# Real Estate Banking 2016 Strategic Plan

**Boston – June 2013** 



## **Executive Summary**

Real Estate is a Core Business Unit for Corporate Banking producing 46% of Corporate Banking revenues in 2012



Real Estate division is a stable and risk adverse business with BAU growth of 0.5% projected



With additional investment \$30MM of additional revenues (\$26.5MM excluding costs) can be achieved over the 3 year period

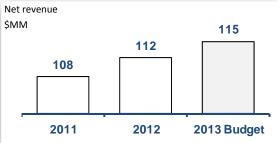


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# **Real Estate Banking Division**

**CRE Unit** 



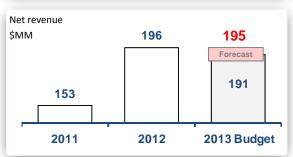
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#### • Booked \$1.6MM of new commitments

**CRE 2012 Highlights** 

- Expanded NY direct lending platform
- Generated significant revenue via workout activities (reduced to \$372MM from \$638MM)
- Successfully backfilled high level of payoffs
- Grew deposit balances by \$160MM

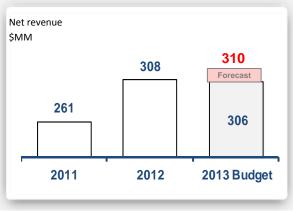
SREC/Multifamily Unit



#### SREC/Multifamily 2012 Highlights

- Implemented performance based contract with Meridian
- Contained crisis after Sr. management was lift out
- Rebuilt pipeline and originated \$1.8Bi in loans
- Countered soft start with \$274MM portfolio acquisition
- Significant increase in fee based revenue mainly from larger than usual prepays and the true up of provisions

TOTAL
Corporate
RE Banking
Division



#### **Keys to secure Commercial RE revenue stream**

- Multifamily origination dependent on broker channel (Meridian performance based contract)
- CRE defend NE position, grow in NY and DC top tier markets, increase syndications revenue
- Other supplement shortfalls in the pipeline and limit Meridian's dependence through acquisition of portfolios and development of fee-based businesses



# **Market Environment & Competitive Landscape**

**Business Unit Background** 

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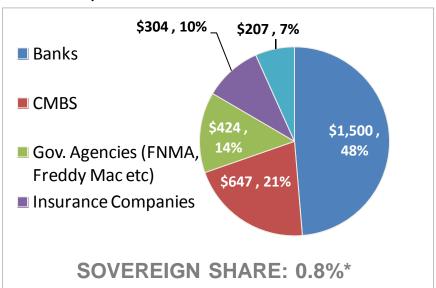
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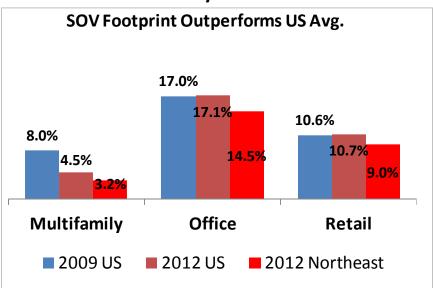
## **US Commercial Real Estate Fundamentals Continue to Improve**

- Market \$3.1Trillion and growing
- Market is liquid
- Commercial Real Estate (CRE) in 4<sup>th</sup> year of recovery
- Sovereign CRE concentrated in Northeast US
- Northeast markets outperforming US average

#### \$3.1Tr US CRE Debt Market



#### **Vacancy Rates**

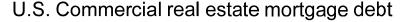


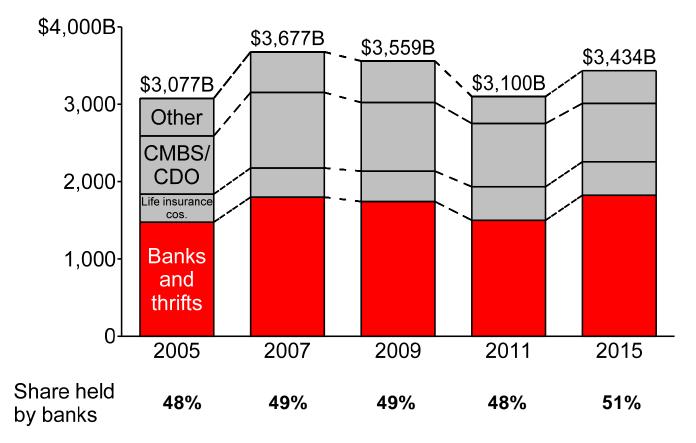
Selective growth opportunity exists for SOV within Commercial Real Estate



