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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

☑ Quarterly Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2008

or

☐ Transition Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Commission File No. 001-10253



TCF FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

41-1591444

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

200 Lake Street East, Mail Code EX0-03-A, Wayzata, Minnesota 55391-1693 (Address and Zip Code of principal executive offices)

(Address and Zip Code of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (952) 745-2760

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.

and (2) has been subject to such i	filing requirements for the past	t 90 days.	
	Yes ⊠	No □	
Indicate by check mark whether reporting company. See the defin of the Exchange Act.			non-accelerated filer or a smaller ller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2
Large accelerated filer ⊠	Accelerated filer □	Non-accelerated filer □	Smaller reporting company □
Indicate by check mark whether	the registrant is a shell compar	ny (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of th	e Exchange Act).
	Yes □	No ⊠	

Source: TCF FINANCIAL CORP, 10-Q, October 31, 2008

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

Class Common Stock, \$.01 par value Outstanding at October 16, 2008 130,939,325 shares

Source: TCF FINANCIAL CORP, 10-Q, October 31, 2008

TCF FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

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PART 1 - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements TCF FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition

	Se	At ptember 30,	D	At ecember 31,	
(Dollars in thousands, except per-share data)		2008	2007		
	(Unaudited)			
Assets					
Cash and due from banks	\$	297,701	\$	358,188	
Investments		167,115		148,253	
Securities available for sale		2,102,756		1,963,681	
Education loans held for sale		3,569		156,135	
Loans and leases:					
Consumer home equity and other		6,898,323		6,590,631	
Commercial real estate		2,852,754		2,557,330	
Commercial business		549,337		558,325	
Leasing and equipment finance		2,330,841		2,104,343	
Subtotal		12,631,255		11,810,629	
Residential real estate		470,413		527,607	
Total loans and leases		13,101,668		12,338,236	
Allowance for loan and lease losses		(158,978)		(80,942)	
Net loans and leases		12,942,690		12,257,294	
Premises and equipment, net		441,904		438,452	
Goodwill		152,599		152,599	
Other assets		402,261		502,452	
Total assets	\$	16,510,595	\$	15,977,054	
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity					
Deposits:	¢.	4 000 044	¢.	4 100 527	
Checking	\$	4,089,044	\$	4,108,527	
Savings		2,717,635		2,636,820	
Money market		646,655		576,667	
Certificates of deposit		2,396,903	·	2,254,535	
Total deposits		9,850,237		9,576,549	
Short-term borrowings		603,233		556,070	
Long-term borrowings		4,630,776		4,417,378	
Total borrowings		5,234,009		4,973,448	
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		315,320		328,045	
Total liabilities		15,399,566	<u>.</u>	14,878,042	
Stockholders' equity:					
Preferred stock, par value \$.01 per share, 30,000,000 shares authorized; none issued and outstanding		_		_	
Common stock, par value \$.01 per share, 280,000,000 shares authorized; 130,951,694 and 131,468,699 shares issued		1,308		1,315	
Additional paid-in capital		329,897		354,563	
Retained earnings, subject to certain restrictions		934,121		926,875	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(21,555)		(18,055)	
Treasury stock at cost, 3,761,925 and 4,866,480 shares, and other		(132,742)		(165,686)	

Source: TCF FINANCIAL CORP, 10-Q, October 31, 2008

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See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

TCF FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Consolidated Statements of Income (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended September 30,					Nine Months Ended September 30,					
(In thousands, except per-share data)		2008		2007	_=	2008		2007			
Interest income:											
Loans and leases	\$	210,651	\$	213,528	\$	630,835	\$	621,871			
Securities available for sale	ψ	28,577	ψ	28,439	Ψ	85,714	ψ	80,209			
Education loans held for sale		123		2,588		5,331		10,099			
Investments and other		1,644		2,279		4,713		6,642			
Total interest income		240,995		246,834		726,593		718,821			
Interest expense:						= , = =		,			
Deposits		33,730		60,440		119,412		175,837			
Borrowings		55,100		48,690		160,625		132,378			
Total interest expense		88,830		109,130		280,037		308,215			
Net interest income		152,165	·	137,704		446,556		410,606			
Provision for credit losses		52,105		18,883		144,995		36,868			
Net interest income after provision for credit losses		100,060		118,821		301,561		373,738			
Non-interest income:											
Fees and service charges		71,783		71,965		203,291		205,715			
Card revenue		26,240		25,685		77,839		73,822			
ATM revenue		8,720		9,251		24,957		27,314			
Investments and insurance revenue		3,193		2,632		9,405		7,582			
Subtotal		109,936		109,533		315,492		314,433			
Leasing and equipment finance		13,006		15,110		39,190		44,310			
Other		103		1,751		2,572		6,697			
Fees and other revenue		123,045		126,394		357,254		365,440			
Visa share redemption		_				8,308		_			
Gains on sales of securities available for sale		498		2,017		7,899		2,017			
Gains on sales of branches and real estate				1,246		<u> </u>		35,142			
Total non-interest income		123,543		129,657		373,461		402,599			
Non-interest expense:											
Compensation and employee benefits		84,895		85,113		257,880		259,913			
Occupancy and equipment		31,832		30,226		95,450		90,006			
Advertising and promotions		12,309		5,480		25,735		17,047			
Other		44,337		37,632		122,339		109,478			
Subtotal		173,373		158,451		501,404		476,444			
Operating lease depreciation		4,215		4,326		13,189		13,067			
Total non-interest expense		177,588		162,777		514,593		489,511			
Income before income tax expense		46,015		85,701		160,429		286,826			
Income tax expense		15,889		26,563		59,175		82,835			
Net income	\$	30,126	\$	59,138	\$	101,254	\$	203,991			
Net income per common share:											
Basic	\$.24	\$.48	\$.81	\$	1.62			
Diluted	\$.24	\$.48	\$.81	\$	1.62			
Dividends declared per common share	\$.25	\$.2425	\$.75	\$.7275			

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

TCF FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited)

	Nine Months Ended September 30,			
(In thousands)		2008		2007
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Net income	\$	101,254	\$	203,991
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization		48,834		47,616
Provision for credit losses		144,995		36,868
Proceeds from sales of education loans held for sale		243,021		172,120
Principal collected on education loans held for sale		1,658		3,571
Originations of education loans held for sale		(95,209)		(180,839)
Net (decrease) increase in other assets and accrued expenses and other liabilities		(11,300)		14,461
Gains on sales of assets and deposits, net		(7,899)		(37,159)
Other, net		8,365		6,148
Total adjustments	•	332,465	•	62,786
Net cash provided by operating activities		433,719		266,777
Cook flows from investing activities				
Cash flows from investing activities: Principal collected on loans and leases		2,351,376		2,516,614
Originations of loans				
Purchases of equipment for lease financing		(2,665,692)		(2,656,024)
Proceeds from sales of securities available for sale		(593,760)		(512,013)
		1,263,313		141,979
Proceeds from maturities of and principal collected on securities available for sale		181,591		184,184
Purchases of securities available for sale		(1,482,203)		(594,211)
Net decrease in federal Huma Lean Boule steel		(102.226)		(9,000)
Purchases of Federal Home Loan Bank stock		(102,336)		(43,387)
Proceeds from redemptions of Federal Home Loan Bank stock		84,570		12,281
Proceeds from sales of real estate owned		29,826		26,801
Purchases of premises and equipment		(33,566)		(54,757)
Proceeds from sales of premises and equipment		1,336		6,951
Other, net		14,256		16,124
Net cash used by investing activities		(951,289)		(964,458)
Cash flows from financing activities:				
Net increase in deposits		273,688		218,224
Sale of deposits, net		_		(213,294)
Net increase (decrease) in short-term borrowings		47,163		(46,793)
Proceeds from long-term borrowings		234,285		1,116,587
Payments on long-term borrowings		(18,161)		(214,894)
Purchases of common stock		_		(102,960)
Dividends paid on common stock		(94,767)		(93,793)
Stock compensation tax benefits		5,534		4,537
Other, net		9,341		3,852
Net cash provided by financing activities		457,083		671,466
Net decrease in cash and due from banks		(60,487)		(26,215)
Cash and due from banks at beginning of period		358,188		349,839
Cash and due from banks at end of period	\$	297,701	\$	323,624
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:				
Cash paid for:				
Interest on deposits and borrowings	\$	281,914	\$	292,873
Income taxes	\$	38,264	\$	67,757
Transfer of loans and leases to other assets	\$	68,784	\$	57,992
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See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

Source: TCF FINANCIAL CORP, 10-Q, October 31, 2008

TCF FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Consolidated Statements of Stockholders' Equity (Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands)	Number of Common Shares Issued	Common Stock	Additional Paid-in Capital	Retained Earnings	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss	Treasury Stock and Other	Total
Balance, December 31, 2006	131,660,749	3 1,317 \$	343,744 \$	784,011	\$ (34,926)	\$ (60,772)\$	1,033,374
Comprehensive income:							
Net income	_	_	_	203,991	_	_	203,991
Other comprehensive loss	_	_	_	_	(6,469)	_	(6,469)
Comprehensive income (loss)	_	_	_	203,991	(6,469)	_	197,522
Dividends on common stock	_	_	_	(93,793)		_	(93,793)
Repurchase of 3,810,000 shares	_	_	_	` _ ´	_	(102,960)	(102,960)
Issuance of 168,600 shares	_	_	(4,065)	_	_	4,065	
Cancellation of shares	(127,625)	(1)	(494)	448	_	_	(47)
Cancellation of shares for tax	, ,						, ,
withholding	(49,664)	(1)	(1,366)	_	_	_	(1,367)
Amortization of stock compensation	_	_	5,448	_	_	_	5,448
Exercise of stock options, 57,083							
shares	_	_	(698)	_	_	1,431	733
Stock compensation tax benefits	<u> </u>	_	4,537	_	_	_	4,537
Change in shares held in trust for							
deferred compensation plans,							
at cost	<u> </u>		6,063			(6,063)	
Balance, September 30, 2007	131,483,460 \$	1,315 \$	353,169 \$	894,657	\$ (41,395)	\$ (164,299)\$	1,043,447
Balance, December 31, 2007	131,468,699	1,315 \$	354,563 \$	926,875	\$ (18,055)	\$ (165,686)\$	1,099,012
Pension and postretirement							
measurement date change				65			65_
Subtotal	131,468,699	1,315	354,563	926,940	(18,055)	(165,686)	1,099,077
Comprehensive income:							
Net income	_	_	_	101,254	_	_	101,254
Other comprehensive loss					(3,500)		(3,500)
Comprehensive income (loss)	_	_	_	101,254	(3,500)	_	97,754
Dividends on common stock	_	_	_	(94,767)) —	_	(94,767)
Issuance of 729,895 shares	_	_	(18,901)	_	_	18,901	
Treasury shares sold to TCF employee benefit plans, 361,660							
shares	_	_	(3,988)	_	_	9,366	5,378
Cancellation of shares	(123,700)	(3)	(3,093)	694	_	_	(2,402)
Cancellation of shares for tax withholding	(393,305)	(4)	(6,241)	_	_	_	(6,245)
Amortization of stock compensation	_	_	6,537	_	_	_	6,537
Exercise of stock options, 13,000 shares	_	_	(173)	_	_	336	163
Stock compensation tax benefits	_		5,534	_	_	_	5,534
Change in shares held in trust for deferred compensation plans,							
at cost			(4,341)			4,341	
Balance, September 30, 2008	130,951,694 \$		329,897 \$	934,121	\$ (21,555)	\$ (132,742)\$	1,111,029

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

TCF FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited)

(1) Basis of Presentation

The accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the instructions to Form 10-Q and, therefore, do not include all the information and notes necessary for complete financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. The information in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q is written with the presumption that the users of the interim financial statements have read or have access to the most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K of TCF Financial Corporation ("TCF" or the "Company"), which contains the latest audited financial statements and notes thereto, together with Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations as of December 31, 2007 and for the year then ended. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation. Certain reclassifications have been made to prior period financial statements to conform to the current period presentation. For Consolidated Statements of Cash Flow purposes, cash and cash equivalents include cash and due from banks.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amount of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. These estimates are based on information available to management at the time the estimates are made. Actual results could differ from those estimates. In the opinion of management, the accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements contain all adjustments, consisting of normal recurring items, considered necessary for a fair presentation. The results of operations for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for the entire year.

(2) Investments

The carrying values of investments consist of the following.

(In thousands)	At tember 30, 2008	At December 31, 2007
Federal Home Loan Bank stock, at cost:		
Des Moines	\$ 133,614	\$ 115,848
Chicago	4,617	4,617
Subtotal	138,231	120,465
Federal Reserve Bank stock, at cost	20,515	20,423
Other	8,369	7,365
Total investments	\$ 167,115	\$ 148,253

The investments in Federal Home Loan Bank ("FHLB") stock are required investments related to TCF's borrowings from these banks. FHLBs obtain their funding primarily through issuance of consolidated obligations of the Federal Home Loan Bank system. The U.S. Government does not guarantee these obligations, and each of the 12 FHLBs are generally jointly and severally liable for repayment of each other's debt. Therefore, TCF's investments in these banks could be adversely impacted by the financial operations of the FHLBs and actions by the Federal Housing Finance Agency.

(3) Securities Available for Sale

Securities available for sale consist of the following.

		_	Α	At Septembe	er 3	0, 2008	At December 31, 2007						
(Dollars in thousands)	A	amortized Cost	U	Gross nrealized Gains	U	Gross Inrealized Losses	Fair Value	Amortized Cost	U	Gross Inrealized Gains	Į	Gross Inrealized Losses	Fair Value
Mortgage-backed securities:													
U.S. Government sponsored enterprises and federal agencies	\$	2,122,533	\$	405	\$	(23,579) \$	2,099,359 \$	S 1,975,817	\$	2,493	\$	(18,681) \$	1,959,629
Other	Ψ	3,463	Ψ	_	Ψ	(316)	3.147	3,992	Ψ	2,175	Ψ	(190)	3,802
Other securities		250		_		(510) —	250	250		_		(150) —	250
Total	\$	2,126,246	\$	405	\$	(23,895) \$	2,102,756 \$	1,980,059	\$	2,493	\$	(18,871) \$	1,963,681
Weighted-average yield		5.28 %	6	, ,				5.27	%				

The following tables show the securities available for sale portfolio's gross unrealized losses and fair value, aggregated by investment category and length of time that individual securities have been in a continuous unrealized loss position. Unrealized losses on securities available for sale are due to changes in interest rates and not due to credit quality issues. TCF has the ability and intent to hold these investments until a recovery of fair value. Accordingly, TCF has concluded that no other-than-temporary impairment has occurred at September 30, 2008.

