

Triumph Bancorp, Inc.  
Form 424B5  
April 09, 2018  
Table of Contents

Filed Pursuant to Rule 424(b)(5)  
Registration No. 333-223411

**The information contained in this preliminary prospectus supplement is not complete and may be changed. This preliminary prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus are not an offer to sell these securities and they are not soliciting an offer to buy these securities in any jurisdiction where any such offer or sale is not permitted.**

**Subject to Completion, dated April 9, 2018**

**PRELIMINARY PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT**

**(To Prospectus dated March 30, 2018)**

**Shares**

**Triumph Bancorp, Inc.**

**Common Stock**

We are offering \_\_\_\_\_ shares of our common stock, par value \$0.01 per share.

Our common stock is listed on the Nasdaq Global Select Market, or Nasdaq, under the symbol TBK. On April 6, 2018, the last sale price of our common stock as reported on Nasdaq was \$39.40 per share.

We are an emerging growth company as defined in the U.S. Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012, and are eligible for reduced public company reporting requirements which may make our common stock less attractive to investors. Please see Risk Factors We are an emerging growth company, and the reduced reporting requirements applicable to emerging growth companies may make our common stock less attractive to investors.

Investing in our common stock involves risks. You should consider the information set forth in **Risk Factors** beginning on page S-11 of this prospectus supplement and page 8 of the accompanying prospectus, as well as the information included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, which is incorporated by reference herein.

	<b>Per Share</b>	<b>Total<sup>(1)</sup></b>
Public offering price	\$	\$
Underwriting discount <sup>(2)</sup>	\$	\$
Proceeds, before expenses, to us	\$	\$

(1) Assumes no exercise of the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares described below.

(2) The underwriters will also be reimbursed for certain expenses incurred in this offering. See "Underwriting" for details.

We have granted the underwriters an option, exercisable in whole or in part for 30 days after the date of this prospectus supplement, to purchase up to \_\_\_\_\_ additional shares of common stock from us at the public offering price, less the underwriting discount.

**These securities are not deposits, savings accounts or other obligations of a bank and are not insured or guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, referred to herein as the FDIC, or any other government agency.**

**Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission, referred to herein as the SEC, the FDIC, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, the Texas Department of Savings and Mortgage Lending nor any other regulatory body nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities or determined if this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus is truthful or complete. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.**

The underwriters expect to deliver our common stock to purchasers on or about April 1, 2018.

*Lead Book-Running Managers*

**Stephens Inc.**

**Keefe, Bruyette & Woods**

**Sandler O'Neill + Partners, L.P.**

*A Stifel Company*

*Co-Managers*

**Wells Fargo Securities**

**D.A. Davidson & Co.**

**Piper Jaffray**

**The date of this prospectus supplement is April , 2018.**

**Table of Contents**

**TABLE OF CONTENTS**

**Prospectus Supplement**

	<b>Page</b>
<u>ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT</u>	S-ii
<u>WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION</u>	S-iii
<u>CAUTIONARY NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS</u>	S-iv
<u>PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT SUMMARY</u>	S-1
<u>RISK FACTORS</u>	S-11
<u>USE OF PROCEEDS</u>	S-17
<u>CAPITALIZATION</u>	S-18
<u>PRICE RANGE OF COMMON STOCK AND DIVIDEND POLICY</u>	S-19
<u>MATERIAL U.S. FEDERAL INCOME TAX CONSIDERATIONS FOR NON-U.S. HOLDERS</u>	S-20
<u>UNDERWRITING</u>	S-23
<u>LEGAL MATTERS</u>	S-28
<u>EXPERTS</u>	S-28

**Prospectus**

	<b>Page</b>
<u>IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT INFORMATION PRESENTED IN THIS PROSPECTUS AND THE ACCOMPANYING PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT</u>	i
<u>ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS</u>	1
<u>WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION</u>	2
<u>SPECIAL NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS</u>	4
<u>PROSPECTUS SUMMARY</u>	6
<u>RISK FACTORS</u>	8
<u>TRIUMPH BANCORP, INC.</u>	8
<u>RATIO OF EARNINGS TO FIXED CHARGES AND RATIO OF EARNINGS TO COMBINED FIXED CHARGES AND PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDENDS</u>	9
<u>USE OF PROCEEDS</u>	9
<u>DESCRIPTION OF DEBT SECURITIES</u>	10
<u>DESCRIPTION OF COMMON STOCK AND PREFERRED STOCK</u>	20
<u>DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSITARY SHARES</u>	26
<u>DESCRIPTION OF PURCHASE CONTRACTS</u>	30
<u>DESCRIPTION OF WARRANTS</u>	31
<u>DESCRIPTION OF RIGHTS</u>	33
<u>DESCRIPTION OF UNITS</u>	35
<u>DESCRIPTION OF GLOBAL SECURITIES</u>	36
<u>PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION</u>	38
<u>LEGAL MATTERS</u>	41
<u>EXPERTS</u>	41



Table of Contents

**ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT**

This document consists of two parts. The first part is this prospectus supplement, which describes the specific terms of this offering of shares of common stock and certain other matters relating to us and our financial condition. The second part, the accompanying base prospectus, gives more general information about the securities that we may offer from time to time, some of which may not apply to this offering. Generally, when we refer only to the prospectus, we are referring to both parts combined, and when we refer to the accompanying prospectus, we are referring to the base prospectus. You should read carefully both this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus in their entirety, together with additional information described under the heading "Where You Can Find More Information" in the accompanying prospectus and in this prospectus supplement.

If the information set forth in this prospectus supplement differs in any way from the information set forth in the accompanying prospectus, you should rely on the information set forth in this prospectus supplement. If the information conflicts with any statement in a document that we have incorporated by reference, then you should consider only the statement in the more recent document. The information contained or incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement, the accompanying prospectus or in any free writing prospectus is accurate only as of the date of the applicable document. Our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects may have changed since that date.

**You should rely only on the information contained or incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus and any written communication from Triumph Bancorp, Inc. or the underwriters specifying the final terms of this offering. Neither we nor the underwriters have authorized anyone to provide you with different or additional information from that contained or incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus. We take no responsibility for, and can provide no assurance as to the reliability of, any other information that others may give you. This prospectus supplement may be used only for the purpose for which it has been prepared. We and the underwriters are offering to sell our common stock, and seeking offers to buy our common stock, only in jurisdictions where offers and sales are permitted. Neither this prospectus supplement nor the accompanying prospectus constitutes an offer, or an invitation on our behalf or on behalf of the underwriters, to subscribe for and purchase any of our securities, and may not be used for or in connection with an offer or solicitation by anyone, in any jurisdiction in which such an offer or solicitation is not authorized or to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such an offer or solicitation.**

Unless otherwise indicated or unless the context requires otherwise, all references in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus to Triumph, the Company, we, our, ours, and us or similar references mean Triumph Bancorp, Inc. References to TBK Bank or the Bank mean TBK Bank, SSB, which is our wholly owned bank subsidiary.

---

**Table of Contents**

**WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION**

We file annual, quarterly and current reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act). You may read and copy this information at the Public Reference Room of the SEC, located at 100 F Street, N.E., Room 1580, Washington, D.C. 20549. You may also obtain copies of this information by mail from the Public Reference Room at prescribed rates. You may obtain information on the operation of the Public Reference Room by calling the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330. The SEC also maintains a website that contains the reports, proxy statements and other information that we file electronically with the SEC. The address of that site is: [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov).

The SEC allows us to incorporate by reference information. This means that we can disclose important information to you by referring you to those documents. The information incorporated by reference is considered to be a part of this prospectus supplement, except for any information that is superseded by information that is included directly in this prospectus supplement or in a more recent incorporated document.

This prospectus supplement incorporates by reference the documents listed below that we have previously filed with the SEC under the file number 001-36722 (excluding any portion of these documents that has been furnished to and deemed not to be filed with the SEC).

**Reports**

Annual Report on Form 10-K  
Definitive Proxy Statement filed on March 29, 2018  
Current Reports on Form 8-K

**Periods of Reports or Dates Filed**

For the year ended December 31, 2017  
For Triumph's 2018 Annual Meeting of Stockholders  
Filed on April 9, 2018

In addition, we incorporate by reference all future documents that we file with the SEC under Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act until the completion of the offering of the common stock or until we terminate this offering. These documents include periodic reports, such as Annual Reports on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Current Reports on Form 8-K (other than current reports furnished under Items 2.02 or 7.01 of Form 8-K), as well as proxy statements.

The information incorporated by reference contains information about us and our business, financial condition and results of operations and is an important part of this prospectus.

You can obtain any of the documents incorporated by reference in this document through us, or from the SEC through the SEC's website at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov). Documents incorporated by reference are available from us without charge, excluding any exhibits to those documents, unless the exhibit is specifically incorporated by reference in those documents. You can obtain documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus by requesting them in writing or by telephone from us at the following address:

Triumph Bancorp, Inc.

Attention: Investor Relations

12700 Park Central Drive, Suite 1700

Dallas, Texas 75251

(214) 365-6900

We also make our periodic reports and other information filed with the SEC available free of charge through our website, [www.triumphbancorp.com](http://www.triumphbancorp.com), as soon as reasonably practicable after those reports and other information are electronically filed with the SEC. The information on, or otherwise accessible through, our website is not incorporated by reference herein and does not constitute a part of this prospectus.

S-iii



**Table of Contents**

**CAUTIONARY NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

This prospectus supplement, the accompanying prospectus and the other documents incorporated by reference herein or therein contain forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, Section 21E of the Exchange Act, and the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements reflect our current views with respect to, among other things, future events and our financial performance. These statements are often, but not always, made through the use of words or phrases such as may, should, could, predict, potential, believe, will likely result, expect, continue, will, anticipate, intend, plan, projection, would and outlook, or the negative version of those words or other comparable words of future or forward-looking nature. These forward-looking statements are not historical facts and are based on current expectations, estimates and projections about our industry, management's beliefs and certain assumptions made by management, many of which, by their nature, are inherently uncertain and beyond our control. Accordingly, we caution you that any such forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and are subject to risks, assumptions and uncertainties that are difficult to predict. Although we believe that the expectations reflected in these forward-looking statements are reasonable as of the date made, actual results may prove to be materially different from the results expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements.

There are or will be important factors that could cause our actual results to differ materially from those indicated in these forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to, the following:

our ability to consummate this offering in the size and manner described herein;

risks relating to our ability to consummate the pending acquisitions of First Bancorp of Durango, Inc. and Southern Colorado Corp., and our pending acquisition of the operating assets of Interstate Capital Corporation and certain of its affiliates, including the possibility that the expected benefits related to the pending acquisitions may not materialize as expected; of the pending acquisitions not being timely completed, if completed at all; that prior to the completion of the pending acquisitions, the targets' businesses could experience disruptions due to transaction-related uncertainty or other factors making it more difficult to maintain relationships with employees, customers, other business partners or governmental entities, difficulty retaining key employees; and of the parties' being unable to successfully implement integration strategies or to achieve expected synergies and operating efficiencies within our management's expected timeframes or at all;

business and economic conditions generally and in the bank and non-bank financial services industries, nationally and within our local market areas;

our ability to mitigate our risk exposures;

our ability to maintain our historical earnings trends;

risks related to the integration of acquired businesses (including our pending acquisitions of First Bancorp of Durango, Inc. and Southern Colorado Corp., and our pending acquisition of the operating assets of Interstate Capital Corporation and certain of its affiliates, and our prior acquisitions of Valley Bancorp, Inc. and nine branches from Independent Bank in Colorado) and any future acquisitions;

our ability to successfully identify and address the risks associated with our recent, pending and possible future acquisitions, and the risks that our prior and planned future acquisitions make it more difficult for investors to evaluate our business, financial condition and results of operations, and impairs our ability to accurately forecast our future performance;

changes in management personnel;

interest rate risk;

concentration of our factoring services in the transportation industry;

credit risk associated with our loan portfolio;

lack of seasoning in our loan portfolio;

**Table of Contents**

deteriorating asset quality and higher loan charge-offs;

time and effort necessary to resolve nonperforming assets;

inaccuracy of the assumptions and estimates we make in establishing reserves for probable loan losses and other estimates;

lack of liquidity;

fluctuations in the fair value and liquidity of the securities we hold for sale;

impairment of investment securities, goodwill, other intangible assets or deferred tax assets;

our risk management strategies;

environmental liability associated with our lending activities;

increased competition in the bank and non-bank financial services industries, nationally, regionally or locally, which may adversely affect pricing and terms;

the accuracy of our financial statements and related disclosures;

our actual financial results for the three months ended March 31, 2018 may differ materially from the preliminary financial estimates we have provided as a result of the completion of our financial closing procedures, final adjustments and other developments arising between now and the time that our financial results for such periods are finalized;

material weaknesses in our internal control over financial reporting;

system failures or failures to prevent breaches of our network security;

the institution and outcome of litigation and other legal proceedings against us or to which we become subject;

changes in carry-forwards of net operating losses;

changes in federal tax law or policy;

the impact of recent and future legislative and regulatory changes, including changes in banking, securities and tax laws and regulations, such as the Dodd-Frank Act and their application by our regulators;

governmental monetary and fiscal policies;

changes in the scope and cost of FDIC, insurance and other coverages;

failure to receive regulatory approval for future acquisitions; and

increases in our capital requirements.

