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### First Midwest: Chicago's Premier Independent Company

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- IV. Principal Drivers Of Performance
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## I. Chicago Marketplace Introduction

#### Chicago MSA®



Population: 8.5 Million

(3rd Largest MSA)

Deposits: \$238.7 Billion

**Deposit Concentration:** 42.3% (1)

Sources: Population numbers - Claritas 2005 Estimates.

Deposit numbers are SNL pro-forma data as of Sept 1, 2006 – includes all banks, thrifts – does not include credit unions.

(1) Deposit concentration represents the aggregate market share of the four largest firms.

(2) MSA as defined by US Census Bureau.

### Chicago MSA Comparison<sup>®</sup>

	Chicago MSA	New York MSA	Los Angeles MSA
2005-2010 Population Growth	4.0%	2.4%	5.8%
Average Household Income	\$77,112	\$76,653	\$73,255
Median Income Producing Assets	\$59,614	\$55,023	\$44,832
Homeowners	65.9%	51.1%	50.6%

## Chicago MSA Comparison o

	Chicago MSA	N40 A				
# of Bank Branches	3,127	5,397	2,301			
% Increase Since 2002 <sub>(2)</sub>	28.5%	13.2%	9.8%			
Banking Institutions	252	197	139			
Total Deposits	\$238.7 Billion	\$740.1 Billion	\$269.7 Billion			
5 Year Deposit Growth	23.6%	36.1%	41.3%			
Deposit Concentration(3)	42.3%	54.9%	50.2%			

Source: SNL pro-forma data as of Sept 1, 2006 – includes all banks, thrifts – does not include credit unions.

<sup>(1)</sup> MSA as defined by US Census Bureau.

Chicago branches in 2002 = 2,433, NY = 4,765, LA = 2,095 (2)(3)

Deposit concentration represents the aggregate market share of the four largest firms.

## Chicago MSA - Top 15 Banks

Rank	Bank <sup>(1)</sup>	2005 Deposits '000	Branches in MSA (2)	MSA Share
1	JP Morgan Chase	38,406,892	340	16.1%
2	LaSalle Bank	30,956,884	142	12.9%
3	Harris	23,500,697	197	9.8%
4	Northern Trust	8,461,138	18	3.5%
5	Fifth Third	8,052,445	137	3.4%
6	Wintrust	6,460,053	68	2.7%
7	Royal Bank of Scotland	6,446,076	133	2.7%
8	MAF Bancorp	5,628,594	58	2.4%
9	MB Financial	5,584,795	60	2.3%
10	Corus Bankshares	5,500,178	14	2.3%
11	Citigroup	5,441,103	51	2.3%
12	First Midwest Bancorp (3)	5,434,824	88	2.3%
13	National City	4,528,348	66	1.9
14	Bank of America	4,158,882	45	1.7%
15	FBOP Corporation	2,867,310	27	1.2%

Source: SNL includes all banks, thrifts-does not include credit unions
(1) Where applicable, detail provided represents the aggregate of independent bank charters
(2) Pro-forma data as obtained on 9/1/06
(3) Restated to include Bank Calumet

## FMB Chicago Footprint

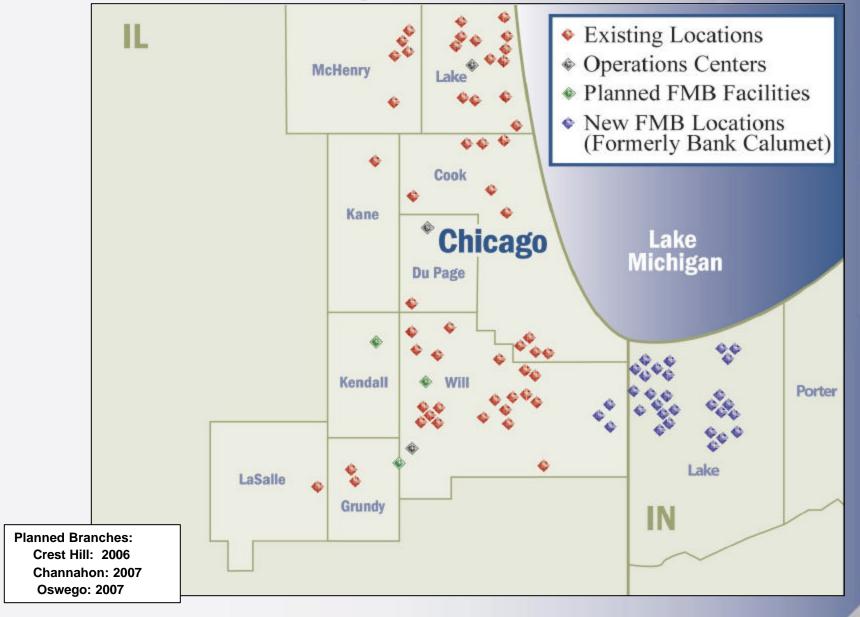
	FMB Footprint (1)	Chicago MSA
2005 Population	5,103,861	8,553,216
2005-2010 Population Growth	5.4%	4.0%
Average Household Income	\$86,554	\$77,008
Median Income Producing Assets	\$76,646	\$57,232
Homeowners	77%	65%

Source: Claritas 2005 Estimates

#### First Midwest: Who We Are

- → \$8.7 Billion Assets
  - → \$6.3 Billion Deposits, 88% Deposits In Suburban Chicago
  - \$5.0 Billion Loans
  - \$3.6 Billion Trust Assets Under Management
  - \$500 Million Investments Under Management
- → 343,000 Relationships<sup>(1)</sup>
  - → 300,000 Retail Clients
  - → 28,000 Commercial Clients
  - → 3,000 Trust Clients
  - → 12,000 Investment Clients
- → 101 Offices/129 ATM's/Full Service Electronic Banking
- → One of the 25 Best Places To Work In Chicago Honored By Chicago Magazine

#### Suburban Chicago Franchise



# Expansion Into Indiana: Bank Calumet Creates Opportunity For Growth, Leveraging Strengths

- **→** \$1.2 Billion in Assets, \$0.9 Billion in Deposits, 30 Branches
- Strong Deposit Base and Positive Trends
  - Deposit Growth: 27% Over Five Years
  - Deposit Mix: Over 75% Transactional Deposits
- → \$848 Million in Trust Assets, Approximately 1,000 Relationships
- → Strong Branch Presence, 70% In Rapidly Growing Markets
- Broadening Product Lines
- Expanded Corporate Lending and Underwriting

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#### II. Second Quarter 2006

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2006 Performance Highlights

→ Solid Profitability

÷	ROE	16.50 %
÷	ROA	1.33 %
÷	Earnings Per Share	\$0.57
	→ Acquisition-Related Integration Costs (1)	\$0.04
	→ Stock Option Expense (1)	\$0.01

Continued Organic Growth (Excluding Bank Calumet)

→ Total Loans "	7.2%
→ Corporate Loans (2)	13.8%
→ Deposits (3)	3.4%

Solid Credit Quality

→ Nonperforming Assets Ratio 0.34%

→ Efficiency 51.84%

<sup>(1)</sup> Reflects the after tax impact of \$3.0 million in acquisition and related integration costs specific to Bank Calumet transaction or \$742,000 of stock option expense

<sup>(2)</sup> Represents 2006 annualized growth as compared to December 31, 2005, excluding \$ 579.3 million loans attributed to the Bank Calumet acquisition

<sup>(3)</sup> Represents growth in quarter to date average balances as compared to second quarter 2005, excluding \$ 927.0 million in deposits attributed to Bank Calumet

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2006 Peer Comparison

	First Midwest	Peer	% Difference
Return On Assets	1.33%	1.17%	+13.7%
Return On Equity	16.50%	12.83%	+28.6%
Nonperforming Asset Ratio	0.39%	0.57%	-31.6%
Net Interest Margin	3.70%	3.75%	-1.3%
Efficiency Ratio	52.12%	57.49%	-9.3%

#### Projected 2006 Performance

- → Solid E.P.S. Growth: 7-11%
- → Continued Profitability: ROE 17%
- Solid Credit Quality:
  - Nonperforming Assets Ratio: 35 40 b.p.
- → Targeted Loan Growth:<sup>(1)</sup>
  - → Total Loans: 7%
  - → Corporate Loans: 10%
- → Focused Efficiency: (2) 49%

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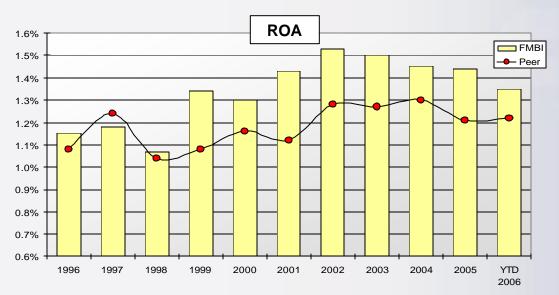
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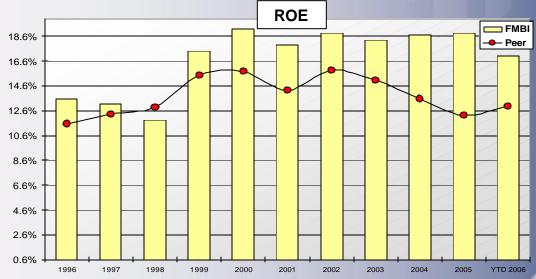
## III. Superior Long-Term Performance

#### Earnings and Shareholder Value Trends

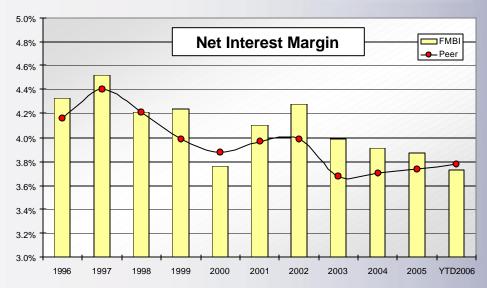
1995 To 2005	Compound Annual Growth Rate
Earnings Per Share (\$0.79 to \$2.21)	11%
Dividend (\$0.32 to \$1.015)	12%
Stock Price (\$12.32 to \$35.06)	11%
Total Return (Dividends Reinvested)	14%

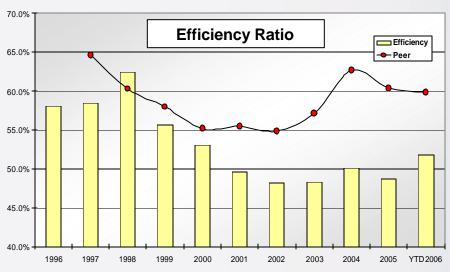
#### Outperforming Over The Long Term

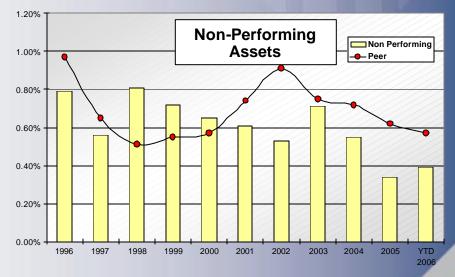




#### Outperforming ...







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## IV. Principal Drivers Of Performance

#### **Drivers Of Performance**

- 1. Strong Organizational Management
- 2. Value-Based Control Management
- 3. Relationship Banking Discipline
- 4. Outstanding Chicagoland Marketplace

#### 1. Strong Organizational Management

- Mission Centered
- → Plan Driven
- → Research Based
- → Employee Focused
  - → Tenure
  - Compensation Alignment
  - Development
  - Succession

#### 2. Value-Based Control Management

- Disciplined Credit Culture
  - Diversified Portfolio Risk
  - Local Market Focus
- → Operational Efficiency Emphasis
  - Continuous Business Process Improvement
  - Six Sigma Disciplines
  - State of the Art Operations Centers
- → Rigorous Treasury Management

#### 3. Relationship Banking Discipline

- → Line of Business Orientation
  - Commercial
  - Retail
- → Key Differentiators
  - Relationship Focused
  - Proven Sales Process

## Chicagoland's Premier Bank For Business

#### → 7 Lines Of Business

- Commercial and Industrial
- → Commercial Real Estate
- Cash Management
- Small Business
- → Trust
- Private Banking
- → Agriculture
- → Consultative Needs-Based Sales Approach

## 2006 Presence With Chicagoland Commercial Marketplace

- → 180 Relationship Managers
- → 30,000 Calls Made In Marketplace
- → 4,000 Referrals
- → 800 Client Relationship Plans Delivered

#### Chicagoland's Premier Bank For Retail

#### Focused Sales

- → 88 Offices, 6<sup>th</sup> Largest Suburban Branch Presence
- Customer Care Center
- → First Midwest Direct
- → Electronic Delivery Channels
- → Robust Workforce Outreach Program

#### **→** Key Differentiators:

- → Targeted Market Approach
- Client Segmentation Modeling

#### 2006 Retail Presence In Marketplace

- → 1,000 Retail Bankers
- → 1,600,000 Direct Marketing Contacts
- → 300,000 Client Contacts
- **→** 75,000 Referrals
- → 12,000 Marketplace Calls

#### 4. Outstanding Chicagoland Marketplace

- → Gross Regional Product \$423 billion (3<sup>rd</sup> largest) (1)
  - → GRP 5 Year Growth 5%
- **→ Low Unemployment 4.7%** (2)
- → Large and Diverse Workforce 4.4 million
- **→** Affordable Living (3)
  - **→** Cost of Living Index:
    - → Chicago 114.2
    - → Los Angeles 156.1
    - → New York 204.7

#### 4. Outstanding Chicagoland Marketplace...

- → A Leading Global Economy
  - **→** 30 Fortune 500 Companies Headquarters
  - **→** 98 Corporate Headquarters (2<sup>nd</sup> only to NY)
- → #1 in High-Technology (345,000 workers/7,100 companies)
- #1 in Business Service Professionals
- → #1 in Air Travel/Freight
- → #1 in Manufacturing \$72 B In Regional Output
- → #1 Distribution Center (Truck, Rail, Air, Intermodal)

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## V. 2006 & Beyond Strategic Opportunities

#### Strategic Opportunities

#### Market Niche Enhancement

- Middle Market
- Agriculture
- Wealth Management
- Small Business
- Workplace Delivery

#### → Chicagoland Acquiror of Choice

#### Market Expansion

- Suburban: Infill/Expansion
- Central Business District

#### Acquiror of Choice

- → Value Added Formula For Acquirees
  - → Credibility
  - → Capacity
  - → Efficiency
  - → Sales Process
  - → Credit Culture

#### Chicagoland Acquisition Opportunities

**Unaffiliated Banking Companies:** \$500 million-\$3 billion in assets

25 Chicagoland Banks \$35 billion in total deposits

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## **Why First Midwest?**

#### Why First Midwest?

- → Proven Management Process
- **→** Track Record of Performance
- → Solid Market Presence
- → Effective Operating Plan
- Strategic M&A Advantages

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#### Selected Financial Information

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Selected Financial Information (Amounts in thousands, except per share data)

(Amounts in thousands, except per share data)		2006				2005				2004		2003
	Inne 30/VTD	2006	1st Quarter	Dec 31/VTD	Ath Quarter	3rd Quarter	2nd Quarter	1st Opertor	Dec 31/VTD		3rd Ouarter	
Period-End Balance Sheet	June 30/11D	2nu Quarter	1st Quarter	Dec. 31/11D	4th Quarter	31u Quarter	2nd Quarter	1st Quarter		4th Quarter	314 Quarter	Dec. 31/11B
Total assets	. \$ 8,692,828	\$8,692,828	\$8,715,524	\$ 7,210,151	\$7,210,151	\$7,201,261	\$ 7,073,141	\$6,910,482	\$ 6,863,381	\$ 6,863,381	\$ 6,931,563	\$ 6,906,658
Securities HTM - amortized cost	. 116,707	116,707	121,012	56,772	56,772	49,118	67,503	73,725	64,576	64,576	54,743	67,446
Securities HTM - fair market value	116,922	116,922	121,026	56,791	56,791	49,153	67,544	73,758	64,618	64,618	54,784	67,513
Securities AFS - fair market value	2,593,715	2,593,715	2,654,189	2,286,630	2,286,630	2,299,250	2,264,616	2,170,720	2,179,438	2,179,438	2,115,492	2,229,650
Mortgages held for sale	. 3,000	3,000	3,050	4,301	4,301	7,241	7,079	5,915	4,251	4,251	5,308	9,620
Loans:												
Commercial and industrial	1,550,730	1,550,730	1,524,978	1,161,660	1,161,660	1,209,916	1,215,038	1,158,819	1,146,168	1,146,168	1,129,532	1,052,117
Agricultural	140,440	140,440	134,708	131,689	131,689	121,430	121,092	107,265	107,059	107,059	101,590	94,983
Real estate - commercial	. 1,873,402	1,873,402	1,811,045	1,729,009	1,729,009	1,630,687	1,562,550	1,529,942	1,493,855	1,493,855	1,456,436	1,393,420
Real estate - construction		539,915	463,367	413,286	413,286	435,534	407,395	421,258	427,248	427,248	448,541	453,429
Real estate - 1-4 family		220,377	349,934	143,286	143,286	129,763	121,387	108,316	92,512	92,512	163,824	170,245
Direct consumer		601,420	625,189	570,042	570,042	576,298	579,696	576,955	576,691	576,691	572,112	543,161
Indirect consumer		115,061	132,914	157,219	157,219	183,638	216,010	251,173	291,745	291,745	331,991	352,427
Total loans	. 5,041,345	5,041,345	5,042,135	4,306,191	4,306,191	4,287,266	4,223,168	4,153,728	4,135,278	4,135,278	4,204,026	4,059,782
Other Assets:												
Other earning assets		4,399	5,464	1,607	1,607	868	169	168	330	330	3,305	5,789
Total earning assets		7,759,166	7,825,850	6,655,501	6,655,501	6,643,743	6,562,535	6,404,256	6,383,873	6,383,873	6,382,874	6,372,287
Corporate owned life insurance	. 193,048	193,048	194,333	156,441	156,441	155,005	153,777	152,554	151,359	151,359	150,165	146,421
Goodwill	. 266,037	266,037	264,900	85,962	85,962	84,547	84,547	84,547	84,547	84,547	84,427	83,735
Other intangibles	32,766	32,766	29,939	10,035	10,035	10,567	11,100	11,633	12,165	12,165	12,698	15,533
Total intangibles	298,803	298,803	294,839	95,997	95,997	95,114	95,647	96,180	96,712	96,712	97,125	99,268
Deposits:	1 125 449	1 125 449	1 105 452	076 557	076 557	061 615	0.42 602	011 721	022.540	022.540	020 272	850 080
Demand deposits		1,125,448 5,132,737	1,105,452 4,945,387	976,557 4,171,275	976,557 4,171,275	961,615 4,264,232	942,602 4,145,827	911,721 4,051,138	922,540 3,982,838	922,540 3,982,838	929,272 4,026,050	859,080 3,956,028
Total deposits		6,258,185	6,050,839	5,147,832	5,147,832	5,225,847	5,088,429	4,962,859	4,905,378	4,905,378	4,955,322	4,815,108
Fed funds purchased and	0,238,183	0,236,163	0,030,839	3,147,832	3,147,632	3,223,847	3,088,429	4,902,839	4,903,378	4,903,378	4,933,322	4,813,108
repurchase agreements	912,806	912,806	803,943	746,057	746,057	697,609	726,205	739,077	704,589	704,589	721,512	879,709
Other borrowed funds		499,747	825,141	548,475	548,475	523,542	523,609	440,676	513,743	513,743	530,826	491,963
Long-term debt		226,128	227,472	130,092	130,092	130,421	132,707	129,042	129,294	129,294	129,250	128,716
Stockholders' equity		\$ 694,938	\$ 688,484	\$ 544,068	\$ 544,068	\$ 536,181	\$ 537,084	\$ 519,163	\$ 532,038	\$ 532,038	\$ 535,855	\$ 522,540
Stockholders' equity,				, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,					, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
excluding OCI	\$ 728,113	\$ 728,113	\$ 711,032	\$ 552,352	\$ 552,352	\$ 542,125	\$ 527,740	\$ 524,490	\$ 521,923	\$ 521,923	\$ 523,335	\$ 489,884
Average Balance Sheet												
Total assets	. \$ 8.142.688	\$ 8,668,348	\$ 7,237,200	\$ 7,042,670	\$ 7,201,290	\$ 7,115,579	\$ 6,976,461	\$ 6,873,037	\$ 6,860,245	\$ 6,861,440	\$ 6,885,474	\$ 6,199,663
Securities - HTM taxable		9,936	9,984	10,644	10,306	11,075	10,702	11,236	11,826	11,764	11,841	13,378
Securities - HTM tax-exempt	90,399	114,720	65,808	52,611	41,061	48,440	64,942	56,214	50,079	44,675	45,645	61,157
Securities - AFS taxable	1,499,138	1,596,625	1,400,563	1,587,973	1,595,861	1,601,054	1,579,866	1,573,988	1,412,866	1,504,180	1,387,270	1,466,925
Securities - AFS tax-exempt	. 967,462	1,041,464	892,653	643,422	739,753	649,875	610,165	571,980	658,998	571,842	662,161	656,624
Total loans	4,693,735	5,063,873	4,319,484	4,214,750	4,295,483	4,255,808	4,177,611	4,127,803	4,143,067	4,160,795	4,199,874	3,465,877
Other earning assets		10,767	13,853	7,917	9,572	8,795	8,998	4,238	30,344	23,547	37,994	30,372
Total earning assets	7,272,995	7,837,385	6,702,345	6,517,317	6,692,036	6,575,047	6,452,284	6,345,459	6,307,180	6,316,803	6,344,785	5,694,333
Deposits:												
Demand deposits		1,106,177	931,104	931,711	950,523	948,649	919,777	907,234	894,093	937,725	902,869	806,777
Savings deposits		697,663	560,364	615,324	576,291	607,929	633,417	644,492	646,214	643,857	648,660	498,798
NOW accounts		991,743	774,166	893,706	836,264	928,700	931,699	878,237	921,635	909,344	943,867	813,993
Money market deposits		948,992	717,199	672,411	674,351	654,160	675,828	685,633	732,456	716,181	724,370	616,868
Core transactional deposits		3,744,575	2,982,833	3,113,152	3,037,429	3,139,438	3,160,721	3,115,596	3,194,398	3,207,107	3,219,766	2,736,436
Time deposits > \$100,000		699,235 1,760,261	621,877 1,527,599	604,270 1,361,440	630,323 1,459,305	635,570 1,389,216	611,727 1,330,492	538,105 1,264,296	510,490 1,185,868	517,236 1,223,114	508,861 1,191,460	528,219 1,071,542
Total time deposits		2,459,496	2,149,476	1,965,710	2,089,628	2,024,786	1,942,219	1,802,401	1,696,358	1,740,350	1,700,321	1,599,761
Total deposits		6,204,071	5,132,309	5,078,862	5,127,057	5,164,224	5,102,940	4,917,997	4,890,756	4,947,457	4,920,087	4,336,197
FFP, repos, other borrowed funds		1,447,591	1,303,041	1,235,205	1,334,883	1,214,875	1,152,825	1,237,391	1,253,419	1,184,601	1,257,453	1,276,616
Long-term debt		227,460	142,236	130,377	130,414	132,683	129,083	129,291	128,454	129,251	127,566	15,515
Total funding sources		7,879,122	6,577,586	6,444,444	6,592,354	6,511,782	6,384,848	6,284,679	6,272,629	6,261,309	6,305,106	5,628,328
Stockholders' equity		698,388	592,263	538,515	541,351	542,803	535,645	534,132	530,721	540,370	526,088	507,580
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Income Statement			<del>Juniter</del>		- uur ver				<del>- Quarter</del>		. Quarter		<del>- Quarter</del>		<del> </del>				<del>Quarter</del>	<u> </u>	Vuurter		
Interest income	224,575	\$ 1	123,050	\$ 1	01,525	\$	366,700	\$	100,030	\$	94,257	\$	89,258	\$	83,155	\$	315,342	\$	81,765	\$	79,643	\$	291,067
Interest expense	101,152		57,092		44,060		130,850		40,681		34,276		29,847		26,046	L	86,478		23,372		22,109		81,313
Net interest income	123,423		65,958		57,465		235,850		59,349		59,981		59,411		57,109	l	228,864		58,393		57,534		209,754
Loan loss provision	3,649		2,059		1,590		8,930		2,780		1,200		1,800		3,150	l	12,923		5,350		3,240		10,805
Service charges on deposit accounts	18,471		10,847		7,624		30,199		8,308		7,752		7,446		6,693	l	28,837		7,682		7,873		27,924
Trust and investment																l							
management fees	6,867		3,695		3,172		12,593		3,059		3,255		3,150		3,129	l	11,888		3,005		2,883		10,810
Other service charges,																l							
commissions, and fees	9,302		4,837		4,465		17,572		4,479		4,881		4,402		3,810	l	15,147		3,739		3,942		16,187
Card-based fees	6,331		3,762		2,569	_	10,207		2,615		2,625		2,620		2,347	⊩	9,252		2,413		2,344		8,336
Subotal, total fee-based revenue	40,971		23,141		17,830		70,571		18,461		18,513		17,618		15,979	l	65,124		16,839		17,042		63,257
Corporate owned life insurance income	3,444		1,940		1,504		5,163		1,437		1,308		1,223		1,195	l	4,939		1,195		1,233		5,059
Security (losses) gains, net	389		20		369		(3,315)		(6,152)		292		(16)		2,561	l	8,222		2,872		748		2,988
(Losses) on early extinguishment of debt	1 025		166		1 660		2 102		-		270		- 0.40		411	l	(2,653)		2 170		(210)		(6,025)
Other income	1,835		166		1,669		2,193		664 14,410		270		848		411 20,146	┢	3,749	—	3,170		(210)		8,891 74,170
Total noninterest income	46,639		25,267		21,372		74,612				20,383		19,673			l	79,381		24,076		18,813		
Salaries and employee benefits	52,671		27,039		25,632		95,179		23,991		24,276		24,059		22,853	l	92,171		25,291 6,418		23,009		84,284
Occupancy and equipment expense Other real estate expense, net	14,500 572		7,911 449		6,589 123		25,173 931		6,457 175		6,260 141		6,100 383		6,356 232	l	24,862 1,272		340		6,069 289		22,487 636
Other intangibles amortization	1,735		1,175		560		2,130		532		533		532		533	l	2,130		533		531		38
Other expenses	24,471		13.663		10.808		42.290		11.423		10.898		10.171		9.798	l	42.253		10.215		10.461		42,005
Total noninterest expense	95,702		51,990		43,712		165,703		42,578		42,108		41,245		39,772	$\vdash$	163,338		42,797		40,359		149,452
Pre-tax earnings	70,711		37,176		33,535		135,829		28,401		37,056		36,039		34,333	i	131,984		34,322		32,748		123,667
Income taxes	16.208		8.441		7.767		34,452		5.771		10.026		9.529		9.126	l	32,848		9.102		7.576		30,889
Net income		\$	28,735	\$	25,768	\$	101,377	\$	22,630	\$	27,030	\$	26,510	\$	25,207	\$	99,136	\$	25,220	\$	25,172	\$	92,778
Basic earnings per share		\$	0.58	\$	0.55	\$		\$	0.50	\$	0.60	\$		\$	0.55	\$	2.13	\$	0.55	\$	0.54	\$	1.99
Diluted earnings per share		\$	0.57	\$	0.55	\$	2.21	\$	0.49	\$	0.59	\$	0.58	\$	0.55	\$	2.12	\$	0.54	\$	0.54	\$	1.97
Weighted average shares outstanding	48,224		49,896		46,532		45,567		45,390		45,385		45,627		45,872	1	46,469		46,269		46,473		46,671
Weighted average diluted shares outstanding	48,571		50,244		46,879		45,893		45,753		45,761		45,900		46,164	l	46,860		46,664		46,851		46,982
Tax equivalent adjustment (1)		\$	6,383	\$	5,154	\$	16,080	\$	4,351	\$	4,035	\$		\$	3,785	\$	17,440	\$	3,801	\$	4,367	\$	17,642
Net interest income (FTE) (1)		\$	72,341		62,619	\$	251,930	\$	63,700	\$	64,016	\$	63,320	\$	60,894	\$	246,304	\$	62,194	\$	61,901	\$	227,396
Stock and related per share data:															ŕ	1							
Book value	13.92	\$	13.92	\$	13.81	\$	11.99	\$	11.99	\$	11.81	\$	11.83	\$	11.35	\$	11.55	\$	11.55	\$	11.56	\$	11.22
Tangible book value	7.93	Ψ	7.93	Ψ	7.89	Ψ	9.87	Ψ.	9.87	Ψ	9.72	Ψ	9.72	Ψ	9.25	1	9.45	Ψ.	9.45	Ψ	9.46	Ψ	9.09
Dividends declared per share	0.550		0.275		0.275		1.015		0.275		0.25		0.25		0.24	l	0.90		0.24		0.22		0.79
Market price - period high	37.52		37.52		37.14		39.25		39.25		39.18		36.45		36.75	l	38.30		38.30		35.62		32.80
Market price - period low	32.62		34.64		32.62		31.25		34.66		34.43		31.25		31.92	l	31.13		33.70		32.25		24.89
Closing price at period end		\$	37.08	\$	36.57	\$	35.06	\$	35.06	\$	37.24	\$	35.08	\$	32.48	\$	36.29	\$	36.29	\$	34.56	\$	32.43
Closing price to book value	2.7		2.7		2.6		2.9		2.9		3.2		3.0		2.9	i i	3.1		3.1		3.0		2.9
Period end shares outstanding	49,925		49,925		49,866		45,387		45,387		45,385		45,399		45,732	l	46,065		46,065		46,370		46,581
Period end treasury shares	11,401		11,401		11,460		11,540		11,540		11,542		11,528		11,195	l	10,862		10,862		10,557		10,346
Number of shares repurchased	12		10		2		857		_		134		358		365	l	897		451		284		842
Common dividends	27,485	\$	13,749	\$	13,736	\$	46,238	\$	12,502	\$	11,363	\$	11,376	\$	10,997	\$	42,567	\$	11,081	\$	10,218	\$	36,842
Other Key Ratios/Data:																1							
Return on average equity (2)	17.02%		16.50%		17.64%		18.83%		16.58%		19.76%		19.85%		19.14%	l	18.68%		18.57%		19.03%		18.28%
Return on average assets `	1.35%		1.33%		1.44%		1.44%		1.25%		1.51%		1.52%		1.49%	l	1.45%		1.46%		1.45%		1.50%
Net interest margin (1)	3.73%		3.70%		3.76%		3.87%		3.79%		3.88%		3.93%		3.87%	l	3.91%		3.94%		3.90%		3.99%
Yield on average earning assets (1)	6.53%		6.62%		6.43%		5.87%		6.20%		5.95%		5.79%		5.53%	i	5.28%		5.42%		5.30%		5.42%
Cost of funds	3.28%		3.38%		3.16%	1	2.37%		2.86%		2.44%		2.19%		1.96%	il	1.61%		1.76%		1.64%		1.69%
Efficiency ratio (1)	51.84%		52.12%		51.51%	1	49.44%		49.76%		49.39%		48.75%		49.88%	il	50.11%		50.43%		49.60%		48.32%
Net noninterest expense ratio (2)	1.22%		1.24%		1.27%	1	1.25%		1.21%		1.23%		1.24%		1.31%	il	1.30%		1.25%		1.29%		1.17%
Effective income tax rate	22.9%		22.7%		23.2%		25.4%		20.3%		27.1%		26.4%		26.6%	il	24.9%		26.5%		23.1%		24.98%
Full time equivalent employees -																il							
end of period	1,898		1,898		2,012	1	1,635		1,635		1,600		1,628		1,630	il	1,630		1,630		1,653		1,646
Number of bank offices	99		99		99		67		67		67		67		67	il l	67		67		67		66