		At September 30, 2008								
		Less than 12 months			12 mont	or more	Total			
		_	J	Inrealized		Į	Unrealized		Į	Unrealized
(In thousands)	F	air Value		Losses I	Fair Value		Losses	Fair Value		Losses
Mortgage-backed securities:										
U.S. Government sponsored enterprises and										
federal agencies	\$	1,798,420	\$	(18,776)\$	200,652	\$	(4,803)\$	1,999,072	\$	(23,579)
Other				<u> </u>	2,840		(316)	2,840		(316)
Total	\$	1,798,420	\$	(18,776)\$	203,492	\$	(5,119)\$	2,001,912	\$	(23,895)

		At December 31, 2007									
	Less th	an 12 i	months	12 mont		Total					
		J	Inrealized		Unrealiz	zed	·	J	Inrealized		
(In thousands)	Fair Value		Losses	Fair Value	Losse	S	Fair Value		Losses		
Mortgage-backed securities:											
U.S. Government sponsored enterprises and											
federal agencies	\$ 286,06	53 \$	(190):	\$ 977,511	\$ (18	,491)\$	1,263,574	\$	(18,681)		
Other	_	_		3,443		(190)	3,443		(190)		
Total	\$ 286,06	53 \$	(190):	\$ 980,954	\$ (18	,681)\$	1,267,017	\$	(18,871)		

(4) Loans and Leases

The following table sets forth information about loans and leases, excluding education loans held for sale.

	At Santamban 20	At December 21	Danaantaaa
(Dollars in thousands)	September 30, 2008	December 31, 2007	Percentage Change
Consumer home equity and other:	2000	2007	Change
Home equity:			
First mortgage liens	\$ 4,400,761	\$ 4,178,961	5.3%
Junior liens	2,427,201	2,344,113	3.5
Total consumer home equity	6,827,962	6,523,074	4.7
Other	70,361	67,557	4.2
Total consumer home equity and other	6,898,323	6,590,631	4.7
Commercial:	, ,	, ,	
Commercial real estate:			
Permanent	2,577,644	2,280,204	13.0
Construction and development	275,110	277,126	(0.7)
Total commercial real estate	2,852,754	2,557,330	11.6
Commercial business	549,337	558,325	(1.6)
Total commercial	3,402,091	3,115,655	9.2
Leasing and equipment finance (1):			
Equipment finance loans	723,971	604,185	19.8
Lease financings:			
Direct financing leases	1,719,722	1,611,881	6.7
Sales-type leases	21,232	26,657	(20.4)
Lease residuals	49,524	41,678	18.8
Unearned income and deferred lease costs	(183,608)	(180,058)	(2.0)
Total lease financings	1,606,870	1,500,158	7.1
Total leasing and equipment finance	2,330,841	2,104,343	10.8
Total consumer, commercial and leasing and			
equipment finance	12,631,255	11,810,629	6.9
Residential real estate	470,413	527,607	(10.8)
Total loans and leases	\$ 13,101,668	\$ 12,338,236	6.2

⁽¹⁾ Operating leases of \$58.5 million at September 30, 2008 and \$71.1 million at December 31, 2007 are included in Other Assets on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition.

(5) <u>Long-term Borrowings</u>

The following table sets forth information about long-term borrowings.

		At Septembe	er 30, 2008	At Decembe	At December 31, 2007			
			Weighted-		Weighted-			
	Stated		Average		Average			
(Dollars in thousands)	Maturity	Amount	Rate	Amount	Rate			
Federal Home Loan Bank advances and securities sold under repurchase								
agreements	2009	\$ 117,000	5.26%	\$ 117,000	5.26%			
	2010	100,000	6.02	100,000	6.02			
	2011	300,000	4.64	200,000	4.85			
	2015	1,200,000	4.16	1,400,000	4.16			
	2016	1,100,000	4.49	1,100,000	4.49			
	2017	1,250,000	4.60	1,250,000	4.60			
	2018	200,000	3.78		_			
Sub-total		4,267,000	4.46	4,167,000	4.49			
Subordinated bank notes	2014	74,869	5.27	74,726	5.27			
	2015	49,746	5.37	49,619	5.37			
	2016	74,441	5.63	74,395	5.63			
Sub-total		199,056	5.43	198,740	5.43			
Junior subordinated notes (trust preferred)	2068	110,440	11.20		_ —			
Discounted lease rentals	2008	6,847	6.58	24,318	7.13			
	2009	22,713	6.46	15,439	7.10			
	2010	14,375	6.35	6,681	6.98			
	2011	6,481	6.44	1,732	7.00			
	2012	2,394	6.58	276	6.98			
	2013	498	6.53	<u> </u>	_ —			
Sub-total		53,308	6.45	48,446	7.09			
Other borrowings	2008	6	5.00	2,226	4.51			
	2009	966	5.00	966	5.00			
Sub-total		972	5.00	3,192	4.66			
Total long-term borrowings		\$ 4,630,776	4.69	\$ 4,417,378	4.56			

Included in FHLB advances and repurchase agreements at September 30, 2008 were \$717 million of FHLB advances and repurchase agreements, which are callable quarterly by the counterparties at par until maturity. In addition, TCF has \$1.9 billion of FHLB advances and \$1.6 billion of repurchase agreements which contain one-time call provisions for various years from 2008 through 2011.

On July 9, 2008, TCF extended the maturity and call dates of \$200 million of callable repurchase agreements that previously had a scheduled maturity date in 2015 and a call date in 2008 to a scheduled maturity date in 2018 and a call date in 2011.

The probability that the advances and repurchase agreements will be called by the counterparties depends primarily on the level of related interest rates during the call period. If FHLB advances are called, replacement funding will be available from the FHLB at the then-prevailing market rate of interest for the term selected by TCF, subject to standard terms and conditions.

The following table represents the maturity of FHLB advances and repurchase agreements based on the next available call date, compared with the stated maturity date at September 30, 2008.

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Year	,	Next Call Date	Weighted- Average Rate	Stated Maturity	Weighted- Average Rate
2008 (a)	\$	1,417,000	4.46%	\$ —	<u> </u>
2009		1,000,000	4.45	117,000	5.26
2010		1,450,000	4.56	100,000	6.02
2011		300,000	4.13	200,000	4.85
2015		<u> </u>	_	1,200,000	4.16
2016				1,100,000	4.49
2017		_	_	1,250,000	4.60
2018			_	200,000	3.78
Total	\$	4,167,000	4.47	\$ 4,167,000	4.47

⁽a) On October 6, 2008, one of TCF's counterparties exercised its contractual call option on \$300 million of repurchase agreements.

During the third quarter of 2008, TCF formed TCF Capital I (the "Trust"), a wholly-owned statutory trust formed under the laws of the state of Delaware. The Trust issued 10.75% Capital Securities, Series I, to the public, using the proceeds to purchase \$115 million of 10.75% Junior Subordinated Notes, Series I (the "Notes"), from TCF. The Notes have a fixed coupon rate and qualify as Tier 1 capital. The Notes are redeemable, at par, after August 14, 2013, and have a final maturity of August 15, 2068. Net proceeds after issue costs were \$110.4 million resulting in a weighted-average rate of 11.20%.

(6) Stockholders' Equity

Treasury stock and other consists of the following.

(In thousands)	S	At September 30, 2008	At December 31, 2007	
Treasury stock, at cost	\$	(97,417)	\$ (126,020)
Shares held in trust for deferred				
compensation plans, at cost		(35,325)	(39,666)
Total	\$	(132,742)	\$ (165,686)

In October, 2008, the United States Treasury, working with the Federal Reserve Bank, announced several initiatives in an effort to stabilize the banking industry. Amongst those initiatives is a \$250 billion capital purchase program for certain qualified and healthy banking institutions. As part of the program, the United States Treasury will purchase a limited amount of senior perpetual preferred securities with an attached warrant for the purchase of common stock. TCF is in the process of reviewing the details of this program as the information is being made available and is analyzing the impact of participation in the program.

(7) Fair Value Measurement

Effective January 1, 2008, TCF adopted Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 157, Fair Value Measurements. In accordance with the FASB Staff Position 157-2, Effective Date of SFAS No. 157, TCF has not applied the provisions of this statement to non-financial assets and liabilities such as real estate owned, repossessed assets and equipment held for sale. SFAS 157 defines fair value and establishes a consistent framework for measuring fair value under GAAP and expands disclosure requirements for fair value measurements. Fair values represent the estimated price that would be received from selling an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

The following is a description of valuation methodologies used for assets recorded at fair value on a recurring basis at September 30, 2008.

Securities available for sale

At September 30, 2008, securities available for sale consisted primarily of U.S. Government sponsored enterprise and federal agency mortgage-backed securities. The fair value of available for sale securities are recorded using observable market prices from independent asset pricing services that are based on observable transactions, but not a quoted market.

Assets held in trust for deferred compensation

At September 30, 2008, assets held in trust for deferred compensation plans included investments in publicly traded stock other than TCF stock and mutual funds. The fair value of these assets are based upon quotes from independent asset pricing services based on active markets.

At September 30, 2008, the fair value of assets measured on a recurring basis are:

	Rea Avai	lable		able Market	Company D		 al at Fair
(In thousands)	Market F	rices (1)	Pr	rices (2)	Market P	rices (3)	Value
Securities available for sale:							
Mortgage-backed securities:							
U.S. Government sponsored enterprises and federal							
agencies	\$	_	\$	2,099,359	\$	_	\$ 2,099,359
Other		_				3,147	3,147
Other securities		_		_		250	250
Assets held in trust for deferred							
compensation plans (4)		16,686		<u> </u>		<u> </u>	16,686
Total assets	\$	16,686	\$	2,099,359	\$	3,397	\$ 2,119,442

- (1) Considered Level 1 under SFAS 157.
- (2) Considered Level 2 under SFAS 157.
- (3) Considered Level 3 under SFAS 157 and is based on valuation models that use significant assumptions that are not observable in an active market.
- (4) A corresponding liability is recorded in other liabilities for TCF's obligation to the participants in these plans.

The change in the balance sheet carrying values associated with company determined market priced financial assets carried at fair value during the nine months ended September 30, 2008 was not significant.

(8) Stock Compensation

The following table reflects TCF's restricted stock transactions under the TCF Financial Incentive Stock Program since December 31, 2007.

	Res	Restricted Stock					
		Weighted-A	verage				
	Shares	Grant Date F	air Value				
Outstanding at December 31, 2007	2,525,216	\$	19.72				
Granted	729,150		12.34				
Forfeited	(123,700)		25.58				
Vested	(1,113,099)		11.18				
Outstanding at September 30, 2008	2,017,567	\$	21.41				

The following table reflects TCF's stock option transactions under the TCF Financial Incentive Stock Program since December 31, 2007.

		5	Stock Options	
				Weighted-Average
		Weig	hted-Average	Remaining Contractual
	Shares	Ex	ercise Price	Term In Years
Outstanding at December 31, 2007	144,050	\$	13.91	1.32
Granted	2,626,000		14.65	9.47
Exercised	(13,000)		12.56	
Forfeited	(331,215)		15.74	
Outstanding at September 30, 2008	2,425,835	\$	14.46	9.04
Exercisable at September 30, 2008	126,800	\$	14.01	0.59

In July 2008, TCF issued 1,000,000 nonqualified stock options. These options have an exercise price of \$12.85 per share, with 500,000 options exercisable in 2011, which expire in 2018 and the remaining 500,000 options exercisable in 2012, which expire in 2018. The weighted-average grant date fair value of stock options granted in July 2008 was \$3.11 and \$3.16, respectively.

Unrecognized stock compensation for restricted stock and stock options was \$23.1 million with a weighted-average remaining amortization period of 2.4 years at September 30, 2008.

The following table summarizes information about stock options outstanding at September 30, 2008.

		Stoc	k Options Outs	standing	Stock Options Exercisable				
		_	ed-Average	Weighted-Average Remaining Contractual		_	ed-Average		
Exercise price range	Shares	Exer	cise Price	Life in Years	Shares	Exer	cise Price		
\$11.78-\$14.52	126,800	\$	14.01	0.59	126,800	\$	14.01		
\$12.85-\$15.75	2,299,035	\$	14.49	9.50		\$			

The 126,800 exercisable stock options are accounted for using Accounting Principles Board Opinion (APB) No. 25, *Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees*. TCF estimated the fair value of stock options granted during the third quarter of 2008 using a Black-Scholes option valuation model. Additional valuation and related assumption information for TCF's stock option plans are presented below.

Expected volatility	28.5 %
Weighted-average volatility	28.5 %
Expected dividend yield	3.5 %
Expected term (in years)	6.25 - 6.75
Risk-free interest rate	2.58 - 2.91 %

(9) Regulatory Capital Requirements

The following table sets forth TCF's and TCF National Bank's regulatory tier 1 leverage, tier 1 risk-based and total risk-based capital levels, and applicable percentages of adjusted assets, together with the stated minimum and well-capitalized capital ratio requirements.

		Actual		Minimu Capital Requi		Well-Capitalized Capital Requirement			
(Dollars in thousands)		Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio		
As of September 30, 2008:									
Tier 1 leverage capital									
TCF	\$	1,094,985	6.70% \$	490,218	3.00%	N.A.	N.A.		
TCF National Bank		1,017,377	6.25	488,442	3.00 \$	814,070	5.00%		
Tier 1 risk-based capital									
TCF		1,094,985	9.03	485,091	4.00	727,637	6.00		
TCF National Bank		1,017,377	8.43	482,620	4.00	723,931	6.00		
Total risk-based capital									
TCF		1,446,668	11.93	970,183	8.00	1,212,728	10.00		
TCF National Bank		1,368,314	11.34	965,241	8.00	1,212,728	10.00		
As of December 31, 2007:		1,500,514	11.54	705,241	0.00	1,200,331	10.00		
Tier 1 leverage capital									
TCF	\$	964,467	6.16% \$	469,914	3.00%	N.A.	N.A.		
TCF National Bank		900,864	5.76	468,806	3.00 \$	781,343	5.00%		
Tier 1 risk-based capital									
TCF		964,467	8.28	465.931	4.00	698.897	6.00		
TCF National Bank		900,864	7.75	464,934	4.00	697,402	6.00		
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Total risk-based capital									
TCF		1,245,808	10.70	931,863	8.00	1,164,829	10.00		
TCF National Bank		1,182,196	10.17	929,869	8.00	1,162,336	10.00		

N.A. Not Applicable.