The foregoing factors should not be construed as exhaustive. If one or more events related to these or other risks or uncertainties materialize, or if our underlying assumptions prove to be incorrect, actual results may differ materially from what we anticipate. Accordingly, you should not place undue reliance on any such forward-looking statements. Any forward-looking statement speaks only as of the date on which it is made and we do not undertake any obligation to publicly update or review any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future developments or otherwise. New factors emerge from time to time and it is not possible for us to predict which will arise. In addition, we cannot assess the impact of each factor on our business or the extent to which any factor, or combination of factors, may cause actual results to differ materially from those contained in any forward-looking statements.

Any investor in our securities should consider all risks and uncertainties disclosed in our SEC filings described above under the heading **Where You Can Find More Information**, all of which are accessible on the SEC's website at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov).

S-v

**Table of Contents**

**PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT SUMMARY**

*This summary highlights selected information contained elsewhere in, or incorporated by reference into, this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus. Because this is a summary, it may not contain all of the information that is important to you in making your investment decision. You should carefully read this entire prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus, as well as the information to which we refer you and the information incorporated by reference herein, before deciding whether to invest in our common stock. You should pay special attention to the information contained under the caption entitled *Risk Factors* in this prospectus supplement, in Part I, Item 1A, *Risk Factors* in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2017, and in our other reports filed from time to time with the SEC, which are incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus, to determine whether an investment in our common stock is appropriate for you.*

**Triumph Bancorp, Inc.**

We are a financial holding company headquartered in Dallas, Texas and registered under the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, as amended. Through our wholly owned bank subsidiary, TBK Bank, SSB (the *Bank*), we offer traditional banking services as well as commercial finance products to businesses that require specialized financial solutions. Our community banking operations include a full suite of lending and deposit products and services focused on our local market areas. These activities generate a stable source of core deposits and a diverse asset base to support our overall operations. Our commercial finance products include factoring, asset-based lending, equipment lending and premium finance products offered on a nationwide basis. These product offerings supplement the asset generation capacity in our community banking markets and enhance the overall yield of our loan portfolio, enabling us to earn attractive risk-adjusted net interest margins. We believe our integrated business model distinguishes us from other banks and non-bank financial services companies in the markets in which we operate.

As of December 31, 2017, we had consolidated total assets of \$3.499 billion, total loans held for investment of \$2.811 billion, total deposits of \$2.621 billion and total stockholders' equity of \$391.7 million.

Our common stock is listed on the Nasdaq Global Select Market under the symbol *TBK*. Our principal executive offices are located at 12700 Park Central Drive, Suite 1700, Dallas, Texas 75251. Our telephone number is (214) 365-6900. Additional information about us and our subsidiaries is included in the documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement. See *Where You Can Find More Information* on page S-iii of this prospectus supplement.

**Recent Developments**

***Our Pending Acquisitions***

***Our Pending Acquisition of First Bancorp of Durango, Inc. and Southern Colorado Corp.***

As previously announced, we entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the *Durango Merger Agreement*), dated as of April 9, 2018, with First Bancorp of Durango, Inc., a Colorado corporation (the *Durango*), pursuant to which, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Durango Merger Agreement, Durango will merge with and into the Company (the *Durango Merger*, and the transaction, the *Durango Acquisition*), with the Company continuing as the surviving corporation in the Durango Merger. We will pay cash consideration of approximately \$134.5 million in the Durango Acquisition. Immediately following the Durango Merger (or at such later time that we may determine in our sole discretion), each of First National Bank

S-1

---

**Table of Contents**

of Durango, a national bank and wholly owned subsidiary of Durango ( Colorado Bank ) and Bank of New Mexico, a New Mexico-chartered bank and a wholly owned subsidiary of Durango ( New Mexico Bank , and with Colorado Bank, the Durango Banks ), will merge with and into TBK Bank, with TBK Bank surviving the bank mergers. Durango currently provides a variety of financial services to individuals and business customers through the Durango Banks in 8 branches in Colorado and New Mexico, and as of December 31, 2017, Durango had \$646 million in total assets, \$69 million in total stockholders' equity, \$574 million in total deposits (with an average cost of deposits of 19 basis points) and \$271 million in total loans outstanding (with an average loan yield of 5.2%). As of December 31, 2017, the Durango Banks had a 47% loan to deposit ratio, 36% of the Durango Banks deposits were demand deposits and 98% of the Durango Banks deposits were core deposits (defined as total deposits less CDs greater than \$250,000).

As previously announced, we entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the SCC Merger Agreement ), dated as of April 9, 2018, with Southern Colorado Corp., a Colorado corporation ( SCC ), pursuant to which, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the SCC Merger Agreement, SCC will merge with and into the Company (the SCC Merger, and the transaction, the SCC Acquisition ), with the Company continuing as the surviving corporation in the SCC Merger. We will pay cash consideration of approximately \$13.0 million in the SCC Acquisition. Immediately following the SCC Merger (or at such later time that we may determine in our sole discretion), Citizens Bank of Pagosa Springs, a Colorado-chartered bank and wholly owned subsidiary of SCC ( SCC Bank ), will merge with and into TBK Bank, with TBK Bank surviving the bank merger. SCC currently provides a variety of financial services to individuals and business customers through SCC Bank in 2 branches in Colorado, and as of December 31, 2017, SCC had \$88 million in total assets, \$7 million in total stockholders' equity, \$79 million in total deposits (with an average cost of deposits of 40 basis points) and \$37 million in total loans outstanding (with an average loan yield of 5.3%). As of December 31, 2017, SCC Bank had a 46% loan to deposit ratio, 56.2% of the SCC Bank deposits were demand deposits and 99% of the SCC Bank deposits were core deposits.

The Durango Acquisition and SCC Acquisition are expected to close during the second half of 2018 and are subject to certain closing conditions, including receipt of regulatory approvals, approval of the Durango Merger Agreement by Durango shareholders and other customary closing conditions. Each of the Durango Acquisition and SCC Acquisition is conditioned on the consummation of the other transaction. Shareholders that beneficially own an aggregate of approximately 90% of the outstanding shares of Durango's common stock have entered into an agreement to vote in favor of the Durango Acquisition. Shareholders that beneficially own 100% of the outstanding shares of SCC's common stock have approved the SCC Acquisition.

*Our Pending Acquisition of the Operating Assets of Interstate Capital Corporation*

As previously announced, our wholly owned subsidiary, Advance Business Capital, LLC (d/b/a Triumph Business Capital) ( Purchaser ), entered into an Asset Purchase Agreement (the Purchase Agreement ) with Interstate Capital Corporation, a New Mexico corporation ( ICC ), and certain affiliates and shareholders of ICC (collectively, the Sellers ), pursuant to which Purchaser agreed to acquire substantially all of the operating assets of (including approximately \$112 million of factored receivables with an average yield of approximately 26%), and assume certain liabilities associated with, ICC's accounts receivable factoring business and other related financial services (the ICC Operating Assets, and the transaction, the ICC Asset Purchase ) for a premium of approximately \$35.5 million to be paid at the closing and up to an additional \$22 million earnout which may be payable on the 30th-month anniversary of the closing. The transaction is expected to close during the second quarter of 2018 and is subject to certain closing conditions.

S-2



**Table of Contents*****Preliminary First Quarter 2018 Results (Unaudited)***

*The information set forth below is preliminary and unaudited and reflects our estimated financial results as of and for the three months ended March 31, 2018. In preparing this information, management made a number of complex and subjective judgments and estimates about the appropriateness of certain reported amounts and disclosures. The preliminary financial results included in this prospectus supplement are solely our management estimates based on currently available information. Our actual financial results for the first quarter of 2018 have not yet been finalized. These results are not a comprehensive statement of all financial results as of and for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and are not necessarily indicative of the results to be achieved for any future period. We are required to consider all available information through the finalization of our financial statements and their possible impact on our financial conditions and results of operations for the period, including the impact of such information on the complex judgments and estimates referred to above. As a result, subsequent information or events may lead to material differences between the information about the results of operations described herein and the results of operations described in our subsequent quarterly report. Accordingly, you should not place undue reliance on these preliminary financial results. Please see *Risk Factors* and *Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements* for a discussion of certain factors that could result in differences between the preliminary financial data reported below and the final results we report for these periods. The following information should be read together with the historical consolidated financial information contained in our consolidated financial statements and related notes, as well as the information contained under the caption entitled *Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations*, in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, which has been filed with the SEC and is incorporated herein by reference. Our independent registered public accounting firm, Crowe Horwath LLP, has not audited or reviewed, and does not express an opinion with respect to, this information.*

Based on the information available as of April 6, 2018, we currently estimate that our financial results as of and for the three months ended March 31, 2018 will include net income to common stockholders for the three months ended March 31, 2018 in a range between \$11.5 million and \$11.9 million, resulting in a range of projected diluted earnings per share of \$0.54 to \$0.56. Diluted earnings per share includes a \$0.02 net benefit from the sale of Triumph Healthcare Finance, which was our healthcare asset-based lending line of business, which resulted in a \$1.1 million pre-tax gain on sale, and \$360 thousand of pre-tax loss on securities and other real estate owned ( OREO ).

In addition, we estimate financial results as of and for the three months ended March 31, 2018:

Net interest income of \$46.7 million to \$47.3 million. Net interest margin of 6.00% to 6.10%, and yield on loans of 7.60% to 7.70%. Net interest margin and yield on loans are expected to decrease 10-12 basis points and 7-9 basis points, respectively, relative to the prior quarter and were impacted by a full quarter of lower-yielding community banking loans acquired in our acquisition of Valley Bancorp, Inc. ( Valley ) in December 2017, and a 2 basis point increase in the cost of interest bearing deposits.

Total loan growth of approximately \$63 million, including growth in our commercial finance portfolio of \$38 million to \$40 million, with average loans for the quarter of \$2.75 billion to \$2.80 billion.

Triumph Business Capital's estimated period-end client growth for the first quarter is approximately 280 clients or 9%. Estimated average invoice price for the quarter is expected to increase approximately 2%

relative to the prior quarter. The total dollar value of invoices purchased is approximately the same as in the prior quarter, reflecting continued strength in the transportation sector during what is typically a seasonally slow quarter.