Note: Discussion of footnotes (1) and (2) are located at the end of this document.

Note: See the "Source of Information" Section Located at the End of this Document for a Discussion of the Data Included Herein.

#### First Midwest Bancorp, Inc.

Selected Financial Information

(Amounts in thousands, except per share data)

(Amounts in thousands, except per share data)		2006				2005				2004		2003
-	Inna 30/VTD		1st Quarter	Dec 31/VTD	4th Quarter		2nd Quarter	1st Quarter	Dec 31/VTD		3rd Quarter	
Parent Company Data:	mne .70/ 1 1 12	ZHU CHATTET	ISL QUALTER	1	4th Quarter		ZIII (7IIAI IEI	ISL QUALIES		4th Quarter	JI U VIIIAITET	
Parent investment in subsidiaries -												
end of period	\$ 882,891	\$ 882,891	\$ 698,823	\$ 604,112	\$ 604,112	\$ 602,861	\$ 606,539	\$ 588,643	\$ 596,428	\$ 596,428	\$ 606,091	\$ 554,585
Risk-Based Capital Data:												
Tier 1 capital	\$ 554 405	\$ 554,405	\$ 541,291	\$ 581,393	\$ 581,393	\$ 571,774	\$ 557,036	\$ 553,373	\$ 550,310	\$ 550,310	\$ 551,313	\$ 516,411
Tier 2 capital		162,250	162,207	56,393	56,393	56,283	56,262	56,244	56,718	56,718	56,707	56,404
Total capital	716,655	716,655	703,498	637,786	637,786	628,057	613,298	609,617	607,028	607,028	608,020	572,815
Risk-adjusted assets	,	\$ 6,415,480	\$ 6,355,337	\$ 5,424,063	\$ 5,424,063	\$ 5,482,484	\$ 5,402,907	\$ 5,287,767	\$ 5,267,528	\$ 5,267,528	\$ 5,215,858	\$ 5,020,253
Tier 1 capital / risk-based assets	8.64%	8.64%	8.52%	10.72%	10.72%	10.43%	10.31%	10.47%	10.45%	10.45%	10.57%	10.29%
Total capital / risk-based assets	11.17%	11.17%	11.07%	11.76%	11.76%	11.46%	11.35%	11.53%	11.52%	11.52%	11.66%	11.41%
Leverage ratio	6.59%	6.59%	7.78%	8.16%	8.16%	8.15%	8.10%	8.18%	8.16%	8.16%	8.13%	8.49%
Tangible capital ratio	4.72%	4.72%	4.67%	6.30%	6.30%	6.21%	6.33%	6.21%	6.43%	6.43%	6.42%	6.22%
Tangible capital ratio, excluding OCI	5.11%	5.11%	4.94%	6.41%	6.41%	6.29%	6.19%	6.29%	6.28%	6.28%	6.24%	5.74%
Tangible equity / risk-based assets	6.17%	6.17%	6.19%	8.26%	8.26%	8.05%	8.17%	8.00%	8.26%	8.26%	8.41%	8.43%
Loan Performance Data: Nonaccrual loans:												
Commercial	\$ 9.841	\$ 9.841	\$ 10,803	\$ 9.092	\$ 9.092	\$ 8.789	\$ 7.915	\$ 8,467	\$ 11.267	\$ 11.267	\$ 13,319	\$ 5,986
Real estate - commercial	2,513	2,513	2,478	371	371	1,457	1,508	1,816	1,774	1,774	2,554	1,823
Real estate - construction	559	559	559	559	559	559	559	4,159	4,159	4,159	4,288	4,331
Real estate - 1-4 family	1,263	1,263	1,920	548	548	457	525	743	581	581	835	2,274
Direct consumer	1,271	1,271	1,225	1,244	1,244	820	781	994	1,250	1,250	1,145	1,401
Indirect consumer		-,-,-	193	176	176	124	131	228	166	166	126	115
Total nonaccrual loans	15,447	15,447	17,178	11.990	11,990	12,206	11.419	16,407	19.197	19.197	22,267	15,930
Renegotiated / restructured loans	13,447	15,447	17,170	11,,,,,	11,,,,,	12,200	11,417	10,407	17,177	17,177	22,207	7.137
Nonperforming loans	15,447	15,447	17,178	11,990	11,990	12,206	11.419	16,407	19,197	19.197	22,267	23,067
Foreclosed real estate	4.195	4,195	4,033	2,878	2,878	2,711	2,905	3,270	3,736	3,736	4,528	5,812
Nonperforming assets	19,642	19,642	21,211	14,868	14.868	14,917	14,324	19,677	22,933	22,933	26,795	28,879
Loans past due 90 days + and still accruing.	14,185	14,185	10,693	8,958	8,958	10,386	7,463	4,625	2,658	2,658	3,108	3,384
Reserve for loan losses (RLL):	- 1, - 0 -		,	.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	-,,,,	,	.,	.,	_,	-,	-,	.,
RLL	\$ 62,359	\$ 62,359	\$ 62,320	\$ 56,393	\$ 56,393	\$ 56,283	\$ 56,262	\$ 56,244	\$ 56,718	\$ 56,718	\$ 56,707	\$ 56,404
Loan loss provision	3,649	2,059	1,590	8,930	2,780	1,200	1,800	3,150	12,923	5,350	3,240	10,805
Net charge-offs by category:	-,	-,	-,	.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	=,	-,	-,	-,	12,720	-,	-,	,
Commercial	1,923	998	925	4,193	1,225	418	799	1.751	7,058	3,870	1,460	3,398
Real estate - commercial	605	546	59	1,167	608	(1)		560	1,370	349	762	224
Real estate - construction	_		-		_	-	_		355	34		244
Real estate - 1-4 family	80	52	28	96	_	_	68	28	108	92	3	138
Consumer	1.010	457	553	3.799	837	762	915	1.285	3.718	994	994	5,546
Total net charge-offs	3,618	2,053	1,565	9,255	2,670	1,179	1,782	3,624	12,609	5,339	3,219	9,550
NPA ratios:	-,	_,	-,	,,,	=,	-,,	-,	-,	,	-,	-,	,,,,,,
Nonperforming loans / loans	0.31%	0.31%	0.34%	0.28%	0.28%	0.28%	0.27%	0.39%	0.46%	0.46%	0.53%	0.57%
Nonperforming assets / loans +												
foreclosed real estate	0.39%	0.39%	0.42%	0.35%	0.35%	0.35%	0.34%	0.47%	0.55%	0.55%	0.64%	0.71%
Nonperforming assets + loans past due 90												
days / loans + foreclosed real estate	0.67%	0.67%	0.63%	0.55%	0.55%	0.59%	0.52%	0.58%	0.62%	0.62%	0.71%	0.79%
Nonperforming assets / total assets	0.23%	0.23%	0.24%	0.21%	0.21%	0.21%	0.20%	0.28%	0.33%	0.33%	0.39%	0.42%
Loan loss ratios:	0.2570	0.2570	0.2.70	0.2170	0.2170	0.2170	0.2070	0.2070	0.55%	0.5570	0.5770	0270
RLL / loans	1.24%	1.24%	1.24%	1.31%	1.31%	1.31%	1.33%	1.35%	1.37%	1.37%	1.35%	1.39%
RLL / nonperforming loans	403.70%	403.70%	362.79%	470.33%	470.33%	461.11%	492.71%	342.80%	295.45%	295.45%	254.67%	244.52%
Net charge-offs to average net loans	0.16%	0.16%	0.15%		0.25%	0.11%	0.17%	0.36%		0.51%	0.30%	
	0.1070	0.1070	0.1570	0.2270	0.2370	0.2170	0.1770	0.5070	0.5070	0.5170	0.5070	0.2070

#### Footnotes

- (1) Tax equivalent basis reflects federal and state tax benefits.
- (2) Annualized based on the number of days outstanding for each period presented.

#### Source of Information:

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