(154	)	(164	)
Decrease (increase) in deferred income taxes	229		(504	)
(Decrease) increase in other liabilities	(287	)	403	
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	4,417		3,993	
Cash Flows from Investing Activities				
Proceeds from maturities, calls and principal repayments of securities available for sale	e 3,393		3,782	
Proceeds from sale of securities available for sale	-		1,517	
Purchases of securities available for sale	(2,033	)	(1,037	)
Proceeds from maturities, calls and principal repayments of investment securities held	to			
maturity	63,312		13,286	
Purchases of investment securities held to maturity	(12,999	)	(13,922	)
Principal repayments on mortgage-backed securities held to maturity	26,524		23,479	
Purchases of mortgage-backed securities held to maturity	(7,120	)	(47,292	)
Net increase in loans receivable	(15,369	)	(20,847	)
Purchase of bank owned life insurance	(4,550	)	_	
Proceeds from life insurance redemption	-	,	236	
Additions to premises and equipment and real estate owned via equity investment	(810	)	(755	)

Proceeds from sale of real estate owned Purchases of Federal Home Loan Bank of New York and ACBB stock			1,090 (81	)
Net Cash Provided by (Used in) Provided by Investing Activities	49,576		(40,544	)
Cash Flows from Financing Activities				
Net (decrease) increase in deposits Increase in advance payments by borrowers for taxes and insurance Dividends paid to minority stockholders of Roma Financial Corp. Repayment of Federal Home Loan Bank of New York advances Proceeds from Federal Home Loan Bank of New York advances  Net Cash (Used in) Provided by Financing Activities  Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents Cash and Cash Equivalents – Beginning  Cash and Cash Equivalents – Ending	(28,979 334 (556 (4,559 18,692 (15,068 38,925 84,659 \$123,584	) )	42,373 229 (552 (5,006 3,500 40,544 3,993 89,587 \$93,580	)
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## ROMA FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Cont'd) (Unaudited)

	Three Mont March 31,	hs Ended
	2012	2011
	(In thousand	ds)
Supplementary Cash Flows Information		
Income taxes paid, net	\$50	\$412
Interest paid	\$4,503	\$ 5,457
Securities purchased and not settled	\$21,023	\$2,070
Loans receivable transferred to real estate owned	\$2,972	\$1,938

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

#### ROMA FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

#### NOTE A - ORGANIZATION

Roma Financial Corporation (the "Company") is a federally-chartered corporation organized in January 2005 for the purpose of acquiring all of the capital stock that Roma Bank issued in its mutual holding company reorganization. Roma Financial Corporation's principal executive offices are located at 2300 Route 33, Robbinsville, New Jersey 08691 and its telephone number at that address is (609) 223-8300.

Roma Financial Corporation, MHC is a federally-chartered mutual holding company that was formed in January 2005 in connection with the mutual holding company reorganization. Roma Financial Corporation, MHC has not engaged in any significant business since its formation. So long as Roma Financial Corporation MHC is in existence, it will at all times own a majority of the outstanding stock of Roma Financial Corporation. Roma Financial Corporation, MHC, whose activity is not included in these consolidated financial statements, held 22,584,995 shares or 74.5% of the Company's outstanding common stock at March 31, 2012.

Roma Bank is a federally-chartered stock savings bank. It was originally founded in 1920 and received its federal charter in 1991. Roma Bank's deposits are federally insured by the Deposit Insurance Fund as administered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

RomAsia Bank is a federally-chartered stock savings bank. RomAsia Bank received all regulatory approvals on June 23, 2008 to be a federal savings bank and began operations on that date. The Company originally invested \$13.4 million in RomAsia Bank and in 2011 invested an additional \$2.5 million. The Company currently holds a 91.12% ownership interest.

Roma Bank and RomAsia Bank are collectively referred to as (the "Banks"). Pursuant to the provisions of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (the "Dodd-Frank Act"), as of July 21, 2011, Roma Financial Corporation, MHC and Roma Financial Corporation are regulated by the Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia and Roma Bank and RomAsia Bank by the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

The Banks offer traditional retail banking services, one-to four-family residential mortgage loans, multi-family and commercial mortgage loans, construction loans, commercial business loans and consumer loans, including home equity loans and lines of credit. Roma Bank operates from its main office in Robbinsville, New Jersey, and twenty-three branch offices located in Mercer, Burlington, Camden and Ocean Counties, New Jersey. RomAsia Bank operates from two locations in Monmouth Junction, New Jersey. As of March 31, 2012, the Banks had 314 full-time employees and 59 part-time employees. Roma Bank maintains a website at www.romabank.com. RomAsia Bank maintains a website at www.Romasiabank.com.

Throughout this document, references to "we," "us," or "our" refer to the Banks or the Company, or both, as the context indicates.

#### NOTE B - BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company, its wholly-owned subsidiary, Roma Bank and Roma Bank's wholly-owned subsidiaries, Roma Capital Investment Corp. (the "Investment Co.") and General Abstract and Title Agency (the "Title Co."), and the Company's majority owned investment of 91.12% in RomAsia Bank. The consolidated statements also include the Company's 50% interest in 84 Hopewell, LLC (the "LLC"), a real

estate investment which is consolidated according to the requirements of Accounting Standards Codification Topic 810, Variable Interest Entities. All significant inter-company accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation. These statements were prepared in accordance with instructions for Form 10-Q and Rule 10-01 of Regulation S-X and, therefore, do not include all information or footnotes necessary for a complete presentation of financial condition, results of operations, and cash flows in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America.

#### NOTE B - BASIS OF PRESENTATION (Continued)

In the opinion of management, all adjustments which are necessary for a fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements have been made at and for the three months ended March 31, 2012 and 2011. The results of operations for the three months ended March 31, 2012 are not necessarily indicative of the results which may be expected for the entire fiscal year or other interim periods.

The December 31, 2011 data in the consolidated statements of financial condition was derived from the Company's audited consolidated financial statements for that data. That data, along with the interim financial information presented in the consolidated statements of financial condition, income, comprehensive income, changes in stockholders' equity and cash flows should be read in conjunction with the 2011 audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2011, including the notes thereto included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K.

The Investment Co. was incorporated in the State of New Jersey effective September 4, 2004, and began operations October 1, 2004. The Investment Co. is subject to the investment company provisions of the New Jersey Corporation Business Tax Act. The Title Co. was incorporated in the State of New Jersey effective March 7, 2005 and commenced operations April 1, 2005. The Company, together with two individuals, formed a limited liability company, 84 Hopewell, LLC. The LLC was formed to build a commercial office building in which is located the Company's Hopewell branch, corporate offices for the other LLC members construction company and tenant space. The Company invested \$370,000 in the LLC and provided a loan in the amount of \$3.6 million to the LLC. The Company and the other 50% owner's construction company both have signed lease commitments to the LLC.

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities as of the date of the consolidated statements of financial condition and revenues and expenses for the periods then ended. Actual results could differ significantly from those estimates.

A material estimate that is particularly susceptible to significant change relates to the determination of the allowance for loan losses. The allowance for loan losses represents management's best estimate of losses known and inherent in the portfolio that are both probable and reasonable to estimate. While management uses the most current information available to estimate losses on loans, actual losses are dependent on future events and, as such, increases in the allowance for loan losses may be necessary.

In addition, various regulatory agencies, as an integral part of their examination process, periodically review the Banks' allowance for loan losses. Such agencies may require the Banks to recognize additions to the allowance based on their judgments about information available to them at the time of their examinations.

In accordance with Accounting Standards Codification ("FASB ASC") Topic 855, Subsequent Events, management has evaluated subsequent events until the date of issuance of this report, and concluded that no events occurred that were of a material nature.

#### **NOTE C - CONTINGENCIES**

The Company, from time to time, is a party to routine litigation that arises in the normal course of business. In the opinion of management, the resolution of such litigation, if any, would not have a material adverse effect, as of March 31, 2012, on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

#### NOTE D - EARNINGS PER SHARE

Basic earnings per share is based on the weighted average number of common shares actually outstanding adjusted for Employee Stock Ownership Plan ("ESOP") shares not yet committed to be released. Diluted EPS is calculated by adjusting the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding to include the effect of outstanding stock options and unvested stock awards, if dilutive, using the treasury stock method. Shares issued and reacquired during any period are weighted for the portion of the period they were outstanding.

Outstanding stock options and restricted stock grants for the three months ended March 31, 2012 and 2011 were not considered in the calculation of diluted earnings per share because they were antidilutive.

#### NOTE E - STOCK BASED COMPENSATION

**Equity Incentive Plan** 

At the Annual Meeting held on April 23, 2008, stockholders of the Company approved the Roma Financial Corporation 2008 Equity Incentive Plan.

The 2008 Plan enables the Board of Directors to grant stock options to executives, other key employees and nonemployee directors. The options granted under the Plan may be either incentive stock options or non-qualified stock options. The Company has reserved 1,292,909 shares of common stock for issuance upon the exercise of options granted under the 2008 Plan and 517,164 shares for grants of restricted stock. The Plan will terminate in ten years from the grant date. Options will be granted with an exercise price not less than the Fair Market Value of a share of Common Stock on the date of the grant. Options may not be granted for a term greater than ten years. Stock options granted under the Incentive Plan are subject to limitations under Section 422 of the Internal Revenue Code. The number of shares available under the 2008 Plan, the number of shares subject to outstanding options and the exercise price of outstanding options will be adjusted to reflect any stock dividend, stock split, merger, reorganization or other event generally affecting the number of Company's outstanding shares.

On June 25, 2008, Directors, Senior Officers and certain employees of the Company were granted, in the aggregate, 820,000 stock options and awarded 222,000 shares of restricted stock.

On June 15, 2011, Directors of the Company were granted in the aggregate 32,000 stock options and awarded 54,000 shares of restricted stock.

On November 16, 2011, Senior Officers and certain employees of the Company were awarded 19,350 shares of restricted stock.

At March 31, 2012, there were 471,709 shares available for option grants under the 2008 Plan and 227,814 shares available for grants of restricted stock.

The Company accounts for stock based compensation under FASB ASC Topic 718, Compensation-Stock Compensation. ASC Topic 718 covers a wide range of share-based compensation arrangements including share options, restricted share plans, performance-based awards, share appreciation rights, and employee share purchase plans. ASC Topic 718 requires that compensation cost relating to share-based payment transactions be recognized in the financial statements. The cost is measured based on the fair value of the equity or liability instruments issued.

ASC Topic 718 also requires the Company to realize as a financing cash flow rather than an operating cash flow, as previously required, the benefits of realized tax deductions in excess of previously recognized tax benefits on compensation expense. In accordance with SEC Staff Accounting Bulletin ("SAB") No. 107, the Company classified share-based compensation for employees and outside directors within "salaries and employee benefits" in the consolidated statement of income to correspond with the same line item as the cash compensation paid.

The stock options will vest over a five year service period and are exercisable within ten years. Compensation expense for all option grants is recognized over the awards' respective requisite service period.

Restricted shares vest over a five year service period. Management recognizes compensation expense for the fair value of restricted shares on a straight-line basis over the requisite service period of the awards of five years. The number of shares granted and the grant date market price of the Company's common stock determines the fair value of the restricted shares under the Company's restricted stock plan.

#### NOTE E – STOCK BASED COMPENSATION (Continued)

The following is a summary of the status of the Company's stock option activity and related information for the year ended December 31, 2011 and for the three months ended March 31, 2012:

	Number of Stock Options		Weighted Avg. tercise Price	Weighted Avg. Remaining Contractual Life	Aggregate Intrinsic Value	
Balance at December 31, 2010	797,200	\$	13.67			
Granted	32,000		13.67			
Forfeited	(8,000 )		13.67			
Balance at March 31, 2012						
and December 31, 2011	821,200	\$	13.67	6.35 years	\$	0.00
Exercisable at March 31, 2012	470,400	\$	13.67	6.35 years	\$	0.00

The key valuation assumptions and fair value of stock options granted June 15, 2011 were:

Expected life	6	5.5 years
Risk-free rate		2.26%
Volatility		35.42%
Dividend yield		3.32%
Fair value	\$	1.70

The following is a summary of the status of the Company's restricted shares as of March 31, 2012 and changes during the year ended December 31, 2011 and for the three months ended March 31, 2012:

	Number of Restricted Shares	Weighted Average Grant Date Fair Value		
Non-vested restricted shares at December 31, 2010	120,000	\$ 13.67		
Granted	73,350	9.40		
Vested	(40,100)	13.67		
Non-vested restricted shares at March 31, 2012 and				
December 31, 2011	153,350	\$ 11.63		

Stock option and stock award expenses included in compensation expense were \$313,000 for the three months ended March 31, 2012 and \$268,000 for three months ended March 31, 2011, with a related tax benefit of \$125,000 and

\$107,000 respectively. At March 31, 2012, there was approximately \$1.9 million of unrecognized cost, related to outstanding stock options and restricted shares, will be recognized over a period of approximately 2.85 to 2.97 years, respectively.