Noninterest income of \$4.8 to \$5.3 million (generally in line with historical first quarter levels), which includes the pre-tax \$1.1 million gain on the sale of Triumph Healthcare Finance, and a \$360 thousand

S-3

**Table of Contents**

loss on securities and OREO. We estimate noninterest expense of \$34.0 million to \$34.5 million, which includes a full quarter of Valley operations.

We estimate our nonperforming assets to total assets ratio at 1.49%, and a net charge-offs to average loans ratio of 0.04% to 0.06%, which reflect steady asset quality throughout the quarter.

Regarding the acquisition of Valley, management made a measurement period adjustment to its initial fair value estimate of an acquired bank owned life insurance policy. The adjustment was based on information obtained by management during the first quarter of 2018, and resulted in a \$1.7 million increase in goodwill related to the Valley transaction.

S-4

**Table of Contents****THE OFFERING**

*The following summary contains basic information about our common stock offered hereby. This description is not complete and does not contain all of the information that you should consider before investing in shares of our common stock. For a more complete understanding of our common stock, you should read *Description of Common Stock and Preferred Stock Common Stock* in the accompanying prospectus.*

<b>Issuer</b>	Triumph Bancorp, Inc., a Texas corporation.
<b>Common Stock We Are Offering</b>	_____ shares (or _____ shares if the underwriters of this offering exercise in full their option to purchase additional shares).
<b>Shares of Common Stock to Be Outstanding After This Offering</b>	_____ shares (or _____ shares if the underwriters of this offering exercise in full their option to purchase additional shares).
<b>Public Offering Price Per Share</b>	\$ _____
<b>Nasdaq Global Select Market Symbol for our Common Stock</b>	TBK
<b>Use of Proceeds</b>	We estimate that the net proceeds from the offering will be approximately \$ _____ million (or approximately \$ _____ million if the underwriters exercise in full their option to purchase additional shares), after deducting the underwriting discount (before estimated expenses). We intend to use a portion of the net proceeds of this offering to fund a portion of the consideration payable in the Durango Acquisition, the SCC Acquisition, and the ICC Asset Purchase, and to use the remainder for general corporate purposes, including potential future strategic acquisitions and investments in TBK Bank as regulatory capital. This offering is not conditioned on, and is expected to be consummated before, the closing of each of the Durango Acquisition, the SCC Acquisition, and the ICC Asset Purchase. See Prospectus Supplement Summary Recent Developments Our Pending Acquisitions and Use of Proceeds.
<b>Risk Factors</b>	Investing in our common stock involves risks. Before deciding whether to invest in our common stock, you should carefully consider the information set forth in the section of the prospectus supplement entitled <i>Risk Factors</i> beginning on page S-11, as well as the other information contained in or incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement

and the accompanying prospectus, including the information contained under the caption entitled "Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017.

S-5

**Table of Contents****SUMMARY OF SELECTED HISTORICAL CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL DATA**

The following tables set forth consolidated financial and other data as of and for each of the periods indicated. The selected consolidated financial data presented below as of and for the years ended December 31, 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014 and 2013 is derived from our audited consolidated financial statements, which are incorporated by reference into this prospectus. Results from past periods are not necessarily indicative of results that may be expected for any future period. You should read these tables together with the historical consolidated financial information contained in our consolidated financial statements and related notes, as well as the information contained under the caption entitled Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations, in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, which has been filed with the SEC and is incorporated herein by reference.

	<b>As of and for the Years Ended December 31,</b>				
<i>(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)</i>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Income Statement Data:</b>					
Interest income	\$ 177,224	\$ 124,492	\$ 98,760	\$ 87,230	\$ 42,630
Interest expense	21,540	12,134	8,109	6,770	3,947
Net interest income	155,684	112,358	90,651	80,460	38,683
Provision for loan losses	11,628	6,693	4,529	5,858	3,412
Net interest income after provision	144,056	105,665	86,122	74,602	35,271
Gain on sale of subsidiary	20,860				
Gain on branch sale				12,619	
Bargain purchase gain			15,117		9,014
Other noninterest income	19,796	20,956	18,180	12,148	3,999
Noninterest income	40,656	20,956	33,297	24,767	13,013
Noninterest expense	123,614	93,112	81,865	69,202	32,724
Net income before income taxes	61,098	33,509	37,554	30,167	15,560
Income tax expense (benefit)	24,878	12,809	8,421	10,378	2,133
Net income	36,220	20,700	29,133	19,789	13,427
Income attributable to noncontrolling interests				(2,060)	(867)
Dividends on preferred stock	(774)	(887)	(780)	(780)	(721)
Net income available to common stockholders	\$ 35,446	\$ 19,813	\$ 28,353	\$ 16,949	\$ 11,839
<b>Balance Sheet Data:</b>					
Total assets	\$ 3,499,033	\$ 2,641,067	\$ 1,691,313	\$ 1,447,898	\$ 1,288,239
Cash and cash equivalents	134,129	114,514	105,277	160,888	85,797
Investment securities	264,166	304,381	163,169	162,769	185,397
Loans held for sale			1,341	3,288	5,393
Loans held for investment, net	2,792,108	2,012,219	1,279,318	997,035	877,454
Total liabilities	3,107,335	2,351,722	1,423,275	1,210,389	1,127,642

Edgar Filing: Triumph Bancorp, Inc. - Form 424B5

Noninterest bearing deposits	564,225	363,351	168,264	179,848	150,238
Interest bearing deposits	2,057,123	1,652,434	1,080,686	985,381	894,616
FHLB advances	365,000	230,000	130,000	3,000	21,000
Senior secured note					12,573
Subordinated notes	48,828	48,734			
Junior subordinated debentures	38,623	32,740	24,687	24,423	24,171
Noncontrolling interests					26,997
Total stockholders equity	391,698	289,345	268,038	237,509	133,600
Preferred stockholders equity	9,658	9,746	9,746	9,746	9,746
Common stockholders equity <sup>(1)</sup>	382,040	279,599	258,292	227,763	123,854

S-6

**Table of Contents****As of and for the Years Ended December 31,***(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)*

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Per Share Data:</b>					
Basic earnings per common share	\$ 1.85	\$ 1.11	\$ 1.60	\$ 1.55	\$ 1.40
Diluted earnings per common share	\$ 1.81	\$ 1.10	\$ 1.57	\$ 1.52	\$ 1.39
Book value per share	\$ 18.35	\$ 15.47	\$ 14.34	\$ 12.68	\$ 12.60
Tangible book value per share <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 15.29	\$ 12.89	\$ 12.79	\$ 11.06	\$ 9.70
Shares outstanding end of period	20,820,445	18,078,247	18,018,200	17,963,783	9,832,585
Weighted average shares outstanding basic	19,133,745	17,856,828	17,720,479	10,940,083	8,481,137
Weighted average shares outstanding diluted	20,000,288	18,053,531	18,524,889	11,672,780	8,629,611
<b>Adjusted Per Share Data:<sup>(1)</sup></b>					
Adjusted diluted earnings per common share	\$ 1.37	\$ 1.17	\$ 0.80	\$ 0.82	\$ 0.51
Adjusted weighted average shares outstanding diluted	20,000,288	18,729,882	17,848,538	10,996,429	8,486,254
<b>Performance ratios:</b>					
Return on average assets	1.27%	1.00%	1.89%	1.46%	2.40%
Return on average total equity	10.66%	7.33%	11.31%	10.87%	12.13%
Return on average common equity <sup>(1)</sup>	10.73%	7.29%	11.44%	11.61%	11.98%
Return on average tangible common equity <sup>(1)</sup>	12.50%	8.37%	12.98%	14.51%	14.50%
Yield on loans	7.55%	7.71%	8.62%	8.90%	10.90%
Adjusted yield on loans <sup>(1)</sup>	7.23%	7.23%	8.20%	7.96%	9.69%
Cost of interest bearing deposits	0.78%	0.70%	0.67%	0.54%	0.92%
Cost of total deposits	0.62%	0.59%	0.58%	0.46%	0.84%
Cost of total funds	0.86%	0.68%	0.64%	0.58%	0.89%
Net interest margin	5.92%	5.91%	6.49%	6.67%	7.77%
Adjusted net interest margin <sup>(1)</sup>	5.65%	5.52%	6.16%	5.93%	6.85%
Efficiency ratio	62.96%	69.84%	66.05%	65.77%	63.30%
Adjusted efficiency ratio <sup>(1)</sup>	66.55%	68.63%	73.59%	74.73%	73.11%
Net noninterest expense to average assets	2.92%	3.47%	3.16%	3.28%	3.53%
Adjusted net noninterest expense to average total assets <sup>(1)</sup>	3.41%	3.39%	4.03%	4.22%	4.87%
<b>Asset Quality ratios:<sup>(2)</sup></b>					



Edgar Filing: Triumph Bancorp, Inc. - Form 424B5

Past due to total loans	2.33%	3.61%	2.41%	2.57%	2.78%
Nonperforming loans to total loans	1.38%	2.23%	1.03%	1.66%	1.41%
Nonperforming assets to total assets	1.39%	1.98%	1.10%	1.73%	2.03%
ALLL to nonperforming loans	48.41%	34.00%	94.10%	53.02%	29.41%
ALLL to total loans	0.67%	0.76%	0.97%	0.88%	0.41%
Net charge-offs to average loans	0.28%	0.25%	0.07%	0.07%	0.45%
<b>Capital ratios:</b>					
Tier 1 capital to average assets	11.80%	10.85%	16.56%	15.92%	12.87%
Tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets	11.15%	11.85%	18.23%	19.56%	14.11%
Common equity Tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets	9.70%	10.18%	16.23%	N/A	N/A
Total capital to risk-weighted assets	13.21%	14.60%	19.11%	20.35%	14.47%
Total equity to total assets	11.19%	10.96%	15.85%	16.40%	12.47%
Total stockholders equity to total assets	11.19%	10.96%	15.85%	16.40%	10.37%
Tangible common stockholders equity ratio <sup>(b)</sup>	9.26%	8.98%	13.85%	14.00%	7.57%

S-7

**Table of Contents**

- (1) The Company uses certain non-GAAP financial measures to provide meaningful supplemental information regarding the Company's operational performance and to enhance investors' overall understanding of such financial performance. The non-GAAP measures used by the Company include the following:

*Common stockholders' equity* is defined as total stockholders' equity at end of period less the liquidation preference value of the preferred stock.

*Adjusted diluted earnings per common share* is defined as adjusted net income available to common stockholders divided by adjusted weighted average diluted common shares outstanding. Excluded from net income available to common stockholders are material gains and expenses related to merger and acquisition-related activities, net of tax. In our judgment, the adjustments made to net income available to common stockholders allow management and investors to better assess our performance in relation to our core net income by removing the volatility associated with certain acquisition-related items and other discrete items that are unrelated to our core business. Weighted average diluted common shares outstanding are adjusted as a result of changes in their dilutive properties given the gain and expense adjustments described herein.

*Tangible common stockholders' equity* is defined as common stockholders' equity less goodwill and other intangible assets.

*Total tangible assets* is defined as total assets less goodwill and other intangible assets.

*Tangible book value per share* is defined as tangible common stockholders' equity divided by total common shares outstanding. This measure is important to investors interested in changes from period-to-period in book value per share exclusive of changes in intangible assets.

*Tangible common stockholders' equity ratio* is defined as the ratio of tangible common stockholders' equity divided by total tangible assets. We believe that this measure is important to many investors in the marketplace who are interested in relative changes from period-to-period in common equity and total assets, each exclusive of changes in intangible assets.

*Return on Average Tangible Common Equity* is defined as net income available to common stockholders divided by average tangible common stockholders' equity.

*Adjusted efficiency ratio* is defined as noninterest expenses divided by our operating revenue, which is equal to net interest income plus noninterest income. Also excluded are material gains and expenses related to merger and acquisition-related activities, including divestitures. In our judgment, the adjustments made to operating revenue allow management and investors to better assess our performance in relation to our core operating revenue by removing the volatility associated with certain acquisition-related items and other discrete items that are unrelated to our core business.

