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Comerica: A Brief Overview
Among the top 25 U.S. bank holding companies
Largest U.S. bank with corporate headquarters in Texas
\$54 billion in assets
Founded over 160 years ago
Major lines of business include:

Major markets include:
Continued investments in growth markets
Strong capital position
At December 31, 2010
Dusiness Deals
Business Bank
Wealth and Institutional Management
Retail Bank
Texas
Florida
California
Arizona
Michigan

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Comerica Key Differentiators
Focused on growing and maintaining long-term relationships
Relationship Managers known for ingenuity, flexibility & responsiveness
Emphasis on having a clear understanding of our customers & their banking needs
Wide array of products and services
Community bank feel

Weathered credit cycle well relative to peers Consistent credit standards

Granular portfolio

Main Street Bank

Well Positioned for Growth

Relationships are Priority One

Superior Credit Management

Size

Solid Capital Position

Regulatory Reform

Impact expected to be less than other

major banks

Quality of capital is strong

5 Consistent strategy

Based on relationship banking model

Core businesses and geographies unchanged

Recession-tested business model Expense management Solid capital position Investing to accelerate growth and balance

Banking center expansion in high growth markets

New and enhanced products and services

Expansion in Texas with pending Sterling Bancshares acquisition Poised for the Future Main Street Bank Well Positioned for Growth

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Financial Highlights
$ in millions
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Estimated
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See Supplemental Financial Data slides for reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures
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Credit Quality Improvement Continued \$259 \$116 \$54 **Provision for Credit Losses** 224 132 113 Net Loan Charge-offs 7,730 6,171 5,542 Watch List \$36,742 \$38,786 \$39,896 **Average Core Deposits** 14,430 14,920 15,607 Average Noninterest-bearing deposits 21,690 21,432 22,145 Period-end Commercial Loans \$42,753 \$40,102 \$39,999 Average Total Loans 21,971 20,967 21,464 Average Commercial Loans Solid Capital Deposit Levels Strong 12.46% 9.96% 10.08% Tier 1 Capital Ratio 7.99% 10.39% 10.54% Tangible common equity ratio 4Q09 3Q10 4Q10 Pace of Loan Decline Slowed 2

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7 WIM \$410MM 15% Retail Bank \$705MM 25% Business Bank

2010 Full Year Revenue

By
Business
Segment

1
As of December 31, 2010: YTD revenues of \$2.4 billion from continuing operations (FTE) including Finance & Other Business Business Bank
Wide spectrum of credit and non-credit financial products, cash
management and international

trade services

Retail Bank

\$1,673MM

Our Core Businesses

60%

Personalized financial products & services to consumers and small

businesses

Wealth & Institutional Management (WIM) Serves the needs of affluent

clients, foundations,

organizations and corporations

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8 Florida \$57MM 2% Int'l \$108MM 4% Other Markets \$227MM 8%

Texas \$409MM 15% Western \$774MM 28% Midwest \$1,213MM 43% Where We Operate Source: The 2009 U.S. Census Bureau As of December 31, 2010: YTD revenues of \$2.4 billion from continuing operations (FTE) including Finance & Other Business based on office of origination; Midwest includes: MI, OH, IL; Western includes: CA, AZ, NV, CO, WA; Other Markets inclu separately identified above in addition to businesses with a national perspective Exporting our 162 year relationship banking expertise to high growth markets Operate in seven of the eleven largest U.S. cities California, Arizona, Texas and Florida expected to account for over one-half of U.S. population growth between 2000 and 2030 Geographic footprint diversifies earnings mix 2010 Full Year Revenue By Market Segment 1

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9 MI 218 TX 95 CA 103 FL 11

AZ 17 AZ 1

FL 6

CA 42

TX 50

MI 261

December 2003

360 Banking Centers

December 31, 2010

444 Banking Centers

Banking Center Network

10 Established: 1988 Largest U.S. bank with corporate headquarters in TX Average deposits 5 up 45% from FY05

National Specialty groups include:

Heavy Equipment

\$2

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Energy
Acquisition of Sterling Bank
announced January 18, 2011
Diverse economy
Ranked #2 in the US by State GDP
Job growth rate for 2010 is 2.3%,
exceeding the national average of 0.9%
Home prices relatively stable
Comerica Texas Economic Activity
Index
is 8% above the cycle low
Source: 2010 Bureau of Economic Analysis
Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics as of 12/31/10
FHFA Purchase Only Home Price Index
As of October 2010
Full-Year 2010 YTD average
Texas Market:
Prepared for Growth
TX Banking Centers and Period Avg Deposits ($Bn)
61
68
95
79
87
90
20
30
40
50
60
70
80
90
2005
2006
2007
2008
2009
2010
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\$3 \$4 \$5 \$6 TX Banking Centers Deposits 1 2 3

11 California ranked #1 in the US by State GDP Seeing signs of stability in home prices Comerica California Economic Activity Index

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up 12% from cycle low
Established: 1991
31% of Comerica s loans
30% of Comerica s deposits
Average Deposits
4
up 24% since FY05
National Specialty groups include:
Technology and Life Sciences
Entertainment
Financial Services Division (FSD)
Western Banking Centers and Period Avg Deposits
excl. FSD ($Bn)
61
75
91
108
119
114
0
20
40
60
80
100
120
2005
2006
2007
2008
2009
2010
$6
$7
$8
$9
$10
$11
$12
Western Banking Centers
Deposits
Source: 2010 Bureau of Economic Analysis
As of November 2010
2010 Full-Year average
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December 2010 YTD average excluding FSD
Western Market:
Positioned for Sustained Recovery
1
2
3
3

Established: 1849 #1 in deposit market share in southeast Michigan 36% of Comerica s loans Net charge-offs to average loans of 1.45% FY10, down from 2.07%

despite economic backdrop National Specialty groups include: National Dealer Services Health Care Waste Management Unemployment , while still elevated, has fallen 2.8 percentage points from the peak in 12/09 Automotive sector improving Comerica Michigan Economic Activity Index up 23% from cycle low Source: FDIC 2010 Average Full-Year 2010 Source: CMA Economics as of November 2010 Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics as of December 2010 Michigan Market: Performance through Economic Headwinds Midwest Period Avg Deposits (\$Bn) 16.0 15.8 17.7 17.1 16.0 \$10 \$12 \$14 \$16 \$18 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 1 2

FY09

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Sterling Bank Acquisition
A Unique Opportunity
Accelerates Comerica s growth strategy in Texas
Significantly boosts Texas presence with solid deposit base and well located branch network

Houston deposit market share triples

Entry into San Antonio market

Complements Dallas-Fort Worth locations Enhances growth opportunities with focus on Middle Market and Small Business

Leverages additional marketing capacity to offer a wide array of products and services through a larger distribution channel Timely: economic, regulatory and market environment Maintains strong pro forma capital position Expect seamless integration: Manageable size within footprint

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Sterling Bank Acquisition
Transaction Summary
Purchase Price and Structure
\$10.00 per Sterling Bancshares (SBIB) share
100%
common

stock at fixed 0.2365 exchange ratio Transaction value \$1,027 million **Estimated Deal Economics** Break even in first full fiscal year and increasingly accretive thereafter; Attractive valuation multiples **Estimated Synergies** \$56 million or 35% of SBIB expenses (run rate realized by year-end 2012) No revenue synergies assumed Estimated merger-related charges \$80 million after-tax (~75% to be incurred in 2011) Deal protection ~\$40 million termination fee, in certain circumstances Approval requirements SBIB shareholders Customary regulatory approvals **Expected completion** By mid-year 2011 Pro forma ownership Current CMA shareholders ~90%; SBIB shareholders ~10% Price and exchange ratio based on the 15-day average share price through January 11, 2011 of Comerica common stock on the NYSE of \$42.28 First full-year assumed to be fiscal year 2012; Break even analysis excludes merger and integration costs. Additional detail can be found in the appendix of this presentation. 2

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Founded: 1974 in Houston, TX