#### NOTE E – STOCK BASED COMPENSATION (Continued)

Equity Incentive Plan – RomAsia Bank

The stockholders of RomAsia Bank approved an equity incentive plan in 2009. On January 6, 2010, directors, senior officers and certain employees of the RomAsia Bank were granted, in the aggregate, options to purchase 75,500 shares of RomAsia common stock.

The Plan enables the Board of Directors of RomAsia Bank to grant stock options to executives, other key employees and nonemployee directors. The options granted under the Plan may be either incentive stock options or non-qualified stock options. RomAsia has reserved 225,000 shares of it's common stock for issuance upon the exercise of options granted under the Plan. The Plan will terminate in ten years from the grant date. Options will be granted with an exercise price not less than the Fair Market Value of a share of RomAsia's Common Stock on the date of the grant. Options may not be granted for a term greater than ten years. The stock options vest over a five year service period and are exercisable within ten years. Stock options granted under the Incentive Plan are subject to limitations under Section 422 of the Internal Revenue Code. The number of shares available under the Plan, the number of shares subject to outstanding options and the exercise price of outstanding options will be adjusted to reflect any stock dividend, stock split, merger, reorganization or other event generally affecting the number of Company's outstanding shares. At March 31, 2012, there were 114,500 shares available for option grants under the Plan. On March 1, 2012 RomAsia Bank granted 46,500 options. The key valuation assumptions and fair value of stock options granted in March 2012 were:

Expected life	6.5 years
Risk-free rate	1.33%
Volatility	28.30%
Fair value	\$2.76

The following is a summary of the status of the RomAsia's stock option activity and related information for the year ended December 31, 2011 and for the three months ended March 31, 2012:

	Number of Stock Options	Weighted Avg. Exercise Price	Weighted Avg. Remaining Contractual Life	Aggregate Intrinsic Value
Balance at December 31, 2010	75,500	\$ 8.47		
Forfeited	(9,500)	8.47		
Balance at December 31, 2011	66,000	8.47		
Forfeited	(2,000)	8.47		
Granted	46,500	8.81		
Balance at March 31, 2012	110,500	\$ 8.61	8.67 years	\$ 0.00
Exercisable at March 31, 2012	25,600			

Stock option expense, related to the RomAsia plan included with compensation expense was \$11,000 for the three months ended March 31, 2012, and \$11,000 for three months ended March 31, 2011, with a related tax benefit of \$5,000 and \$5,000, respectively. At March 31, 2012, approximately \$222,000 unrecognized cost, related to

outstanding stock options, will be recognized over a period of approximately 3.93 years.

Employee Stock Ownership Plan

Roma Bank has an Employee Stock Ownership Plan ("ESOP") for the benefit of employees who meet the eligibility requirements defined in the plan. The ESOP trust purchased 811,750 shares of common stock as part of the stock offering using proceeds from a loan from the Company. The total cost of the shares purchased by the ESOP trust was \$8.1 million, reflecting a cost of \$10 per share. Roma Bank makes cash contributions to the ESOP on a quarterly basis sufficient to enable the ESOP to make the required loan payments to the Company. The loan bears an interest rate of 8.25% with principal and interest payable in equal quarterly installments over a fifteen year period. The loan is secured by the shares of the stock purchased.

#### NOTE E – STOCK BASED COMPENSATION (Continued)

Shares purchased with the loan proceeds were initially pledged as collateral for the term loan and are held in a suspense account for future allocation among participants. Contributions to the ESOP and shares released from the suspense account will be allocated among the participants on the basis of compensation, as described by the Plan, in the year of allocation. As shares are committed to be released from collateral, the Company reports compensation expense equal to the current market price of the shares, and the shares become outstanding for earnings per share computations. Roma Bank made its first loan payment in October 2006. As of March 31, 2012, there were 500,583 unearned shares. The Company's ESOP compensation expense was \$139 thousand and \$142 thousand, respectively, for the three months ended March 31, 2012 and 2011.

#### NOTE F - STOCK WARRANTS

RomAsia Bank issued warrants to purchase 150,500 shares of RomAsia Common Stock (the "warrants"), bearing an exercise price of \$10.00 per share, to the Founding Stockholders who subscribed initially for 150,500 shares of RomAsia Common Stock and provided \$1,505,000 to pay RomAsia's organizational expenses. The warrants were issued on June 23, 2008.

The warrants will become exercisable in three equal installments on the first, second and third anniversaries after their respective dates of issuance. Warrants will be convertible into one share of RomAsia Common Stock and will be transferable only in compliance with the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and applicable state securities laws. RomAsia may redeem the Warrants at a price of \$1.00 per Warrant at any time after January 1, 2012 upon 60 days prior written notice to the holders thereof.

The Warrants provide that, in the event that RomAsia's capital falls below certain minimum requirements, the FDIC or the OCC may require RomAsia to notify the holders of the Warrants that such holders must exercise the Warrants within 30 days of such notice, or such longer period as the FDIC or OCC may prescribe, or forfeit all rights to purchase shares of RomAsia Common Stock under the Warrants after the expiration of such period.

The Warrants expire ten years after being issued. In the event a holder fails to exercise the Warrants prior to their expiration, the Warrants will expire and the holder thereof will have no further rights with respect to the Warrants.

The Warrant expense for minority shareholders, (8.88% ownership), for the three month ended March 31, 2012 and 2011, was \$-0-, and \$23,000, respectively, and related deferred taxes were recorded at \$-0- and \$9,600, respectively. The warrant expense for the majority shareholder, Roma Financial Corporation, was eliminated in consolidation.

#### NOTE G - REAL ESTATE OWNED VIA EQUITY INVESTMENTS

In 2008, Roma Bank, together with two individuals, formed 84 Hopewell, LLC. The LLC was formed to build a commercial office building which includes Roma Bank's Hopewell branch, corporate offices for the other 50% owners' construction company and tenant space. Roma Bank made a cash investment of approximately \$360,000 in the LLC and provided a loan to the LLC in the amount of \$3.6 million. Roma Bank and the construction company both have signed lease commitments to the LLC. With the adoption of guidance in regards to variable interest entities now codified in FASB ASC Topic 810, Consolidation, the Company is required to perform an analysis to determine whether such an investment meets the criteria for consolidation into the Company's financial statements. As of March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, this variable interest entity met the requirements of ASC Topic 810 for consolidation based on Roma Bank being the primary financial beneficiary. This was determined based on the amount invested by the Bank compared to the other partners to the LLC and the lack of personal guarantees. As of March 31, 2012, the LLC had \$4.0 million in fixed assets and a loan from Roma Bank for \$3.3 million, which was eliminated in

consolidation. The LLC had accrued interest payable to the Bank of \$11 thousand at March 31, 2012 and during the three months then ended the Bank had paid \$25 thousand in rent to the LLC. Both of these amounts were eliminated in consolidation. Roma Bank's 50% share of the LLC's net income for the three months ended March 31, 2012 was \$8 thousand.

#### NOTE H – INVESTMENT AND MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES

The following summarizes the amortized cost and estimated fair value of securities available for sale at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011 with gross unrealized gains and losses therein:

	Amortized Cost (In Thousand	Gross Unrealized Gains	Gross Unrealized Losses	Fair Value
Available for sale:				
Mortgage-backed securities-U.S. Government Sponsored		<b>4.7.7.</b>	<b>4.10</b>	001 770
Enterprises (GSEs)	\$21,336	\$552	\$135	\$21,753
Obligations of state and political subdivisions	5,363	291	-	5,654
U.S. Government (including agencies)	9,312	297	5 46	9,604 955
Corporate bond Equity securities	1,000 50	1 2	40	933 52
Mutual funds	3,044	<i>Z</i>	80	2,964
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	\$40,105	\$1,143	\$266	\$40,982
	December 31	1, 2011		
		Gross	Gross	
	Amortized	Unrealized	Unrealized	
	Cost	Gains	Losses	Fair Value
	(In Thousand	ls)		
Available for sale:				
Mortgage-backed securities-U.S. Government Sponsored				
Enterprises (GSEs)	\$22,896	\$604	\$132	\$23,368
Obligations of state and political	5.264	2.42		T (0)
subdivisions	5,364	242	-	5,606
U.S. Government (including	9,328	311		9,639
agencies) Corporate bond	1,000	311	106	9,039 894
Equity securities	50	_	100	49
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Mutual funds	3,012	-	77	2,935

#### NOTE H – INVESTMENT AND MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES (Continued)

The unrealized losses, categorized by the length of time of continuous loss position, and the fair value of related securities available for sale at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011 are as follows:

	Less than 12 Months		More than 12	2 Months	Total		
	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	
	Value	Losses	Value	Losses	Value	Losses	
	(In Thousand	ds)					
March 31, 2012:							
Mortgage-backed							
securities-GSEs	\$13	\$1	\$3,749	\$134	\$3,762	\$135	
U.S. Government, (including							
agencies)	494	5	-	-	494	5	
Corporate bond	-	-	454	46	454	46	
Mutual funds	-	-	2,964	80	2,964	80	
	\$507	\$6	\$7,167	\$260	\$7,674	\$266	
December 31, 2011:							
Mortgage-backed							
securities-GSEs	\$798	\$4	\$3,736	\$128	\$4,534	\$132	
Equity securities	49	1	-	-	49	1	
Corporate bond	480	20	414	86	894	106	
Mutual funds	-	-	2,935	77	2,935	77	
	\$1,327	\$25	\$7,085	\$291	\$8,412	\$316	

Management evaluates securities for other-than-temporary-impairment ("OTTI") at least on a quarterly basis, and more frequently when economic or market conditions warrant such an evaluation.

In determining OTTI under the ASC Topic 320, management considers many factors, including: (1) the length of time and the extent to which the fair value has been less than amortized cost; (2) the financial condition and near term prospects of the issuer; (3) whether the market decline was affected by macroeconomic conditions, and (4) whether the entity has the intent to sell the debt security or more likely than not will be required to sell the debt security before its anticipated recovery. The assessment of whether an other-than-temporary-impairment decline exists involves a high degree of subjectivity and judgment and is based on information available to management at a point in time. An OTTI is deemed to have occurred if there has been an adverse change in the remaining expected future cash flows.

When OTTI for debt securities, occurs under the model, the amount of the OTTI recognized in earnings depends on whether an entity intends to sell the security or more likely than not will be required to sell the security before recovery of its amortized cost basis. If an entity intends to sell or more likely than not will be required to sell the security before recovery of its amortized cost basis, the OTTI shall be recognized in earnings equal to the entire difference between the investment's amortized cost basis and its fair value at the balance sheet date. If any entity does not intend to sell the security and it is not more likely than not that the entity will be required to sell the security before recovery of its amortized cost basis, the OTTI shall be separated into the amount representing the credit loss and the amount related to all other factors. The amount of the total OTTI related to the credit loss is determined based on the present value of cash flows expected to be collected and is recognized in earnings. The amount of the total

OTTI related to other factors shall be recognized in other comprehensive income, net of applicable tax benefit. The previous amortized cost basis less the OTTI recognized in earnings shall become the new amortized cost basis of the investment.

#### NOTE H – INVESTMENT AND MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES (Continued)

As of March 31, 2012, the Company's available for sale portfolio in an unrealized loss position consisted of twenty-one securities. There was one mutual fund, one corporate bond, and seventeen mortgage backed securities in an unrealized loss position for more than twelve months at March 31, 2012. As of December 31, 2011, the Company's available for sale portfolio in an unrealized loss position consisted of 26 securities. There was one mutual fund, two corporate bonds, and twenty-three mortgage backed securities in an unrealized loss position for more than twelve months at December 31, 2011.