# **CRE Market Growth Projection**

US CRE debt projected to grow 2.6% CAGR over the next 3 years

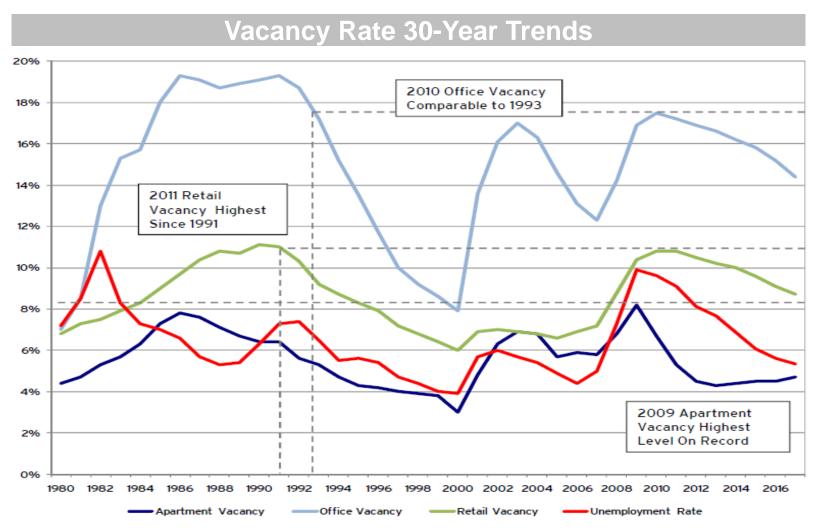




<u>CAGR</u> '05-'11	<u>CAGR</u> '11-'15E
0.1%	2.6%
-5%	5%
1%	-1%
3%	1%
0%	3%



# **Vacancy Rates are normalizing**

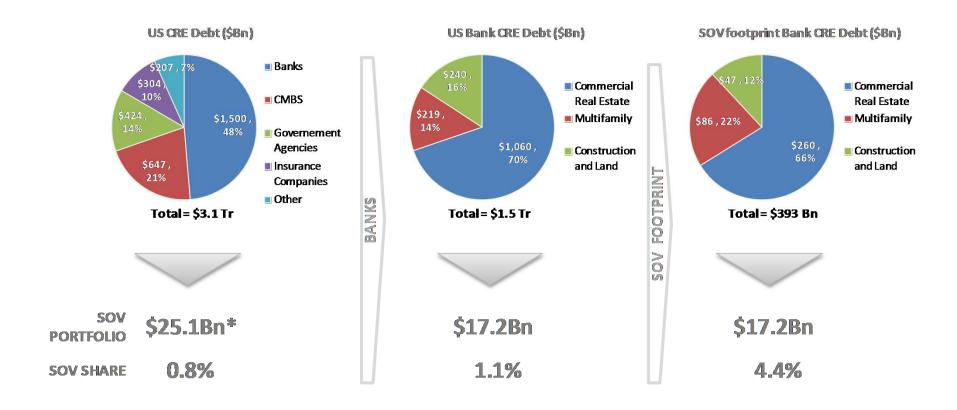


Source: Reis, BLS, Moody's Economy.com



# **SOV Market Share in Commercial Real Estate (CRE)**

A \$3.1 Tr debt market, in footprint SOV represents 4.4% of banks debt



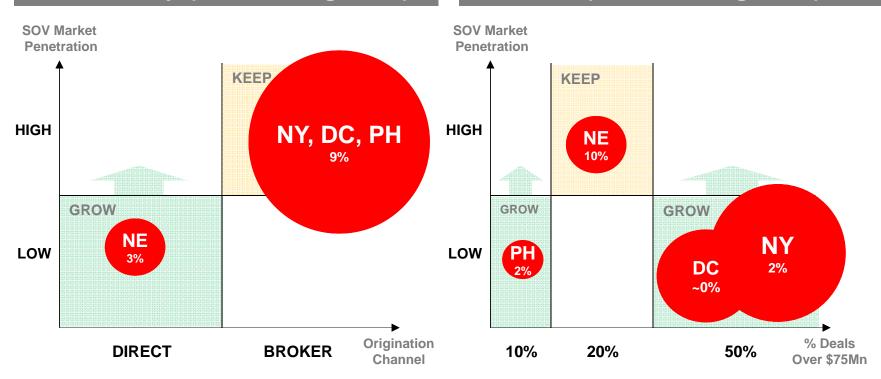




## **SOV In Footprint share per asset type**

#### Multifamily (\$1MM+ segment)

### CRE (\$20MM+ segment)



- Strong position in NY Metro
- Opportunity to expand in NE through direct lending
- Strong position in NE
- Opportunity to develop further presence in NY and DC

Opportunistic portfolio acquisitions and development of fee-based businesses to complement geographic expansion and enhance returns and the effective use of the balance sheet

PH: Philadelphia metro area DC: Greater Washington NY: Metro NY



## **Ecosystem**

#### Multifamily (\$1MM+ segment) JP Morgan direct lending model, low pricing, 2.75% for 5 year Astoria launched in money, and all-in origination fee December a lending is making inroads in NY product with no prepay Multi-Broker Usage **Exclusive Broker** 100% Multi-Broker 0% Multi-Broker 100% Direct (Meridian ~40% market) •Source: Lit search, JPMorganChase **investors** Bank Onterna savings A M&T Bank Sovereign **Bank** ew York Community Bank TD recently **♦** Santander launched an aggressive direct √alley National Bank lending program targeting low

Capital One

Apple Bank

leverage co-ops

(quoting as low

as 120bps over Libor)

 Continued inflow of new entrants in NY Metro drives spread compression and pressure on structure/proceeds

People's United

Bank

**FLUSHING** 

People's second strike effort leads to quotes as low as 2.85% all-in-rates for 5 year money

• Broker exclusive models being challenged by National players such as JP Morgan

#### CRE (\$20MM+ segment)



- CMBS NY challenges Banks position in term lending
- Competitive pressure in construction lending morphs borrower expectations in terms of pricing & execution on higher holds (smaller tickets, single bank transactions)



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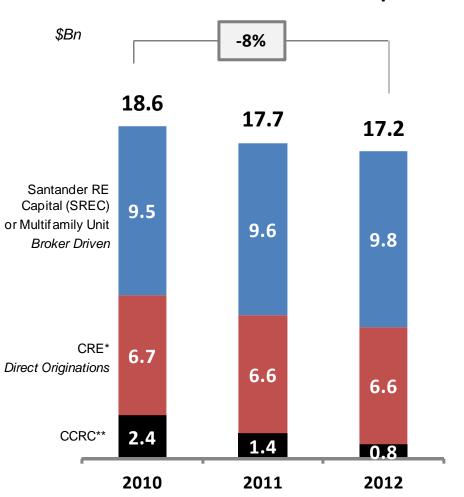
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#### **SOV CRE Portfolio Transformed over the Last 3 Years**

#### **SOV** owned Commercial RE Exposure



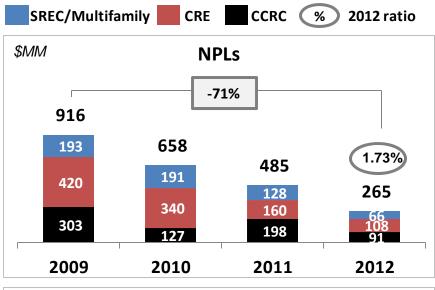
- Asset quality has improved
- Non-Core business exited
- Out of region exposure reduced
- Core business investments accretive
- Staff has been upgraded

