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### November 16, 2015 **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 10-Q (Mark One) QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2015 TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_ Commission file Number: 000-32891 1ST CONSTITUTION BANCORP (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter) New Jersey 22-3665653 (State of Other Jurisdiction (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) of Incorporation or Organization) 2650 Route 130, P.O. Box 634, Cranbury, NJ 08512 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code) (609) 655-4500 (Issuer's Telephone Number, Including Area Code) (Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant: (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. o Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes ý No o Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one): Large accelerated filer Accelerated filer o Non-accelerated filer (Do not check if a smaller reporting o Smaller reporting company ý company) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes o No ý

As of October 31, 2015, there were 7,547,064 shares of the registrant's common stock, no par value, outstanding.

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## PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements.

1st Constitution Bancorp
Consolidated Balance Sheets
(Dollars in thousands)
(Unaudited)

	September 30, 2015	December 31, 2014	
ASSETS			
CASH AND DUE FROM BANKS	\$14,865	\$14,545	
FEDERAL FUNDS SOLD / SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS	_	_	
Total cash and cash equivalents	14,865	14,545	
INVESTMENT SECURITIES:			
Available for sale, at fair value	74,557	80,161	
Held to maturity (fair value of \$125,445 and \$148,476	121,025	143,638	
at September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively)	121,023	143,030	
Total investment securities	195,582	223,799	
LOANS HELD FOR SALE	5,707	8,372	
LOANS	709,398	654,297	
Less- Allowance for loan losses	(7,132)	(6,925	
Net loans	702,266	647,372	
PREMISES AND EQUIPMENT, net	11,289	11,373	
ACCRUED INTEREST RECEIVABLE	2,644	3,096	
BANK-OWNED LIFE INSURANCE	21,445	21,218	
OTHER REAL ESTATE OWNED	4,927	5,710	
GOODWILL AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS	13,391	13,711	
OTHER ASSETS	8,334	7,583	
Total assets	\$980,450	\$956,779	
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
LIABILITIES:			
DEPOSITS			
Non-interest bearing	\$170,255	\$162,281	
Interest bearing	623,587	655,480	
Total deposits	793,842	817,761	
BORROWINGS	65,187	25,107	
REDEEMABLE SUBORDINATED DEBENTURES	18,557	18,557	
ACCRUED INTEREST PAYABLE	753	907	
ACCRUED EXPENSES AND OTHER LIABILITIES	7,679	7,337	
Total liabilities	886,018	869,669	
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY:			
Preferred stock, no par value; 5,000,000 shares authorized, none issued Common Stock, no par value; 30,000,000 shares authorized; 7,569,613 and	_	_	
7,165,084 shares issued and 7,547,064 and 7,134,174 shares outstanding as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively	65,777	61,448	
Retained earnings	28,773	25,730	

Treasury Stock, 22,549 shares and 30,910 shares at September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively	(258	) (316	)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	140	248	
Total shareholders' equity	94,432	87,110	
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$980,450	\$956,779	
The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.			
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1st Constitution Bancorp Consolidated Statements of Income (Dollars in thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
INTEREST INCOME:				
Loans, including fees	\$9,527	\$8,586	\$27,054	\$22,695
Securities:				
Taxable	776	961	2,383	3,141
Tax-exempt	522	575	1,608	