The available for sale mutual funds are a CRA investment that had an unrealized loss of approximately \$80 thousand and \$77 thousand at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, respectively. They have been in a loss position for the last two years with the greatest unrealized loss being approximately \$109 thousand. Management does not believe the mutual fund securities available for sale are other-than-temporarily impaired due to reasons of credit quality. Unrealized losses in the mortgage-backed securities, U.S. Government securities and corporate bond categories are due to the current interest rate environment and not due to credit concerns. The Company does not intend to sell these securities and it is not more likely than not that we will be required to sell these securities. As of March 31, 2012, management believes the impairments are temporary and no impairment loss has been realized in the Company's consolidated income statement for the year ended March 31, 2012.

Proceeds from the sale of securities available for sale amounted to \$-0- million and \$1.5 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively, with a realized gain of \$-0- thousand and \$19 thousand, respectively, and net losses of \$-0- and \$2 thousand.

The amortized cost and estimated fair value of securities available for sale at March 31, 2012 by contractual maturity are shown below. Expected maturities will differ from contractual maturities as borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties:

		Amortized Cost (in Thousands)			Fair Value	
U.S. Government, Obligation of Political Subdivisions and						
Corporate bond:						
After one to five years	\$	3,108		\$	3,215	
After five to ten years		7,980			8,201	
After ten years		4,587			4,797	
Total		15,675			16,213	
Mortgage-backed securities		21,336			21,753	
Equity securities		50			52	
Mutual funds		3,044			2,964	
Total	\$	40,105		\$	40,982	

#### NOTE H – INVESTMENT AND MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES (Continued)

The following summarizes the amortized cost and estimated fair value of securities held to maturity at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011 with gross unrealized gains and losses therein:

	March 31, 20	012		
		Gross	Gross	
	Amortized	Unrealized	Unrealized	
	Cost	Gains	Losses	Fair Value
	(In Thousand	ds)		
Held to maturity:				
U.S. Government (including agencies)	\$187,454	\$554	\$46	\$187,962
Obligations of state and political subdivisions	18,683	1,122	-	19,805
Corporate and other	1,776	-	58	1,718
	\$207,913	\$1,676	\$104	\$209,485
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	December 3	•	<b>a</b>	
		Gross	Gross	
	Amortized	Unrealized	Unrealized	
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	Cost	Gains	Losses	Fair Value
Hold to motivity		Gains		Fair Value
Held to maturity:	Cost (In Thousand	Gains ds)	Losses	
U.S. Government (including agencies)	Cost (In Thousand \$220,728	Gains ds) \$843		\$221,559
U.S. Government (including agencies) Obligations of state and political subdivisions	Cost (In Thousand \$220,728 18,681	Gains ds)	Losses \$12	\$221,559 19,757
U.S. Government (including agencies)	Cost (In Thousand \$220,728	Gains ds) \$843	Losses	\$221,559
U.S. Government (including agencies) Obligations of state and political subdivisions	Cost (In Thousand \$220,728 18,681	Gains ds) \$843	Losses \$12	\$221,559 19,757

#### NOTE H – INVESTMENT AND MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES (Continued)

The unrealized losses, categorized by the length of time of continuous loss position, and the fair value of related securities held to maturity are as follows:

	Less than 12 Months		More than 1	2 Months	Total		
	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	
	Value	Losses	Value	Losses	Value	Losses	
	(In Thousan	ids)					
March 31, 2012							
U.S. Government (including							
agencies)	\$5,952	\$46	\$-	\$-	\$5,952	\$46	
Corporate and other	1,457	31	288	27	1,745	58	
-	\$7,409	\$77	\$288	\$27	\$7,697	\$104	
December 31, 2011 U.S. Government (including							
agencies)	\$18,983	\$12	\$-	\$-	\$18,983	\$12	
Corporate and other	1,706	67	-	-	1,706	67	
	\$20,689	\$79	\$-	\$-	\$20,689	\$79	

At March 31, 2012, the Company's held to maturity debt securities portfolio consisted of approximately 157 securities, of which 4 were in an unrealized loss position for less than twelve months and 1 was in a loss position for more than twelve months. No OTTI charges were recorded for the three months ended March 31, 2012. The Company does not intend to sell these securities and it is not more likely than not that we will be required to sell these securities. Unrealized losses primarily relate to interest rate fluctuations and not credit concerns.

The amortized cost and estimated fair value of securities held to maturity at March 31, 2012 by contractual maturity are shown below. Expected maturities will differ from contractual maturities as borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties:

	ortized Cost Thousands)	Fai	air Value	
One year or less	\$ 2,775	\$	2,776	
After one to five years	61,322		61,640	
After five to ten years	135,344		136,127	
After ten years	8,472		8,942	
Total	\$ 207,913	\$	209,485	

Approximately \$116.5 million of securities held to maturity are pledged as collateral for Federal Home Loan Bank of New York ("FHLBNY") advances, borrowings, and deposits at March 31, 2012.

#### NOTE H – INVESTMENT AND MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES (Continued)

The following tables set forth the composition of our mortgage- backed securities portfolio as of March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011:

	March 31, 20 Amortized Cost (In Thousand	Gross Unrealized Gains	Gross Unrealized Losses	Fair Value
Government National Mortgage Association Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation Federal National Mortgage Association Collateralized mortgage obligations-GSEs	\$7,551 173,210 236,620 5,662	\$234 6,883 13,599 205	\$129 785 29 1	\$7,656 179,308 250,190 5,866
	\$423,043	\$20,921	\$944	\$443,020
	December 3  Amortized Cost (In Thousand	Gross Unrealized Gains	Gross Unrealized Losses	Fair Value
Government National Mortgage Association	\$7,906	\$229	\$111	\$8,024
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation	181,779	6,851	580	188,050
Federal National Mortgage Association	242,568	13,412	5	255,975
Collateralized mortgage obligations-GSEs	6,270	236	-	6,506
	\$438,523	\$20,728	\$696	\$458,555

#### NOTE H - INVESTMENT AND MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES (Continued)

The unrealized losses, categorized by the length of time of continuous loss position, and the fair value of related mortgage-backed securities held to maturity are as follows:

	Less than	n 12 Months	More than	n 12 Months	Total		
	Fair Value	Unrealized Losses	Fair Value	Unrealized Losses ousands)	Fair Value	Unrealized Losses	
March 31, 2012: Government National			(111 111	iousanus)			
Mortgage Association Federal Home Loan	\$-	\$-	\$1,532	\$129	\$1,532	\$129	
Mortgage Corporation Federal National Mortgage	18,595	779	43	6	18,638	785	
Association Collateralized Mortgage	8,817	27	269	2	9,086	29	
Obligations-GSEs	653	1	-	-	653	1	
	\$28,065	\$807	\$1,844	\$137	\$29,909	\$944	
	Less thar Fair Value	12 Months Unrealized Losses	Fair Value	n 12 Months Unrealized Losses ousands)	Fair Value	Total Unrealized Losses	
December 31, 2011: Government National			(111 111	ousunds)			
Mortgage Association Federal Home Loan	\$-	\$-	\$1,719	\$111	\$1,719	\$111	
Mortgage Corporation Federal National Mortgage	22,768	576	87	4	22,855	580	
Association	-	-	222	5	222	5	
	\$27,768	\$576	\$2,028	\$120	\$24,796	\$696	

As of March 31, 2012, there were 3 Government National Mortgage Association securities, 17 Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation securities, and 15 Federal National Mortgage Association securities in unrealized loss positions. Management does not believe that any of the individual unrealized losses represent an OTTI. The unrealized losses on mortgage-backed securities relate primarily to fixed interest rate and, to a lesser extent, adjustable interest rate securities. Such losses are the result of changes in interest rates and not credit concerns. Roma Bank, the Investment Co. and RomAsia Bank do not intend to sell these securities and it is not more likely than not that they will be required to sell these securities, therefore, no OTTI is required.

# NOTE H – INVESTMENT AND MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES (Continued)

The amortized cost and estimated fair value of mortgage backed securities held to maturity at March 31, 2012 by contractual maturity are shown below. Expected maturities will differ from contractual maturities as borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties:

	Amortized Cost (In Thousands)					
One year or less	\$	5,072	\$	5,114		
After one to five years		10,290		10,723		
After five to ten years		60,440		65,198		
After ten years		347,241		361,985		
Total	\$	423,043	\$	443,020		

# NOTE I - LOANS RECEIVABLE, NET

Loans receivable, net, at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011 were comprised of the following (in thousands):

		December 31, 2011	
Real estate mortgage loans:			
Residential mortgage	\$	401,368	\$ 394,206
Commercial real estate		300,877	292,646
		702,245	686,852
Construction:			
Commercial real estate		16,638	23,756
Residential		9,316	11,095
		25,954	34,851
Consumer:			
Home equity		222,459	217,472
Other		1,319	1,381
		223,778	218,853
Commercial		38,811	39,184
Total loans		990,788	979,740
Less:			
Allowance for loan losses		6,309	5,416
Deferred loan fees		1,382	1,139
Loans in process		9,638	10,796
•		17,329	17,351
Total loans receivable, net	\$	973,459	\$ 962,389

#### NOTE I - LOANS RECEIVABLE, NET (Continued)

The following table presents nonaccrual loans by classes of the loan portfolio as of March 31, 2011 and December 31, 2010:

	March 31,		
	2012	Dec	cember 31, 2011
	(	In thousands)	
Commercial	\$ -	\$	495
Commercial real estate	17,376		17,699
Commercial real estate – construction	-		2,886
Residential mortgage	10,040		11,949
Residential construction	8,294		9,984
Home equity and other consumer	2,128		1,964
Total	\$ 37,838	\$	44,977

A loan is considered impaired when based on current information and events, it is probable that the Company will be unable to collect all amounts due from the borrower in accordance with the contractual terms of the loan. Impaired loans include nonperforming commercial loans but also include loans modified in troubled debt restructurings where concessions have been granted to borrowers experiencing financial difficulties. These concessions could include a reduction in the interest rate on the loans, payment extensions, forgiveness of principal, forbearance or other actions intended to maximize collection.

The following table summarizes information in regards to impaired loans by loan portfolio class segregated by those for which a related allowance was required and those for which a related allowance was not necessary, as of March 31, 2012 and the three months then ended:

	In	Recorded Investment (In Thousands)		1				elated llowance	3/ Av Re	1/1/12 - /31/12 /erage ecorded evestment	1/1/12 - 3/31/12 Interest Income Recognized		
With no related allowance													
recorded:													
Commercial	\$	1,072	\$	3,057	\$	-	\$	1,337	\$	26			
Commercial real estate		38,759		41,547		-		38,155		185			
Commercial real estate													
construction		4,200		4,200		-		5,745		27			
Residential mortgage		18,311		20,674		-		18,379		129			
Residential construction		8,527		10,734		-		9,372		4			
Home equity and other													
consumer		4,594		4,917		-		3,748		35			
	\$	75,463	\$	85,129	\$	-	\$	76,736	\$	406			

#### NOTE I - LOANS RECEIVABLE, NET (Continued)

The following table summarizes information in regards to impaired loans by loan portfolio class segregated by those for which a related allowance was required and those for which a related allowance was not necessary, as of December 31, 2011 and the year then ended:

	Recorded	Unpaid Principal	Related	Average Recorded	Interest Income
	Investment	Balance	Allowance	Investment	Recognized
	(In Thousands	s)			C
With no related allowance recorded:					
Commercial	\$1,602	\$3,586	\$-	\$1,870	\$ 133
Commercial real estate	36,773	39,582	-	38,868	862
Commercial real estate	7,290	7,290	-	5,843	174
Residential mortgage	18,446	20,810	-	15,594	1,089
Residential construction	10,217	12,915	-	12,495	118
Home equity and other consumer	3,705	4,033	-	3,372	180
	78,033	88,216	-	78,042	2,556
With an allowance recorded:					
Commercial	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial real estate	776	776	41	388	-
Commercial real estate-construction	-	-	-	-	-
Residential mortgage	-	-	-	-	-
Home equity and other consumer	-	-	-	-	-
	776	776	41	388	-
Total:					
Commercial	1,602	3,586	-	1,870	133
Commercial real estate	37,549	40,358	41	39,256	862
Commercial real estate-construction	7,290	7,290	-	5,843	174
Residential mortgage	18,446	20,810	-	15,594	1,089
Residential construction	10,217	12,915	-	12,495	118
Home equity and other consumer	3,705	4,033	-	3,372	180
	\$78,809	\$88,992	\$41	\$78,430	\$ 2,556

At March 31, 2012, impaired loans included \$36.8 million of loans, net of credit marks of \$9.7 million, which were acquired in the merger. Loans totaling \$13.7 million from the legacy Roma and RomAsia portfolio's are also included in this total and classified because they are a troubled debt restructuring, have related loans that are non-performing, or which are considered impaired because there was evidence of deterioration of credit quality, since origination, primarily collateral related.

At December 31, 2011, impaired loans included \$37.4 million of loans, net of credit marks of \$10.2 million, which were acquired in the merger. Loans totaling \$15.4 million which are performing, are also included in this total and classified as impaired because they are a troubled debt restructure, have related loans that are non-performing, or which are considered impaired because at the merger date there was evidence of deterioration of credit quality, since origination, primarily collateral related.

# NOTE I - LOANS RECEIVABLE, NET (Continued)

The performance and credit quality of the loan portfolio is also monitored by analyzing the age of the loans receivable by the length of time a recorded payment is past due. The following table presents the classes of the loan portfolio summarized by the past due status as of March 31, 2012 (In thousands):

	30-59 Days Past Due	60-89 Days Past Due	Greater than 90 days	Total Past Due	Current	Total Loans Receivable	Loans Receivable >90 Days and Accruing
Commercial	\$190	\$-	\$-	\$190	\$38,621	\$38,811	\$-
Commercial real							
estate	2,798	511	17,126	20,435	280,442	300,877	-
Commercial real							
estate – constr.	-	-	123	123	16,515	16,638	123
Residential							
mortgage	6,196	691	11,260	18,147	383,221	401,368	1,255
Residential							
construction	418	-	8,408	8,826	490	9,316	113
Home equity and							
other consumer	695	204	3,116	4,015	219,763	223,778	198
Total	\$10,297	\$1,406	\$40,033	\$51,736	\$939,052	\$990,788	\$1,689

The following table presents the classes of the loan portfolio summarized by the past due status as of December 31, 2011 (In thousands):

	30-59 Days Past Due	60-89 Days Past Due	Greater than 90 days	Total Past Due	Current	Total Loans Receivable	Loans Receivable >90 Days and Accruing
Commercial Commercial real	\$-	\$-	\$495	\$495	\$38,689	\$39,184	\$-
estate	1,607	845	17,509	19,961	272,685	292,646	614
Commercial real estate – constr. Residential	-	-	2,886	2,886	20,870	23,756	-
mortgage	3,733	6,428	12,498	22,659	371,547	394,206	549
Residential construction	-	-	9,984	9,984	1,111	11,095	-
Home equity and other consumer	324	1,484	2,192	4,000	214,853	218,853	228

Total \$5,664 \$8,757 \$45,564 \$59,985 \$919,755 \$979,740 \$1,391

# NOTE I - LOANS RECEIVABLE, NET (Continued)

The following table presents the classes of the loan portfolio summarized by the aggregate pass rating and the classified ratings of special mention, substandard and doubtful in accordance with the Company's internal risk rating system as of March 31, 2012: (In thousands)

	Pass	Special Mention	Substandard	Doubtful	Total
Commercial	\$ 36,768	\$ 1,580	\$ 463	\$ -	\$ 38,811
Commercial real estate	250,129	15,106	35,642	-	300,877
Commercial real estate-					
construction	12,438	-	4,200	-	16,638
Residential mortgage	385,411	689	15,268	-	401,368
Residential construct.	752	270	8,294	-	9,316
Home equity and other consumer	220,088	203	3,487	-	223,778
Total	\$905,586	\$17,848	\$67,354	\$-	\$990,788

The following table presents the classes of the loan portfolio summarized by the aggregate pass rating and the classified ratings of special mention, substandard and doubtful in accordance with the Company's internal risk rating system as of December 31, 2011: (In thousands)

		Special			
	Pass	Mention	Substandard	Doubtful	Total
Commercial	\$ 36,693	\$ 1,520	\$ 971	\$ -	\$ 39,184
Commercial real estate	242,546	15,970	34,130	-	292,646
Commercial real estate					
(construction)	16,466	-	7,290	-	23,750
Residential mortgage	378,308	692	15,260	-	394,206
Residential construct.	839	272	9,984	-	11,095
Home equity and other consumer	216,090	199	2,564	-	218,853
Total	\$890,942	\$18,653	\$70,199	\$-	\$979,740

# NOTE I - LOANS RECEIVABLE, NET (Continued)

Allowance for Credit Losses and Recorded Investment in Financing Receivables At and For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2012 and 2011

	Con	mmero	cial	Co	ommerci Real Estate			ommerci Real -Constru	ıctioı	ı M		e		idential struction	]	Home Equity and Other onsum	er		Total	
Allowance for																				
credit losses:																				
Beginning balance	ф	C = 1		ф	4.000		ф	2 007		Ф	1.700		Ф		Φ	272		ф	0.044	
12/31/10	\$	654		\$	4,922		\$	2,097	`	\$	1,799	`	\$	-	\$	372	,	\$	9,844	,
Charge-offs		-			-			(254	)		(126	)		-		(15	)		•	)
Recoveries		-	`		- 520			- 76			- 01			-		2			2	
Provisions		(20	)		538			76			81			-		125			800	
Ending Balance 03/31/11	\$	621		Φ	5 460		ф	1.010		Φ	1 754		\$		Φ	101		Φ	10.251	
	Ф	634		\$	5,460		\$	1,919		\$	1,754		Э	-	\$	484		\$	10,251	
Beginning balance 12/31/11	\$	199		\$	2,181		\$	668		\$	1 705		\$		\$	663		\$	5 116	
Charge-offs	Ф			Ф	(202	`	Ф	(162	,	Ф	1,705		Ф	-	Ф	(11	`	Ф	5,416 (375	`
Recoveries		-			(202	)		(102	)		-			-		5	)		5	)
Provisions		699			1,299			278			(761	)		-		(252	`		1,263	
Ending Balance		099			1,299			210			(701	)		-		(232	)		1,203	
03/31/12	\$	898		\$	3,278		\$	784		\$	944		\$	_	\$	405		\$	6,309	
Ending Balance:	Ψ	070		Ψ	3,276		Ψ	704		Ψ	7 <del>11</del>		Ψ	-	Ψ	403		Ψ	0,309	
individually																				
evaluated for																				
impairment	\$	_		\$	_		\$	_		\$	_		\$	_	\$	_		\$	_	
Ending Balance:	Ψ			Ψ			Ψ			Ψ			Ψ		Ψ			Ψ		
collectively																				
evaluated for																				
impairment	\$	898		\$	3,278		\$	784		\$	944		\$	_	\$	405		\$	6,309	
Ending Balance:	_			_	-,		_	,		_			-		7			_	0,000	
loans acquired																				
with																				
deteriorate credit																				
quality*	\$	_		\$	_		\$	-		\$	-		\$	-	\$	_		\$	_	

<sup>\*</sup>The Company has taken no subsequent impaired provisions on loans acquired.

# NOTE I - LOANS RECEIVABLE, NET (Continued)

Allowance for Credit Losses and Recorded Investment in Financing Receivables At and For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2012

				Co				Home						
		C												
Co	mmercial												Total	
CC	mmererar	1	cai Estate	Co	iisti uction	1,	viortgage	CO.	iisti uctioii		onsumer		Total	
\$	38,811	\$	300,877	\$	16,638	\$	401,368	\$	9,316	\$	223,778	\$	990,788	
	<i>C</i> 5		27.402		4.200		5.055				1.005		20.617	
	65		27,492		4,200		5,055		-		1,805		38,617	
	24,366		203,974		12,438		339,297		789		174,615		755,479	
	40.050		<b>7</b> 0.444				12 = 60				44.760		1.50.016	
	13,373		58,144		-		43,760		-		44,569		159,846	
		\$ 38,811 65	Commercial R \$ 38,811 \$ 65 24,366	\$ 38,811 \$ 300,877 65 27,492 24,366 203,974	Commercial Real Estate Co \$ 38,811 \$ 300,877 \$ 65 27,492  24,366 203,974	Commercial         Real Estate         Construction           \$ 38,811         \$ 300,877         \$ 16,638           65         27,492         4,200           24,366         203,974         12,438	Commercial Estate- Real Estate- Construction M \$ 38,811 \$ 300,877 \$ 16,638 \$  65 27,492 4,200  24,366 203,974 12,438	Commercial Commercial Commercial         Real Estate- Estate- Construction         Residential Mortgage           \$ 38,811         \$ 300,877         \$ 16,638         \$ 401,368           65         27,492         4,200         5,055           24,366         203,974         12,438         339,297	Commercial   Estate-   Residential   Resid	Commercial Commercial Commercial Commercial Real Estate Construction         Residential Residential Mortgage Construction         Residential Mortgage Construction           \$ 38,811         \$ 300,877         \$ 16,638         \$ 401,368         \$ 9,316           65         27,492         4,200         5,055         -           24,366         203,974         12,438         339,297         789	Real   Estate   Commercial   Estate   Residential   Resi	Commercial Commercial Commercial Commercial Real Estate Construction         Residential Mortgage         Residential Construction         Equity and Other Consumer           \$ 38,811         \$ 300,877         \$ 16,638         \$ 401,368         \$ 9,316         \$ 223,778           65         27,492         4,200         5,055         -         1,805           24,366         203,974         12,438         339,297         789         174,615	Commercial Commercial Commercial Commercial Real Estate Construction         Residential Mortgage Residential Mortgage Construction         Equity and Other Consumer           \$ 38,811         \$ 300,877         \$ 16,638         \$ 401,368         \$ 9,316         \$ 223,778         \$           65         27,492         4,200         5,055         -         1,805           24,366         203,974         12,438         339,297         789         174,615	

# NOTE I - LOANS RECEIVABLE, NET (Continued)

Allowance for Credit Losses and Recorded Investment in Financing Receivables At December 31, 2011

					Co	mmercial					Home	
			Co	mmercial		Real					Equity	
				Real	I	Estate-	esidential	Resi	dential	an	d Other	
	Cor	nmercial		Estate	Cor	nstruction (1	Iortgage nousands)	Cons	truction	Co	onsumer	Total
Allowance for cred	lit											
losses:												
<b>Ending Balance</b>	\$	199	\$	2,181	\$	668	\$ 1,705	\$	-	\$	663	\$ 5,416
Ending Balance: individually evaluated for												
impairment	\$	_	\$	41	\$	_	\$ _	\$	_	\$	_	\$ 41
Ending Balance: collectively evaluated for												
impairment	\$	199	\$	2,140	\$	668	\$ 1,705	\$	-	\$	663	\$ 5,375
Ending Balance: loans acquired with deteriorate credit												
quality*	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -

<sup>\*</sup>These amounts represent credit marks established on loans acquired in merger which are netted against loans and not included in allowance for loan loss

NOTE I - LOANS RECEIVABLE, NET (Continued)

Allowance for Credit Losses and Recorded Investment in Financing Receivables At December 31, 2011

	Co	ommercial	ommercial eal Estate	ommercial Real Estate- onstruction	esidential Mortgage	esidential instruction	Home Equity and Other Consumer	Total
Loans Receivable: Ending balance Ending balance: individually	\$	39,184	\$ 292,646	\$ 23,756	\$ 394,206	\$ 11,095	\$ 218,853	\$ 979,740
evaluated for impairment Ending balance: legacy Roma collectively		561	27,056	7,290	4,797	-	1,671	41,375
evaluated for impairment Ending balance: acquired		23,808	193,637	16,466	329,379	878	167,510	731,678
loans collectively evaluated for impairment Ending balance: loans		13,774	61,460	-	46,381	-	47,638	169,253
acquired with deteriorated credit quality	\$	1,041	\$ 10,493	\$ -	\$ 13,649	\$ 10,217	\$ 2,034	\$ 37,434
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## NOTE I - LOANS RECEIVABLE, NET (Continued)

The following table summarizes information regarding to troubled debt restructuring as of March 31, 2012 (in thousands):

		Pre-Modification	Post-Modification
	Number	Outstanding	Outstanding
	of Recorded		Recorded
	Contracts	Investments	Investments
Troubled Debt Restructurings			
Commercial Real Estate	5	\$ 7,051	\$ 8,583
Commercial Real Estate	1	\$ 721	\$ 771

There were no troubled debt restructurings that subsequently defaulted.