Operating in key Texas metropolitan markets

Houston, Dallas-Fort Worth and San Antonio

Total Assets: \$5.2 billion

Loans: \$2.8 billion

Total Deposits: \$4.3 billion

Noninterest bearing: \$1.3 billion

Employees: 946 Branches: 57

Sterling Bank Highlights At December 31, 2010

Source: Company Reports and SNL Financial

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Based on Deposits at 6/30/10

6th largest U.S. bank with headquarters in Texas

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16 C&D \$2.3B 6% Residential Mortgage & Consumer \$3.9B 10%

Edgar Filing: STERLING BANCSHARES INC - Form 425 C&I \$24.3B 60% **CRE-Owner** Occupied \$7.8B 19% CRE \$1.9B 5% Sterling Bank Acquisition Opportunity to Leverage C&I Expertise As of December 31, 2010; \$Billions CRE: Non-owner occupied Commercial Real Estate; C&I: Commercial and Industrial includes Lease Financing and International Loans; C&D: Construction and Development Residential Mortgage & Consumer \$0.4B 15% C&I \$0.6B 23% C&D \$0.2B 8% CRE- Owner Occupied \$0.6B 22% CRE \$1.0B 32% Sterling Bank \$2.8B Loans Comerica Bank \$40.2B Loans Comerica Bank Texas Market \$6.8B Loans C&D \$1.0B 14% Residential Mortgage & Consumer \$0.4B 7% C&I \$4.3B 63% **CRE-Owner** Occupied \$0.8B 12% CRE \$0.3B 4%

17 Sterling Bank Acquisition Attractive Deposit Mix Time \$0.7B 17% Noninterest

bearing \$1.3B 31% Money Market, NOW & Savings \$2.2B 50% Brokered CD \$0.1B 2% Sterling Bank \$4.3B Deposits As of 12/31/2010; \$Billions Money Market, NOW & Savings \$2.3B 40% Time \$1.2B 22% Noninterest bearing \$2.2B 38% Money Market, NOW &Savings \$19.0B 47% Time \$5.9B 15% Non-interest bearing \$15.6B 38% Comerica Bank \$40.5B Deposits Comerica Bank Texas Market \$5.7B Deposits 4Q10 Interest-bearing deposit costs: 40 basis points

54 basis points 76 basis points

18 Sterling Bank Acquisition Expanding in Attractive Markets Houston San Antonio Austin Fort Worth

Dallas Sterling Bank Branch Comerica Banking Center Source: SNL Financial as of 06/30/2010 Rank and share % data not provided for San Antonio Market as it includes branches in Kerrville. San Antonio and Kerrville are not listed in SNL Financial as a combined MSA **Deposits** Branches \$mm Rank Share % Texas Market **CMA** 94 5,230 10 1.18 **SBIB** 60 4,142 13 0.94 Pro forma 154 9,372

Houston MSA

CMA

34

6 2.12

1,389

12

1.15

SBIB

33

3,269

6

2.70

Pro forma

67

4,658

6

3.85

Dallas -

Fort Worth MSA

CMA

49

3,460

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2.31 **SBIB** 13 266 45 0.18 Pro forma 62 3,726 5 2.49 Entry into San Antonio Market **CMA** 0 0 **SBIB** 14 607 Pro forma 14 607 Austin MSA CMA 11 381

11 1.66

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Source: Company reports

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As of December 31, 2010: CMA YTD revenues (FTE) of the major geographic markets of \$2.8 billion (\$2.4B including Finar Businesses);

Geography

based

on office of origination; Midwest includes: MI, OH, IL; Western includes: CA, AZ, NV, CO, WA; Other Markets include markets not separately identified above in addition to businesses with a national perspective Sterling Bank Acquisition Accelerating Geographic Balance As of December 31, 2010 Pro forma Combined **CMA SBIB** Assets \$53.7B \$5.2B \$58.9B Loans 40.2 2.8 43.0 Deposits 40.5 4.3 44.8 Revenue (4Q10) \$620M \$48M \$668M Branches 444 57 501 **Texas Branches** 95 57