*Adjusted net noninterest expense to average total assets* is defined as noninterest expenses net of noninterest income divided by total average assets. Excluded are material gains and expenses related to merger and acquisition-related activities, including divestitures. This metric is used by our management to better assess our operating efficiency.

*Adjusted yield on loans* is defined as our yield on loans after excluding loan accretion from our acquired loan portfolio. Our management uses this metric to better assess the impact of purchase accounting on our yield on loans, as the effect of loan discount accretion is expected to decrease as the acquired loans roll off of our balance sheet.

*Adjusted net interest margin* is defined as net interest margin after excluding loan accretion from the acquired loan portfolio. Our management uses this metric to better assess the impact of purchase accounting on net interest margin, as the effect of loan discount accretion is expected to decrease as the acquired loans mature or roll off of our balance sheet.

(2) Asset quality ratios exclude loans held for sale.

**Table of Contents****GAAP Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

<i>(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)</i>	As of and for the Years Ended December 31,				
	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Total stockholders' equity	\$ 391,698	\$ 289,345	\$ 268,038	\$ 237,509	\$ 133,600
Preferred stock liquidation preference	(9,658)	(9,746)	(9,746)	(9,746)	(9,746)
Total common stockholders' equity	382,040	279,599	258,292	227,763	123,854
Goodwill and other intangibles	(63,778)	(46,531)	(27,854)	(29,057)	(28,518)
tangible common stockholders' equity	\$ 318,262	\$ 233,068	\$ 230,438	\$ 198,706	\$ 95,336
Common shares outstanding	20,820,445	18,078,247	18,018,200	17,963,783	9,832,585
tangible book value per share	\$ 15.29	\$ 12.89	\$ 12.79	\$ 11.06	\$ 9.70
Total assets at end of period	\$ 3,499,033	\$ 2,641,067	\$ 1,691,313	\$ 1,447,898	\$ 1,288,239
Goodwill and other intangibles	(63,778)	(46,531)	(27,854)	(29,057)	(28,518)
Adjusted total assets at period end	3,435,255	2,594,536	1,663,459	1,418,841	1,259,721
tangible common stockholders' equity ratio	9.26%	8.98%	13.85%	14.00%	7.57%
Net income available to common stockholders	\$ 35,446	\$ 19,813	\$ 28,353	\$ 16,949	\$ 11,839
Gain on sale of subsidiary	(20,860)				
Gain on branch sale				(12,619)	
Bargain purchase gain			(15,117)		(9,014)
Transaction related costs	2,013	1,618	243		1,521
Incremental bonus related to transaction	4,814		1,750		
Scrow recovery from DHF			(300)		
Tax effect of adjustments	5,153	(251)	(592)	4,727	
Adjusted net income available to common stockholders	\$ 26,566	\$ 21,180	\$ 14,337	\$ 9,057	\$ 4,346
Dilutive effect of convertible preferred stock	774	783			
Adjusted net income available to common stockholders - diluted	\$ 27,340	\$ 21,963	\$ 14,337	\$ 9,057	\$ 4,346
Weighted average shares outstanding - diluted	20,000,288	18,053,531	18,524,889	11,672,780	8,629,611
Adjusted effects of assumed Preferred Stock conversion		676,351	(676,351)	(676,351)	(143,357)
Adjusted weighted average shares outstanding - diluted	20,000,288	18,729,882	17,848,538	10,996,429	8,486,254
Adjusted diluted earnings per common share	\$ 1.37	\$ 1.17	\$ 0.80	\$ 0.82	\$ 0.51

Edgar Filing: Triumph Bancorp, Inc. - Form 424B5

Net income available to common stockholders	\$ 35,446	\$ 19,813	\$ 28,353	\$ 16,949	\$ 11,839
Average tangible common equity	283,561	236,660	218,392	116,817	81,636
Return on average tangible common equity	12.50%	8.37%	12.98%	14.51%	14.50%
Reported yield on loans	7.55%	7.71%	8.62%	8.90%	10.90%
Effect of accretion income on acquired loans	(0.32%)	(0.48%)	(0.42%)	(0.94%)	(1.21%)
Adjusted yield on loans	7.23%	7.23%	8.20%	7.96%	9.69%
Reported net interest margin	5.92%	5.91%	6.49%	6.67%	7.77%
Effect of accretion income on acquired loans	(0.27%)	(0.39%)	(0.33%)	(0.74%)	(0.92%)
Adjusted net interest margin	5.65%	5.52%	6.16%	5.93%	6.85%

S-9

**Table of Contents**

	<b>Years Ended December 31,</b>				
<i>(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)</i>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2013</b>
Adjusted efficiency ratio:					
Net interest income	\$ 155,684	\$ 112,358	\$ 90,651	\$ 80,460	\$ 38,683
Noninterest income	40,656	20,956	33,297	24,767	13,013
Operating revenue	196,340	133,314	123,948	105,227	51,696
Gain on sale of subsidiary	(20,860)				
Gain on branch sale				(12,619)	
Bargain purchase gain			(15,117)		(9,014)
Escrow recovery from DHF			(300)		
Adjusted operating revenue	\$ 175,480	\$ 133,314	\$ 108,531	\$ 92,608	\$ 42,682
Noninterest expenses	\$ 123,614	\$ 93,112	\$ 81,865	\$ 69,202	\$ 32,724
Transaction related costs	(2,013)	(1,618)	(243)		(1,521)
Incremental bonus related to transaction	(4,814)		(1,750)		
Adjusted noninterest expenses	\$ 116,787	\$ 91,494	\$ 79,872	\$ 69,202	\$ 31,203
Adjusted efficiency ratio	66.55%	68.63%	73.59%	74.73%	73.11%
Adjusted net noninterest expense to average assets ratio:					
Noninterest expenses	\$ 123,614	\$ 93,112	\$ 81,865	\$ 69,202	\$ 32,724
Transaction related costs	(2,013)	(1,618)	(243)		(1,521)
Incremental bonus related to transaction	(4,814)		(1,750)		
Adjusted noninterest expense	116,787	91,494	79,872	69,202	31,203
Noninterest income	40,656	20,956	33,297	24,767	13,013
Gain on sale of subsidiary	(20,860)				
Gain on branch sale				(12,619)	
Bargain purchase gain			(15,117)		(9,014)
Escrow recovery from DHF			(300)		
Adjusted noninterest income	19,796	20,956	17,880	12,148	3,999
Adjusted net noninterest expenses	\$ 96,991	\$ 70,538	\$ 61,992	\$ 57,054	\$ 27,204
Average total Assets	\$ 2,844,916	\$ 2,079,756	\$ 1,537,856	\$ 1,353,421	\$ 558,946
Adjusted net noninterest expense to average assets ratio	3.41%	3.39%	4.03%	4.22%	4.87%

We believe the non-GAAP financial measures included above provide useful information to management and investors that is supplementary to our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows computed in accordance with GAAP. However, non-GAAP financial measures are not necessarily comparable to GAAP measures and should not be considered in isolation or viewed as a substitute for the most directly comparable or other financial measures calculated in accordance with GAAP. Moreover, the manner in which we calculate non-GAAP financial measures may differ from that of other companies reporting non-GAAP measures with similar names. You should understand how such other companies calculate their financial measures that may be similar or have names that are similar to the non-GAAP financial measures discussed herein when comparing such non-GAAP financial measures.

S-10

**Table of Contents**

**RISK FACTORS**

*An investment in shares of our common stock involves various risks. You should carefully consider the risk factors described in Part I, Item 1A, Risk Factors in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2017, and in our other reports we file from time to time with the SEC, which are incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus, as the same may be amended, supplemented or superseded from time to time by our filings under the Exchange Act. You should also carefully consider the risks described below, and the other information included or incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus before investing in our common stock. The risks described below and in the accompanying prospectus or in the documents incorporated by reference herein are not the only risks applicable to us or an investment in our common stock. Additional risks not currently known to us or that we currently consider immaterial also may impair our business.*

**Risks Related to our Common Stock**

*The market price of our common stock may decline after the offering.*

The price per share at which we sell our common stock in this offering may be more or less than the market price of the common stock on the date the offering is consummated. If the purchase price in the offering is higher than the market price at the time the offering is consummated, purchasers will experience an immediate decline in the value of their investment in the common stock purchased in this offering. If the purchase price in the offering is less than the market price for the shares at the time the offering is consummated, certain purchasers who buy shares in this offering may be inclined to immediately sell those shares to attempt to realize a profit. Any such sales, depending on their volume and timing, could cause the market price of our common stock to decline. Additionally, because stock prices generally fluctuate over time, there is no assurance that purchasers of our common stock in this offering will be able to sell shares after the offering at a price that is equal to or greater than the price for which they purchased shares in the offering. Purchasers should consider these possibilities in determining whether to purchase shares in the offering and the timing of any sales of such shares.

*The market price of our common stock may be subject to substantial fluctuations, which may make it difficult for you to sell your shares at the volume, prices and times desired.*

The market price of our common stock may be highly volatile, which may make it difficult for you to resell your shares at the volume, prices and times desired. There are many factors that may impact the market price and trading volume of our common stock, including, without limitation:

actual or anticipated fluctuations in our operating results, financial condition or asset quality;

changes in economic or business conditions;

the effects of and changes in, trade, monetary and fiscal policies, including the interest rate policies of the Federal Reserve;



publication of research reports about us, our competitors or the bank and non-bank financial services industries generally, or changes in, or failure to meet, securities analysts' estimates of our financial and operating performance, or lack of research reports by industry analysts or ceasing of coverage;

operating and stock price performance of companies that investors deem comparable to us;

future issuances of our common stock or other securities;

additions or departures of key personnel;

proposed or adopted changes in laws, regulations or policies affecting us;

perceptions in the marketplace regarding our competitors and/or us;

our treatment as an emerging growth company under federal securities laws;

**Table of Contents**

changes in accounting principles, policies and guidelines;

rapidly changing technology;

significant acquisitions or business combinations, strategic partnerships, joint ventures or capital commitments by or involving our competitors or us;

other economic, competitive, governmental, regulatory and technological factors affecting our operations, pricing, products and services; and

other news, announcements or disclosures (whether by us or others) related to us, our competitors, our core market or the bank and non-bank financial services industries.

The stock market and, in particular, the market for financial institution stocks, have experienced substantial fluctuations in recent years, which in many cases have been unrelated to the operating performance and prospects of particular companies. In addition, significant fluctuations in the trading volume in our common stock may cause significant price variations to occur. Increased market volatility may materially and adversely affect the market price of our common stock, which could make it difficult to sell your shares at the volume, prices and times desired.

***Securities analysts may not continue coverage on our common stock, which could adversely affect the market for our common stock.***

The trading market for our common stock will depend in part on the research and reports that securities analysts publish about us and our business. We do not have any control over these securities analysts and they may not cover our common stock. If securities analysts do not cover our common stock, the lack of research coverage may adversely affect our market price. If we are covered by securities analysts and our common stock is the subject of an unfavorable report, the price of our common stock may decline. If one or more of these analysts cease to cover us or fail to publish regular reports on us, we could lose visibility in the financial markets, which could cause the price or trading volume of our common stock to decline.

***We are an emerging growth company, and the reduced reporting requirements applicable to emerging growth companies may make our common stock less attractive to investors.***

We are an emerging growth company, as defined in the U.S. Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012. For as long as we continue to be an emerging growth company, we may take advantage of exemptions from various reporting requirements that are applicable to other public companies that are not emerging growth companies, including reduced disclosure obligations regarding executive compensation in our periodic reports and proxy statements and exemptions from the requirements of holding a nonbinding advisory vote on executive compensation and stockholder approval of any golden parachute payments not previously approved. We could be an emerging growth company for up to five years from the date of our initial public offering, although we could lose that status sooner if our total annual gross revenues exceed \$1.07 billion, if we issue more than \$1.0 billion in nonconvertible debt in a three-year period or if the fair value of our common stock held by non-affiliates exceeds \$700 million as of any June 30 before that time, in which case we would no longer be an emerging growth company as of the following December 31. We cannot predict if investors will find our common stock less attractive because we may rely on these exemptions, or if we choose to rely on additional exemptions in the future. If some investors find our common stock less attractive as a result, there

may be a less active trading market for our common stock and our stock price may be more volatile.

***The rights of our common stockholders are subordinate to the rights of the holders of our Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock and any debt securities that we may issue and may be subordinate to the holders of any other class of preferred stock that we may issue in the future.***

There are 96,576 shares of our Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock issued and outstanding. These shares have rights that are senior to our common stock. As a result, we must make payments

S-12

## **Table of Contents**

on the preferred stock before any dividends can be paid on our common stock and, in the event of our bankruptcy, dissolution or liquidation, the holders of the Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock must be satisfied in full before any distributions can be made to the holders of our common stock. Our board of directors has the authority to issue in the aggregate up to 1,000,000 shares of preferred stock and to determine the terms of each issue of preferred stock without stockholder approval. Accordingly, you should assume that any shares of preferred stock that we may issue in the future will also be senior to our common stock and could have a preference on liquidating distributions or a preference on dividends that could limit our ability to pay dividends to the holders of our common stock. Because our decision to issue debt or equity securities or incur other borrowings in the future will depend on market conditions and other factors beyond our control, the amount, timing, nature or success of our future capital-raising efforts is uncertain. Thus, common stockholders bear the risk that our future issuances of debt or equity securities or our incurrence of other borrowings will negatively affect the market price of our common stock.

### ***We depend on the profitability of our bank subsidiary.***

Our principal source of funds to pay dividends on our common and preferred stock and service any of our obligations are dividends received directly from our subsidiaries. A substantial percentage of our current operations are currently conducted through our bank subsidiary. As is the case with all financial institutions, the profitability of our bank subsidiary is subject to the fluctuating cost and availability of money, changes in interest rates and in economic conditions in general. In addition, various federal and state statutes limit the amount of dividends that our bank subsidiary may pay to us, with or without regulatory approval.

### ***We do not intend to pay dividends in the foreseeable future and our future ability to pay dividends is subject to restrictions.***

We have not historically declared or paid any cash dividends on our common stock since inception. Holders of our common stock are entitled to receive only such cash dividends as our board of directors may declare out of funds legally available for such payments. Any declaration and payment of dividends on common stock will depend upon our earnings and financial condition, liquidity and capital requirements, the general economic and regulatory climate, our ability to service any equity or debt obligations senior to the common stock and other factors deemed relevant by the board of directors. Furthermore, consistent with our business plans, growth initiatives, capital availability, projected liquidity needs and other factors, we have made and will continue to make, capital management decisions and policies that could adversely impact the amount of dividends, if any, paid to our common stockholders. We are also restricted from paying dividends on our common stock if we do not pay dividends on our Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock for the same dividend period.

Our board of directors intends to retain all of our earnings to promote growth and build capital. Accordingly, we do not expect to pay dividends in the foreseeable future. In addition, we are subject to certain restrictions on the payment of cash dividends as a result of banking laws, regulations and policies. Further, the Federal Reserve issued Supervisory Letter SR 09-4 on February 24, 2009 and revised as of March 27, 2009, which provides guidance on the declaration and payment of dividends, capital redemptions and capital repurchases by bank holding companies. Supervisory Letter SR 09-4 provides that, as a general matter, a financial holding company should eliminate, defer or significantly reduce its dividends, if: (1) the financial holding company's net income available to stockholders for the past four quarters, net of dividends previously paid during that period, is not sufficient to fully fund the dividends; (2) the financial holding company's prospective rate of earnings retention is not consistent with the financial holding company's capital needs and overall current and prospective financial condition; or (3) the financial holding company will not meet, or is in danger of not meeting, its minimum regulatory capital adequacy ratios. Failure to do so could result in a supervisory finding that the financial holding company is operating in an unsafe and unsound manner.



## **Table of Contents**

***Our corporate governance documents and certain corporate and banking laws applicable to us, could make a takeover more difficult.***

Certain provisions of our articles of incorporation and bylaws and corporate and federal banking laws and regulations could delay, defer or prevent a third party from acquiring control of our organization or conducting a proxy contest, even if those events were perceived by many of our stockholders as beneficial to their interests. These provisions may discourage potential acquisition proposals and could delay or prevent a change in control, including under circumstances in which our stockholders might otherwise receive a premium over the market price of our shares.

***Our management has broad discretion over the use of proceeds from this offering.***

Our management has significant flexibility in applying the proceeds that we receive from this offering. Although we have indicated our intent to use a portion of the net proceeds from this offering to consummate the Durango Acquisition, the SCC Acquisition and the ICC Asset Purchase, and the remainder for general corporate purposes, our management retains significant discretion with respect to the use of proceeds. Furthermore, this offering is not conditioned on, and is expected to be consummated before, the closing of each of the Durango Acquisition, the SCC Acquisition and the ICC Asset Purchase. To the extent the Durango Acquisition, the SCC Acquisition or the ICC Asset Purchase are not consummated, our management may use the net proceeds from this offering for different purposes and you will not be entitled to a refund if you purchase shares of our common stock in this offering. The proceeds of this offering may be used in a manner which does not generate a favorable return for us. We may use the proceeds to fund future acquisitions of other businesses. In addition, if we use the funds to acquire other businesses, there can be no assurance that any business we acquire would be successfully integrated into our operations or otherwise perform as expected.

## **Risks Related to Our Pending Acquisitions and Our Business**

***The Durango Acquisition, the SCC Acquisition, and/or the ICC Asset Purchase may not be completed, or if completed may not be successful, due to a number of factors.***

Consummation of the Durango Acquisition, the SCC Acquisition and the ICC Asset Purchase (collectively, the pending acquisitions ) is in each case subject to receipt of required regulatory approvals and the satisfaction of certain other customary closing conditions. The pending acquisitions may not be completed, or if completed may not be successful, due to a number of factors, including, without limitation:

we may not receive the necessary regulatory approvals to consummate the pending acquisitions or any such approval may contain terms, conditions or restrictions that could have a material adverse effect on us;

we may not be able to successfully integrate the Durango Banks or the SCC Bank into our current operations;

we may not be able to limit the outflow of deposits held by our new customers in the pending acquisitions or retain interest-earning assets (*i.e.*, loans) acquired in the pending acquisitions;

we may not be able to attract new deposits or generate new interest-earning assets;

we may not be able to deploy the cash we receive in the pending acquisitions on a timely basis into assets, including investment securities, bearing sufficiently high yields without incurring unacceptable credit or interest rate risk;

we may not be able to retain and attract appropriate personnel to staff the acquired branches at the Durango Banks or the SCC Bank;

we may not be able to earn acceptable levels of noninterest income, including fee income, from the acquired branches at the Durango Banks or the SCC Bank;

S-14

## Table of Contents

we may not be able to acquire all material assets in the ICC Asset Purchase as a result of the failure to obtain third party consent or approvals and we may not be able to collect on all the accounts in the ICC Operating Assets; and

we may not be able to successfully integrate the ICC Operating Assets into our current operations. There can be no assurance that the conditions to the closing of either of the pending acquisitions will be satisfied or waived or that other events will not intervene to delay or result in the failure to close either or both of the pending acquisitions. Any delay in closing or a failure to close either of the pending acquisitions could have a negative impact on our business and the trading price of our securities, including our common stock. Likewise, the pending acquisitions may be completed on terms that differ, perhaps materially, from those described in this prospectus supplement and the documents incorporated herein by reference and investors will not be entitled to require us to repurchase any of our shares of common stock as a result of any such differences.

If completed, the success of the pending acquisitions will depend, in part, on our ability to realize the anticipated business opportunities and growth prospects we expect to result from the pending acquisitions. We may never realize these business opportunities and growth prospects. Integrating operations will be complex and will require significant efforts and expenditures on our part. Our management might have its attention diverted while trying to integrate operations and corporate and administrative infrastructures and the cost of integration may exceed our expectations. We may also be required to make unanticipated capital expenditures or investments in order to maintain, improve or sustain the branches and businesses we expect to acquire or take write-offs or impairment charges or recognize amortization expenses resulting from the pending acquisitions and may be subject to unanticipated or unknown liabilities. We might experience increased competition that limits our ability to expand our business in the future, and we might not be able to capitalize on expected business opportunities, including retaining current customers.

It is also possible that the integration process could result in the loss of key employees, the disruption of our ongoing businesses, tax costs or inefficiencies or inconsistencies in standards, controls, information technology systems, procedures and policies, any of which could adversely affect our ability to maintain relationships with customers, employees or other third parties or our ability to achieve the anticipated benefits of the pending acquisitions and could harm our financial performance.

No assurance can be given that we will be able to integrate the acquired branches at the Durango Banks or the SCC Bank or the ICC Operating Assets successfully, that the pending acquisitions will not expose us to unknown material liabilities, that the operation of the branches and businesses we expect to acquire will not adversely affect our existing profitability, that we will be able to achieve results in the future similar to those achieved by our existing business, that we will be able to compete effectively in new market areas or that we will be able to manage growth effectively. The difficulties or costs we may encounter in integration could materially and adversely affect our earnings and financial condition.

***There are material limitations with making preliminary estimates of our financial results as of and for the three months ended March 31, 2018 prior to the completion of our and our auditors' financial review procedures for such period.***

The preliminary financial estimates relating to our results of operations for the period ended March 31, 2018 contained in Prospectus Summary Recent Developments are not a comprehensive statement of our financial results as of and for the three months ended March 31, 2018, and our auditors have not yet completed their review of such financial results. Our financial statements for the three months ended March 31, 2018 will not be available until after this offering is completed and, consequently, will not be available to you prior to investing in this offering. Our actual



financial results for the three months ended March 31, 2018 may differ materially from the preliminary financial estimates we have provided as a result of the completion of our financial closing procedures, final adjustments and other developments arising between now and the time that our financial results

S-15

**Table of Contents**

for such periods are finalized. The preliminary financial data included herein have been prepared by, and are the responsibility of, management. Crowe Horwath LLP, our independent registered public accounting firm, has not audited, reviewed, compiled or performed any procedures with respect to such preliminary estimates. Accordingly, Crowe Horwath LLP does not express an opinion or any other form of assurance with respect thereto.

S-16

**Table of Contents**

**USE OF PROCEEDS**

We estimate that the net proceeds of this offering will be approximately \$       million (or approximately \$ million if the underwriters exercise in full their option to purchase additional shares), based on the public offering price of \$       per share, after deducting the underwriting discount (before estimated expenses). We intend to use a portion of the net proceeds of this offering to fund a portion of the consideration payable in the Durango Acquisition, the SCC Acquisition, and the ICC Asset Purchase, and to use the remainder for general corporate purposes, including potential future strategic acquisitions and investments in TBK Bank as regulatory capital. This offering is not conditioned on, and is expected to be consummated before, the closing of each of the Durango Acquisition, the SCC Acquisition, and the ICC Asset Purchase.

To the extent we use a portion of the net proceeds from this offering to finance future strategic acquisitions, these may include, without limitation, acquisitions of bank and non-bank financial services companies that we believe are complementary to our business and consistent with our growth strategy and funding investments in our subsidiaries.

Our management will have broad discretion in the application of the net proceeds from this offering, and investors will be relying on the judgment of our management with regard to the use of these net proceeds. Pending the use of the net proceeds from this offering as described above, we may invest the net proceeds in short-term, investment-grade, interest-bearing instruments.

Table of Contents**CAPITALIZATION**

The following table sets forth, on a consolidated basis, our capitalization as of December 31, 2017 on an actual historical basis and as adjusted to give effect to this offering of \_\_\_\_\_ shares of our common stock at the public offering price of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per share, less the underwriting discount and estimated offering expenses (assuming the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares from us is not exercised), as if the offering had been completed as of December 31, 2017. This information should be read together with the financial and other data in this prospectus supplement as well as the unaudited consolidated financial statements and related notes and the information contained under the caption entitled Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations, in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, which has been filed with the SEC and is incorporated herein by reference.

	<b>As of December 31, 2017</b>	
	<b>Actual</b>	<b>As adjusted for the offering</b>
	<b>(dollars in thousands)</b>	
	<b>(unaudited)</b>	
<b>Liabilities</b>		
Total deposits	\$ 2,621,348	\$ 2,621,348
Customer repurchase agreements	11,488	11,488
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	365,000	365,000
Subordinated notes	48,828	48,828
Junior subordinated debentures	38,623	38,623
Other liabilities	22,048	22,048
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 3,107,335</b>	<b>\$ 3,107,335</b>
<b>Stockholders' equity</b>		
Preferred Stock Series A	\$ 4,550	\$ 4,550
Preferred Stock Series B	5,108	5,108
Common stock	209	
Additional paid-in capital	264,855	
Treasury stock, at cost	(1,784)	(1,784)
Retained earnings	119,356	119,356
Accumulated other comprehensive income	(596)	(596)
<b>Total Stockholders' Equity</b>	<b>\$ 391,698</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>Total Capitalization</b>	<b>\$ 3,499,033</b>	

Table of Contents**PRICE RANGE OF COMMON STOCK AND DIVIDEND POLICY**

Our common stock is listed on Nasdaq under the symbol TBK. Set forth below are the high and low closing prices for our common stock as reported by Nasdaq for the two most recently completed fiscal years and the period from January 1, 2018 through April 6, 2018 of the current fiscal year.

	<b>High</b>	<b>Low</b>
<b>2018</b>		
Second Quarter (through April 6, 2018)	\$ 41.70	\$ 39.40
First Quarter	\$ 43.65	\$ 31.50
<b>2017</b>		
Fourth Quarter	\$ 34.35	\$ 28.90
Third Quarter	\$ 32.25	\$ 24.55
Second Quarter	\$ 25.90	\$ 20.55
First Quarter	\$ 27.75	\$ 24.25
<b>2016</b>		
Fourth Quarter	\$ 26.15	\$ 18.40
Third Quarter	\$ 19.84	\$ 15.54
Second Quarter	\$ 16.99	\$ 14.79
First Quarter	\$ 16.44	\$ 12.92

On April 6, 2018, the closing price for our common stock as reported on Nasdaq was \$39.40. As of April 4, 2018, there were approximately 20,846,913 shares of our common stock outstanding and approximately 397 holders of our common stock.

We have not historically declared or paid cash dividends on our common stock since inception. Holders of our common stock are entitled to receive only such cash dividends as our board of directors may declare out of funds legally available for such payments. Any declaration and payment of dividends on our common stock will depend upon our earnings and financial condition, liquidity and capital requirements, the general economic and regulatory climate, our ability to service any equity or debt obligations senior to the common stock (including our outstanding Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock) and other factors deemed relevant by our board of directors. Our board of directors intends to retain all of our earnings to promote growth and build capital. Accordingly, we do not expect to pay dividends in the foreseeable future. In addition, we are subject to certain restrictions on the payment of cash dividends as a result of banking laws, regulations and policies. For a description of these restrictions, see the discussion in Part I, Item 1, *Business* of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017 under the caption entitled *Supervision and Regulation Bank Holding Company Regulation*, which is incorporated by reference herein.

---

**Table of Contents**

**MATERIAL U.S. FEDERAL INCOME TAX CONSIDERATIONS FOR NON-U.S. HOLDERS**

The following is a general discussion of material U.S. federal income tax considerations with respect to the ownership and disposition of shares of our common stock applicable to non-U.S. holders (as defined below) who acquire such shares in this offering and hold such shares as a capital asset within the meaning of Section 1221 of the United States Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the Code), generally meaning property held for investment. For purposes of this discussion, a non-U.S. holder means a beneficial owner of our common stock that is not, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, any of the following:

an entity or arrangement that is treated as a partnership;

a citizen or resident of the United States;

a corporation (or other entity treated as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes) created or organized in or under the laws of the United States, any state thereof or the District of Columbia;

an estate, the income of which is includible in gross income for U.S. federal income tax purposes, regardless of its source; or

a trust if (a) a court within the United States is able to exercise primary supervision over the administration of the trust and one or more U.S. persons, as defined under the Code, has the authority to control all substantial decisions of the trust or (b) such trust has made a valid election to be treated as a U.S. person for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

This discussion is based on current provisions of the Code, Treasury regulations promulgated thereunder, judicial opinions, published positions of the Internal Revenue Service (the IRS) and other applicable authorities, all of which are subject to change (possibly with retroactive effect). This discussion does not address all aspects of U.S. federal income taxation that may be important to a particular non-U.S. holder in light of that non-U.S. holder's individual circumstances, nor does it address any aspects of the unearned income Medicare contribution tax pursuant to the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010, any considerations in respect of the Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act of 2010 (including the U.S. Treasury regulations promulgated thereunder and intergovernmental agreements entered into pursuant thereto), any U.S. federal taxes other than income taxes (such as U.S. federal estate or gift taxes), any U.S. alternative minimum taxes or any state, local or non-U.S. taxes. This discussion may not apply, in whole or in part, to particular non-U.S. holders that are subject to special treatment under U.S. federal income tax law (such as traders in securities that elect the mark-to-market method of accounting, grantor trusts, insurance companies, tax-exempt organizations, financial institutions, brokers or dealers in securities or currencies, real estate investment trusts, foreign governments, international organizations, controlled foreign corporations, passive foreign investment companies, non-U.S. holders that hold our common stock as part of a straddle, hedge, conversion transaction or other integrated investment and certain U.S. expatriates and former long-term residents).

If a partnership (or other entity or arrangement treated as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes) holds our common stock, the tax treatment of a partner therein will generally depend on the status of the partner and the activities of the partnership. Partners of a partnership (or other entity or arrangement treated as a partnership for U.S.

federal income tax purposes) holding our common stock should consult their tax advisors as to the particular U.S. federal income tax consequences applicable to them.

THIS SUMMARY IS FOR GENERAL INFORMATION ONLY AND IS NOT A COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF ALL TAX CONSEQUENCES FOR NON-U.S. HOLDERS RELATING TO THE OWNERSHIP AND DISPOSITION OF OUR COMMON STOCK. PROSPECTIVE HOLDERS OF OUR COMMON STOCK SHOULD CONSULT WITH THEIR TAX ADVISORS REGARDING THE TAX CONSEQUENCES TO THEM (INCLUDING THE APPLICATION AND EFFECT OF ANY STATE, LOCAL, NON-U.S. INCOME AND OTHER TAX LAWS) OF THE OWNERSHIP AND DISPOSITION OF OUR COMMON STOCK.

S-20

---

**Table of Contents**

**Dividends**

In general, the gross amount of any distribution we make to a non-U.S. holder with respect to its shares of our common stock will be subject to U.S. withholding tax at a rate of 30% (or a lower rate specified in an applicable tax treaty if the non-U.S. holder is eligible for the benefits of such treaty) to the extent the distribution constitutes a dividend for U.S. federal income tax purposes, unless the non-U.S. holder is eligible for a reduced rate of withholding tax under an applicable tax treaty and the non-U.S. holder provides proper certification of its eligibility for such reduced rate. A distribution will constitute a dividend for U.S. federal income tax purposes to the extent of our current or accumulated earnings and profits, as determined for U.S. federal income tax purposes. To the extent any distribution does not constitute a dividend, it will be treated first as reducing the adjusted basis in the non-U.S. holder's shares of our common stock and then, to the extent it exceeds the non-U.S. holder's adjusted basis in its shares of our common stock, as gain from the sale or exchange of such stock. Any such gain will be subject to the treatment described below under **Gain on Sale or Other Disposition of Common Stock**.

Dividends we pay with respect to our common stock to a non-U.S. holder that are effectively connected with its conduct of a trade or business within the United States (or, if required by an applicable income tax treaty, are attributable to a U.S. permanent establishment of such non-U.S. holder) generally will not be subject to U.S. withholding tax, as described above, if the non-U.S. holder complies with applicable certification and disclosure requirements. Instead, such dividends generally will be subject to U.S. federal income tax on a net income basis, at the U.S. federal income tax rates applicable to U.S. citizens, nonresident aliens or domestic corporations, as applicable. Dividends received by a foreign corporation that are effectively connected with its conduct of trade or business within the United States may be subject to an additional **branch profits tax** at a rate of 30% (or such lower rate as may be specified by an applicable income tax treaty).

**Gain on Sale or Other Disposition of Common Stock**

Subject to the discussion below on backup withholding, in general, a non-U.S. holder will not be subject to U.S. federal income tax on any gain realized upon the sale or other disposition of the non-U.S. holder's shares of our common stock unless:

the gain is effectively connected with a trade or business carried on by the non-U.S. holder within the United States (or, if required by an applicable income tax treaty, is attributable to a U.S. permanent establishment of such non-U.S. holder);

the non-U.S. holder is an individual and is present in the United States for 183 days or more in the taxable year of disposition and certain other conditions are met; or

we are or have been a **United States real property holding corporation** for U.S. federal income tax purposes and certain other conditions are met. We believe that we are not and we do not anticipate becoming a U.S. real property holding corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

A non-U.S. holder described in the first bullet immediately above will be subject to U.S. federal income tax on a net income tax basis, at the U.S. federal income tax rates applicable to U.S. citizens, nonresident aliens or domestic corporations, as applicable. Such a non-U.S. holder that is a foreign corporation may also be subject to **branch profits tax** at a rate of 30% (or such lower rate as may be specified by an applicable income tax treaty) with respect to such



effectively connected gain. An individual non-U.S. holder described in the second bullet immediately above will be subject to a flat 30% tax on the gain from such disposition, which may be offset by U.S. source capital losses.

**Backup Withholding and Information Reporting**

Generally, a non-U.S. holder may be subject to information reporting requirements with respect to dividends and other taxable distributions paid to such holder with respect to our common stock, as well as the payment of

**Table of Contents**

proceeds from the sale, exchange or redemption of our common stock, and may be subject to backup withholding on such dividends, distributions or proceeds unless it timely provides the relevant withholding agent with appropriate properly completed IRS forms and otherwise complies with the requirements of the backup withholding rules, or otherwise establishes an exemption. Copies of the information returns reporting such dividends, distributions or proceeds and related withholding may also be made available to the tax authorities in the country in which the non-U.S. holder resides under the provisions of an applicable income tax treaty.

Backup withholding is not an additional tax. Any amounts withheld under the backup withholding rules may be allowed as a refund or a credit against a non-U.S. holder's U.S. federal income tax liability provided that the required information is timely furnished to the IRS.

**Table of Contents****UNDERWRITING**

We have entered into an underwriting agreement, dated April 10, 2018 with the underwriters named below, for whom Stephens Inc., Keefe, Bruyette & Woods, Inc. and Sandler O'Neill & Partners, L.P. are acting as representatives. Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the underwriting agreement, we agreed to sell to each of the underwriters, and each of the underwriters severally agreed to purchase from us, the number of shares of common stock shown opposite its name below.

<b>Underwriter</b>	<b>Number of Shares</b>
Stephens Inc.	
Keefe, Bruyette & Woods, Inc.	
Sandler O'Neill & Partners, L.P.	
Wells Fargo Securities, LLC	
D.A. Davidson & Co.	
Piper Jaffray & Co.	
Total	

The obligations of the underwriters under the underwriting agreement, including their agreement to purchase shares of our common stock, are several and not joint. Those obligations are also subject to the satisfaction of the terms and conditions contained in the underwriting agreement.

The underwriters have agreed to purchase and pay for all of the shares of common stock being offered by this prospectus, if any such shares of common stock are purchased. However, the underwriters are not obligated to purchase or pay for the shares of common stock covered by the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares described below, unless and until they exercise this option. In the event of a default by any underwriter, the underwriting agreement provides that, in certain circumstances, non-defaulting underwriters may increase their purchase commitments or the underwriting agreement may be terminated.

The shares of common stock are being offered by the several underwriters, subject to prior sale, when, as and if issued to and accepted by them, subject to approval of certain legal matters by counsel for the underwriters and other conditions. The underwriters reserve the right to withdraw, cancel, or modify this offering and to reject orders in whole or in part.

We have agreed to indemnify the several underwriters against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act).

**Option to Purchase Additional Shares**

We have granted the underwriters an option, exercisable in whole or in part for 30 days after the date of this prospectus supplement, to purchase up to \_\_\_\_\_ additional shares from us at the public offering price, less the underwriting discount. If the underwriters exercise this option, each will be obligated, subject to the terms and conditions contained in the underwriting agreement, to purchase a number of additional shares of common stock from us in approximately the same proportion as set forth in the table above.

**Underwriting Discount and Expenses**

The representatives of the underwriters have advised us that the underwriters propose initially to offer the shares directly to the public at the public offering price set forth on the cover page of this prospectus supplement. If all of the shares of our common stock are not sold at the public offering price, the representative of the underwriters may change the public offering price and the other selling terms.

S-23

**Table of Contents**

The following table shows the public offering price, underwriting discount and proceeds to us before expenses on a per share and aggregate basis. The aggregate amounts shown assume either no exercise or full exercise by the underwriters of their option to purchase additional shares of our common stock.

	<b>Per Share</b>	<b>Total With Option Exercise</b>	<b>Total Without Option Exercise</b>
Public offering price	\$	\$	\$
Underwriting discount to be paid by us	\$	\$	\$
Proceeds to us, before expenses	\$	\$	\$

We estimate that the total offering expenses payable by us, not including the underwriting discount, will be approximately \$ . We have also agreed to reimburse the underwriters for certain of their offering expenses, including their FINRA counsel fee. In accordance with FINRA Rule 5110, these reimbursed expenses are deemed underwriting compensation for this offering.

**Nasdaq Global Select Market Listing**

The shares of our common stock offered hereby have been approved for listing and will be eligible for trading on the Nasdaq Global Select Market under the symbol TBK.

**Lock-Up Agreements**

We and each of our executive officers and directors have entered into lock-up agreements with the underwriters pursuant to which we and they have agreed, subject to certain specified exceptions, for a period of 90 days after the date of the underwriting agreement, not to engage in the following activities without the prior written consent of the representatives, directly or indirectly, (i) offer, pledge, sell, contract to sell, sell any option or contract to purchase, purchase any option or contract to sell, grant any option, right or warrant for the sale of, hypothecate, establish an open put equivalent position within the meaning of Rule 16a-1(h) under the Exchange Act, or otherwise dispose of or transfer any shares of our common stock or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for our common stock, whether then owned or thereafter acquired or with respect to which we or such person has or thereafter acquires the power of disposition, or file or cause to be filed any registration statement under the Securities Act, with respect to any of the foregoing; or (ii) enter into any swap, hedge or any other agreement or any transaction that transfers, in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, the economic consequence of ownership of the shares of our common stock or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for our common stock, whether any such swap, hedge or transaction is to be settled by delivery of shares of our common stock or other securities, in cash or otherwise. Our executive officers and directors have also agreed not to publicly disclose the intention to make any such offer, pledge, sale or disposition, or to enter into any such swap, hedge, transaction or other arrangement.

These restrictions will be in effect for a period of 90 days after the date of the underwriting agreement. At any time and without public notice, the representatives may, in their sole discretion, waive or release all or a portion of our shares (or the other securities restricted thereby) from these lock-up agreements.

Notwithstanding the lock-up restrictions described in this section, 170,000, 135,000 and 30,000 shares of our common stock owned by Carlos Sepulveda, Aaron Graft and Charles Anderson, respectively, will not be subject to the lock-up restrictions described in this section, and an additional 30,000 shares of common stock owned by Carlos Sepulveda may be transferred as bona fide gifts without regard for the lock-up restrictions described in this section.

**Indemnification and Contribution**

Under the terms of the underwriting agreement, we have agreed to indemnify the underwriters and their affiliates, selling agents, directors, officers and control persons against certain liabilities, including liabilities

S-24

## **Table of Contents**

under the Securities Act and the Exchange Act. If we are unable to provide this indemnification, we will contribute to the payments the underwriters and their affiliates, selling agents, directors, officers and control persons may be required to make in respect of those liabilities.

## **Stabilization**

In connection with this offering, the underwriters may engage in transactions that stabilize, maintain or otherwise affect the price of our common stock, including stabilizing transactions, short sales and purchases to cover positions created by short sales.

Stabilizing transactions consist of bids or purchases made for the purpose of preventing or retarding a decline in the market price of our common stock while this offering is in progress. These transactions may include the sale by the underwriters of more shares than they are obligated to purchase under the underwriting agreement, creating a short position that may be either a covered short position or a naked short position. A short sale is covered if the short position is no greater than the number of shares available for purchase by the underwriters under the option to purchase additional shares described above. The underwriters can close out a covered short sale by exercising their option to purchase additional shares or purchasing shares in the open market. In determining the source of shares to close out a covered short sale, the underwriters will consider, among other things, the open market price of shares compared to the price available under the option to purchase additional shares described above. The underwriters also may sell shares in excess of their option to purchase additional shares, creating a naked short position to the extent of the excess. The underwriters must close out any naked short position by purchasing shares in the open market. A naked short position is more likely to be created if the underwriters are concerned that there may be downward pressure on the price of our common stock in the open market after pricing that could adversely affect investors who purchase in this offering.

These transactions may have the effect of raising or maintaining the market price of our common stock or preventing or retarding a decline in the market price of the shares of our common stock. As a result, the price of our common stock in the open market may be higher than it would otherwise be in the absence of these transactions. Neither we nor the underwriters make any representation or prediction as to the effect that the transactions described above may have on the price of our common stock. These transactions may be effected on Nasdaq, in the over-the-counter market or otherwise and, if commenced, may be discontinued at any time without notice.

## **Passive Market Making**

In connection with this offering, the underwriters may engage in passive market making transactions in our common stock on Nasdaq in accordance with Rule 103 of Regulation M under the Exchange Act during a period before the commencement of offers or sales of our common stock and extending through the completion of the distribution of this offering. A passive market maker must generally display its bid at a price not in excess of the highest independent bid for the security. If all independent bids are lowered below the bid of the passive market maker, however, the bid must then be lowered when purchase limits are exceeded. Net purchases by a passive market maker on each day are limited to a specified percentage of the passive market maker's average daily trading volume in the common stock during a specified period and must be discontinued when that limit is reached. Passive market making may cause the price of our common stock to be higher than the price that otherwise would exist in the open market in the absence of those transactions. The underwriters are not required to engage in passive market making and may end passive market making activities at any time.

## **Affiliations**

The underwriters and their respective affiliates are full service financial institutions engaged in various activities, which may include securities trading, commercial and investment banking, financial advisory, investment management, investment advisory, investment research, principal investment, hedging, financing,

S-25



## **Table of Contents**

loan referrals, valuation, and brokerage activities. From time to time, the underwriters and/or their respective affiliates have directly and indirectly engaged, and may in the future engage, in various financial advisory, investment banking loan referrals, and commercial banking services with us and our affiliates, for which they received or paid, or may receive or pay, customary compensation, fees, and expense reimbursement. In the ordinary course of their various business activities, the underwriters and their respective affiliates may make or hold a broad array of investments and actively trade debt and equity securities (or related derivative securities) and financial instruments (including bank loans) for their own account and for the accounts of their customers, and those investment and securities activities may involve securities and/or instruments of ours. The underwriters and their respective affiliates may also make investment recommendations and/or publish or express independent research views in respect of those securities or instruments and may at any time hold, or recommend to clients that they acquire, long and/or short positions in those securities and instruments.

## **Electronic Prospectus Delivery**

A prospectus supplement in electronic format may be made available by e-mail or on the websites maintained by the underwriters. In connection with this offering, the underwriters or certain securities dealers may distribute prospectuses electronically. In those cases, prospective investors may view offering terms online and may be allowed to place orders online. The underwriters may agree with us to allocate shares of our common stock for sale to online brokerage account holders. Any such allocation of online distributions will be made by the underwriters on the same basis as other allocations. Other than this prospectus supplement in electronic format, the information on any of these websites and any other information contained on a website maintained by an underwriter or syndicate member is not part of this prospectus supplement, has not been approved and/or endorsed by the underwriters or us and should not be relied upon by investors.

## **Selling Restrictions**

### *Canada*

The common stock may be sold in Canada only to purchasers purchasing, or deemed to be purchasing, as principal that are accredited investors, as defined in National Instrument 45-106 Prospectus Exemptions or subsection 73.3(1) of the Securities Act (Ontario), and are permitted clients, as defined in National Instrument 31-103 Registration Requirements, Exemptions, and Ongoing Registrant Obligations. Any resale of the common stock must be made in accordance with an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the prospectus requirements of applicable securities laws.

Securities legislation in certain provinces or territories of Canada may provide a purchaser with remedies for rescission or damages if this prospectus (including any amendment thereto) contains a misrepresentation, provided that the remedies for rescission or damages are exercised by the purchaser within the time limit prescribed by the securities legislation of the purchaser's province or territory. The purchaser should refer to any applicable provisions of the securities legislation of the purchaser's province or territory of these rights or consult with a legal advisor.

Pursuant to section 3A.3 of National Instrument 33-105 Underwriting Conflicts (NI 33-105), the underwriters are not required to comply with the disclosure requirements of NI 33-105 regarding underwriter conflicts of interest in connection with this offering.

All of our directors and officers as well as the experts named herein may be located outside of Canada and, as a result, it may not be possible for Canadian purchasers to effect service of process within Canada upon us or those persons. All or a substantial portion of our assets and the assets of those persons may be located outside of Canada and, as a

result, it may not be possible to satisfy a judgment against us or those persons in Canada or to enforce a judgment obtained in Canadian courts against us or those persons outside of Canada.

S-26

## **Table of Contents**

Canadian purchasers of the shares should consult their own legal and tax advisors with respect to the tax consequences of an investment in the shares in their particular circumstances and about the eligibility of the shares for investment by the purchaser under relevant Canadian legislation.

### ***European Economic Area***

In relation to each member state of the European Economic Area which has implemented the Prospectus Directive (each, a Relevant Member State ), with effect from and including the date on which the Prospectus Directive is implemented in that Relevant Member State (the Relevant Implementation Date ), no offer of any shares which are the subject of the offering contemplated by this prospectus have been or will be made to the public in that Relevant Member State prior to the publication of a prospectus in relation to such shares that has been approved by the competent authority in that Relevant Member State or, where appropriate, approved in another Relevant Member State and notified to the relevant competent authority in that Relevant Member State, all in accordance with the Prospectus Directive, except that it may, with effect from and including the Relevant Implementation Date, make an offer of shares to the public in that Relevant Member State at any time:

to legal entities which are authorized or regulated to operate in the financial markets or, if not so authorized or regulated, whose corporate purpose is solely to invest in securities;

to fewer than 150 natural or legal persons (other than qualified investors as defined in the Prospectus Directive), subject to obtaining the prior consent of the representatives for any such offer; or

in any other circumstances which do not require the publication by the issuer of a prospectus pursuant to Article 3 of the Prospectus Directive.