As indicated in the table above, the Company modified five commercial real estate loans during the year ended December 31, 2011. There have been no modifications that should be considered troubled debt restructuring during 2012. The five loans modified were to one borrower and were restructured into one loan. As a result of the modified terms of the new loan, the Company extended the maturity of three of the modified loans and accelerated the term of the remaining two modified loans. The effective interest rate of the modified loans was reduced when compared to the weighted average interest rate of the original terms of the modified loans. The Company compared the fair value of the modified loan to the carrying amount of the original loans and determined that the modified terms did not require recognition of impairment due to the fair value of the modified loan exceeding the carrying amount of the original loans, combined with the fact that the Company received additional collateral under the terms of the modification. The borrower has remained current since the modification.

As indicated in the second loan detailed above, in the fourth quarter of 2011, RomAsia Bank modified a commercial real estate loan by reducing the interest rate, waiving principal for a period of three months, and advancing additional funds to bring real estate taxes current. At the time of modification an impairment of \$41,000 was recognized. The loan is performing as agreed since the modification.

#### NOTE J - REAL ESTATE HELD FOR SALE

The Company acquired in the merger a former branch site and a loan center. In January 2012, the former branch was sold at a loss of \$3 thousand. At March 31, 2012, the remaining location was available for sale and carried at lower of cost or market.

# NOTE K - DEPOSITS

A summary of deposits by type of account as of March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011 is as follows (dollars in thousands):

	March 31, 2012			December	r 31, 2011										
	Weighted Avg. Int.				C			e			e			Weighted Avg. Int	
	Amount	Rate		Amount	Rate										
Demand:															
Non-interest bearing checking	\$69,898	0.00	%	\$63,766	0.00	%									
Interest bearing checking	197,813	0.12	%	198,598	0.16	%									
	267,711	0.12	%	262,364	0.20	%									
Savings and club	521,906	0.37	%	517,124	0.44	%									
Certificates of deposit	757,004	1.53	%	796,118	1.62	%									
Total	\$1,546,621	0.89	%	\$1,575,606	0.98	%									

# NOTE L – FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK ADVANCES AND SECURITIES SOLD UNDER AGREEMENTS TO REPURCHASE AND SUBORDINATED DEBENTURES

At March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, the Company had outstanding amortizing Federal Home Bank of New York (FHLBNY) advances as follows (dollars in thousands):

	March 31, 2012			December 31, 2011		
	Interest				Interest	
	Amount	Rate		Amount	Rate	
Maturing:						
February 1, 2016	\$427	2.11	%	\$444	2.1	%
March 14, 2016	823	1.79	%	872	1.79	%
January 18, 2017	14,757	1.03	%	-	-	
Total amortizing loans	\$16,007			\$1,316		

# NOTE L – FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK ADVANCES AND SECURITIES SOLD UNDER AGREEMENTS TO REPURCHASE AND SUBORDINATED DEBENTURES (Continued)

At March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, Roma Bank and RomAsia Bank also had outstanding FHLBNY advances totaling \$31.4 million and \$35.0 million, respectively. The borrowings are as follows (in thousands):

03	3/31/2012	12	2/31/2011	Interest Rate	Maturity Date
\$	23,000	\$	23,000	3.90%	10/29/2017
	-		750	0.60%	02/22/2012
	-		3,500	1.47%	03/19/2012
	750		750	1.17%	02/22/2013
	1,500		1,500	2.09%	03/19/2013
	500		500	1.52%	12/23/2013
	500		500	1.73%	02/24/2014
	500		500	2.08%	12/22/2014
	500		500	2.61%	12/21/2015
	500		500	3.08%	12/21/2016
	692		_	1.00%	03/14/2016
	1,000		_	0.51%	03/19/2013
	1,000		-	0.72%	03/19/2014
	1,000		-	0.98%	03/19/2015
\$	31,442	\$	32,000		

Securities sold under agreements to repurchase are treated as financings and are reflected as a liability in the consolidated statements of financial condition. Securities sold under an agreement to repurchase amounted to \$40.0 million at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011. The maturities and respective interest rates are as follows: \$10.0 million maturing in 2015, at 3.22%; \$20.0 million maturing in 2018, callable at 08/22/11, at 3.51%; and \$10.0 million maturing in 2018, callable at 08/22/13, at 3.955%. The repurchase agreement is collateralized by securities described in the underlying agreement which are held in safekeeping by the FHLBNY. At March 31, 2012, the fair value of the mortgage-backed securities used as collateral under the repurchase agreement was approximately \$52.8 million.

On May 1, 2007, Sterling Banks Capital Trust I, a Delaware statutory business trust and a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company (the "Trust"), issued \$6.2 million of variable rate capital trust pass-through securities ("capital securities") to investors. The variable interest rate reprices quarterly at the three month LIBOR plus 1.7%. The Trust purchased \$6.2 million of variable rate junior subordinated debentures from Sterling Banks, Inc. The debentures are the sole asset of the Trust. The fair value of the subordinated debentures at acquisition of Sterling Banks, Inc. was \$5.1 million. The terms of the junior subordinated debentures are the same as the terms of the capital securities. The Company has also fully and unconditionally guaranteed the obligations of the Trust under the capital securities. The capital securities are redeemable by the Company on or after May 1, 2012 at par, or earlier if the deduction of related interest for federal income taxes is prohibited, classification as Tier I Capital is no longer allowed, or certain other contingencies arise. The capital securities must be redeemed upon final maturity of the subordinated debentures on May 1, 2037. On October 22, 2010, the Company repurchased \$4.0 million of these capital securities (with a market value of \$3.2 million).

#### NOTE M - RETIREMENT PLANS

Components of net periodic pension cost for the three months ended March 31, 2012 and 2011 were as follows (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended				
	M	arch 31,			
	2012	2011			
Service cost	\$179	\$136			
Interest cost	180	173			
Expected return on plan assets	(204	) (193 )			
Amortization of unrecognized net loss	192	86			
Amortization of unrecognized past service liability	3	4			
Net periodic benefit expense	\$350	\$206			

The Company expects to make contributions of approximately \$1,172,000 during 2012.

#### NOTE N – CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS AND OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS

In the normal course of business, the Company enters into off-balance sheet arrangements consisting of commitments to fund residential and commercial loans and lines of credit. Outstanding loan commitments at March 31, 2012 were as follows (in thousands):

	$\mathbf{N}$	Iarch 31,
		2012
Residential mortgage and equity loans	\$	20,544
Commercial loans committed not closed		20,581
Commercial lines of credit		32,993
Consumer unused lines of credit		63,116
Commercial letters of credit		2,581
	\$	139,815

In the ordinary course of business to meet the financial needs of the Company's customers, the Company is party to financial instruments with off-balance-sheet risk. These financial instruments include unused lines of credit and involve, to varying degrees, elements of credit risk in excess of the amount recognized in the consolidated financial statements. The contract or notional amounts of these instruments express the extent of involvement the Company has in each category of financial instruments.

The Company's exposure to credit loss from nonperformance by the other party to the above-mentioned financial instruments is represented by the contractual amount of those instruments. The Company uses the same credit policies in making commitments and conditional obligations as it does for on-balance sheet instruments. The contract or notional amount of financial instruments which represent credit risk at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011 is as follows (in thousands):

	March 31,		D	ecember 31,
		2012		2011
Standby by letters of credit	\$	2,581	\$	2,926
Outstanding loan and credit line commitments	\$	137,234	\$	91,802

Standby letters of credit are conditional commitments issued by the Company which guarantee performance by a customer to a third party. The credit risk and underwriting procedures involved in issuing letters of credit are essentially the same as that involved in extending loan facilities to customers. These are irrevocable undertakings by the Company, as guarantor, to make payments in the event a specified third party fails to perform under a non-financial contractual obligation. Most of the Company's performance standby letters of credit arise in connection with lending relationships and have terms of one year or less. The current amount of the liability related to guarantees under standby letters of credit issued is not material as of March 31, 2012.

Outstanding loan commitments represent the unused portion of loan commitments available to individuals and companies as long as there is no violation of any condition established in the contract. Outstanding loan commitments generally have a fixed expiration date of one year or less, except for home equity loan commitments which generally have an expiration date of up to 15 years. The Company evaluates each customer's creditworthiness on a case-by-case basis. The amount of collateral, if any, obtained, upon extension of credit is based upon management's credit evaluation of the customer. While various types of collateral may be held, property is primarily obtained as security. The credit risk involved in these financial instruments is essentially the same as that involved in extending loan facilities to customers.

# NOTE N – CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS AND OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS (Continued)

The Banks have non-cancelable operating leases for branch offices. The following is a schedule by years of future minimum rental payments required under operating leases that have initial or remaining non-cancelable lease terms in excess of one year at March 31, 2012: (In thousands)

#### Year Ended March 31:

2013	\$ 1,172
2014	1,146
2015	891
2016	877
2017	893
Thereafter	8,427
Total Minimum Payments Required	\$ 13,406

Included in the total required minimum lease payments is \$1,628,000 of payments to the LLC. The Company eliminates these payments in consolidation.

#### NOTE O – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS AND DISCLOSURES

The Company follows the guidance on fair value measurements now codified as FASB ASC Topic 820, Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures. Fair value measurements are not adjusted for transaction costs. ASC Topic 820 establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value.

Management uses its best judgment in estimating the fair value of the Company's financial instruments; however, there are inherent weaknesses in any estimation technique. Therefore, for substantially all financial instruments, the fair value estimates herein are not necessarily indicative of the amounts the Company could have realized in a sales transaction on the dates indicated. The estimated fair value amounts have been measured as of their respective period end and have not been re-evaluated or updated for purposes of these financial statements subsequent to those respective dates. As such, the estimated fair values of these financial instruments subsequent to the respective reporting dates may be different than the amounts reported at each period-end.

The fair value measurement hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

Level 1: Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for identical, unrestricted assets or liabilities.

Level 2: Quoted prices in markets that are not active, or inputs that are observable either directly or indirectly, for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3: Prices or valuation techniques that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable (i.e., supported with little or no market activity.

An asset's or liability's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

# NOTE O – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS AND DISCLOSURES (Continued)

For financial assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis, the fair value measurements by level within the fair value hierarchy used at March 31, 2012 were as follows:

	(I	Level 1)						
	(	Quoted						
	P	rices in	(	Level 2)				
		Active	S	ignificant	(I	Level 3)	7	Total Fair
	Ma	arkets for		Other	Si	gnificant		Value
	I	dentical	O	bservable	Unc	bservable	N	March 31,
Description	Assets		Inputs		Inputs			2012
	(In Tho			ousand	s)			
Mortgage backed securities-U.S. Government								
Sponsored Enterprises (GSEs)	\$	-	\$	21,753	\$	-	\$	21,753
Obligations of state and political subdivisions		-		5,654		-		5,654
U.S. Government (including agencies)		-		9,604		-		9,604
Corporate bond		-		955		-		955
Equity securities		-		52		-		52
Mutual funds		-		2,964		-		2,964
Securities available for sale	\$	-	\$	40,982	\$	-	\$	40,982

For financial assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis, the fair value measurements by level within the fair value hierarchy, used at December 31, 2011 were as follows:

	(Level 1)			
	Quoted			
	Prices in	(Level 2)		
	Active	Significant	(Level 3)	Total Fair
	Markets for	Other	Significant	Value
	Identical	Observable	Unobservable	December
Description	Assets	Inputs	Inputs	31, 2011
		(In Th	ousands)	
Mortgage backed securities-U.S. Government Sponsored				
Enterprises (GSEs)	\$ -	\$ 23,368	\$ -	\$ 23,368
Obligations of state and political subdivisions	-	5,606	-	5,606
U.S. Government (including agencies)	-	9,639	-	9,639
Corporate bond	-	894	-	894
Equity securities	-	49	-	49
Mutual funds	-	2,935	-	2,935
Securities available for sale	\$ -	\$ 42,291	\$ -	\$ 42,291

#### NOTE O – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS AND DISCLOSURES (Continued)

For assets measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis, the fair value measurements by level within the fair value hierarchy used at March 31, 2012, were as follows:

	(Level 1)			
	Quoted			
	Prices in	(Level 2)		
	Active	Significant	(Level 3)	Total Fair
	Markets for	Other	Significant	Value
	Identical	Observable	Unobservable	March 31,
Description	Assets	Inputs	Inputs	2012
	(In Thousands)			
Impaired loans	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 16,858	\$ 16,858
Real estate and other assets owned	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,960	\$ 5,960
Real estate held for sale	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 640	\$ 640

Assets measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis and for which Roma Financial Corporation has utilized level 3 inputs to determine fair value were immaterial at March 31, 2012. The following table presents additional quantitative information about assets measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis and for which Roma Financial Corporation has utilized level 3 inputs to determine fair value:

Quantitative Information About Level 3 Fair Value Measurements

Description	Fair Value Estimate		Valuation Techniques	Unobservable Input	Range (Weighted Average)			
	(In Thousands)							
			Appraisal of	Liquidation				
Impaired loans	\$	16,858	collateral (1)	expenses (2)	5.0% to 20.0%			
Real estate and other			Appraisal of	Liquidation				
assets owned	\$	5,960	collateral (1)	expenses (2)	5.0% to 10.0%			
			Appraisal of	Liquidation				
Real etate held for sale	\$	640	collateral (1)	expenses (2)	5.0%			

- (1) Fair value is generally determined through independent appraisals of the underlying collateral, which generally include level 3 inputs which are not identifiable.
- (2) Appraisals may be adjusted by management for qualitative factors such as economic conditions and estimated liquidation expenses. The range and weighted average of liquidation expenses are presented as a percent of the appraisal.