The minimum and well capitalized capital requirements are determined by the Federal Reserve Board for TCF and by the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency for TCF National Bank pursuant to the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Improvement Act of 1991. At September 30, 2008, TCF, TCF National Bank and TCF National Bank Arizona exceeded their stated regulatory capital requirements and are considered "well-capitalized".

(10) Employee Benefit Plans

The following tables set forth the net periodic benefit cost included in compensation and employee benefits expense for TCF's Pension Plan and Postretirement Plan for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2008 and 2007.

			Pension	ı Pla	an			
	Three Months Ended September 30,				Nine Months Ended September 30,			
(In thousands)	2008		2007		2008		2007	
Service cost	\$ _	\$	_	\$		\$	_	
Interest cost	734		732		2,201		2,197	
Expected return on plan assets	(1,265)		(1,234)		(3,794)		(3,703)	
Recognized actuarial loss	215		499		644		1,498	
Settlement expense	 127		438		484		1,138	
Net periodic benefit								
(income) cost	\$ (189)	\$	435	\$	(465)	\$	1,130	

		Postretirement Plan								
	Thi	ee Months End	ded Sep	tember 30,]	Nine Months End	ed Sept	ember 30,		
(In thousands)		2008		2007		2008		2007		
Service cost	\$	3	\$	5	\$	9	\$	13		
Interest cost		134		122		403		368		
Amortization of transition										
obligation		1		25		3		76		
Recognized actuarial loss		78		56		233		167		
Net periodic benefit cost	\$	216	\$	208	\$	648	\$	624		

Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 158, *Employer's Accounting for Defined Benefit Pension and Other Postretirement Plans* (SFAS 158) requires TCF to measure the funded status of the Pension and Postretirement Plans (the Plans) as of its fiscal year end, December 31st. Previously, TCF used September 30th as its measurement date. TCF adopted this requirement effective January 1, 2008 and selected the "15-month" approach under the measurement date transition provisions of SFAS 158. Under this approach, the Plans' actuaries determined the expense for the 15-month period from October 1, 2007 to December 31, 2008, excluding settlement expense. The 15-month expense was then allocated proportionately between amounts recognized as an adjustment to beginning retained earnings, net of tax, and net periodic benefit cost in 2008. TCF recorded a \$65 thousand credit to January 1, 2008 retained earnings for adoption of SFAS 158 under this approach.

During the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, TCF made a discretionary cash contribution of \$5 million to the Pension Plan compared with no such contributions for the same 2007 periods. TCF is not required to make any contributions to the Pension Plan during 2008 based on funding regulations. During the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, TCF paid \$238 thousand and \$774 thousand, respectively, for benefits of the Postretirement Plan, compared with \$255 thousand and \$880 thousand, respectively, for the same 2007 periods.

(11) Business Segments

Banking and leasing and equipment finance have been identified as reportable operating segments. Banking includes the following operating units that provide financial services to customers: deposits and investment products, commercial banking, consumer lending and treasury services. Management of TCF's banking operations is organized by state. The separate state operations have been aggregated for purposes of segment disclosures. Leasing and equipment finance provides a broad range of leasing and equipment finance products addressing the financing needs of diverse businesses. In addition, bank holding company ("Parent Company") and corporate functions provide data processing, bank operations and other professional services to the operating segments.

TCF evaluates performance and allocates resources based on the segments' net income. The business segments follow generally accepted accounting principles as described in the Summary of Significant

Accounting Policies in the most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K. TCF generally accounts for inter-segment sales and transfers at cost.

The following tables set forth certain information for TCF's reportable segments, including a reconciliation of TCF's consolidated totals. The "other" category in the tables below includes TCF's parent company, corporate functions and inventory finance.

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(In thousands)		Banking		Finance		Other		Reclassifications	Consolidated
At or For the Three Months Ended									
September 30, 2008:									
Revenues from external									
customers:									
Interest income	\$	199,936	\$	41,059	\$	_	\$	— \$	240,995
Non-interest income	Ψ	110,380	Ψ	13,014	Ψ	149	Ψ	<u> </u>	123,543
Total	\$	310,316	\$	54,073	\$	149	\$	— \$	364,538
Net interest income	\$	132,751	\$	19,574	_	(160)	_	— \$	152,165
Provision for credit losses	Ψ	47,175	Ψ	4,930	Ψ	(100 <i>)</i>	Ψ		52,105
Non-interest income		110,380		13,014		36,196		(36,047)	123,543
Non-interest expense		156,634		15,532		41,469		(36,047)	177,588
Pre-tax income (loss)		39,322		12,126		(5,433)	_		46,015
Income tax expense (benefit)		13,323		4,336		(1,770)		_	15,889
Net income (loss)	\$	25,999	\$	7,790	\$	(3,663)	\$	<u> </u>	30,126
									,
Goodwill	\$	141,245	\$	11,354	\$	_	\$	— \$	152,599
Total assets	\$	15,963,529	\$	2,499,292	\$	130,217	\$	(2,082,443)\$	16,510,595
At or For the Three Months Ended September 30, 2007:									
Revenues from external customers:									
Interest income	\$	208,860	\$	37,974	\$	_	\$	— \$	246,834
Non-interest income	Ψ	114,351	Ψ	15,110	Ψ	196	Ψ	<u> </u>	129,657
Total	\$	323,211	\$	53,084	\$	196	\$	— \$	
Net interest income	\$	120,993	_	16,890		(179)	_	— \$	137,704
Provision for credit losses	Ψ	17,123	Ψ	1,760	Ψ	(177)	Ψ		18,883
Non-interest income		114,351		15,110		38,979		(38,783)	129,657
Non-interest expense		146,532		16,594		38,434		(38,783)	162,777
Pre-tax income		71,689		13,646		366			85,701
Income tax expense (benefit)		22,157		4,758		(352)		_	26,563
Net income	\$	49,532	\$	8,888	\$		\$	— \$	59,138
Goodwill	\$	141,245	\$	11,354	\$	_	\$	— \$	152,599
Total assets	\$	15,053,166	\$	2,138,818	\$	137,703	\$	(1,799,349)\$	15,530,338

(In thousands)		Banking		Leasing and Equipment Finance		Other		Consolidated		
At or For the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2008:		· ·								
Revenues from external customers:										
Interest income	\$	603,456	\$	123,137	\$	_	\$	— \$	726,593	
Non-interest income		333,711		39,232		518			373,461	
Total	\$	937,167	\$	162,369	\$	518	\$	— \$	1,100,054	
Net interest income	\$	388,923	\$	58,153	\$	(520)	\$	— \$	446,556	
Provision for credit losses		132,589		12,406		`—		_	144,995	
Non-interest income		333,711		39,232		107,605		(107,087)	373,461	
Non-interest expense		460,413		48,961		112,306		(107,087)	514,593	
Pre-tax income (loss)		129,632		36,018		(5,221)		_	160,429	
Income tax expense (benefit)		46,327		14,483		(1,635)			59,175	
Net income (loss)	\$	83,305	\$	21,535	\$	(3,586)	\$	_ \$	101,254	
Goodwill	\$	141,245	¢	11,354	¢		\$	— \$	152,599	
Total assets	\$	15,963,529		2,499,292		130,217	\$	(2,082,443) \$		
At or For the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2007:										
Revenues from external customers:										
Interest income	\$	610,531	\$	108,290	\$	_	\$	— \$	718,821	
Non-interest income		357,695		44,311		593		_	402,599	
Total	\$	968,226	\$	152,601	\$	593	\$	<u> </u>	1,121,420	
Net interest income	\$	363,488	\$	47,657	\$	(539)	\$	— \$	410,606	
Provision for credit losses		33,792		3,076		· —		_	36,868	
Non-interest income		357,695		44,311		117,138		(116,545)	402,599	
Non-interest expense		440,149		48,875		117,032		(116,545)	489,511	
Pre-tax income (loss)		247,242		40,017		(433)		_	286,826	
Income tax expense (benefit)		69,538		14,327		(1,030)			82,835	
Net income	\$	177,704	\$	25,690	\$	597	\$	\$	203,991	
Goodwill	Φ	141 245	¢.	11 254	Φ		Ф	φ	152 500	
Total assets	\$ \$	141,245 15,053,166		11,354 2,138,818		137,703	\$ \$	— \$ (1,799,349) \$	- ,	
10141 455015	Φ	15,055,100	Φ	2,130,010	Φ	137,703	Φ	(1,/33,343) \$	15,550,558	

(12) Earnings Per Common Share

The computation of basic and diluted earnings per share is presented in the following table.

	Three Months Ended September 30,					Nine Months Ended September 30,				
(Dollars in thousands, except per-share data)		2008		2007	2	8008		2007		
Basic Earnings Per Common Share										
Net income	\$	30,126	\$	59,138	\$	101,254	\$	203,991		
Weighted-average shares outstanding	126	5,897,745	12	6,751,415	126,	,576,738	12	8,364,345		
Restricted stock	(1	,919,331)	(2,521,709	(1,	,769,312)	(2,514,501)		
Weighted-average common shares outstanding for										
basic earnings per common share	124	1,978,414	12	4,229,706	124	,807,426	12	5,849,844		
Basic earnings per common share	\$.24	\$.48	\$.81	\$	1.62		
Diluted Earnings Per Common Share										
Net income	\$	30,126	\$	59,138	\$	101,254	\$	203,991		
Weighted-average number of common shares outstanding adjusted for effect of dilutive securities:										
Weighted-average common shares outstanding used										
in basic earnings per common share calculation	124	1,978,414	12	4,229,706	124	,807,426	12	5,849,844		
Net dilutive effect of:										
Restricted stock		371,175		176,719		340,389		166,037		
Stock options		7,310		68,282		17,879		84,972		
Weighted-average common shares outstanding for diluted earnings per common share	125	5,356,899	12	4,474,707	125	,165,694	12	6,100,853		
Diluted earnings per common share	\$.24	\$.48	\$.81	\$	1.62		

All shares of restricted stock are deducted from weighted-average shares outstanding for the computation of basic earnings per common share. Shares of performance-based restricted stock are included in the calculation of diluted earnings per common share, using the treasury stock method, at the beginning of the quarter in which the performance goals have been achieved. All other shares of restricted stock, which vest over specified time periods, and stock options are included in the calculation of diluted earnings per common share, using the treasury stock method.

(13) Comprehensive Income

Comprehensive income is the total of net income and other comprehensive income. The following table summarizes the components of comprehensive income.

	Three Mor		Nine Mon Septem			
(In thousands)	2008		2007	2008		2007
Net income	\$ 30,126	\$	59,138 \$	101,254	\$	203,991
Other comprehensive income (loss):						
Unrealized holding gains (losses) arising during the						
period on securities available for sale	24,123		33,790	787		(10,855)
Recognized pension and postretirement actuarial losses, settlement expense and transition obligation	421		1,018	1,364		2,879
Pension and postretirement measurement date change				293		
Reclassification adjustment for securities gains						
included in net income	(498)		(2,017)	(7,899)		(2,017)
Income tax (expense) benefit	(8,615)		(11,555)	1,955		3,524
Total other comprehensive income (loss)	15,431		21,236	(3,500)		(6,469)
Comprehensive income	\$ 45,557	\$	80,374 \$	97,754	\$	197,522

(14) Other Expense

Other expense consists of the following.

	 Three Mor Septem		Nine Months Ended September 30,			
(In thousands)	2008	2007	2008		2007	
Card processing and issuance	\$ 4,722	\$ 4,186 \$	14,056	\$	13,242	
Foreclosed real estate, net	4,646	1,256	11,861		3,086	
Deposit account losses	3,242	4,943	11,219		13,812	
Postage and courier	3,402	3,342	10,139		10,266	
Telecommunications	3,036	2,954	8,998		8,890	
Office supplies	2,195	2,326	7,065		7,215	
ATM processing	1,792	2,586	5,281		6,918	
Federal deposit insurance and OCC assessments	973	818	2,899		2,431	
Visa indemnification	_	_	(3,766)			
Other	20,329	15,221	54,587		43,618	
Total other expense	\$ 44,337	\$ 37,632 \$	122,339	\$	109,478	

TCF FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

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

OVERVIEW

TCF Financial Corporation ("TCF" or the "Company"), a Delaware corporation, is a financial holding company based in Wayzata, Minnesota. Its principal subsidiaries, TCF National Bank and TCF National Bank Arizona ("TCF Bank"), are headquartered in Minnesota and Arizona, respectively. TCF had 445 banking offices in Minnesota, Illinois, Michigan, Colorado, Wisconsin, Indiana and Arizona at September 30, 2008.

On July 26, 2008, TCF's Board of Directors elected William A. Cooper to succeed Lynn A. Nagorske, who retired, as Chief Executive Officer. Mr. Cooper previously held this position from 1985 through 2005. Mr. Cooper continues to serve as Chairman of the Board.

TCF provides convenient financial services through multiple channels in its primary banking markets. TCF has developed products and services designed to meet the needs of all consumers. The Company focuses on attracting and retaining customers through service and convenience, including branches that are open seven days a week and on most holidays, extensive full-service supermarket branches, automated teller machine ("ATM") networks and telephone and internet banking. TCF's philosophy is to generate interest income, fees and other revenue growth through business lines that emphasize higher yielding assets and low or no interest-cost deposits. The Company's growth strategies include new branch expansion, acquisitions and the development of new products and services. New products and services are designed to build on existing businesses and expand into complementary products and services through strategic initiatives.

TCF's core businesses include retail and small business banking, commercial banking, consumer lending and leasing and equipment finance. The retail banking business includes traditional and supermarket branches, campus banking, Express Teller® ATMs and Visa ® cards.

Targeted new branch expansion is a part of TCF's growth strategy for generating new deposit accounts and the related revenue that is associated with the accounts and other products. New branches typically produce net losses during the first two to three years of operations before they become profitable, and therefore the level and timing of new branch expansion can have a significant impact on TCF's profitability.

TCF recently entered into agreements with SUPERVALU INC. to extend the terms of master and license agreements for its supermarket branches to December 31, 2018. See Item 1A. "Risk Factors – Other Risks" on page 11 of TCF's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2007.