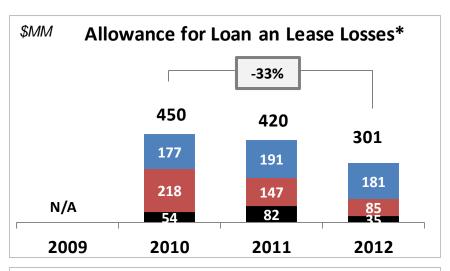


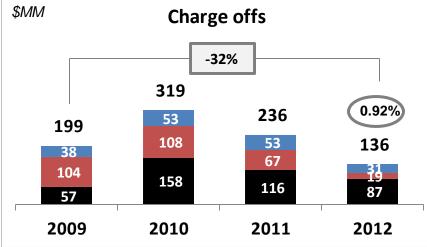
<sup>\*</sup> Includes all CRE exposure outside SREC and CCRC

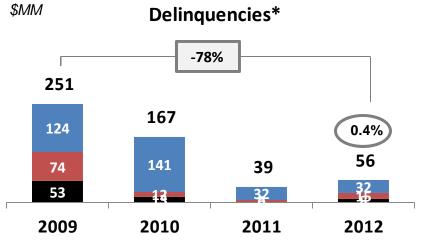
<sup>\*\*</sup> CCRC: Continuing Care Retirement Community

### **Key Risk Metrics Continue to Improve and are Normalizing**











# **CRE Portfolio Managed within Limits**

\$MM 					Current Product Appetite
Property Type	2010	2011	2012	Limit*	
MULTIFAMILY (incl. Co-Op)	7,075	7,676	8,579	9,850	Preferred
RETAIL	3,094	3,079	2,842	3,300	Preferred
OFFICE	2,674	2,690	2,740	3,300	Preferred
INDUSTRIAL	702	634	591	950	Limited
FOR SALE RESIDENTIAL	565	383	245	500	Exit
HOSPITALITY	351	322	362	500	Limited
CCRC	2,432	1,408	764	950	Exit
ALL OTHER	1,684	1,474	1,062	2,100	Limited
TOTAL RE Portfolio	18,577	17,666	17,185	18,750	
CONSTRUCTION LOANS	1,265	1,297	1,672	2,350	Preferred

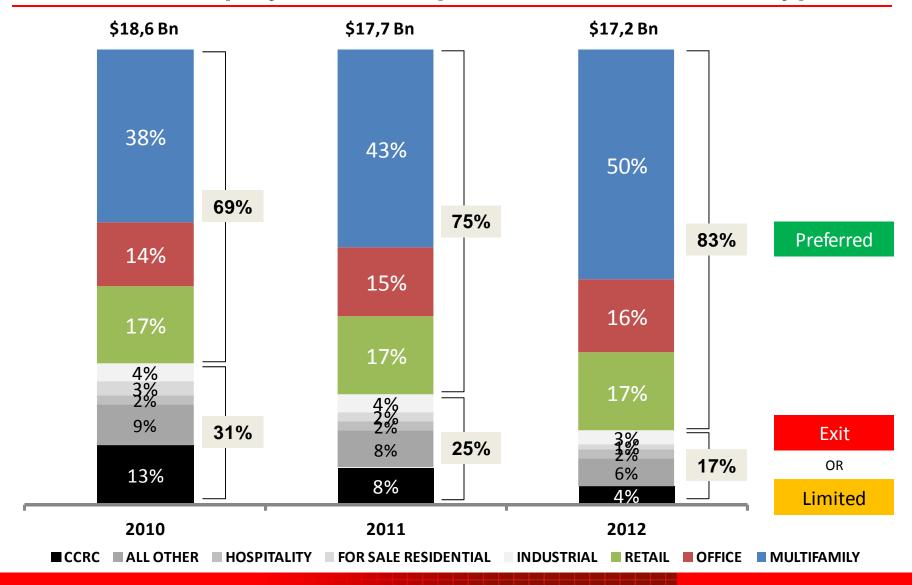


<sup>\* 2013</sup> limits established as Tier I capital + allowance for credit loss:

<sup>•</sup> Tier I capital is core capital established by Basel accords, includes equity capital and disclosed reserves

