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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, 2017

Commission File Number 1-13006

Park National Corporation (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio 31-1179518 (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 50 North Third Street, Newark, Ohio 43055 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(740) 349-8451(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)N/A(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.

Yes ý No "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

Yes ý No "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer", "accelerated filer", "smaller reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. Large accelerated filer ý Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer "Smaller reporting company (Do not check if a Emerging growth company smaller reporting company)

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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

Yes "No ý

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date: 15,288,211 Common shares, no par value per share, outstanding at October 30, 2017.

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### PARK NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDARIES

### Consolidated Condensed Balance Sheets (Unaudited)

(in thousands, except share and per share data)		
	September 30, 2017	December 31, 2016
Assets:		
Cash and due from banks	\$118,884	\$122,811
Money market instruments	331,468	23,635
Cash and cash equivalents	450,352	146,446
Investment securities:		
Securities available-for-sale, at fair value (amortized cost of \$1,163,893 and \$1,262,761	1 1 ( ( 5 ( )	1 250 120
at September 30, 2017 and December 31, 2016, respectively)	1,166,562	1,258,139
Securities held-to-maturity, at amortized cost (fair value of \$347,110 and \$256,672 at	242665	250 922
September 30, 2017 and December 31, 2016, respectively)	342,665	259,833
Other investment securities	61,811	61,811
Total investment securities	1,571,038	1,579,783
Loans	5,365,877	5,271,857
Allowance for loan losses	(55,232)	(50,624)
Net loans	5,310,645	5,221,233
Bank owned life insurance	188,254	185,234
Prepaid assets	95,717	88,874
Goodwill	72,334	72,334
Premises and equipment, net	56,179	57,971
Affordable housing tax credit investments	54,355	52,947
Other real estate owned	14,366	13,926
Accrued interest receivable	21,246	18,822
Mortgage loan servicing rights, net	9,479	9,266
Other	18,730	20,750
Total assets	\$7,862,695	\$7,467,586
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity:		
Deposits:		
Noninterest bearing	\$1,568,177	\$1,523,417
Interest bearing	4,406,145	3,998,539
Total deposits	5,974,322	5,521,956
Short-term borrowings	192,896	394,795
Long-term debt	848,992	694,281
Subordinated notes	15,000	45,000
Unfunded commitments in affordable housing tax credit investments	21,282	14,282
Accrued interest payable	2,582	2,151
Other	48,254	52,881
Total liabilities	\$7,103,328	\$6,725,346
Shareholders' equity:		
Preferred shares (200,000 shares authorized; 0 shares issued)	\$ <i>—</i>	\$—
Common shares (No par value; 20,000,000 shares authorized; 16,150,769 shares issued	207 142	205 826
at September 30, 2017 and 16,150,807 shares issued at December 31, 2016)	307,143	305,826

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Retained earnings	553,434	535,631	
Treasury shares (873,708 shares at September 30, 2017 and 810,089 at December 31, 2016)	(88,205	) (81,472	)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss, net of taxes	(13,005	) (17,745	)
Total shareholders' equity	759,367	742,240	
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$7,862,695	\$7,467,586	

# SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### PARK NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

# Consolidated Condensed Statements of Income (Unaudited)

(in thousands, except share and per share data)

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2017 2016		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
			2017	2016
Interest and dividend income:				
Interest and fees on loans	\$63,110	\$59,893	\$184,240	\$178,346
Interest and dividends on: Obligations of U.S. Government, its agencies and other securities Obligations of states and political subdivisions Other interest income Total interest and dividend income	6,757 1,974 1,383 73,224	7,339 689 321 68,242	20,787 5,098 2,330 212,455	23,718 1,653 844 204,561
Interest expense:				
Interest on deposits: Demand and savings deposits Time deposits	2,882 2,521	1,094 2,352	6,787 7,139	2,851 7,128
Interest on borrowings: Short-term borrowings Long-term debt	197 6,073	84 6,179	616 17,632	330 18,415
Total interest expense	11,673	9,709	32,174	28,724
Net interest income	61,551	58,533	180,281	175,837
Provision for (recovery of) loan losses Net interest income after provision for (recovery of) loan losses	3,283 58,268	(7,366) 65,899	8,740 171,541	(3,819) 179,656
Other income: Income from fiduciary activities Service charges on deposit accounts Other service income Checkcard fee income Bank owned life insurance income ATM fees OREO valuation adjustments Gain on sale of OREO, net Miscellaneous Total other income	5,932 3,216 3,357 3,974 1,573 605 (22 ) 51 3,403 22,089	5,315 3,800 3,640 3,780 1,038 581 (233) 783 1,831 20,535	17,471 9,511 9,608 11,775 3,790 1,708 (367 204 5,147 58,847	15,866 10,798 9,565 11,180 3,284 1,734 (572) 1,079 3,726 56,660

### PARK NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

Consolidated Condensed Statements of Income (Unaudited) (Continued) (in thousands, except share and per share data)

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Mo Septemb	onths Ended ber 30,
	2017	2016	2017	2016
Other expense:				
Salaries	\$23,302	\$ 22,084	\$69,020	\$ 64,894
Employee benefits	4,656	5,073	14,756	14,740
Occupancy expense	2,559	2,506	7,759	7,693
Furniture and equipment expense	3,868	3,437	11,126	10,296
Data processing fees	1,919	1,450	5,560	4,040
Professional fees and services	6,100	6,356	16,947	18,424
Marketing	1,122	1,062	3,262	3,246
Insurance	1,499	1,423	4,586	4,272
Communication	1,110	1,154	3,598	3,728
State tax expense	912	895	2,918	2,619
Miscellaneous	2,764	1,316	5,847	8,009
Total other expense	49,811	46,756	145,379	141,961
Income before income taxes	30,546	39,678	85,009	94,355
Federal income taxes	8,434	12,229	23,598	28,222
Net income	\$22,112	\$ 27,449	\$61,411	\$ 66,133
Earnings per Common Share:				
Basic	\$1.45	\$ 1.79	\$4.01	\$ 4.31
Diluted	\$1.43 \$1.44	\$ 1.79 \$ 1.78	\$3.99	\$ 4.29
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Weighted average common shares outstanding				
Basic		745,330,791	15,299,0	395,330,802
Diluted				995,401,825
Cash dividends declared	\$0.94	\$ 0.94	\$2.82	\$ 2.82
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Consolidated Condensed Statements of Comprehensive Income (Unaudited) (in thousands)

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
Net income	2017	2016 \$27,449	2017	2016 \$66,133
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax: Unrealized net holding gain (loss) on securities available-for-sale, net of federal		Ψ27, Ηγ	ψ01,111	Φ00,155
income tax effect of \$380 and \$(1,174) for the three months ended September 30, 2017 and 2016, and \$2,551 and \$7,459 for the nine months ended September 30, 2017 and 2016, respectively	er <sup>707</sup>	(2,182)	4,740	13,850
Other comprehensive income (loss)	\$707	\$(2,182)	\$4,740	\$13,850
Comprehensive income	\$22,819	\$25,267	\$66,151	\$79,983

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### PARK NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

Consolidated Condensed Statements of Changes in Shareholders' Equity (Unaudited) (in thousands, except share and per share data)

	redCommon S Shares	Retained Earnings	Treasury Shares	Accumulate Other Comprehen (Loss) Inco	sive
Balance at January 1, 2016 Net income	\$ -\$303,966	\$507,505 66,133	\$(82,473)		)
Other comprehensive income, net of tax				13,850	
Dividends on common shares at \$2.82 per share Cash payment for fractional common shares in dividend		(43,461)			
reinvestment plan	(3	)			
Share-based compensation expense	1,189				
Balance at September 30, 2016	\$ -\$305,152	\$530,177	\$(82,473)	\$ (1,793	)
Balance at January 1, 2017 Net income	\$ -\$305,826	\$535,631 61,411	\$(81,472)	\$ (17,745	)
Other comprehensive income, net of tax		- )		4,740	
Dividends on common shares at \$2.82 per share		(43,411 )			
Cash payment for fractional common shares in dividend reinvestment plan	(4	)			
Issuance of 9,674 common shares under share-based compensation awards, net of 3,293 common shares withheld to pay employee income taxes	(795	) (197 )	645		
Repurchase of 70,000 common shares to be held as treasury shares			(7,378)		
Share-based compensation expense	2,116				
Balance at September 30, 2017	\$ -\$307,143	\$553,434	\$(88,205)		