TCF's lending strategy is to originate high credit quality, primarily secured, loans and leases. TCF's largest core lending business is its consumer home equity loan operation, which offers fixed- and variable-rate loans and lines of credit secured by residential real estate properties. Commercial loans are generally made on local properties or to local customers. The leasing and equipment finance businesses consist of TCF Equipment Finance, Inc. ("TCF Equipment Finance"), a company that delivers equipment finance solutions to businesses in select markets and Winthrop Resources Corporation ("Winthrop Resources"), a company that primarily leases technology and data processing equipment. TCF's leasing and equipment finance businesses have equipment installations in all 50 states and, to a limited extent, in foreign countries. In the second quarter of 2008, TCF began development of a new business operation to provide inventory financing to retail businesses in the United States and Canada. TCF expects this new business to begin originating loans in the fourth quarter of 2008.

Historically, TCF has originated education loans for resale. As a result of Federal law changes and general market conditions, TCF no longer originates education loans.

Net interest income, the difference between interest income earned on loans and leases, securities available for sale, investments and other interest-earning assets and interest paid on deposits and borrowings, represented 55.2% of TCF's total revenue for the three months ended September 30, 2008. Net interest income can change significantly from period to period based on general levels of interest rates, customer prepayment patterns, the mix of interest-earning assets and the mix of interest-bearing and non-interest bearing deposits and borrowings. TCF manages the risk of changes in interest rates on its net interest income through an Asset/Liability Committee and through related interest-rate risk monitoring and management policies.

Non-interest income is a significant source of revenue for TCF and an important factor in TCF's results of operations. A key driver of non-interest income is the number of deposit accounts and related transaction activity. Increasing fee and service charge revenue has been challenging as a result of slower growth in deposit accounts and changing customer behaviors. See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations — Consolidated Non-Interest Income" for additional information.

The Company's Visa debit card program has grown significantly since its inception in 1996. TCF is the 12th largest issuer of Visa Classic debit cards in the United States, based on sales volume for the three months ended June 30, 2008, as published by Visa. TCF earns interchange revenue from customer debit card transactions. The continued success of TCF's various card programs is dependent on the success and viability of Visa and the continued use by customers and acceptance by merchants of its cards. TCF's interchange revenue could be adversely impacted by Visa litigation settlements with card retailers and merchants. See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations — Other Expense" for further discussion.

The following portions of the Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations focus in more detail on the results of operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2008 and 2007 and on information about TCF's balance sheet, credit quality, liquidity, funding resources, capital and other matters.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

Performance Summary

TCF reported diluted earnings per common share of 24 cents and 81 cents for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with 48 cents and \$1.62 for the same 2007 periods. Net income was \$30.1 million and \$101.3 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$59.1 million and \$204 million for the same 2007 periods. TCF recorded provision expense of \$52.1 million and \$145 million in the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, as compared with \$18.9 million and \$36.9 million in the same 2007 periods.

For the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, return on average assets was .73% and .83%, respectively, compared with 1.55% and 1.82% for the same 2007 periods. Return on average common equity was 11.11% and 12.29% for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, compared with 23.39% and 26.58% for the same 2007 periods.

Operating Segment Results

See Note 11 of Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements for the financial results of TCF's operating segments.

BANKING, consisting of deposits, commercial banking, small business banking, consumer lending and treasury services, reported net income of \$26 million and \$83.3 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$49.5 million and \$177.7 million for the same 2007 periods. Banking net interest income for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008 was \$132.8 million and \$388.9 million, respectively, up from \$121 million and \$363.5 million for the same 2007 periods.

The provision for credit losses was \$47.2 million and \$132.6 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$17.1 million and \$33.8 million for the same 2007 periods. The increase in the provision for credit losses was primarily due to higher consumer home equity charge-offs and the resulting portfolio reserve rate increases and higher reserves and charge-offs for commercial loans, primarily in Michigan. Refer to the "Consolidated Provision for Credit Losses" section for further discussion.

Non-interest income totaled \$110.4 million for the third quarter of 2008, down 3.5% from \$114.4 million for the same 2007 period primarily due to a decrease of \$1.5 million in gains on securities available for sale.

Non-interest income totaled \$333.7 million for the first nine months of 2008, down 6.7% from \$357.7 million for the same 2007 period primarily due to a \$31.2 million gain on the sale of ten out-state Michigan branches that occurred in the first quarter of 2007, partially offset by an \$8.3 million pre-tax gain from Visa's Initial Public Offering ("IPO") in 2008 and \$7.9 million in pre-tax gains on sales of securities in 2008. Non-interest expense for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008 was \$156.6 million and \$460.4 million, respectively, compared with \$146.5 million and \$440.1 million for the same 2007 periods. The increase in non-interest expense was primarily due to an increase in advertising and marketing costs associated with TCF Bank's new checking account promotions and an increase in foreclosed real estate expense due to increased property taxes and higher real estate disposition losses in 2008.

LEASING AND EQUIPMENT FINANCE, an operating segment composed of TCF's wholly-owned subsidiaries TCF Equipment Finance and Winthrop Resources, provides a broad range of lease and equipment finance products. Leasing and equipment finance reported net income of \$7.8 million and \$21.5 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$8.9 million and \$25.7 million for the same 2007 periods. Net interest income for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008 was \$19.6 million and \$58.2 million, compared with \$16.9 million and \$47.7 million for the same 2007 periods.

The provision for credit losses for this operating segment was \$4.9 million and \$12.4 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$1.8 million and \$3.1 million for the same 2007 periods, primarily due to increased net charge-offs and reserves for certain loans and leases.

Non-interest income for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008 totaled \$13 million and \$39.2 million, respectively, compared with \$15.1 million and \$44.3 million for the same 2007 periods, primarily due to a decrease in sales-type lease and operating lease revenues. Leasing and equipment finance revenues may fluctuate from period to period based on customer driven factors not entirely within the control of TCF. Non-interest expense totaled \$15.5 million and \$49 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$16.6 million and \$48.9 million for the same 2007 periods.

Consolidated Net Interest Income

Net interest income for the third quarter of 2008 was \$152.2 million, up from \$137.7 million for the third quarter of 2007 and \$151.6 million from the second quarter of 2008. Net interest income for the first nine months of 2008 was \$446.6 million, up from \$410.6 million for the same 2007 period. The increase in net interest income from the third quarter of 2007 was primarily attributable to a \$1.2 billion, or 8.7%, increase in average interest-earning assets. The increase in net interest income from the second quarter of 2008 was primarily due to a \$105.4 million, or .7%, increase in average interest-earning assets.

The net interest margin for the third quarter of 2008 was 3.97%, compared with 3.90% for the same 2007 period and 4.00% for the second quarter of 2008. The three basis point decrease in net interest margin from the second quarter of 2008 was primarily due to the issuance of \$115 million of trust preferred securities in August of 2008.

Achieving net interest income growth over time is primarily dependent on TCF's ability to generate higher-yielding assets and lower-cost deposits. While interest rates and consumer preferences continue to change over time, TCF is currently liability sensitive as measured by its interest rate gap (the difference between interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities maturing, repricing, or prepaying during the next twelve months). See "Consolidated Financial Condition Analysis — Deposits" and "Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures about Market Risk" for further discussion on TCF's interest-rate risk position.

The following table summarizes TCF's average balances, interest, dividends and yields and rates on major categories of TCF's interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities for the three months ended September 30, 2008 and 2007.

				Thre	ee Months End	ed S	entember 30.					
	2008 2007											
(0.11		Average			Average Yields and		Average			Average Yields and		
(Dollars in thousands)		Balance	In	terest (1)	Rates (2)		Balance	In	terest (1)	Rates (2)		
Assets:	6	157 (12	Φ.	1.644	4.160/	Ф	202.406	Φ.	2.270	4.450/		
Investments and other Securities available for sale (3)	\$	157,612 2,160,887	\$	1,644 28,577	4.16% 5.29	3	203,406 2,078,155	\$	2,279 28,439	4.45% 5.47		
Education loans held for sale		12,516		123	3.29		110,449		2,588	9.30		
Loans and leases:		12,310		123	3.91		110,449		2,366	9.30		
Consumer home equity:												
Fixed-rate		5,072,689		86,618	6.79		4,750,552		83,735	6.99		
Variable-rate (4)		1,758,457		27,376	6.19		1,455,701		31,795	8.67		
Consumer - other		45,939		963	8.34		45,440		1,115	9.74		
Total consumer home equity		•					•		•			
and other		6,877,085		114,957	6.65		6,251,693		116,645	7.40		
Commercial real estate:												
Fixed- and adjustable-rate		2,181,838		33,598	6.13		1,786,829		29,026	6.44		
Variable-rate (4)		594,992		7,440	4.97		584,378		11,583	7.86		
Total commercial real estate		2,776,830		41,038	5.88		2,371,207		40,609	6.79		
Commercial business:												
Fixed- and adjustable-rate		167,079		2,363	5.63		170,593		2,718	6.32		
Variable-rate (4)		377,747		4,363	4.59		395,871		7,498	7.51		
Total commercial business		544,826		6,726	4.91		566,464		10,216	7.16		
Leasing and equipment finance		2,300,429		41,059	7.14		1,937,269		37,974	7.84		
Subtotal		12,499,170		203,780	6.49		11,126,633		205,444	7.34		
Residential real estate		477,436		6,871	5.75		559,413		8,084	5.77		
Total loans and leases (5)		12,976,606		210,651	6.47		11,686,046		213,528	7.26		
Total interest-earning assets		15,307,621		240,995	6.27		14,078,056		246,834	6.97		
Other assets (6)		1,103,938	•				1,147,109	•	•			
Total assets	\$	16,411,559				\$	15,225,165					
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity:												
Non-interest bearing deposits:												
Retail	\$	1,409,855				\$	1,406,155					
Small business		597,894					596,197					
Commercial and custodial		253,900					195,529	_				
Total non-interest bearing deposits		2,261,649	_				2,197,881					
Interest-bearing deposits:												
Premier checking		933,189		1,978	.84		1,048,449		8,047	3.05		
Other checking		904,351		500	.22	_	823,833		901	.43		
Subtotal		1,837,540		2,478	.54		1,872,282		8,948	1.90		
Premier savings		1,403,323		7,605	2.16		1,202,672		13,184	4.35		
Other savings		1,388,236		2,552	.73	_	1,274,164		4,139	1.29		
Subtotal		2,791,559		10,157	1.45		2,476,836		17,323	2.77		
Money market		629,905		2,310	1.46	_	606,198		4,618	3.02		
Subtotal		5,259,004		14,945	1.13		4,955,316		30,889	2.48		
Certificates of deposit		2,469,327		18,785	3.02	_	2,498,936		29,551	4.68		
Total interest-bearing deposits		7,728,331		33,730	1.74	_	7,454,252		60,440	3.22		
Total deposits		9,989,980		33,730	1.34	_	9,652,133		60,440	2.48		
Borrowings:		100.000					102 505		2			
Short-term borrowings		429,861		2,301	2.13		183,582		2,460	5.32		
Long-term borrowings		4,567,706		52,799	4.60		4,043,570		46,230	4.54		
Total borrowings		4,997,567		55,100	4.39	_	4,227,152		48,690	4.57		
Total interest-bearing liabilities		12,725,898		88,830	2.78		11,681,404		109,130	3.71		
Total deposits and borrowings		14,987,547		88,830	2.36	_	13,879,285		109,130	3.12		
Other liabilities		339,304					334,630					
Total liabilities		15,326,851					14,213,915					
Stockholders' equity		1,084,708					1,011,250					
Total liabilities												
and stockholders' equity	\$	16,411,559				\$	15,225,165					
Net interest income and margin			\$	152,165	3.97%			\$	137,704	3.90%		

Tax-exempt income was not significant and thus yields on interest-earning assets and net interest margin have not been presented on a tax equivalent basis. Tax-exempt income of \$329,000 and \$568,000 was recognized during the three months ended September 30, 2008 and 2007, respectively.

Annualized.

⁽²⁾ (3) Average balances and yields of securities available for sale are based upon the historical amortized cost.

⁽⁴⁾ Certain variable-rate loans have contractual interest rate floors.

⁽⁵⁾ Average balances of loans and leases includes non-accrual loans and leases, and are presented net of unearned income.

Includes operating leases.

The following table summarizes TCF's average balances, interest, dividends and yields and rates on major categories of TCF's interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities for the nine months ended September 30, 2008 and 2007.

	_	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2008 2007								
		Average		008	Average Yields and		Average	200	l	Average Yields and
Dollars in thousands)		Balance	In	terest (1)	Rates (2)		Balance	In	terest (1)	Rates (2)
Assets:		•							•	
Investments and other	\$	152,232	\$	4,713	4.13 %	\$	188,444	\$	6,642	4.71 %
Securities available for sale (3)		2,162,135		85,714	5.29		1,969,799		80,209	5.43
Education loans held for sale		116,754		5,331	6.10		154,978		10,099	8.71
Loans and leases:										
Consumer home equity:										
Fixed-rate		5,047,047		258,835	6.85		4,614,472		240,538	6.97
Variable-rate (4) Consumer - other		1,688,362		82,071 2,937	6.49 8.63		1,439,942 43,014		94,384	8.76 9.92
		45,481		2,937	8.03	_	45,014		3,193	9.92
Total consumer home equity and other		6,780,890		343,843	6.77		6,097,428		338,115	7.41
Commercial real estate:		0,780,890		343,043	- 0.77	_	0,097,428		336,113	- /.41
Fixed- and adjustable-rate		2,073,784		96,710	6.23		1,756,917		84,298	6.42
Variable-rate (4)		593,164		23,654	5.33		609,225		35,549	7.80
Total commercial real estate		2,666,948		120,364	6.03		2,366,142		119,847	6.77
Commercial business:		2,000,740		120,504	0.03	_	2,500,142		117,077	• 0.77
Fixed- and adjustable-rate		167,502		7,551	6.02		166,490		7,999	6.42
Variable-rate (4)		371,846		14,229	5.11		392,797		22,062	7.51
Total commercial business	•	539,348	_	21,780	5.39	_	559,287		30,061	7.19
Leasing and equipment finance		2,223,811		123,137	7.38	_	1,885,427		108,290	7.66
Subtotal	• •	12,210,997		609,124	6.66	_	10,908,284		596,313	7.31
Residential real estate		497,126		21,711	5.83		587,058		25,558	5.81
Total loans and leases (5)		12,708,123		630,835	6.63	_	11,495,342		621,871	7.23
Total interest-earning assets		15,139,244		726,593	6.41	_	13,808,563		718,821	6.95
Other assets (6)		1,167,961		120,393	0.41	_	1,148,528		/10,021	- 0.93
Total assets	\$	16,307,205				\$	14,957,091			
Total assets		10,307,203				Φ	14,937,091			
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Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity: Non-interest bearing deposits:										
Retail	\$	1,429,752				\$	1,476,451			
Small business	Ψ	580,248				Ψ	593,122			
Commercial and custodial		231,184					198,848			
Total non-interest bearing deposits		2,241,184				_	2,268,421			
Interest-bearing deposits:		2,2 11,10 1					2,200, 121			
Premier checking		977,007		8,314	1.14		1,064,024		24,196	3.04
Other checking		878,956		1,684	.26		827,580		2,164	.35
Subtotal	•	1,855,963		9,998	.72		1,891,604		26,360	1.86
Premier savings		1,465,115		27,680	2.52		1,127,843		36,175	4.29
Other savings		1,335,005		7,919	.79		1,296,350		11,466	1.18
Subtotal		2,800,120		35,599	1.70		2,424,193		47,641	2.63
Money market		609,629		7,474	1.64		606,885		13,322	2.93
Subtotal		5,265,712		53,071	1.35		4,922,682		87,323	2.38
Certificates of deposit		2,480,262		66,341	3.57		2,512,832		88,514	4.70
Total interest-bearing deposits		7,745,974		119,412	2.06		7,435,514		175,837	3.16
Total deposits		9,987,158		119,412	1.60		9,703,935		175,837	2.42
Borrowings:										
Short-term borrowings		397,514		7,888	2.65		156,243		6,185	5.29
Long-term borrowings		4,467,752		152,737	4.57		3,738,123		126,193	4.51
Total borrowings		4,865,266		160,625	4.41		3,894,366		132,378	4.54
Total interest-bearing liabilities		12,611,240		280,037	2.97		11,329,880		308,215	3.64
Total deposits and borrowings		14,852,424		280,037	2.52		13,598,301		308,215	3.03
Other liabilities		356,031			_		335,389			_
Total liabilities		15,208,455					13,933,690			
Stockholders' equity		1,098,750					1,023,401			
Total liabilities		<u> </u>								
and stockholders' equity	\$	16,307,205				\$	14,957,091			
			\$	446,556	3.94%	_		\$	410,606	3.97 %

⁽¹⁾ Tax-exempt income was not significant and thus yields on interest-earning assets and net interest margin have not been presented on a tax equivalent basis. Tax-exempt income of \$1,322,000 and \$1,364,000 was recognized during the nine months ended September 30, 2008 and 2007, respectively.

⁽²⁾ Annualized.

- (3) Average balances and yields of securities available for sale are based upon the historical amortized cost.
- Certain variable-rate loans have contractual interest rate floors.
- (4) (5) Average balances of loans and leases includes non-accrual loans and leases, and are presented net of unearned income.
- (6) Includes operating leases.

Consolidated Provision for Credit Losses

TCF recorded provision expense of \$52.1 million in the third quarter of 2008, compared with \$18.9 million in third quarter of 2007, and \$62.9 million in the second quarter of 2008. TCF recorded provision expense of \$145 million in the first nine months of 2008, compared with \$36.9 million for the same 2007 period. The increase in the provision for credit losses for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008 is primarily due to higher consumer home equity net charge-offs and the resulting portfolio reserve rate increases and higher reserves and net charge-offs for commercial loans, primarily in Michigan. Net loan and lease charge-offs for the third quarter of 2008 were \$26.8 million, or .82% of average loans and leases (annualized), compared with \$11.1 million, or .38% (annualized), in the third quarter of 2007, and \$26.6 million, or .84% (annualized), in the second quarter of 2008. Net loan and lease charge-offs for the first nine months of 2008 were \$67 million, or .70% (annualized), compared with \$20.8 million, or .24% (annualized) for the same 2007 period. Consumer home equity net charge-offs for the third quarter of 2008 were \$17.9 million, compared with \$5.9 million in the third quarter of 2007, and \$13.9 million in the second quarter of 2008. Consumer home equity net charge-offs for the first nine months of 2008 were \$40.9 million, compared with \$13.7 million for the same 2007 period. The higher consumer home equity net charge-offs were primarily due to the depressed residential real estate market conditions in Minnesota and Michigan. The provision for credit losses is calculated as part of the determination of the allowance for loan and lease losses. The determination of the allowance for loan and lease losses and the related provision for credit losses is a critical accounting estimate which involves a number of factors such as historical trends in net charge-offs, delinquencies in the loan and lease portfolio, value of collateral, general economic conditions and management's assessment of credit risk in the current loan and lease portfolio. Also see "Consolidated Financial Condition Analysis — Allowance for Loan and Lease Losses."

Consolidated Non-Interest Income

Non-interest income is a significant source of revenue for TCF and is an important factor in TCF's results of operations. Providing a wide range of retail banking services is an integral component of TCF's business philosophy and a major strategy for generating additional non-interest income. Total non-interest income was \$123.5 million and \$373.5 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$129.7 million and \$402.6 million for the same 2007 periods.

Fees and Service Charges

Fees and service charges totaled \$71.8 million and \$203.3 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, compared with \$72 million and \$205.7 million for the same 2007 periods. The declines are primarily due to lower deposit service fees.

Card Revenues

Card revenues totaled \$26.2 million for the third quarter of 2008, up 2.2% over the same 2007 period. For the first nine months of 2008, card revenue totaled \$77.8 million, up 5.4% over the same 2007 period. These increases were primarily due to increases in customer transactions and average transaction size.

	Three Months Ended								
		Septen	Change						
(Dollars in thousands)		2008		2007		Amount	%		
Average active card users		815,031		807,406		7,625	0.9		
Average number of transactions per card per month		20.4		19.7		0.7	3.6		
Sales volume	\$	1,843,328	\$	1,723,793	\$	119,535	6.9		
Average transaction size (in dollars)	\$	37	\$	36	\$	1	2.8		
Average interchange rate		1.34%	Ó	1.42%	Ó		(8) bps		

ATM Revenue

For the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, ATM revenue was \$8.7 million and \$25 million, respectively, compared with \$9.3 million and \$27.3 million for the same 2007 periods. The declines in ATM revenue was primarily attributable to a continued decline in fees charged to TCF customers for the use of non-TCF ATM machines and by changes in customer ATM usage behavior.

Investments and Insurance Revenue

Investments and insurance revenue totaled \$3.2 million and \$9.4 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$2.6 million and \$7.6 million for the same 2007 periods. As of October 1, 2008, TCF no longer sells investment and insurance products. TCF will however continue to service its existing investment and insurance customer base.

Leasing and Equipment Finance Revenue

Leasing and equipment finance revenues totaled \$13 million and \$39.2 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$15.1 million and \$44.3 million for the same 2007 periods. The decreases in leasing and equipment finance revenues were primarily due to lower sales-type lease revenue and operating lease revenue. Leasing and equipment finance revenue may fluctuate from period to period based on customer driven factors not entirely within the control of TCF

Visa Share Redemption

During the first quarter of 2008, Visa completed its IPO. As part of the IPO, Visa redeemed a portion of the shares held by Visa U.S.A. members for cash. TCF received \$8.3 million from this redemption and recorded a gain. As of September 30, 2008, TCF holds 308,219 shares of Visa Inc. Class B shares with no book value that are restricted from sale, other than to other Visa members, and are subject to dilution as a result of TCF's indemnification obligation. TCF remains obligated to indemnify Visa under its bylaws and a retrospective responsibility plan for losses in connection with certain covered litigation. See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations — Other Expense" for further discussion.

Gains on Sales of Securities Available for Sale

Gains on sales of securities available for sale were \$498 thousand for the third quarter of 2008 on sales of \$56.6 million of mortgage-backed securities. For the first nine months of 2008, gains on sales of securities available for sale were \$7.9 million on sales of \$978.6 million of mortgage-backed securities and \$174.9 million of treasury bills. For the third quarter and first nine months of 2007, gains on sales of securities available for sale were \$2 million on sales of \$189.3 million of mortgage backed securities.

Gains on Sales of Branches and Real Estate

Gains on sales of branches and real estate were \$1.2 million and \$35.1 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2007, respectively, compared with no such sales in the same 2008 periods. During the first quarter of 2007, TCF sold the deposits and facilities of ten out-state branches in Michigan and recognized a \$31.2 million gain.

Consolidated Non-Interest Expense

Non-interest expense totaled \$177.6 million for the third quarter of 2008, up \$14.8 million, or 9.1%, from \$162.8 million for the same 2007 period. For the first nine months of 2008, non-interest expense totaled \$514.6 million, up \$25.1 million, or 5.1%, from \$489.5 million for the same 2007 period.

Compensation and Employee Benefits

Compensation and employee benefits expense continue to be well controlled and totaled \$84.9 million and \$257.9 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$85.1 million and \$259.9 million for the same 2007 periods.

Occupancy and Equipment

Occupancy and equipment expense totaled \$31.8 million and \$95.5 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$30.2 million and \$90 million for the same 2007 periods. The increase in occupancy and equipment expense during the third quarter was primarily due to increased real estate taxes and costs associated with branch expansion. The increase in occupancy and equipment expense during the first nine months of 2008 was primarily due to increased real estate taxes, costs associated with branch expansion and exit costs associated with the closure of 12 Colorado supermarket branches.

Advertising and Promotions

Advertising and promotions expense totaled \$12.3 million and \$25.7 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, compared with \$5.5 million and \$17 million for the same 2007 periods. The increase in advertising and promotions expense is primarily due to higher promotion costs which resulted in increased checking account production.

Other Expense

Other expense in the quarter increased \$6.7 million, or 17.8%, from the third quarter of 2007, primarily due to a \$3.4 million increase in foreclosed real estate expense due to increased property taxes and higher real estate disposition losses and increased severance and separation costs of \$4.1 million in 2008. Year-to-date, other expense, excluding the reduction in the Visa indemnification expense, increased \$16.6 million, or 15.2%, from the first nine months of 2007, primarily due to a \$8.8 million increase in foreclosed real estate expense resulting from increased property taxes and higher real estate disposition losses in 2008, increased severance and separation costs of \$4.9 million in 2008 and a \$555 thousand recovery on the redemption of a commercial real estate property in the first quarter of 2007.

TCF is a member of Visa U.S.A. for issuance and processing of its card transactions. On October 3, 2007, Visa, Inc. (Visa) completed a restructuring including Visa U.S.A. in preparation for its planned IPO. As a member of Visa, TCF has an obligation to indemnify Visa U.S.A. under its bylaws and Visa under a retrospective responsibility plan, approved as part of Visa's restructuring, for contingent losses in connection with certain covered litigation ("the Visa indemnification") disclosed in Visa's public filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) based on its membership proportion. TCF is not a party to the lawsuits brought against Visa U.S.A. TCF's membership proportion in Visa U.S.A. is .12554%. The SEC accounting staff has concluded that Visa U.S.A. member institutions are required to recognize their portion of the Visa indemnification at the estimated fair value of such obligation in accordance with FASB Interpretation No. 45, Guarantor's Accounting and Disclosure Requirements for Guarantees, Including Indirect Guarantees of Indebtedness of Others.

As part of Visa's IPO in the first quarter of 2008, Visa set aside a cash escrow fund for future settlement of covered litigation. As a result, TCF recorded a \$3.8 million reduction in its contingent indemnification obligation in the first quarter of 2008. At September 30, 2008, TCF's estimated remaining Visa contingent indemnification obligation was \$3.9 million. On October 27, 2008, Visa notified its U.S.A. members that it had reached a settlement on covered litigation with Discover Financial Services, Inc. TCF will record an immaterial adjustment to its contingent indemnification obligation as a result of this settlement in the fourth quarter of 2008. The remaining covered litigation against Visa is primarily with card retailers and merchants, mostly related to fees and interchange rates. TCF's remaining indemnification obligation for Visa's covered litigation is a highly judgmental estimate. TCF must rely on disclosures made by Visa to the public about the covered litigation in making estimates of this contingent indemnification obligation.

Income Taxes

TCF recorded income tax expense of \$15.9 million and \$59.2 million for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008, respectively, or 34.53% and 36.89%, respectively, of income before income tax expense, compared with \$26.6 million and \$82.8 million, respectively, or 30.99% and 28.88%, respectively, of income before income tax expense, for the comparable 2007 periods. The third quarter of 2007 includes a \$2.6 million reduction in income tax expense related to favorable developments in uncertain tax positions. The first nine months of 2008 income tax expense includes a \$3 million year-to-date increase in income tax expense and a \$2.8 million increase in deferred income taxes related to changes in state income taxes, primarily in Minnesota. The first nine months of 2007 also includes an \$8.5 million reduction of income tax expense related to a favorable settlement with the Internal Revenue Service and a \$4.5 million reduction of income tax expense related to favorable developments in uncertain tax positions.

TCF has a Real Estate Investment Trust ("REIT") and a related foreign operating company ("FOC") that acquire, hold and manage real estate loans and other assets. These companies are consolidated with TCF Bank and are included in the consolidated financial statements of TCF Financial Corporation. The REIT and related companies must meet specific provisions of the Internal Revenue Code and state tax laws. If these companies fail to meet any of the required provisions of federal and state tax laws, TCF's tax expense would increase significantly. The taxation of REITs and FOCs continues to be the subject of federal and state audits, litigation with state taxing authorities and tax policy debates by various state legislatures. Illinois passed legislation in 2007 that will reduce or eliminate TCF's REIT and FOC tax benefits in 2009. Minnesota passed legislation in the second quarter of 2008 that eliminates TCF's REIT and FOC benefit effective for 2008. Other states have proposed legislation that, if enacted, would eliminate tax deductions that TCF is entitled to under current tax laws and thus would increase TCF's state income tax expense.

The determination of current and deferred income taxes is a critical accounting estimate which is based on complex analyses of many factors including interpretation of federal and state income tax laws, the evaluation of uncertain tax positions, differences between the tax and financial reporting bases of assets and liabilities (temporary differences), estimates of amounts due or owed such as the timing of reversal of temporary differences and current financial accounting standards. Additionally, there can be no assurance that estimates and interpretations used in determining income tax liabilities may not be challenged by federal and state taxing authorities. Actual results could differ significantly from the estimates and tax law interpretations used in determining the current and deferred income tax liabilities.

In addition, under generally accepted accounting principles, deferred income tax assets and liabilities are recorded at the federal and state income tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the periods in which the deferred income tax assets or liabilities are expected to be realized. If such rates change, deferred income tax assets and liabilities must be adjusted in the period of change through a charge or credit to the Consolidated Statements of Income. Also, if current income tax rates change, the impact on the annual effective income tax rate is applied year-to-date in the period of enactment.

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL CONDITION ANALYSIS

Securities Available for Sale

The Company purchased \$1.5 billion and \$594.2 million of securities available for sale during the first nine months of 2008 and 2007, respectively. TCF sold \$1.2 billion of securities available for sale during the first nine months of 2008, compared with \$189.3 million in the same 2007 period. At September 30, 2008, the unrealized pre-tax loss on TCF's securities available for sale portfolio was \$23.5 million, compared with a pre-tax loss of \$16.4 million at December 31, 2007, primarily due to changes in long-term market interest rates.

Loans and Leases

The following table sets forth information about loans and leases held in TCF's portfolio, excluding education loans held for sale.

		At	At	
	S	September 30,	December 31,	Percentage
(Dollars in thousands)		2008	2007	Change
Consumer home equity and other:				
Home equity:				
First mortgage liens	\$	4,400,761		5.3 %
Junior liens		2,427,201	2,344,113	3.5
Total consumer home equity		6,827,962	6,523,074	4.7
Other		70,361	67,557	_ 4.2
Total consumer home equity and other		6,898,323	6,590,631	4.7
Commercial:				
Commercial real estate:				
Permanent		2,577,644	2,280,204	13.0
Construction and development		275,110	277,126	(0.7)
Total commercial real estate		2,852,754	2,557,330	11.6
Commercial business		549,337	558,325	(1.6)
Total commercial		3,402,091	3,115,655	9.2
Leasing and equipment finance (1):				
Equipment finance loans		723,971	604,185	19.8
Lease financings:				
Direct financing leases		1,719,722	1,611,881	6.7
Sales-type leases		21,232	26,657	(20.4)
Lease residuals		49,524	41,678	18.8
Unearned income and deferred costs		(183,608)	(180,058)	(2.0)
Total lease financings		1,606,870	1,500,158	7.1
Total leasing and equipment finance		2,330,841	2,104,343	10.8
Total consumer, commercial and leasing and				
equipment finance		12,631,255	11,810,629	6.9
Residential real estate		470,413	527,607	(10.8)
Total loans and leases	\$	13,101,668	\$ 12,338,236	6.2

⁽¹⁾ Operating leases of \$58.5 million at September 30, 2008 and \$71.1 million at December 31, 2007 are included as a component of Other Assets on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition.

At September 30, 2008, approximately 27% of TCF's consumer and commercial loans consisted of variable-rate loans, compared with 26% at December 31, 2007. Variable-rate consumer loans have interest rates tied to the prime rate, while variable-rate commercial loans (consisting of commercial real estate and commercial business loans) have interest rates tied to either the prime rate or LIBOR. At September 30, 2008, approximately 26% of the consumer home equity portfolio carries a contractual variable interest rate tied to the prime rate, compared with 24% at December 31, 2007. In addition, to the extent these loans have interest rate floors, a decrease in interest rates may not result in a change in the interest rate on the variable-rate loan. At October 1, 2008, \$1.2 billion, or 67%, of variable-rate consumer home equity loans were at their contractual interest rate floor, compared with \$388 million, or 24%, at January 1, 2008. Substantially all leasing and equipment finance loans have fixed interest rates. All residential real estate loans have fixed or adjustable interest rates.

Approximately 76% of the consumer home equity portfolio at September 30, 2008 consisted of closed-end loans, compared with 78% at December 31, 2007. TCF's consumer home equity lines of credit require regular payments of interest and do not require regular payments of principal. Consumer home equity lines of credit outstanding were \$1.6 billion at September 30, 2008, compared with \$1.4 billion at December 31, 2007.

TCF continues to expand its commercial business and commercial real estate lending activity generally to borrowers located in its primary markets. With a focus on secured lending, approximately 98% of TCF's commercial real estate and commercial business loans at September 30, 2008, were secured either by real estate or other business assets. At September 30, 2008, approximately 93% of TCF's commercial real estate loans outstanding were secured by real estate located in its primary markets.

The leasing and equipment finance backlog of approved transactions was \$345.5 million at September 30, 2008, up from \$292.5 million at December 31, 2007.

Allowance for Loan and Lease Losses

Credit risk is the risk of loss from customer default on a loan or lease. TCF has a process to identify and manage its credit risk. The process includes initial credit review and approval, periodic monitoring to measure compliance with credit agreements and internal credit policies, monitoring changes in the risk ratings of loans and leases, identification of problem loans and leases and procedures for the collection of problem loans and leases. The risk of loss is difficult to quantify and is subject to fluctuations in collateral values, general economic conditions and other factors. The determination of the allowance for loan and lease losses is a critical accounting estimate which involves management's judgment on a number of factors such as net charge-offs, delinquencies in the loan and lease portfolio, general economic conditions and management's assessment of credit risk inherent in the current loan and lease portfolio. The Company considers the allowance for loan and lease losses of \$159 million appropriate to cover losses incurred in the loan and lease portfolios as of September 30, 2008. However, no assurance can be given that TCF will not, in any particular period, sustain loan and lease losses that are sizable in relation to the amount reserved, or that subsequent evaluations of the loan and lease portfolio, in light of factors then prevailing including economic conditions, TCF's ongoing credit review process or regulatory requirements, will not require significant changes in the allowance for loan and lease losses. Among other factors, a protracted economic slowdown, a continued decline in commercial or residential real estate values in TCF's markets and continued financial stress on consumers would have an adverse impact on the current adequacy of the allowance for loan and lease losses by increasing credit risk and the risk of potential loss.

The next several pages include detailed information regarding TCF's allowance for loan and lease losses, net charge-offs, non-performing assets, past due loans and leases and potential problem loans and leases. Included in this data are numerous portfolio ratios that must be carefully reviewed and related to the nature of the underlying loans and lease portfolios before appropriate conclusions can be reached regarding TCF or for purposes of making comparisons to other banks. Most of TCF's non-performing assets and past due loans are secured by real estate. Given the nature of these assets and the related mortgage foreclosure, property sale and, if applicable, mortgage insurance claims processes, it can take 18 months or longer for a loan to migrate from initial delinquency to final disposition. This resolution process generally takes much longer for loans secured by real estate than for unsecured loans or loans secured by other property primarily due to state real estate foreclosure laws.

The following table sets forth information detailing the allowance for loan and lease losses.

	M	At or For onths Ended		N	At or For the Nine Months Ended September 30,			
(Dollars in thousands)		2008 2007				2008 2007		
Balance at beginning of period	\$	133,637	\$	66,809	\$	80,942	\$	58,543
Charge-offs		(29,976)		(14,669)		(77,700)		(34,650)
Recoveries		3,212		3,609		10,741		13,871
Net charge-offs		(26,764)		(11,060)		(66,959)		(20,779)
Provision for credit losses		52,105		18,883		144,995		36,868
Balance at end of period	\$	158,978	\$	74,632	\$	158,978	\$	74,632

TCF's methodologies for determining and allocating the allowance for loan and lease losses focus on ongoing reviews of larger individual loans and leases, historical and expected future net charge-offs, delinquencies in the loan and lease portfolio, the level of impaired and non-performing assets, values of underlying loan and lease collateral, the overall risk characteristics of the portfolios, changes in character or size of the portfolios, geographic location, prevailing economic conditions and other relevant factors. The various factors used in the methodologies are reviewed on a periodic basis. The total allowance for loan and lease losses is generally available to absorb losses from any segment of the portfolio. The allocation of TCF's allowance for loan and lease losses disclosed in the following table is subject to change based on the changes in criteria used to evaluate the allowance and is not necessarily indicative of the trend of future losses in any particular portfolio.

The allocation of TCF's allowance for loan and lease losses is as follows.

At September 30, 2008			At	December 31, 2007	<u> </u>	
	Allowance for Loan and	Total Loans	Allowance as a % of	Allowance for Loan and	Total Loans	Allowance as a % of
(Dollars in thousands		and Leases	Balance	Lease Losses	and Leases	Balance
Consumer home						
equity	\$ 83,326	\$ 6,827,96	2 1.22%	\$ 30,951	\$ 6,523,074	.47 %
Consumer other	2,938	70,36	4.18	2,059	67,557	3.05
Total consumer ho equity and other		6,898,32	3 1.25	33,010	6,590,631	.50
Commercial real estate	39,636	2,852,75	4 1.39	25,891	2,557,330	1.01
Commercial business	12,575	549,33	<u>7</u> 2.29	7,077	558,325	_ 1.27
Total commercial	52,211	3,402,09	1.53	32,968	3,115,655	1.06
Leasing and equipment finance	19,136	2,330,84	.82	14,319	2,104,343	.68
Residential real estate	1,367	470,41	3 .29	645	527,607	.12
Total allowance balance	\$ 158,978	\$ 13,101,66	8 1.21	\$ 80,942	\$ 12,338,236	.66

The increase in the allowance for commercial real estate was primarily due to increases in reserves for certain loans in Michigan.

Three Months Ended September 30, 2008 September 30, 2007 % of % of Average Average Net Loans and Net Loans and (Dollars in thousands) Charge-offs Leases (1) Charge-offs Leases (1) Consumer home equity First mortgage liens 8,476 .77% \$ 2,656 .27% Junior liens 9,469 3,231 1.56 .58 Total consumer home equity 17.945 1.05 5.887 .38 Consumer other 3,282 N.M. 3,269 N.M. Total consumer home equity and other 21,227 1.23 9,156 .59 Commercial real estate 2.694 .39 19 Commercial business .05 627 .44 65 Total commercial 2,759 .33 646 .09 Leasing and equipment finance 2,413 .42 1,164 .24 365 Residential real estate .31 94 .07 Total \$ 26,764 .82 \$ 11.060 .38

(1) Annualized.

N.M. Not Meaningful.

	Nine Months Ended							
	September 30, 2008				September 30, 2007			
			% of			% of		
			Average			Average		
		Net	Loans and		Net	Loans and		
(Dollars in thousands)	Cha	arge-offs	Leases (1)	Ch	arge-offs	Leases (1)		
Consumer home equity								
First mortgage liens	\$	19,208	.59 %	\$	6,206	.21 %		
Junior liens		21,647	1.20		7,444	.46		
Total consumer home equity		40,855	.81		13,650	.30		
Consumer other		6,002	N.M.		4,057	N.M.		
Total consumer home equity and other		46,857	.92		17,707	.39		
Commercial real estate		8,896	.44		422	.02		
Commercial business		2,970	.73		818	.19		
Total commercial		11,866	.49		1,240	.06		
Leasing and equipment finance		7,589	.46		1,688	.12		
Residential real estate		647	.17		144	.03		
Total	\$	66,959	.70	\$	20,779	.24		

 $(1)\,Annualized.$

N.M. Not Meaningful.

Consumer home equity net charge-offs for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008 increased \$12.1 million and \$27.2 million, respectively, compared with the same 2007 periods. Commercial real estate net charge-offs for the third quarter and first nine months of 2008 increased \$2.7 million and \$8.5 million, respectively, compared with the same 2007 periods. The increase in consumer home equity and commercial real estate net charge-offs were primarily due to the continuing deterioration of the housing markets, increasing financial stress on consumers and weakening economic conditions.

Non-Performing Assets

Non-performing assets consist of non-accrual loans and leases and other real estate owned. Non-performing assets are summarized in the following table.

	At September 30, Dec		At sember 31,			
(Dollars in thousands)		2008		2007	C	hange
Non-accrual loans and leases:						
Consumer home equity						
First mortgage liens	\$	\$ 48,603		20,776	\$	27,827
Junior liens		12,433		5,391		7,042
Total consumer home equity		61,036		26,167		34,869
Consumer other		78		6		72
Total consumer home equity and other		61,114		26,173		34,941
Commercial real estate		46,011		19,999		26,012
Commercial business		16,356		2,658		13,698
Total commercial		62,367		22,657		39,710
Leasing and equipment finance		18,379		8,050		10,329
Residential real estate		4,030		2,974		1,056
Total non-accrual loans and leases		145,890		59,854		86,036
Other real estate owned:						
Residential real estate		34,101		28,752		5,349
Commercial real estate		20,078		17,013		3,065
Total other real estate owned		54,179		45,765		8,414
Total non-performing assets	\$	200,069	\$	105,619	\$	94,450
Non-performing assets as a percentage of:						
Net loans and leases		1.55%		.86%		69 bps
Total assets		1.21		.66		55
Non-performing assets secured by residential real estate as						
a percentage of total non-performing assets		49.57		54.81		N.M.
N.M. Not Mooningful		•	•	•		

N.M. Not Meaningful.

The increase in non-accrual loans and leases from December 31, 2007 was primarily due to an increase in consumer non-accrual loans and commercial real estate non-accrual loans. Other real estate owned increased \$8.4 million from December 31, 2007, primarily due to increased residential properties and one commercial real estate property.

Non-accrual loans are expected to continue to increase, especially for first mortgage lien positions, during the remainder of the year. This expectation is primarily based on the length of the foreclosure process, particularly in Illinois, and the outlook for the housing market.

Impaired Loans

Impaired loans are summarized in the following table.

	At September 30,		At December 31,		
(Dollars in thousands)	2008	_	2007		hange
Non-accrual loans:					
Consumer home equity	\$ 7,216	\$	967	\$	6,249
Commercial real estate	46,011		19,999		26,012
Commercial business	16,356		2,658		13,698
Total commercial	62,367		22,657		39,710
Leasing and equipment finance	4,100		2,113		1,987
Subtotal	73,683		25,737		47,946
Accruing restructured consumer home equity loans	23,844		4,861		18,983
Total impaired loans	\$ 97,527	\$	30,598	\$	66,929

The increase in impaired loans from December 31, 2007 was primarily due to a \$26 million increase in commercial real estate non-accrual loans and an increase of \$19 million of restructured consumer home equity loans that are accruing (troubled debt restructurings). There were \$23 million and \$4.6 million of accruing restructured loans less than 90 days past due as of September 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, respectively. The allowance for loan and lease losses for impaired loans was \$19.9 million at September 30, 2008, compared with \$2.7 million at December 31, 2007. The average balance of total impaired loans during the three months ended September 30, 2008 was \$88.1 million, compared with \$25.3 million during the three months ended December 31, 2007.

Past Due Loans and Leases

The following table sets forth information regarding TCF's delinquent loan and lease portfolio, excluding education loans held for sale and non-accrual loans and leases. TCF's delinquency rates are determined based on the contractual terms of the loan or lease.

	At Sept	ember 30, 2008	At Decen	At December 31, 2007			
	Principal Percentage of		Principal	Percentage of			
		Loans and		Loans and			
(Dollars in thousands)	Balances Leases		Balances	Leases			
Accruing loans and leases delinquent for:							
30-59 days	\$ 72,198	.56%	\$ 46,748	.38%			
60-89 days	35,119	.27	20,445	.17			
90 days or more	34,808	.27	15,384	.12			
Total	\$ 142,125	1.10%	\$ 82,577	.67%			

The following table summarizes TCF's over 30-day delinquent loan and lease portfolio by loan type, excluding loans held for sale and non-accrual loans and leases.