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Employees 9,001 946 9,947 Florida \$57M 2% Int'l \$108M 4% Other Markets \$227M 8% Texas \$611M 20% Western \$774M 26% Midwest \$1,213M 40% 2010 Year-to-Date

Pro Forma Revenue By Market Segment

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20 Sterling Bank Acquisition Thorough Due Diligence Conservative Gross 1 Loan Marks

\$ in Millions; CRE Wholesale includes CRE mortgages referred by other financial institutions; CRE Other includes office, retaining

hospitality, multifamily, warehouse, 1-4 family. Excludes \$77 million allowance for loan losses; Estimated losses and portfolio breakdown is based on Comerica credit due diligence and may not reconcile to the 4Q10 data on slide 16 SBIB cumulative losses based on total net charge-offs as a % of average loans 1/1/08 through 12/31/10 of \$3,267 million Assisted by local market insight into customers and competitors Loan Review 25 person CMA evaluation team Reviewed 96% of nonperforming loan outstandings; 92% of special mention and substandard; and 43% of pass credits CMA has extensive credit quality review experience In-depth review of: Investment portfolio Deposit composition **Branch locations Extensive Review Process** Cumulative credit losses taken 1/1/08 through 12/31/10 3.7% \$330 12.0% \$2,752 Total \$450 Total estimated credit losses 15.7% through the cycle As of 12/31/10 **SBIB** Est. Loss % Est. Loss \$

C&I \$623 4.0%

\$24 CRE Owner occupied 335 7.6 26 CRE Wholesale 366 16.3 60 CRE Construction (C&D) 220 28.4 63 CRE Other 811 13.7 111 Consumer/Resi Mortgage 397 11.6 46

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21 Sterling Bank Acquisition Continued Capital Strength Tier I Common Capital Ratio at December 31, 2010 1 On a pro forma basis:

Remain among the best capitalized in peer group Quality of capital is solid with Tier 1 consisting of 99% common equity Strong capital supports future growth Pro forma 12/31/10 Tier 1 Capital Ratio 10.0% Source: **SNL** Financial (excludes MI and **MTB** as their numbers were not reported) See Supplemental Financial Data slide for reconcilements of non-GAAP financial measures; 4Q10 estimated 6% 7% 8% 9% 10% **FITB USB** RF STI **ZION** BBT **HBAN KEY PNC CMA**

Peer Median = 9.08%

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Sterling Acquisition
Transaction Economics
2.3x
Price/Tangible Book Value
\$276
Adjusted Tangible Book Value

3.7xPrice/Adjusted Tangible Book Value Tax Impact @ 35% (77)Sterling Allowance for Loan Losses 1 164 Net Loan Mark Adjustment \$440 Sterling Tangible Book Value \$330 Estimated Future Loan Losses 2 (182)Less: Goodwill & Intangibles \$622 Sterling Total Shareholder Equity 1 \$1,027 Purchase Price Purchase price reflects: Scarcity value only two unassisted acquisitions of banks with >\$5 billion assets in Texas in the past 7 years and only 4 other public Texas

Texas economy one of the strongest and largest economies in the U.S. Price to adjusted tangible book multiple reflects low book value

>\$5 billion remaining

headquartered U.S. banks with assets

resulting from the conservative credit
marks
Estimated goodwill of \$745MM
reflects purchase price less tangible
book value at close, as well as
additional accounting adjustments to
fair value all assets and liabilities
\$ in Millions (MM); This analysis is based on estimates at the time of transaction announcement (January 18, 2011).