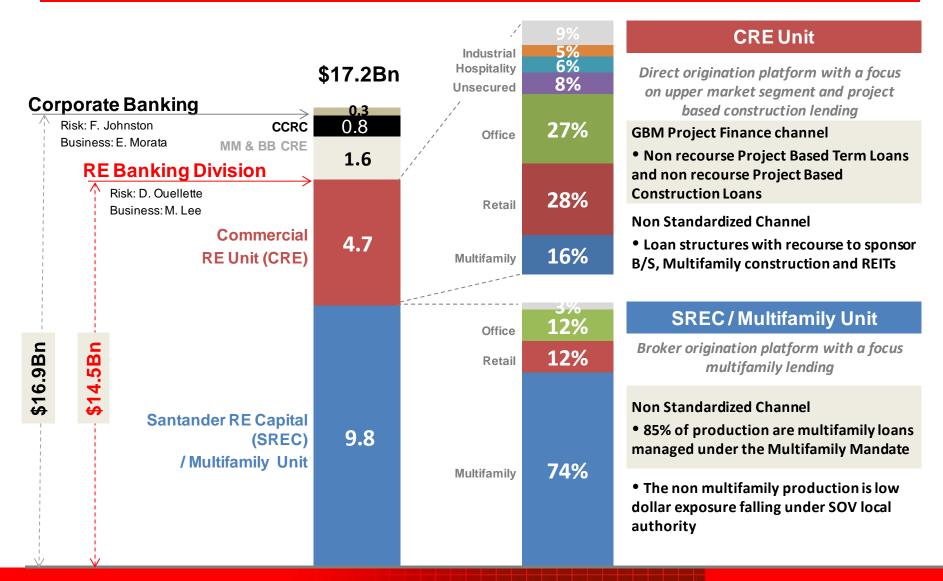
Allowance for credit loss: Allowance for loan losses and contingent reserves for letters of credit and unfunded commitment

## **Effective Redeployment of Capital in Preferred Asset Types**





### **RE Banking Division - Units and Portfolio Segmentation**





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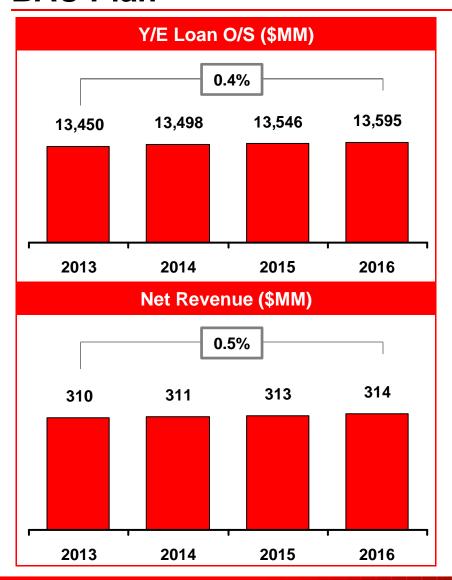
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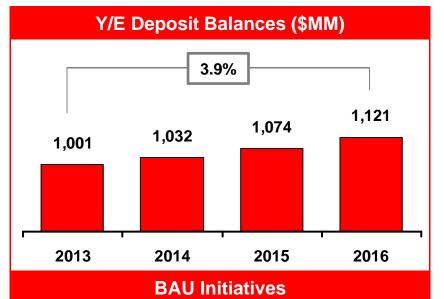
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### **BAU Plan**





- Direct lending (CRE Unit) Maintain dominant position in NE and expertise as a project based construction lender
- Broker lending (Multifamily Unit) defend Multifamily concentration in Metro NY with bond-like portfolio performances (target low leverage transactions through competitive pricing, maturity management program and execution on performance based contract)
- Redeploy capital from exit businesses and workout into desired product types
- Redeploy capital from out footprint markets (FL, CA, IL) into core markets



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## **Summary: 2016 Strategic Initiatives**



#### **Broker Lending (Multifamily Unit)**

- Expand direct originations in NE to reduce Meridian concentration
- Diversify revenues through cross sell and deposit gathering

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#### **Direct Lending (CRE Unit)**

- Expand presence in prime NY and DC markets
- Develop syndications strategy

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#### **Client Acquisition & Fee-Based Businesses**

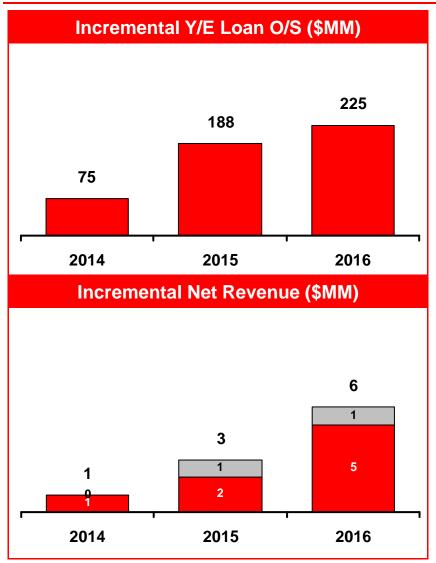
- Client acquisition
- Fee-based income
- Investment

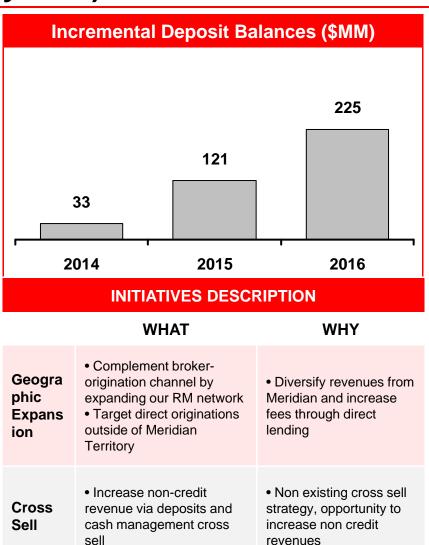
#### **Corporate CRE consolidation project**

- Phase I: Align CRE governance within Corporate Banking, specifically with respect to Middle Market and Business Banking
- Phase II: Integrate Middle Market and Business Banking CRE clients into the Real Estate Banking specialty group



# Broker Lending (Multifamily Unit)



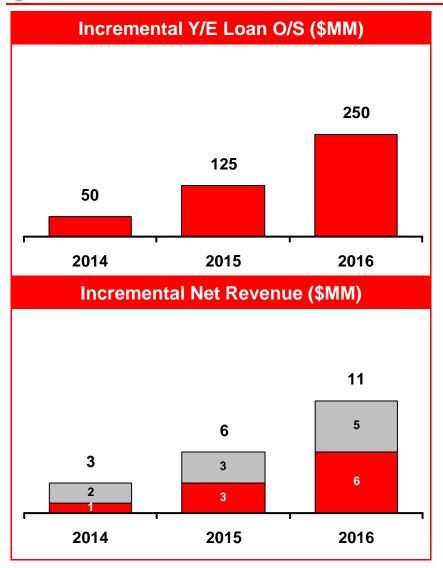


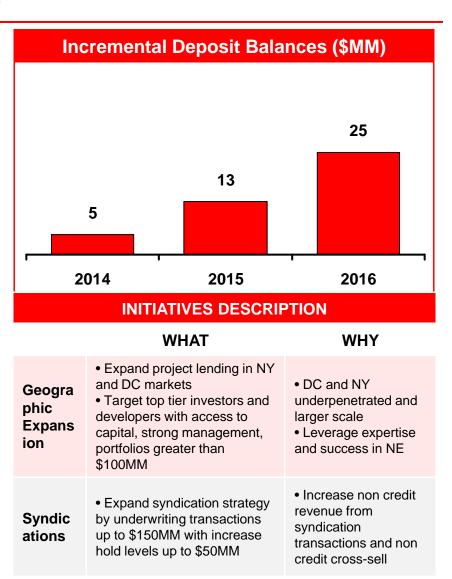


# Broker Lending (Multifamily Unit): Resources

	Division	Function	Area to support	Number of FTEs	Time	Timeline for Hiring		Estimated cost
					2014	2015	2016	
People	Real Estate	Relationship Manager	Multifamily	3	2	1	0	\$145K/ per FTE
	TOTAL			3	2	1	0	

# Direct Lending (CRE Unit)







# Direct Lending (CRE Unit): Resources

	Division	Function	Area to support	Number of FTEs	Timeline for Hiring			Estimated cost
					2014	2015	2016	
	Real Estate	Sr RM	CRE	3	2	1	0	\$250K/ per FTE per annum
People	Real Estate	Jr RM	CRE	3	2	1	0	\$100k per FTE per annum
	Real Estate	Middle Office	CRE	1	1	0	0	\$70k per FTE per annum
	Real Estate	Risk (UW)	CRE	1	1	0	0	\$150k per FTE per annum
	TOTAL			8	6	2	0	





## **Client Acquisition & Fee-Based Businesses**

WHAT	WHY
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# Client Acquisition

In process

# Fee based Income

Conceptual

#### Investment

Conceptual

- FNMA portfolio buyback
- Selective portfolio acquisition
- Access market liquidity:
  - via participations (pool sales)
  - via agency sales
- Explore the development or acquisition of a securitization platform (FNMA?)
- Equity investment in existing opportunity funds
- Development of captive investment funds

- Supplement organic growth or shortfalls in pipeline
- Pricing opportunities that outperform organic production
- Supplement organic fee growth
- Development of diversified fee based revenue stream
- Liquidity planning tool for portfolio limits
- Enhanced returns
- Development of diversified fee based revenue stream



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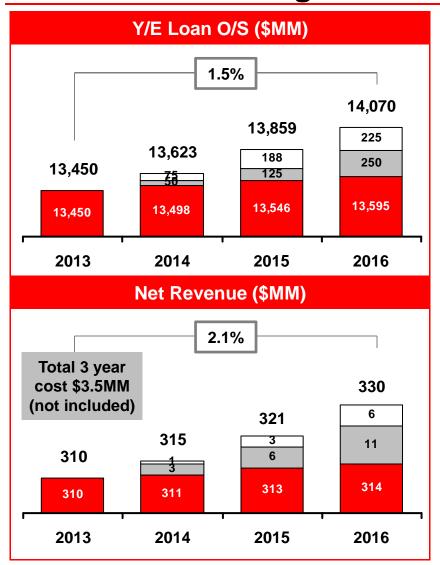
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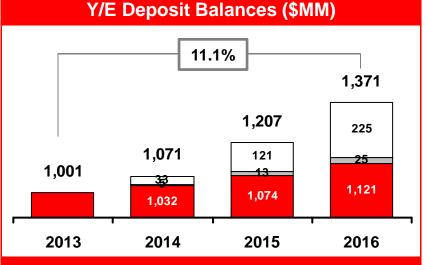


# BAU CRE Initiatives Multifamily Initiatives

CAGR (%)

# **Real Estate Banking 2016 Plan**





#### **Key Success Factors**

- Develop geographic expansion with a focus on executing the Syndication strategy
- Selective hiring of key resources (8 in '14 and 3 in '15)
- Achieving originations targets through Meridian
- Ability to adapt business and risk practices to market changes to execute with best in class competitors



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Sovereign Real Estate division is a stable, risk adverse business currently producing 46% of the revenues for Corporate Banking

Due to the size and term structures of the portfolio, substantial work is required to maintain status quo, hence BAU growth is limited

There are some significant "game changing" opportunities that exist, however these have not been sized for the purposes of the strategic plan



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# **Broker Origination Contingency Plan**

Division	Function	New FTEs	Timeline for hiring			*Estimated cost (MM)
			2014	2015	2016	
Business Line	Business Development	12	10	2	0	TBD
Business Line	Middle Office**	2	2	0	0	TBD
Total		14	12	2	0	TBD



<sup>\*</sup> Estimates base salary, benefits and bonus

<sup>\*\*</sup> Middle office includes the Pre-closing team, the Processing team and deposit/cash management RA's

# **Strategic Plan- FTE Required**