	At September 30, 2008			I	At December 31, 2007			
						Percentage		
	Pı	rincipal	Percentage of	Pr	incipal	of		
(Dollars in thousands)	В	alances	lances Portfolio Balances		Portfolio			
Consumer home equity								
First mortgage liens	\$	70,393	1.62%	\$	31,784	.76%		
Junior liens		20,074	.83		12,289	.53		
Total consumer home equity		90,467	1.34		44,073	.68		
Consumer other		515	.73		377	.56		
Total consumer home equity and other		90,982	1.33		44,450	.68		
Commercial real estate		15,732	.56		11,382	.45		
Commercial business		531	.10		1,071	.19		
Total commercial		16,263	.49		12,453	.40		
Leasing and equipment finance		24,982	1.08		15,691	.75		
Residential real estate		9,898	2.12		9,983	1.90		
Total	\$	142,125	1.10%	\$	82,577	.67%		

Potential Problem Loans and Leases

In addition to the non-performing assets, there were \$172.4 million of loans and leases at September 30, 2008, for which management has concerns regarding the ability of the borrowers to meet existing repayment terms, up from \$60.1 million at December 31, 2007. The increase in potential problem loans and leases is primarily due to an increase in commercial loans that were downgraded due to the borrower's exposure to the housing market, not their ability to repay. Two of the loans that were downgraded due to exposure to the housing market were made to companies of a non-executive director of TCF. Potential problem loans and leases are primarily classified for regulatory purposes as substandard and reflect the distinct possibility, but not probability, that the Company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the contractual terms of the loan or lease agreement. Although these loans and leases have been identified as potential problem loans and leases, they may never become delinquent, non-performing or impaired. Additionally, these loans and leases are generally secured by commercial or residential real estate or other assets, thus reducing the

potential for loss should they become non-performing. Potential problem loans and leases are considered in the determination of the adequacy of the allowance for loan and lease losses.

Potential problem loans and leases are summarized as follows.

	At			At		
	Sep	tember 30,	December 31,			
(In thousands)		2008	2007			
Consumer home equity	\$	23,844	\$	4,861		
Commercial real estate		100,028		31,511		
Commercial business		30,619		8,695		
Leasing and equipment finance		17,950		15,015		
Total	\$	172,441	\$	60,082		

Branches

During the third quarter of 2008, TCF opened one new supermarket branch. During the remainder of 2008, TCF plans to open one traditional branch and two supermarket branches. To improve the customer experience and enhance deposit growth, TCF intends to relocate three traditional branches to improved locations and facilities and to remodel five supermarket branches during the remainder of 2008. As part of improving operating efficiencies, TCF closed and consolidated 10 Colorado supermarket branches into nearby traditional branches in the third quarter of 2008.

Additional information regarding the results of TCF's new branches opened since January 1, 2003 is displayed in the table below.

		At September 30,				Increase	
							%
(Dollars in thousands)		2008		2007		(Decrease)	Change
Number of new branches							
Traditional		75		67		8	11.9 %
Supermarket		27		33		(6)	(18.2)
Campus		10		10		<u> </u>	-
Total		112		110		2	1.8
Percent of total branches		25.2%		24.5%			
Deposits:							
Checking	\$	322,250	\$	256,975	\$	65,275	25.4%
Savings		320,778		287,920		32,858	11.4
Money market		55,131		39,223		15,908	40.6
Subtotal		698,159		584,118		114,041	19.5
Certificates of deposits		299,811		303,754		(3,943)	(1.3)
Total deposits	\$	997,970	\$	887,872	\$	110,098	12.4
Total banking fees and other revenue (quarter	,		,		,		
ended)	\$	16,789	\$	14,310	\$	2,479	17.3

Deposits

Checking, savings and money market deposits are an important source of low-cost funds and fee income for TCF. Deposits totaled \$9.9 billion at September 30, 2008, an increase of \$273.7 million from \$9.6 billion at December 31, 2007, and a decrease of \$295.9 million from \$10.1 billion at June 30, 2008. The decrease in deposits from June 30, 2008 was primarily due to decreases in Premier checking and Premier savings balances as a result of higher interest rates paid by competitors. TCF has in process several initiatives involving products, pricing and marketing in an effort to increase TCF's market share of deposits. TCF's weighted-average rate for deposits, including non-interest bearing deposits, was 1.34% at September 30, 2008, compared with 2.18% at December 31, 2007. The decrease in the weighted-average rate for deposits was due to pricing decisions made by management as a result of declining interest rates during the first nine months of 2008.

Borrowings and Liquidity

Borrowings totaled \$5.2 billion at September 30, 2008, up \$260.6 million from December 31, 2007. The weighted-average rate on borrowings was 4.38% at September 30, 2008, compared with 4.51% at December 31, 2007. Historically, TCF has borrowed primarily from the FHLB, from institutional sources under repurchase agreements and from other sources. At September 30, 2008, TCF had \$2 billion in unused capacity at the FHLB of Des Moines and \$630 million in unused capacity at the Federal Reserve Discount Window. In addition, TCF had \$1.1 billion of active, unsecured federal funds purchased lines which are not contractually committed. See Note 5 of Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements for more information on TCF's long-term borrowings.

During the third quarter of 2008, TCF formed TCF Capital I, a wholly-owned statutory trust formed under the laws of the state of Delaware. The Trust issued 10.75% Capital Securities, Series I, to the public, using the proceeds to purchase \$115 million of 10.75% Junior Subordinated Notes, Series I from TCF.

TCF Financial Corporation (parent company only) has an unsecured \$50 million line of credit that matures in April 2009. This line of credit contains certain covenants common to such agreements. TCF is in compliance with its covenants under the credit agreement. The interest rate on the line of credit is based on either the prime rate or LIBOR. TCF has the option to select the interest rate index and term for advances on the line of credit. The line of credit may be used for appropriate corporate purposes. TCF had no outstanding balance on its bank line of credit at September 30, 2008, compared with \$9.5 million at December 31, 2007.

Contractual Obligations and Commitments

TCF has certain obligations and commitments to make future payments under contracts. At September 30, 2008, the aggregate contractual obligations (excluding bank deposits) and commitments are as follows.

(In thousands)	Payments Due by Period							
		Less than	1-3	4-5	After 5			
Contractual Obligations	Total	1 year	Years	Years	Years			
Total borrowings (1)	\$ 5,234,009	\$ 745,953	\$ 424,637	\$ 3,923	\$ 4,059,496			
Annual rental commitments under								
non-cancelable operating leases	204,417	27,247	48,489	38,968	89,713			
Campus marketing agreements	48,442	3,649	5,650	5,148	33,995			
Construction contracts and land purchase								
commitments for future branch sites	8,016	8,016	-	-	-			
Visa indemnification obligation (2)	3,930	-	3,930	-	=			
	\$ 5,498,814	\$ 784,865	\$ 482,706	\$ 48,039	\$ 4,183,204			

(In thousands)	Amount of Commitment - Expiration by Period							
		Less than 1-3		4-5	After 5			
Commitments	Total	1 year	Years	Years	Years			
Commitments to lend:								
Consumer home equity and other	\$ 1,856,212	\$ 14,013	\$ 32,733	\$ 237,952	\$ 1,571,514			
Commercial	507,058	276,353	203,132	10,242	17,331			
Leasing and equipment finance	94,467	94,467	-	-	-			
Other	382	382	-	-	-			
Total commitments to lend	2,458,119	385,215	235,865	248,194	1,588,845			
Standby letters of credit and guarantees								
on								
industrial revenue bonds	72,620	50,164	22,381	75	<u>-</u>			
	\$ 2,530,739	\$ 435,379	\$ 258,246	\$ 248,269	\$ 1,588,845			

⁽¹⁾ Total borrowings excludes interest.

⁽²⁾ The exact date of the payment can not be determined. Any payments of this obligation are expected to be made within three years. See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations — Other Expense" for further discussion.

Commitments to lend are agreements to lend to a customer provided there is no violation of any condition in the contract. These commitments generally have fixed expiration dates or other termination clauses and may require payment of a fee. Since certain of the commitments are expected to expire without being drawn upon, the total commitment amounts do not necessarily represent future cash requirements. Collateral predominantly consists of residential and commercial real estate.

Campus marketing agreements consist of fixed or minimum obligations for exclusive marketing and naming rights with ten campuses. TCF is obligated to make various annual payments for these rights in the form of royalties and scholarships through 2029. TCF also has various renewal options, which may extend the terms of these agreements. Campus marketing agreements are an important element of TCF's campus banking strategy.

Standby letters of credit and guarantees on industrial revenue bonds are conditional commitments issued by TCF guaranteeing the performance of a customer to a third party. These conditional commitments expire in various years through the year 2012. The assets held as collateral primarily consist of commercial real estate mortgages. Since the conditions under which TCF is required to fund these commitments may not materialize, the cash requirements are expected to be less than the total outstanding commitments.

Stockholders' Equity

Stockholders' equity at September 30, 2008 was \$1.1 billion, or 6.73% of total assets, compared with 6.88% at December 31, 2007. At September 30, 2008, TCF had 5.4 million shares in its stock repurchase program authorized by its Board of Directors. TCF continues to be a well-capitalized financial institution. Given current market and economic conditions, TCF believes it is prudent to preserve its capital. As a result, TCF has not repurchased shares in the first nine months of 2008. On October 20, 2008, TCF declared a regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents per common share, payable on November 28, 2008 to shareholders of record as of October 31, 2008.

Recent Accounting Developments

In June, 2008, the FASB issued FASB Staff Position (FSP) EITF 03-6-1, *Determining Whether Instruments Granted in Share-Based Payment Transactions Are Participating Securities*. This FSP defines participating securities as those that are expected to vest and are entitled to receive nonforfeitable dividends or dividend equivalents. Unvested share-based payment awards that have a right to receive dividends on common stock (restricted stock) will be considered participating securities and included in earnings per share using the two-class method. The two-class method requires net income to be reduced for dividends declared and paid in the period on such shares. Remaining net income is then allocated to each class of stock (proportionately based on unrestricted and restricted shares which pay dividends) for calculation of basic earnings per share. Diluted earnings per share would then be calculated based on basic shares outstanding plus any additional potentially dilutive shares, such as options and restricted stock that do not pay dividends or are not expected to vest. This FSP is effective in the first quarter 2009. Basic earnings per share may decline as a result of this FSP. There will be no effect on diluted earnings per share of the Company related to this FSP.

Legislative, Legal and Regulatory Developments

Federal and state legislation imposes numerous legal and regulatory requirements on financial institutions. Future legislative or regulatory change, or changes in enforcement practices or court rulings, may have a dramatic and potentially adverse impact on TCF and its bank and other subsidiaries.

Forward-Looking Information

This quarterly report on Form 10-Q and other reports issued by the Company, including reports filed with the SEC, may contain "forward-looking" statements that deal with future results, plans or performance. In addition, TCF's management may make such statements orally to the media, or to securities analysts, investors or others. Forward-looking statements deal with matters that do not relate strictly to historical facts. TCF's future results may differ materially from historical performance and forward-looking statements about

TCF's expected financial results or other plans and are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties. These include, but are not limited to, possible legislative changes and adverse economic, business and competitive developments such as shrinking interest margins; deposit outflows; an inability to increase the number of deposit accounts and the possibility that deposit account losses (fraudulent checks, etc.) may increase; impact of legal, legislative or other changes affecting customer account charges and fee income; reduced demand for financial services and loan and lease products; adverse developments affecting TCF's supermarket banking relationships or any of the supermarket chains in which TCF maintains supermarket branches; changes in accounting standards or interpretations of existing standards; monetary, fiscal or tax policies of the federal or state governments; including adoption of state legislation that would increase state taxes; adverse findings in tax audits or regulatory examinations and resulting enforcement actions; changes in credit and other risks posed by TCF's loan, lease, investment, and securities available for sale portfolios, including declines in commercial or residential real estate values or changes in allowance for loan and lease losses methodology dictated by new market conditions or regulatory requirements; lack of or inadequate insurance coverage for claims against TCF; technological, computer-related or operational difficulties or loss or theft of information; adverse changes in securities markets directly or indirectly affecting TCF's ability to sell assets or to fund its operations; results of litigation, including possible increases in indemnification obligations for certain litigation against Visa U.S.A. ("covered litigation") and potential reductions in card revenues resulting from other litigation against Visa; increased deposit insurance premiums or other costs related to deteriorating conditions in the banking industry and the economic impact on banks of the Emergency Economic Stabilization Act or other related legislative and regulatory developments; heightened regulatory practices, requirements or expectations; or other significant uncertainties.

Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

Market Risk — Interest-Rate Risk

TCF's results of operations are dependent to a large degree on its net interest income and its ability to manage its interest-rate risk. Although TCF manages other risks, such as credit risk, liquidity risk, operational and other risks, in the normal course of its business, the Company considers interest-rate risk to be its most significant market risk. Since TCF does not hold a trading portfolio, the Company is not exposed to market risk from trading activities. A mismatch between maturities, interest rate sensitivities and prepayment characteristics of assets and liabilities results in interest-rate risk. TCF, like most financial institutions, has material interest-rate risk exposure to changes in both short-term and long-term interest rates as well as variable interest rate indices (e.g., the prime rate).

TCF's Asset/Liability Committee (ALCO) manages TCF's interest-rate risk based on interest rate expectations and other factors. The principal objective of TCF's asset/liability management activities is to provide maximum levels of net interest income while maintaining acceptable levels of interest-rate risk and liquidity risk and facilitating the funding needs of the Company.

TCF utilizes net interest income simulation models to estimate the near-term effects (next twelve months) of changing interest rates on its net interest income. Net interest income simulation involves forecasting net interest income under a variety of scenarios, including the level of interest rates, the shape of the yield curve, and spreads between market interest rates. At September 30, 2008, net interest income is estimated to decrease by 2.7% compared with the base case scenario, over the next 12 months if short- and long-term interest rates were to sustain an immediate increase of 100 basis points. In the event short- and long-term interest rates were to decline by 100 basis points, net interest income is estimated to decrease .9% compared with the base case scenario, over the next 12 months.

Management exercises its best judgment in making assumptions regarding events that management can impact such as non-contractual deposit repricings and events outside management's control such as customer behavior on loan and deposit activity, counter-party decisions on callable borrowings and the effect that competition has on both loan and deposit pricing. These assumptions are inherently uncertain and, as a result, net interest income simulation results will differ from actual results due to the timing, magnitude and frequency of interest rate changes, changes in market conditions, customer behavior and management strategies, among other factors.

In addition to the net interest income simulation model, management utilizes an interest rate gap measure (difference between interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities re-pricing within a given period). While the interest rate gap measurement has some limitations, including no assumptions regarding future asset or liability production and a static interest rate assumption (large quarterly changes may occur related to these items), the interest rate gap represents the net asset or liability sensitivity at a point in time. An interest rate gap measure could be significantly affected by external factors such as loan prepayments, early withdrawals of deposits, changes in the correlation of various interest-bearing instruments, competition, or an increase or decrease in interest rates.

TCF's one-year interest rate gap was a negative \$2.5 billion, or 15.3% of total assets, at September 30, 2008, compared with a negative \$1 billion, or 6.4% of total assets, at December 31, 2007. A negative interest rate gap position exists when the amount of interest-bearing liabilities maturing or re-pricing exceeds the amount of interest-earning assets maturing or re-pricing, including assumed prepayments, within a particular time period.

TCF estimates that an immediate 100 basis point decrease in current mortgage loan interest rates would increase prepayments on the \$7.6 billion of fixed-rate mortgage-backed securities, residential real estate loans and consumer loans at September 30, 2008, by approximately \$804 million, or 113.1%, in the first year. An increase in prepayments would decrease the estimated life of the portfolios and may adversely impact net interest income or net interest margin in the future. Although prepayments on fixed-rate portfolios are currently at a relatively low level, TCF estimates that an immediate 100 basis point increase in current mortgage loan interest rates would reduce prepayments on the fixed-rate mortgage-backed securities, residential real estate loans and consumer loans at September 30, 2008, by approximately \$200 million, or 28.1%, in the first year. A slowing in prepayments would increase the estimated life of the portfolios and may favorably impact net interest income or net interest margin in the future.

Item 4. Controls and Procedures.

The Company carried out an evaluation, under the supervision and with the participation of the Company's management, including the Company's Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer), the Company's Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer) and its Controller and Assistant Treasurer (Principal Accounting Officer), of the effectiveness of the design and operation of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 13a-15 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act"). Based upon that evaluation, management concluded that the Company's disclosure controls and procedures are effective, as of September 30, 2008. Also, there were no significant changes in the Company's disclosure controls or internal controls over financial reporting during the third quarter of 2008 that have materially affected or are reasonably likely to materially affect TCF's internal control over financial reporting.

Disclosure controls and procedures are designed to ensure information required to be disclosed in reports filed under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms. Disclosure controls are also designed with the objective of ensuring that such information is accumulated and communicated to the Company's management, including the Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer), the Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer) and the Controller and Assistant Treasurer (Principal Accounting Officer), as appropriate, to allow for timely decisions regarding required disclosure. Disclosure controls include internal controls that are designed to provide reasonable assurance that transactions are properly authorized, assets are safeguarded against unauthorized or improper use and that transactions are properly recorded and reported.

Any control system, no matter how well conceived and operated, can provide only reasonable, not absolute, assurance that the objectives of the control system are met. The design of a control system inherently has limitations, and the benefits of controls must be weighed against their costs. Additionally, controls can be circumvented by the individual acts of some persons, by collusion of two or more people, or by management override of the controls. Therefore, no assessment of a cost-effective system of internal controls can provide absolute assurance that all control issues and instances of fraud, if any, will be detected.

TCF FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Supplementary Information

The selected quarterly financial data presented below should be read in conjunction with the Consolidated Financial Statements and related notes.

SELECTED QUARTERLY FINANCIAL DATA (Unaudited)

	A 4	-	At		A 4	-	A 4	-	A 4	
		At			At		At		At	
(Dollars in thousands,	September 30,		June 30,		March 31,		December 31,	September 30,		
except per-share data)	2008		2008		2008		2007		2007	
SELECTED FINANCIAL CONDITION DATA:										
Loans and leases excluding residential										
real estate loans	\$ 12,631,255	\$	12,466,751	\$	12,096,467	\$	11,810,629	\$	11,334,162	
Securities available for sale	2,102,756		2,120,664		2,177,262		1,963,681		2,022,505	
Residential real estate loans	470,413		485,795		506,394		527,607		547,552	
Subtotal	2,573,169		2,606,459		2,683,656		2,491,288		2,570,057	
Goodwill	152,599		152,599		152,599		152,599		152,599	
Total assets	16,510,595		16,460,123		16,370,364		15,977,054		15,530,338	
Deposits	9,850,237		10,146,122		10,357,069		9,576,549		9,746,066	
Short-term borrowings	603,233		411,802		138,442		556,070		167,319	
Long-term borrowings	4,630,776		4,515,997		4,414,644		4,417,378		4,266,022	
Stockholders' equity	1,111,029		1,088,301		1,129,870		1,099,012		1,043,447	
	Three Months Ended September 30, 2008 June 30, June 31, December 31, September 30, 2008 December 31, 2007 September 30, 2007						September 30,			
SELECTED OPERATION		-		-		•				
Net interest income	\$ 152,165	\$	151,562	\$	142,829	\$	139,571	\$	137,704	
Provision for credit losses	52,105		62,895		29,995		20,124		18,883	
Net interest income after provision for credit losses	100,060		88,667		112,834		119,447		118,821	
Non-interest income:	100.045		101 504		110 505		101015		106004	
Fees and other revenue	123,045		121,504		112,705		124,845		126,394	
Visa share redemption			-		8,308		-		-	
Gains on sales of securition for sale	es avanable 498		1,115		6,286		11,261		2,017	
Gains on sales of branche			1,113		0,280		11,201		2,017	
estate	-		_		_		2,752		1,246	
Total non-interest							,		,	
income	123,543		122,619		127,299		138,858		129,657	
Non-interest expense	177,588		168,729		168,276		172,613		162,777	
Income before income										
tax expense	46,015		42,557		71,857		85,692		85,701	
Income tax expense	15,889		18,855		24,431		22,875		26,563	
Net income	\$ 30,126	\$	23,702	\$	47,426	\$	62,817	\$	59,138	
Per common share:										
Basic earnings	\$.24	\$.19	\$.38	\$.51	\$.48	
Diluted earnings	Φ 24	Ф	10	\$	20	Φ		Φ	40	
Diracea carrings	\$.24	\$.19	D	.38	\$.50	\$.48	

FINANCIAL RATIOS:

Return on average assets					
(1)	.73 %	.58 %	1.18 %	1.60 %	1.55 %
Return on average common					
equity (1)	11.11	8.57	17.08	23.55	23.39
Net interest margin (1)	3.97	4.00	3.84	3.83	3.90
Net charge-offs as a					
percentage					
of average loans and					
leases (1)	.82	.84	.44	.46	.38
Average total equity to					
average assets	6.61	6.76	6.88	6.79	6.64

⁽¹⁾ Annualized.

PART II — OTHER INFORMATION

Item 1. Legal Proceedings

From time to time, TCF is a party to legal proceedings arising out of its lending, leasing and deposit operations. TCF is and expects to become engaged in a number of foreclosure proceedings and other collection actions as part of its lending and leasing collection activities. From time to time, borrowers and other customers, or employees or former employees, have also brought actions against TCF, in some cases claiming substantial damages. Financial services companies are subject to the risk of class action litigation, and TCF has had such actions brought against it from time to time. Litigation is often unpredictable and the actual results of litigation cannot be determined with certainty.

Item 1A. Risk Factors

The United States, including TCF's markets, has experienced weakening economic conditions and declines in housing prices and real estate values in general. As discussed in Part I, Item 1A, Risk Factors, and Part II, Item 7, Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations in TCF's Annual Report on Form 10-K dated December 31, 2007 and in Part I, Item 2 of this Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended September 30, 2008, TCF's loan portfolio contains significant amounts of loans secured by residential and commercial real estate. TCF has experienced increases in non-performing assets, net charge-offs and provisions for credit losses as a result of continuing deterioration of the housing markets, increasing financial stress on consumers and weakening economic conditions. In the event of worsening economic conditions and continued decline in real estate values, TCF would expect continued deterioration of credit quality represented by increased balances of non-performing assets, increased net charge-offs and increased provisions for credit losses.

Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

The following table summarizes share repurchase activity for the quarter ended September 30, 2008.

Period	Total number of shares purchased	verage price aid per share	Total shares purchased as a part of publicly announced plan	Number of shares that may yet be purchased under the plan
July 1 to July 31, 2008				
Share repurchase program (1)	-	\$ -	-	5,384,130
Employee transactions (2)	1,559	\$ 12.18	N.A.	N.A.
August 1 to August 31, 2008				
Share repurchase program (1)	-	\$ -	-	5,384,130
Employee transactions (2)	-	\$ -	N.A.	N.A.
September 1 to September 30, 2008				
Share repurchase program (1)	-	\$ -	-	5,384,130
Employee transactions (2)	-	\$ -	N.A.	N.A.

⁽¹⁾ The current share repurchase authorization was approved by the Board of Directors on April 14, 2007. The authorization was for a repurchase of up to an additional 5% of TCF's common stock outstanding at the time of the authorization, or 6.5 million shares. This authorization does not have an expiration date.

Item 3. Defaults Upon Senior Securities

None.

⁽²⁾ Restricted shares withheld pursuant to the terms of awards under the TCF Financial Incentive Stock Program to offset tax withholding obligations that occur upon vesting and release of restricted shares. The TCF Financial Incentive Stock Program provides that the value of shares withheld shall be the average of the high and low prices of common stock of TCF Financial Corporation on the date the relevant transaction occurs.

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

None.	
	Item 5. Other Information
None.	
	Itam 6 Exhibits

See Index to Exhibits on page 45 of this report.

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SIGNATURES

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

TCF FINANCIAL CORPORATION

/s/ William A. Cooper

William A. Cooper, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

/s/ Thomas F. Jasper

Thomas F. Jasper, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)

/s/ David M. Stautz

David M. Stautz, Senior Vice President, Controller and Assistant Treasurer (Principal Accounting Officer)

Dated: October 31, 2008

TCF FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

INDEX TO EXHIBITS FOR FORM 10-Q

Exhibit Number	Description
4(a)	Copies of instruments with respect to long-term debt will be furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission upon request.
4.1	Indenture between TCF Financial Corporation and Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed August 19, 2008].
4.2	Supplemental Indenture between TCF Financial Corporation and Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.2 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed August 19, 2008].
4.3	Form of 10.75% Junior Subordinated Note, Series I [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.3 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed August 19, 2008].
4.4	Certificate of Trust of TCF Capital I [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.2 to TCF Financial Corporation's Registrant Statement (File No. 333-152922) on Form S-3, filed August 11, 2008].
4.5	Trust Agreement of TCF Capital I among TCF Financial Corporation, as Depositor, Wilmington Trust Company, as Property Trustee, Wilmington Trust Company, as Delaware Trustee and the Administrative Trustees named therein [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.3 to TCF Financial Corporation's Registrant Statement (File No. 333-152922) on Form S-3, filed August 11, 2008].
4.6	Amended and Restated Trust Agreement of TCF Capital I by and among TCF Financial Corporation, as Depositor, Wilmington Trust Company, as Property Trustee, Wilmington Trust Company, as Delaware Trustee and the Administrative Trustees named therein and the Several Holders named therein [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.4 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed August 19, 2008].
4.7	Form of 10.75% Capital Security, Series I for TCF Capital I [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.5 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed August 19, 2008].
4.8	Guarantee Agreement for TCF Capital I dated August 19, 2008 by and between TCF Financial Corporation and Wilmington Trust Company, as Guarantee Trustee [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.6 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed August 19, 2008].
10(b)-11*	Nonqualified Stock Option Agreement as executed by Mr. Cooper, effective July 31, 2008 [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10(b)-11 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed August 6, 2008].
10(b)-12*	Restricted Stock Agreement as executed by Mr. Cooper, effective July 31, 2008 [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10(b)-12 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed August 6, 2008].

10(e)-11*	Amended and Restated Employment Agreement between William A. Cooper and TCF Financial Corporation dated July 31, 2008 [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10(e)-11 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed August 6, 2008].
10(j)-2	TCF Employees Stock Purchase Plan — Supplemental Plan (as amended and restated effective January 1, 2008). [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10(j)-2 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed October 24, 2008].
10(u)-2	Amendment dated October 20, 2008 to the Supplemental Employee Retirement Plan for TCF Cash Balance Pension Plan (as amended and restated through January 24, 2005). [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10(u)-2 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed October 24, 2008].
10(u)-3	Amendment dated October 20, 2008 to the TCF Financial Corporation Cash Balance Pension Plan SERP (adopted as of January 1, 2005). [incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10(u)-3 to TCF Financial Corporation's Current Report on Form 8-K filed October 24, 2008].
31#	Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certifications (Section 302 Certifications)
32#	Statement Furnished Pursuant to Title 18 United States Code Section 1350 (Section 906 Certifications)

^{*} Executive Contract

[#] Filed herein

CERTIFICATIONS

I, William A. Cooper, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of TCF Financial Corporation;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
 - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
 - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
 - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
 - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
 - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
 - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: October 31, 2008

/s/ William A. Cooper

William A. Cooper Chairman and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

CERTIFICATIONS

I, Thomas F. Jasper, certify that:

- I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of TCF Financial Corporation;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
 - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
 - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
 - Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
 - Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
 - All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
 - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: October 31, 2008

/s/ Thomas F. Jasper

Thomas F. Jasper

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial Officer)

TCF Financial Corporation

STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. §1350

I, William A. Cooper, Chief Executive Officer and Director of TCF Financial Corporation, a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), hereby certify as follows:

- 1. This statement is provided pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350 in connection with the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2008 (the "Periodic Report");
- 2. The Periodic Report fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) and 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and
- 3. The information contained in the Periodic Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company as of the dates and for the periods indicated therein.

Date: October 31, 2008

/s/ William A. Cooper

William A. Cooper Chairman and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

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STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. §1350

- I, Thomas F. Jasper, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of TCF Financial Corporation, a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), hereby certify as follows:
- 1. This statement is provided pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350 in connection with the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2008 (the "Periodic Report");
- 2. The Periodic Report fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) and 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and
- 3. The information contained in the Periodic Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company as of the dates and for the periods indicated therein.

Date: October 31, 2008

/s/ Thomas F. Jasper

Thomas F. Jasper Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)

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