The Company's policy is to recognize transfers between levels as of the actual date of the event or change in circumstances that caused the transfer. There were no transfers between Level 1, 2, and 3 for the three months ended March 31, 2012.

#### NOTE O – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS AND DISCLOSURES (Continued)

For assets measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis, the fair value measurements by level within the fair value hierarchy used at December 31, 2011, were as follows:

	(Level 1)				
	Quoted				
	Prices in	(Level 2)			
	Active	Significant	(Level 3)	Total Fair	
	Markets for	Other	Significant	Value	
	Identical	Observable	Unobservable	December	
Description	Assets	Inputs	Inputs	31, 2011	
		(In Th	housands)		
Impaired loans	\$-	\$-	\$ 18,800	\$ 18,800	
Real estate owned	\$-	\$-	\$ 3,276	\$3,276	
Real estate held for sale	\$-	\$-	\$ 970	\$970	
Mortgage servicing rights	\$-	\$-	\$ 419	\$419	

#### Other Real Estate Owned

Real estate owned assets are adjusted to fair value, less estimated selling costs, upon transfer of the loans to real estate owned. Subsequently, real estate owned assets are carried at the lower of carrying value or fair value. Fair value is based upon independent market prices, appraised values of the collateral or management's estimation of the value of the collateral. These assets are included as Level 3 fair values.

#### Real Estate Held for Sale

Real estate held for sale is adjusted to fair value less estimated selling costs upon transfer of the assets. Subsequently, real estate held for sale assets are carried at the lower of carrying value or fair value. Fair value is based upon independent market prices, appraised values of the collateral or management's estimation of the value of the collateral.

These assets are included as Level 3 fair values. The following is management's estimate of the fair value of all financial instruments whether carried at cost or fair value on the Company's statement of financial condition.

#### NOTE O – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS AND DISCLOSURES (Continued)

The following information should not be interpreted as an estimate of the fair value of the Company since a fair value calculation is only provided for a limited portion of the Company assets and liabilities. Due to a wide range of valuation techniques and the degree of subjectivity used in making the estimates, comparisons between the Company disclosures and those of other companies may not be meaningful. The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair values of the Company's financial instruments at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011.

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents (Carried at Cost)

The carrying amounts reported in the balance sheet for cash and short-term instruments approximate those assets' fair values.

#### Securities

The fair value of securities available for sale (carried at fair value) and held to maturity (carried at amortized cost) are determined by matrix pricing (Level 2), which is a mathematical technique used widely in the industry to value debt securities without relying exclusively on quoted market prices for the specific securities but rather by relying on the securities' relationship to other benchmark quoted prices. Level 2 debt securities are valued by a third-party service commonly used in the banking industry. Level 2 fair value measurements consider observable data that may include dealer quotes, market spreads, cash flows, the U.S. treasury yield curve, live trading levels, trade execution date, market consensus, prepayment speeds, credit information and the security's terms and conditions, among other things.

#### Loans Receivable (Carried at Cost)

The fair values of loans are estimated using discounted cash flow analyses, using market rates at the balance sheet date that reflect the credit and interest rate-risk inherent in the loans. Projected future cash flows are calculated based upon contractual maturity or call dates, projected repayments and prepayments of principal. Generally, for variable rate loans that reprice frequently and with no significant change in credit risk, fair values are based on carrying values. The fair value measurement of loans receivable is Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.

#### Impaired Loans (Generally Carried at Fair Value)

Impaired loans carried at fair value are those impaired loans in which the Company has measured impairment generally based on the fair value of the related loan's collateral. Fair value is generally determined based upon independent third-party appraisals of the properties, or discounted cash flows based upon the expected proceeds. These assets are included as Level 3 fair values, based upon the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurements. The fair value at March 31, 2012 consists of the loan balances of \$21.1 million, net of cumulative charge offs of \$4.2 million. The fair value at December 31, 2011 consists of the loan balances of \$24.4 million, net of cumulative charge offs of \$5.6 million. The fair value measurement of impaired loans is Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.

#### Mortgage Servicing Rights

Fair value is based on a valuation model that calculates the present value of estimated future net servicing income. The fair value measurement of mortgage servicing rights is Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.

Federal Home Loan Bank Stock and ACBB Stock (Carried at Cost)

The carrying amount of this restricted investment's in bank stock approximates fair value, and considers the limited marketability of such securities.

Accrued Interest Receivable and Payable (Carried at Cost)

The carrying amount of accrued interest receivable and accrued interest payable approximates its fair value.

#### NOTE O – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS AND DISCLOSURES (Continued)

#### Deposit Liabilities (Carried at Cost)

The fair values disclosed for demand deposits (e.g., interest and noninterest checking, passbook savings and money market accounts) are, by definition, equal to the amount payable on demand at the reporting date (i.e., their carrying amounts). Fair values for fixed-rate certificates of deposit are estimated using a discounted cash flow calculation that applies interest rates currently being offered in the market on certificates to a schedule of aggregated expected monthly maturities on time deposits. The fair value measurement of deposits is Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.

Federal Home Loan Bank of New York Advances and Securities Sold Under Agreements to Repurchase (Carried at Cost)

Fair values of FHLB advances are determined by discounting the anticipated future cash payments by using the rates currently available to the Company for debt with similar terms and remaining maturities. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase are estimated using discounted cash flow analysis, based on quoted prices for available borrowings with similar credit risk characteristics, terms and remaining maturity. These prices obtained from this active market represent a market value that is deemed to represent the transfer price if the liability were assumed by a third party. The fair value measurement of Federal Home Loan Bank of New York Advances and Securities Sold Under Agreement to Repurchase is Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.

#### **Subordinated Debentures**

The fair value estimate of subordinated debentures is determined by discounting future cash payments by using the rates currently available to the Company for debt with similar terms and remaining maturities. The fair value measurement of subordinated debentures is Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.

Off-Balance Sheet Financial Instruments (Disclosed at Cost)

Fair values for the Company's off-balance sheet financial instruments (lending commitments and letters of credit) are based on fees currently charged in the market to enter into similar agreements, taking into account, the remaining terms of the agreements and the counterparties' credit standing. The fair value of these off-balance sheet financial instruments was not considered material as of March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011.

# NOTE O – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS AND DISCLOSURES (Continued)

The carrying amounts and estimated fair values of financial instruments as of March 31, 2012 are as follows:

			(Level 1)		
			Quoted		
			Prices	(Level 2)	
			in Active	Significant	(Level 3)
			Markets for	Other	Significant
	Carrying	Estimated	Identical	Observable	Unobservable
	Value	Fair Value	Assets	Inputs	Inputs
	(In Thousands)				
Financial assets:					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$123,854	\$123,854	\$123,854	\$-	\$ -
Securities available for sale	40,982	40,982	-	40,982	-
Investment securities held to maturity	207,913	209,485	-	209,485	-
Mortgage-backed securities held to					
maturity	423,043	443,020	-	443,020	-
Loans receivable	973,459	1,000,080	-	-	1,000,080
Federal Home Loan Bank of New					
York and ACBB Stock	6,858	6,858	-	6,858	-
Accrued interest receivable	6,655	6,655	6,655	-	-
Financial liabilities:					
Deposits	1,546,621	1,560,837	_	_	1,560,837
Federal Home Loan Bank of New York	,,-	, ,			, ,
Advances	47,449	50,114	_	-	50,114
Securities sold under agreements to	,	,			,
repurchase	40,000	45,219	_	_	45,219
Subordinated debentures	1,918	1,918	_	_	1,918
Accrued interest payable	482	482	482	-	-

#### NOTE O – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS AND DISCLOSURES (Continued)

The carrying amounts and estimated fair values of financial instruments as of December 31, 2011 are as follows:

	December 31, 2011 Estima	
	Carrying	Fair
	Value	Value
	(In Thousands)	
Financial assets:		
Cash a Cash and cash equivalents	\$84,659	\$84,659
Securities available for sale	42,491	42,491
Investment securities held to maturity	241,185	243,022
Mortgage-backed securities held to		
maturity	438,523	458,555
Loans receivable	962,389	981,842
Federal Home Loan Bank of New York and ACBB Stock	5,798	5,798
Accrued interest receivable	6,492	6,492
Financial liabilities:		
Deposits	1,575,606	1,584,852
Federal Home Loan Bank of New York Advances	33,316	37,462
Securities sold under agreements to		
Repurchase	40,000	45,529
Subordinated debentures	1,915	1,915
Accrued interest payable	646	646

#### Limitations

The fair value estimates are made at a discrete point in time based on relevant market information and information about the financial instruments. Fair value estimates are based on judgments regarding future expected loss experience, current economic conditions, risk characteristics of various financial instruments, and other factors.

These estimates are subjective in nature and involve uncertainties and matters of significant judgment and, therefore, cannot be determined with precision. Changes in assumptions could significantly affect the estimates. Further, the foregoing estimates may not reflect the actual amount that could be realized if all or substantially all of the financial instruments were offered for sale. This is due to the fact that no market exists for a sizable portion of the loan, deposit and off balance sheet instruments.

In addition, the fair value estimates are based on existing on-and-off balance sheet financial instruments without attempting to value anticipated future business and the value of assets and liabilities that are not considered financial instruments. Other significant assets that are not considered financial assets include premises and equipment. In addition, the tax ramifications related to the realization of the unrealized gains and losses can have a significant effect on fair value estimates and have not been considered in any of the estimates.

Finally, reasonable comparability between financial institutions may not be likely due to the wide range of permitted valuation techniques and numerous estimates which must be made given the absence of active secondary markets for many of the financial instruments. This lack of uniform valuation methodologies introduces a greater degree of

subjectivity to these estimated fair values.

# NOTE P – ACCUMULATED OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)

Components of accumulated other comprehensive loss at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011 were as follows (in thousands):

	March 31, 2012 (in The			December 31, 2011 ousands)		l
Net unrealized gain on securities available						
for sale	\$	877		\$	842	
Tax effect		(369	)		(354	)
Net of tax amount		508			488	
Minimum pension liability		(8,541	)		(8,541	)
Tax effect		3,416			3,416	
Net of tax amount		(5,125	)		(5,125	)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	\$	(4,617	)	\$	(4,637	)

ITEM 2 – Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

This Form 10-Q contains forward-looking statements, which can be identified by the use of words such as "believes," "expects," "anticipates," "estimates" or similar expressions. Forward – looking statements include:

- Statements of our goals, intentions and expectations;
- Statements regarding our business plans, prospects, growth and operating strategies;
  - Statements regarding the quality of our loan and investment portfolios; and
    - Estimates of our risks and future costs and benefits.