At December 31, 2010
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Estimated losses based on Comerica credit due diligence

23 Sterling Acquisition Fits Comerica s Main Street Bank Strategy Accelerates growth in Texas urban markets

Nearly doubles branch presence in Houston

Entry into San Antonio market

#6 largest deposit market share in state Financially attractive

Expect to be break even in first full year

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and increasingly accretive

thereafter

Conservative assumptions (synergies and credit marks)

Price/Tangible Book Value of about 2.3x and deposit premium of about

17% ---

fair value consistent with recent Texas healthy bank transactions

Expect seamless integration

Size: Manageable

Location: Within footprint

Culture: Business banking

Maintains strong capital position

Pro forma 12/31/10 Tier 1 Capital Ratio

10.0%

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First full-year assumed to be fiscal year 2012; Break even analysis excludes merger and integration costs

24 Other Markets \$3.7B 9% Int'l \$1.5B 4% Florida

\$1.6B 4% Midwest \$14.3B 36% Western \$12.5B 31% Texas \$6.4B 16% Diverse Loan Portfolio Specialty Businesses includes: Financial Services Division, Entertainment, Energy, Leasing, Mortgage Banker Finance and Technology and Life Sciences (TLS) Geography based on office of origination; Midwest: MI, OH, IL; Western: CA, AZ, NV, CO, WA; Other Markets include markets not separately identified above in addition businesses with national perspective Average 4Q10: \$40.0 billion By Geographic Market By Line of Business Global Corp Banking \$4.3B 11% Commercial Real Estate \$4.7B 12% Middle Market \$11.9B 30% Nat'l Dealer Services \$3.8B 9% Specialty Businesses 1 \$5.3B 13% Personal Banking \$1.8B 4%

Small Business Banking \$3.4B 9% Private Banking \$4.8B 12%

25 Commercial Loan Growth Increases in:

National Dealer Services \$276MM

Mortgage Banker Finance \$158MM

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Energy $73MM
Average balances in $ millions
CRE: Owner-occupied and Commercial Real Estate line of business construction and mortgage loans
4Q10 compared to 3Q10
Decreases in:
Commercial Real Estate line of
business ($332MM)
Middle Market ($178MM)
Small Business Banking ($72MM)
3Q09
4Q09
1Q10
2Q10
3Q10
4Q10
Total Loans
44,782
42,753
41,313
40,672
40,102
39,999
Q-Q Change
(2,029)
(1,440)
(641)
(570)
(103)
Commerical
23,401
21,971
21,015
20,910
20,967
21,464
Q-Q Change
(1,430)
(956)
(105)
57
497
CRE
14,392
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14,096

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13,773
13,359
12,882
12,336
Q-Q Change
(296)
(323)
(414)
(477)
(546)
Average loan outstandings included:
Balance Sheet
Lines of Business
1
2
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26

Source: Federal Reserve H.8 as of 1/26/2011

Loan Growth Post-Recession

C&I Loans

- -25%
- -20%
- -15%

-10%

-5%

0%

5%

10%

15%

20%

25%

Comerica

All Banks

Large Banks

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Investment Securities Portfolio
Consists primarily of AAA
mortgage-backed Freddie
Mac and Fannie Mae
government agency
securities

Net unrealized pre-tax gain \$55MM as of 12/31/10

Average life of 3.4 years as of 12/31/10 Repurchased customers Auction-Rate Securities in 4Q08

Cumulative redemptions and sales of \$668MM (4Q10 \$12MM)

Cumulative gains on redemptions and sales of \$27MM (4Q10 \$1MM)

 $\$ in millions (MM)

\$3,500

\$4,500

\$5,500

\$6,500

\$7,500

\$8,500

\$9,500

\$10,500

1Q09

2Q09

3Q09

4Q09

1Q10

2Q10

3Q10

4Q10

Average Auction-Rate Securities

Average Investment Securities Available-for-Sale

Target:

Mortgage-backed

Securities

\$6.5B

28 \$0

\$10

\$20

\$30

\$40

4Q08

1Q09 2Q09 3Q09 4Q09 1Q10 2Q10 3Q10 4Q10 Core Deposits Increased Average Core Deposits \$ in billions; 4Q10 vs 3Q10 1 Core deposits exclude Institutional CDs, Retail Brokered CDs and foreign office time deposits Total average core deposits of \$39.9B, a \$1.1B increase primarily due to: Noninterest-bearing deposits increased \$687MM Money market and NOW deposits increased \$621MM Customer CDs decreased \$206MM Total avg. core deposits: Increased in: