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HOME LOAN FINANCIAL CORPORATION REPORTS EARNINGS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED MARCH 31, 2016

Coshocton, Ohio, April 20, 2016 – Home Loan Financial Corporation (OTCBB: HLFN), the parent company of The Home Loan Savings Bank, today announced net income of \$713,000, or \$0.51 basic and diluted earnings per share, for the quarter ended March 31, 2016 compared to net income of \$623,000 or \$0.45 basic and diluted earnings per share, for the quarter ended March 31, 2015, an increase of \$89,000, or 14.3%.

This increase in earnings for the quarter ended March 31, 2016 compared with March 31, 2015 was primarily attributable to an increase in net interest income of \$208,000, a decrease in the provision for loan losses of \$25,000, partially offset by a decrease in noninterest income of \$16,000, an increase in noninterest expense of \$82,000, and an increase of federal income tax expense of \$45,000.

Total assets at March 31, 2016 were \$199.4 million compared to June 30, 2015 assets of \$187.9 million, an increase of \$11.5 million or 6.1%. Total deposits at March 31, 2016 were \$146.3 million compared to June 30, 2015 deposits of \$138.4 million, an increase of \$7.9 million or 5.7%. Total equity at March 31, 2016 was \$24.8 million compared to \$24.1 million at June 30, 2015, an increase of \$700,000.

Home Loan Financial Corporation and The Home Loan Savings Bank are headquartered at 413 Main Street, Coshocton, Ohio 43812. The Home Loan Savings Bank has two offices located in Coshocton, Ohio, a branch in West Lafayette, Ohio and a branch in Mount Vernon, Ohio.

HOME LOAN FINANCIAL CORPORATION CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Unaudited)

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

	March 31, 2016	June 30, 2015			
ASSETS					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 10,455,973	\$ 9,157,841			
Interest-bearing time deposits	1,847,499	2,589,949			
Securities available for sale	3,007,238	2,503,638			
Federal Home Loan Bank stock	2,513,400	2,513,400			
Loans, net	172,851,731	162,333,196			
Premises and equipment	2,700,357	2,811,659			
Accrued interest receivable	591,832	522,548			
Bank owned life insurance	4,629,501	4,528,501			
Other assets	814,375	913,794			
Total assets	<u>\$199,411,906</u>	<u>\$187,874,526</u>			
LIABILITIES					
Deposits	\$ 146,344,028	\$ 138,399,297			
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	27,260,346	24,208,402			
Accrued interest payable	145,512	155,900			
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	813,913	1,037,093			
Total liabilities	174,563,799	163,800,692			
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SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY					
Preferred stock, no par value, 500,000 shares authorized,					
none outstanding					
Common stock, no par value, 9,500,000 shares authorized,					
2,248,250 shares issued					
Additional paid-in capital	14,988,801	15,044,411			
Retained earnings	20,820,225	20,053,194			
Treasury stock, at cost – 851,744 shares at	(10,964,566)	(11,025,698)			
March 31, 2016 and June 30, 2015					
Accumulated other comprehensive income	3,647	1,927			
Total shareholders' equity	24,848,107	24,073,834			
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	<u>\$199,411,906</u>	<u>\$187,874,526</u>			

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

	Three Months Ended		Six Months Ended	
	<u>March 31,</u>		<u>March 31,</u>	
	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>
Total interest income	\$2,326,466	\$2,066,716	\$6,880,492	\$6,333,859
Total interest expense	223,387	<u>171,302</u>	618,106	<u>507,054</u>
Net interest income	2,103,079	1,895,414	6,262,386	5,826,805
Provision for loan losses	30,000	55,000	85,000	148,704
Net interest income after				
provision for loan losses	2,073,079	1,840,414	6,177,386	5,678,101
Total noninterest income	280,228	296,286	855,489	914,520
Total noninterest expense	1,273,673	<u>1,191,753</u>	3,562,066	3,527,933
Income before income				
tax expense	1,079,634	944,947	3,470,809	3,064,688
Income tax expense	367,100	321,300	1,180,400	1,046,260
Net income	<u>\$ 712,534</u>	<u>\$ 623,647</u>	<u>\$2,290,409</u>	<u>\$2,018,428</u>
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Basic earnings per share	<u>\$.51</u>	<u>\$.45</u>	<u>\$ 1.64</u>	<u>\$ 1.45</u>
Diluted earnings per share	<u>\$.51</u>	<u>\$.45</u>	<u>\$ 1.64</u>	<u>\$ 1.45</u>