These forward-looking statements are subject to significant risks and uncertainties. Actual results may differ materially from those contemplated by the forward-looking statements due to, among others, the following factors:

- General economic conditions, either nationally or in our market area, that are worse than expected;
- Changes in the interest rate environment that reduce our interest margins or reduce the fair value of financial instruments:
- Our ability to enter into new markets and/or expand product offerings successfully and take advantage of growth opportunities;
  - Increased competitive pressures among financial services companies;
    - Changes in consumer spending, borrowing and savings habits;
  - Legislative or regulatory changes that adversely affect our business;
    - Adverse changes in the securities markets:
    - Our ability to successfully manage our growth; and
- Changes in accounting policies and practices, as may be adopted by the bank regulatory agencies, the Financial Accounting Standards Board or the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board.

Any of the forward-looking statements that we make in this report and in other public statements we make may turn out to be wrong because of inaccurate assumptions we might make, because of the factors illustrated above or because of other factors that we cannot foresee. Consequently, no forward-looking statement can be guaranteed.

Comparison of Financial Condition at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011

#### General

Total assets increased by \$7.5 million to \$1.9 billion at March 31, 2012 compared to \$1.9 billion at December 31, 2011. Total liabilities increased \$6.1 million to \$1.7 billion at March 31, 2012 compared to \$1.7 billion at December 31, 2011. Total stockholders' equity increased \$1.4 million to \$219.4 million at March 31, 2012. The increase in assets was primarily funded by borrowings of \$15.0 million, offset by a decrease in deposits.

#### **Deposits**

Total deposits decreased \$29.0 million to \$1.5 billion at March 31, 2012, compared to \$1.6 billion at December 31, 2011. Non-interest bearing demand deposits increased \$6.1 million to \$69.9 million at March 31, 2012, and interest bearing demand deposits decreased \$.8 million to \$197.8 million. Savings and club accounts increased \$4.8 million to \$521.9 million, and certificates of deposit decreased \$39.1 million to \$757.0 million at March 31, 2012. The Company has continued to lower deposit rates to control interest margin.

Investments (Including Mortgage-Backed Securities)

The investment portfolio decreased \$50.3 million to \$671.9 million at March 31, 2012, compared to \$722.2 million at December 31, 2011. Securities available for sale decreased \$1.5 million to \$41.0 million at March 31, 2012, compared to \$42.5 million at December 31, 2011, primarily due to calls and principal repayments. Investments held to maturity decreased \$33.3 million to \$207.9 million at March 31, 2012, compared to \$241.2 million at December 31, 2011, primarily due to calls. Mortgage-backed securities decreased \$15.5 million to \$423.0 million at March 31, 2012, compared to \$438.5 million at December 31, 2011.

#### Loans

Net loans increased by \$11.1 million to \$973.5 million at March 31, 2012, compared to \$962.4 million at December 31, 2011. Commercial and multi-family real estate mortgages increased \$7.9 million to \$339.7 million at March 31, 2012, compared to \$331.8 million at December 31, 2011. Gross construction loans decreased \$8.9 million to \$25.9 million at March 31, 2012, compared to \$34.8 million at December 31, 2011. Residential and consumer loans increased \$12.1 million from December 31, 2011 to March 31, 2012.

#### Other Assets

All other asset categories, except cash and cash equivalents, increased by \$7.7 million from December 31, 2011 to March 31, 2012. This increase was primarily caused by the purchase of an additional \$4.5 million of bank owned life insurance and an increase of \$2.7 million in real estate owned.

#### Federal Home Loan Bank of New York Advances

The \$14.1 million increase in Federal Home Loan Bank of New York (FHLBNY) advances during the three months ended March 31, 2012 was due to additional advances of \$15.0 million to Roma Bank and \$3.7 million to RomAsia Bank, offset by repayments of \$4.6 million. At March 31 2012, the outstanding FHLBNY advances were \$47.4 million, compared to \$33.3 million at December 31, 2011.

#### Other Liabilities

Other liabilities increased \$20.9 million to \$40.2 million at March 31, 2012. The net increase was primarily due to an increase of \$21.0 million in securities purchased and not settled at March 31, 2012.

#### Stockholders' Equity

Stockholders' equity increased \$1.4 million to \$219.4 million at March 31, 2012 compared to \$218.0 million at December 31, 2011. The net increase was primarily caused by net income of \$1.4 million.

Comparison of Operating Results for the Three Months Ended March 31, 2011 and 2010

#### General

Net income decreased \$437 thousand to \$1.4 million for the quarter ended March 31, 2012, compared to \$1.9 million and for the prior year period. A decrease of \$950 thousand in interest income was offset by a decrease of \$944 thousand in interest expense. The overall decrease was primarily due to an increase of \$463 thousand in the provision for loan losses and an increase of \$612 thousand in loan expense primarily related to delinquent real estate taxes on classified loans. This was offset by an increase of \$514 thousand in non-interest income, and a decrease of \$257 thousand in the provision for federal and state income taxes.

#### Interest Income

Interest income decreased by \$950 thousand to \$17.7 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 compared to \$18.6 million for the prior year period. The decrease was primarily caused by a decrease of \$1.3 million in interest income from investments. The Company has experienced calls of securities in excess of \$300.0 million since January 1, 2011. Because the demand for commercial loans continues to be sluggish, and the majority of the thirty year mortgages are being sold, the reinvestment of the proceeds of the securities called is being invested in new securities at a much lower yield. Interest income from loans increased \$305 thousand to \$12.0 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012. Interest income from residential mortgage loans decreased \$246 thousand over the comparable quarter ended March 31, 2011, while interest income from equity loans increased \$48 thousand. The weighted average interest rates for mortgage and equity loans at March 31, 2011 were 4.88% and 5.25%, respectively, compared to 4.73% and 5.42%, respectively, in the prior year. Interest income from commercial and multifamily mortgage loans and commercial loans increased \$505 thousand from period to period. The weighted average interest rate for commercial and multi-family mortgage loans and commercial loans was 5.49% at March 31, 2012, and 5.81% at March 31, 2011.

Interest income from mortgage-backed securities decreased \$252 thousand over the comparable quarter in 2011. The decrease was primarily due to a decrease in yields. Interest income from investments held to maturity decreased \$1.0 million for the quarter ended March 31, 2012. This decrease was primarily due to an decrease in the portfolio from year to year and the reinvestment of the proceeds of called securities into lower yielding investments. Interest income on securities available for sale decreased \$42 thousand from period to period. Interest income from other interest earning assets increased \$21 thousand primarily because of higher balances in overnight funds.

#### Interest Expense

Interest expense decreased \$944 thousand for the three month period ended March 31, 2012 to \$4.3 million compared to \$5.3 million for the three months ended March 31, 2011. The decrease was primarily due to a \$941 thousand decrease in interest paid on deposits. Total deposits increased \$796 thousand over the twelve month period ended March 31, 2011. The Company has continued to lower rates to better manage interest margins over the last several months. The minimal increase in the portfolio was offset by a decrease in the weighted average interest rate of 35 basis points to .89% at March 31, 2012, compared to 1.24% at March 31, 2011. Interest expense on borrowed funds decreased \$3 thousand to \$686 thousand, primarily due to the increase in FHLBNY advances, offset by lower interest rates.

#### Provision for Loan Losses

The loan loss provision for the three months ended March 31, 2012 increased \$463 thousand to \$1.3 million. The increase in the provision is primarily related to an increase in the allowance methodology environmental factor relating to historical losses. In the fourth quarter of 2011, the Company charged off approximately \$5.2 million of specific reserves. The inclusion of these charge offs in the quarterly methodology update increased the basis points in the environmental factor related to historical losses. The overall provision percentage changed 6 basis points from 72 basis points to 78 basis points. The provision percentages for the residential mortgages and equity loans decreased 26 basis points and 17 basis points respectively as the company charged off fewer loans in these categories. The provision percentages for commercial real estate, commercial construction and commercial and industrial loans increased 27 basis points, 37 basis points and 312 points, respectively, in relation to the charge offs in those categories.

Total non-performing loans were \$38.2 million and \$45.0 million at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, respectively. The legacy Roma and RomAsia non-performing loans were \$22.9 million and \$23.4 million at March

31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, respectively. The allowance for loan losses to non-performing legacy Roma and RomAsia loans was 27.5% and 23.1% at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, respectively, and allowance for loan loss to total legacy Roma and RomAsia loans represented 0.80% and 0.71%, respectively, for the same periods of time. Total loans included \$13.9 million and \$14.6 million of credit marks on the acquired loans at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, respectively. Total allowance for loan loss and credit marks were 1.84% and 1.83% of total gross loans at March 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011.

Management believes that the impaired loans remain well collateralized and where needed, appropriate charge offs have occurred, or credit marks, have been established. The Company is taking a proactive approach in identifying loans at an early stage that may be experiencing cash flow deterioration or collateral weakening even though the loan remains current. The Company obtains new appraisals at least annually on substandard assets.

#### Non-Interest Income

Non-interest income increased \$514 thousand to \$1.7 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012, compared to \$1.2 million for the three months ended March 31, 2011. The net increase was chiefly derived from increases in gain on sale of mortgage loans of \$313 thousand, increase in income from bank owned life insurance of \$47 thousand, increases of \$38 thousand in commissions on sales of title policies, and increases of \$142 thousand in other non-interest income primarily related to gains on calls of securities, mortgage servicing rights income and ATM fees.

#### Non-Interest Expense

Non-interest expense increased \$703 thousand to \$11.7 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 compared to \$11.0 million for the three months ended March 31, 2011. Salaries and employee benefits increased \$297 thousand to \$6.4 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 compared to the same period in the prior year. This increase is reflective of annual salary increases as well as increase in compensation expense related to equity incentive plans and pension costs. Overall FTE's declined by 5 from year to year primarily in branch personnel as management realigned staff to reduce salary costs. Net occupancy of premises expense decreased \$153 thousand for the three month period ended March 31, 2012. Loan expense for commercial and mortgage loans increased \$612 thousand from period to period primarily related to the costs associated with redeeming tax certificates and collection costs on impaired loans. Other non-interest expenses increased by \$104 thousand to \$1.3 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012, compared to \$1.2 million for the same period in the prior year, primarily related to general small annual increases by various vendors. Federal deposit insurance premiums decreased \$178 thousand primarily due to the revised assessment reates effective April 1, 2011 based on assets versus deposits which was favorable to the Company. Occupancy costs decreased \$153 thousand from period to period.

#### **Provision for Income Taxes**

Income tax expense decreased by \$257 thousand to \$627 thousand for the three months ended March 31, 2012 compared to \$884 thousand for the three months ended March 31, 2011 primarily as a result of lower pre-tax income. Income tax expense, represented an effective rate of -29.9% for the three months ended March 31, 2012, compared to 32.1% in the prior year quarter. The Company pays a state tax rate of 3.6% on the taxable income of our investment company and 9.0 % on the taxable income of the other entities.

#### **Critical Accounting Policies**

Critical accounting policies are defined as those that are reflective of significant judgments and uncertainties, and could potentially result in materially different results under different assumptions and conditions. We believe that the most critical accounting policy upon which our financial condition and results of operation depend, and which involves the most complex subjective decisions or assessments, is the allowance for loan losses.

# Allowance for Loan Losses

The allowance for loan losses represents our best estimate of losses known and inherent in our loan portfolio that are both probable and reasonable to estimate. In determining the amount of the allowance for loan losses, we consider the losses inherent in our loan portfolio and changes in the nature and volume of our loan activities, along with general economic and real estate market conditions. We utilize a segmented approach which identifies: (1) impaired loans for which specific reserves are established; (2) classified loans for which a higher allowance is established; and (3) performing loans for which a general valuation allowance is established. We maintain a loan review system which provides for a systematic review of the loan portfolios and the early identification of impaired loans. The review of residential real estate and home equity consumer loans, as well as other more complex loans, is triggered by identified evaluation factors, including delinquency status, size of loan, type of collateral and the financial condition of the

borrower. All commercial loans are evaluated individually for impairment. Specific loan loss allowances are established for impaired loans based on a review of such information and/or appraisals of the underlying collateral. General loan loss allowances are based upon a combination of factors including, but not limited to, actual loan loss experience, composition of the loan portfolio, current economic conditions and management's judgment.

Although general loan loss allowances are established in accordance with management's best estimate, actual losses are dependent upon future events, and as such, further provisions for loan losses may be necessary in order to increase the level of the allowance for loan losses. For example, our evaluation of the allowance includes consideration of current economic conditions, and a change in economic conditions could reduce the ability of borrowers to make timely repayments of their loans. This could result in increased delinquencies and increased non-performing loans, and thus a need to make increased provisions to the allowance for loan losses. Any such increase in provisions would result in a reduction to our earnings. A change in economic conditions could also adversely affect the value of properties collateralizing real estate loans, resulting in increased charges against the allowance and reduced recoveries, and require increased provisions to the allowance for loan losses. Furthermore, a change in the composition, or growth, of our loan portfolio's could result in the need for additional provisions.

#### Acquired loans

Loans that we acquire in acquisitions subsequent to January 1, 2009, are recorded at fair value with no carryover of the related allowance for credit losses. Determining the fair value of the loans involves estimating the amount and timing of principal and interest cash flows expected to be collected on the loans and discounting those cash flows at a market rate of interest.

The excess of cash flows expected at acquisition over the estimated fair value is referred to as the accretable discount or premium and is recognized into interest income over the remaining life of the loan. The difference between the contractually required payments at acquisition and the cash flows expected to be collected at acquisition is referred to as the non accretable discount. The nonaccretable discount represents estimated future credit losses expected to be incurred over the life of the loan. Subsequent decreases to the expected cash flows require us to evaluate the need for an allowance for credit losses. Subsequent improvements in expected cash flows result in the reversal of a corresponding amount of the nonaccretable discount which we then reclassify as accretable discount that is recognized into interest income over the remaining life of the loan using the interest method. Our evaluation of the amount of future cash flows that we expect to collect is performed in a similar manner as that used to determine our allowance for credit losses. Charge-offs of the principal amount on acquired loans would be first applied to the nonaccretable discount portion of the fair value adjustment.

#### **New Accounting Pronouncements**

The FASB has issued ASU No. 2011-03, Reconsideration of Effective Control for Repurchase Agreements, to clarify the accounting principles applied to repurchase agreements, as set forth by FASB ASC Topic 860, Transfers and Servicing. This ASU amends one of three criteria used to determine whether or not a transfer of assets may be treated as a sale by the transferor. Under Topic 860, the transferor may not maintain effective control over the transferred assets in order to qualify as a sale. This ASU eliminates the criteria under which the transferor must retain collateral sufficient to repurchase or redeem the collateral on substantially agreed upon terms as a method of maintaining effective control. This ASU is effective for both public and nonpublic entities for interim and annual reporting periods beginning on or after December 31, 2011, and requires prospective application to transactions or modifications of transactions which occur on or after the effective date. Early adoption is not permitted. The adoption of this ASU did not have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

ASU No. 2011-04, Amendments to Achieve Common Fair Value Measurements and Disclosure Requirements in U.S. GAAP and IFRSs amends FASB ASC Topic 820, Fair Value Measurements, to bring U.S. GAAP for fair value measurements in line with International Accounting Standards. The ASU clarifies existing guidance for items such as: the application of the highest and best use concept to non-financial assets and liabilities; the application of fair value measurement to financial instruments classified in a reporting entity's stockholder's equity; and disclosure requirements regarding quantitative information about unobservable inputs used in the fair value measurements of level 3 assets. The ASU also creates an exception to Topic 820 for entities which carry financial instruments within a portfolio or group, under which the entity is now permitted to base the price used for fair valuation upon a price that would be received to sell the net asset position or transfer a net liability position in an orderly transaction. The ASU also allows for the application of premiums and discounts in a fair value measurement if the financial instrument is categorized in level 2 or 3 of the fair value hierarchy. Lastly, the ASU contains new disclosure requirements regarding fair value amounts categorized as level 3 in the fair value hierarchy such as: disclosure of the valuation process used; effects of and relationships between unobservable inputs; usage of nonfinancial assets for purposes other than their highest and best use when that is the basis of the disclosed fair value; and categorization by level of items disclosed at fair value, but not measured at fair value for financial statement purposes. For public entities, this ASU is effective for interim and annual periods beginning after December 15, 2011. For nonpublic entities, the ASU is effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2011. Early adoption is not permitted. The adoption of this ASU did not have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In June 2011, the FASB issued ASU No. 2011-05, Comprehensive Income (Topic 220): Presentation of Comprehensive Income. This update provides an entity the option to present the total of comprehensive income, the components of net income, and the components of other comprehensive income either in a single continuous statement of comprehensive income or in two separate but consecutive statements. In both choices, an entity is required to present each component of net income along with total net income, each component of other comprehensive income along with a total for other comprehensive income, and a total amount for comprehensive income. In a single continuous statement, the entity is required to present the components of net income and total net income, the components of other comprehensive income and a total for other comprehensive income, along with the total of comprehensive income in that statement. In the two-statement approach, an entity is required to present components of net income and total net income in the statement of net income. The statement of other comprehensive income should immediately follow the statement of net income and include the components of other comprehensive income and a total for other comprehensive income, along with a total for comprehensive income. The amendments do not affect how earnings per share is calculated or presented. This update is effective for fiscal years and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2011 and is to be applied retrospectively. The adoption of this ASU did not have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In September 2011, the FASB issued ASU No. 2011-08, Intangibles-Goodwill and Other (Topic 350): Testing Goodwill for Impairment. ASU No. 2011-08 provides entities with the option to first assess qualitative factors to determine whether the existence of events or circumstances leads to a determination that it is more likely than not that the fair value of a reporting unit is less than its carrying amount. If, after assessing the totality of events or circumstances, an entity determines it is not more likely than not that the fair value of a reporting unit is less than its carrying amount, then performing the two-step impairment test is unnecessary. However, if an entity concludes otherwise, then it is required to perform the first step of the two-step impairment test by calculating the fair value of the reporting unit and comparing the fair value with the carrying amount of the reporting unit. If the carrying amount of a reporting unit exceeds its fair value, then the entity is required to perform the second step of the goodwill impairment test to measure the amount of the impairment loss, if any. Under the amendments in ASU No. 2011-08, an entity has the option to bypass the qualitative assessment for any reporting unit in any period and proceed directly to performing the first step of the two-step goodwill impairment test. An entity may resume performing the qualitative assessment in any subsequent period. The amendments enacted by ASU No. 2011-08 are effective for annual and interim goodwill impairment tests performed for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2011. Early adoption is permitted, including for annual and interim goodwill impairment tests performed as of a date before September 15, 2011, if an entity's financial statements for the most recent annual or interim period have not yet been issued or, for nonpublic entities, have not yet been made available for issuance. The adoption of this update did not impact the Company's financial condition or results of operations, but will result in a new approach to performing the Company's annual goodwill impairment assessment.

In December, 2011, the FASB issued ASU 2011-11, Disclosures about Offsetting Assets and Liabilities, in an effort to improve comparability between U.S. GAAP and international financial reporting standards ("IFRS") financial statements with regard to the presentation of offsetting assets and liabilities on the statement of financial position arising from financial and derivative instruments, and repurchase agreements. The ASU establishes additional disclosures presenting the gross amounts of recognized assets and liabilities, offsetting amounts, and the net balance reflected in the statement of financial position. Descriptive information regarding the nature and rights of the offset must also be disclosed. The new standard is effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013, and interim periods within those annual periods. The Company does not expect this ASU to have a significant impact on its consolidated financial statements.

In December, 2011, the FASB issued ASU 2011-12, Deferral of the Effective Date to the Presentation of Reclassifications of Items Out of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income in Accounting Standards Update 2011-05. In response to stakeholder concerns regarding the operational ramifications of the presentation of these reclassifications for current and previous years, the FASB has deferred the implementation date of this provision to allow time for further consideration. The requirement in ASU 2011-05, Presentation of Comprehensive Income, for the presentation of a combined statement of comprehensive income or separate, but consecutive, statements of net income and other comprehensive income is still effective for fiscal years and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2011 for public companies, and fiscal years ending after December 15, 2011 for nonpublic companies. The adoption of this ASU did not have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

#### ITEM 3 – Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

#### Asset and Liability Management

The majority of the Company's assets and liabilities are monetary in nature. Consequently, the Company's most significant form of market risk is interest rate risk. The Company's assets, consisting primarily of mortgage loans, have generally longer maturities than the Company's liabilities, consisting primarily of short-term deposits. As a result, a principal part of the Company's business strategy is to manage interest rate risk and reduce the exposure of its

net interest income to changes in market interest rates. Management of the Company does not believe that there has been a material adverse change in market risk during the three months ended March 31, 2012.

#### Net Portfolio Value

The Company's interest rate sensitivity is monitored by management through the use of the OCC model which estimates the change in the Company's net portfolio value ("NPV") over a range of interest rate scenarios. NPV is the present value of expected cash flows from assets, liabilities, and off-balance sheet contracts. The NPV ratio, under any interest rate scenario, is defined as the NPV in that scenario divided by the market value of assets in the same scenario. The OCC produces its analysis based upon data submitted on the Company's quarterly Thrift Financial Reports. The following table sets forth Roma Bank's NPV as of December 31, 2011, the most recent date the NPV was calculated by the OCC (in thousands):

#### December 31, 2011

			Net Portfolio Value		
Net Portfolio Value			as % of Present Value of Assets		
				Net	
				Portfolio	
Changes in				Value	<b>Basis Point</b>
rate	\$ Amount	\$ Change	% Change	Ratio	Change
+300 bp	143,021	-77,465	(35)%	08.42%	(378) bp
+200 bp	178,490	-41,996	(19)%	10.24%	(196) bp
+100 bp	205,750	-14,736	(7)%	11.56%	(65) bp
0	200,486	-	-	12.20%	-
–100 bp	231,669	11,183	5%	12.69%	49 bp

(1) The -200bp and -300bp scenarios are not shown due to the low prevailing interest rate environment.

The following table presents RomAsia Bank's net portfolio value as of December 31, 2011. The net portfolio values shown in this table were calculated by the OCC, based on information provided by RomAsia Bank (in thousands).

#### December 31, 2011

			Net Portfolio Value			
Net Portfolio Value			as % of Present Value of Assets			
			Net			
			Portfolio			
			Value	<b>Basis Point</b>		
\$ Amount	\$ Change	% Change	Ratio	Change		
8,968	-9,222	(51)%	6.95%	(597) bp		
12,591	-5,600	(31)%	9.43%	(348) bp		
15,834	-2,356	(13)%	11.51%	(141) bp		
18,190	-	-	12.92%	-		
19,982	1,792	10%	13.98%	106 bp		
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(1) The -200bp and -300bp scenarios are not shown due to the low prevailing interest rate environment.

Management of the Company believes that there has not been a material adverse change in the market risk during the three months ended March 31, 2012.

#### ITEM 4 – Controls and Procedures

An evaluation was performed under the supervision, and with the participation of the Company's management, including the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, of the effectiveness of the design and operation of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 13a-15(e) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) as of March 31, 2012. Based on such evaluation, the Company's Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have concluded that the Company's disclosure controls and procedures are effective as of March 31, 2012.

No change in the Company's internal controls over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 13a-15(f) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) occurred during the most recent fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's internal control over financial reporting.

#### PART II - OTHER INFORMATION

ITEM 1 – Legal Proceedings

There were no material pending legal proceedings at March 31, 2012 to which the Company or its subsidiaries is a party other that ordinary routine litigation incidental to their respective businesses.

ITEM 1A - Risk Factors

Management does not believe there were any material changes to the risk factors presented in the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2011 during the most recent quarter.

ITEM 2 – Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

None

ITEM 3 – Defaults Upon Senior Securities

None

ITEM 4 – Mine Safety Disclosures

Not applicable

ITEM 5 – Other Information

Not applicable

#### ITEM 6 – Exhibits

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31.1	Certifications of the Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a)			
31.2	Certifications of the Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a)			
32	Certifications of Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002			
101.INS	XBRL Instance Document			
101.SCH	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document			
101.CAL	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document			
101.LAB	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Labels Linkbase Document			
101.PRE	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document			

XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document

# **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.

ROMA FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Date: May 7, 2012 /s/ Peter A. Inverso

Peter A. Inverso

President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: May 7, 2012 /s/ Sharon L. Lamont

Sharon L. Lamont Chief Financial Officer