For the purposes of this provision, the expression an offer to the public in relation to any shares in any Relevant Member State means the communication in any form and by any means of sufficient information on the terms of the offer and the shares to be offered so as to enable an investor to decide to purchase or subscribe the shares, as the same may be varied in that Relevant Member State by any measure implementing the Prospectus Directive in that Relevant Member State and the expression Prospectus Directive means Directive 2003/71/EC (and amendments thereto, including Directive 2010/73/EU, to the extent implemented in the Relevant Member State) and includes any relevant implementing measure in the Relevant Member State.

### ***United Kingdom***

This prospectus is only being distributed to, and is only directed at, persons in the United Kingdom that are qualified investors within the meaning of Article 2(1)(e) of the Prospectus Directive that are also (i) investment professionals falling within Article 19(5) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Financial Promotion) Order 2005, as amended, referred to herein as the Order, and/or (ii) high net worth entities falling within Article 49(2)(a) to (d) of the Order and other persons to whom it may lawfully be communicated. Each such person is referred to herein as a Relevant Person.

This prospectus and its contents are confidential and should not be distributed, published or reproduced (in whole or in part) or disclosed by recipients to any other persons in the United Kingdom. Any person in the United Kingdom that is

not a Relevant Person should not act or rely on this document or any of its contents.

S-27

**Table of Contents**

**LEGAL MATTERS**

The validity of the common stock we are offering and certain legal matters relating to the law of the State of Texas will be passed upon for us by Adam D. Nelson, Executive Vice President and General Counsel of Triumph Bancorp, Inc. Certain other legal matters will be passed upon for us by Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz. In addition, certain legal matters will be passed upon for the underwriters by Norton Rose Fulbright US LLP, Dallas, Texas.

**EXPERTS**

The consolidated financial statements of Triumph Bancorp, Inc. as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, and for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2017, have been audited by Crowe Horwath LLP, an independent registered public accounting firm, as set forth in their report appearing in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, and incorporated in this prospectus by reference. Such consolidated financial statements have been so incorporated in reliance upon the report of such firm given upon their authority as experts in accounting and auditing.

**Table of Contents**

**PROSPECTUS**

**\$250,000,000**

**TRIUMPH BANCORP, INC.**

**Debt Securities**

**Common Stock**

**Preferred Stock**

**Depository Shares**

**Purchase Contracts**

**Warrants**

**Rights**

**Units**

We may offer and sell from time to time, in one or more series, our debt securities, which may consist of notes, debentures, or other evidences of indebtedness, shares of our common stock or preferred stock, depository shares, purchase contracts, warrants, rights and units comprised of two or more of these securities in any combination. The debt securities and preferred stock may be convertible into or exchangeable for other securities of ours. This prospectus provides you with a general description of these securities. Each time we offer any securities pursuant to this prospectus, we will provide you with a prospectus supplement, and, if necessary, a pricing supplement, that will describe the specific amounts, prices and terms of the securities being offered. These supplements may also add, update or change information contained in this prospectus. To understand the terms of the securities offered, before deciding to invest you should carefully read this prospectus with the applicable supplements, which together provide the specific terms of the securities we are offering.

The aggregate of the offering prices of the securities covered by this prospectus will not exceed \$250,000,000.

Our voting common stock is listed on the NASDAQ Global Select Market under the symbol TBK. We expect that any common stock sold pursuant to a prospectus supplement will be listed on such exchange, subject to official notice of issuance. Any prospectus supplement will contain information, where applicable, as to any other listing on the NASDAQ Global Select Market or any other securities exchange of the other securities covered by the prospectus supplement.

The securities may be sold directly to investors, through agents designated from time to time or to or through underwriters or dealers. See Plan of Distribution on page 38 of this prospectus. If any agents or underwriters are involved in the sale of any securities in respect of which this prospectus is being delivered, the names of such agents

or underwriters and any applicable commissions or discounts will be set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement. The net proceeds we expect to receive from such sale also will be set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement.

**Investing in our securities involves risks. See the section entitled Risk Factors contained on page 8 of this prospectus and in the applicable prospectus supplement, and in the reports we file with the Securities and Exchange Commission that are incorporated by reference into this prospectus before deciding to invest in any of these securities.**

**These securities are not deposits or obligations of a bank or savings association and are not insured or guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or any other governmental agency.**

This prospectus may be used to offer and sell securities only if accompanied by the prospectus supplement for those securities.

**Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities or determined that this prospectus or the accompanying prospectus supplement is accurate or complete. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.**

**The date of this prospectus is March 30, 2018**

**Table of Contents**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT INFORMATION PRESENTED IN THIS PROSPECTUS AND THE ACCOMPANYING PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT**

We may provide information to you about the securities we are offering in three separate documents that progressively provide more detail:

    this prospectus, which provides general information, some of which may not apply to your securities;

    the accompanying prospectus supplement, which describes the terms of the securities, some of which may not apply to your securities; and

    if necessary, a pricing supplement, which describes the specific terms of your securities.

If the terms of your securities vary among the pricing supplement, the prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus, you should rely on the information in the following order of priority:

    the pricing supplement, if any;

    the prospectus supplement; and

    this prospectus.

We include cross-references in this prospectus and the accompanying prospectus supplement to captions in these materials where you can find further related discussions. The following table of contents and the table of contents included in the accompanying prospectus supplement provide the pages on which these captions are located.

Unless indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, we have not taken any action that would permit us to publicly sell these securities in any jurisdiction outside the United States. If you are an investor outside the United States, you should inform yourself about and comply with any restrictions as to the offering of the securities and the distribution of this prospectus.



Table of Contents

**TABLE OF CONTENTS**

	<b>Page</b>
<u>IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT INFORMATION PRESENTED IN THIS PROSPECTUS AND THE ACCOMPANYING PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT</u>	i
<u>ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS</u>	1
<u>WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION</u>	2
<u>SPECIAL NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS</u>	4
<u>PROSPECTUS SUMMARY</u>	6
<u>RISK FACTORS</u>	8
<u>TRIUMPH BANCORP, INC.</u>	8
<u>RATIO OF EARNINGS TO FIXED CHARGES AND RATIO OF EARNINGS TO COMBINED FIXED CHARGES AND PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDENDS</u>	9
<u>USE OF PROCEEDS</u>	9
<u>DESCRIPTION OF DEBT SECURITIES</u>	10
<u>DESCRIPTION OF COMMON STOCK AND PREFERRED STOCK</u>	20
<u>DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSITARY SHARES</u>	26
<u>DESCRIPTION OF PURCHASE CONTRACTS</u>	30
<u>DESCRIPTION OF WARRANTS</u>	31
<u>DESCRIPTION OF RIGHTS</u>	33
<u>DESCRIPTION OF UNITS</u>	35
<u>DESCRIPTION OF GLOBAL SECURITIES</u>	36
<u>PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION</u>	38
<u>LEGAL MATTERS</u>	41
<u>EXPERTS</u>	41

**Table of Contents**

**ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS**

This prospectus is part of a registration statement that we filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC ) using a shelf registration process. Under this shelf registration process, we may from time to time offer and sell the securities described in this prospectus in one or more offerings, up to a total dollar amount for all offerings of \$250,000,000 in the aggregate, denominated in U.S. dollars or the equivalent in foreign currencies, currency units or composite currencies.

This prospectus provides you with a general description of the securities covered by it. Each time we offer these securities, we will provide a prospectus supplement that will contain specific information about the terms of the offer and include a discussion of any risk factors or other special considerations that apply to the securities. The prospectus supplement may also add, update or change information contained in this prospectus. You should read this prospectus, the applicable prospectus supplement and any pricing supplement together with the additional information described under the heading **Where You Can Find More Information**. If there is any inconsistency between the information in this prospectus and any prospectus supplement, you should rely on the information in the prospectus supplement.

All references in this prospectus to **we**, **us**, **our** or similar references mean Triumph Bancorp, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries, unless otherwise expressly stated or the context otherwise requires.

**Table of Contents**

**WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION**

We have filed with the SEC a registration statement under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act), that registers the offer and sale of the securities that we may offer under this prospectus. The registration statement, including the attached exhibits and schedules included or incorporated by reference in the registration statement, contains additional relevant information about us. The rules and regulations of the SEC allow us to omit certain information included in the registration statement from this prospectus. In addition, we file reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act).

You may read and copy this information at the Public Reference Room of the SEC, located at 100 F Street, N.E., Room 1580, Washington, D.C. 20549. You may also obtain copies of this information by mail from the Public Reference Room at prescribed rates. You may obtain information on the operation of the Public Reference Room by calling the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330.

The SEC also maintains an Internet world wide web site that contains reports, proxy statements and other information about issuers like us who file electronically with the SEC. The address of that site is:

<http://www.sec.gov>

The SEC allows us to incorporate by reference information into this prospectus. This means that we can disclose important information to you by referring you to another document that we file separately with the SEC. The information incorporated by reference is considered to be a part of this prospectus, except for any information that is superseded by information that is included directly in this document or in a more recent incorporated document.

This prospectus incorporates by reference the documents listed below that we have previously filed with the SEC (excluding any portion of these documents that has been furnished to and deemed not to be filed with the SEC).

**Report(s)**

**Period(s) of Report(s) or Date(s) Filed**

Annual Report on Form 10-K filed on February 13, 2018 For the year ended December 31, 2017

Definitive Proxy Statement filed on March 24, 2017 For Triumph's 2017 Annual Meeting of Stockholders

This prospectus also incorporates by reference the description of our common stock set forth in the Registration Statement on Form 424B4 filed on November 7, 2014, and any amendment or report filed with the SEC for the purpose of updating such description. In addition, we incorporate by reference all future documents that we file with the SEC under Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act after the date of filing the initial registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part and prior to the effectiveness of such registration statement and after the date of this prospectus until the completion of the offering of the securities covered by this prospectus or until we terminate this offering. These documents include periodic reports, such as annual reports on Form 10-K, quarterly reports on Form 10-Q and current reports on Form 8-K (other than current reports furnished under Items 2.02 or 7.01 of Form 8-K), as well as proxy statements.

The information incorporated by reference contains information about us and our business, financial condition and results of operations and is an important part of this prospectus.

You can obtain any of the documents incorporated by reference in this document through us, or from the SEC through the SEC's web site at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov). Documents incorporated by reference are available from us



**Table of Contents**

without charge, excluding any exhibits to those documents, unless the exhibit is specifically incorporated by reference in those documents. You can obtain documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus by requesting them in writing or by telephone from us at the following address:

Triumph Bancorp, Inc.

Attention: Investor Relations

12700 Park Central Drive, Suite 1700

Dallas, Texas 72511

(214) 365-6900

In addition, we maintain a corporate website, [www.triumphbancorp.com](http://www.triumphbancorp.com). We make available, through our website (by clicking [Investor Relations](#) ), our annual reports on Form 10-K, quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, current reports on Form 8-K, and any amendments to those reports filed or furnished pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Exchange Act as soon as reasonably practicable after we electronically file such material with, or furnish it to, the SEC. This reference to our website is for the convenience of investors as required by the SEC and shall not be deemed to incorporate any information on the website into this registration statement.

We have not authorized anyone to give any information or make any representation about us that is different from, or in addition to, those contained in this prospectus or in any of the materials that we have incorporated into this prospectus. If anyone does give you information of this sort, you should not rely on it. If you are in a jurisdiction where offers to sell, or solicitations of offers to purchase, the securities offered by this document are unlawful, or if you are a person to whom it is unlawful to direct these types of activities, then the offer presented in this document does not extend to you. The information contained in this document speaks only as of the date of this document unless the information specifically indicates that another date applies.

**Table of Contents**

**SPECIAL NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

This prospectus, the applicable prospectus supplements and the other documents we incorporate by reference in this prospectus, may contain forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act ), Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ), and the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements reflect our current views with respect to, among other things, future events and our financial performance. These statements are often, but not always, made through the use of words or phrases such as may, should, could, predict, potential, believe, likely result, expect, continue, will, anticipate, seek, estimate, intend, plan, projection, would and the negative version of those words or other comparable of a future or forward-looking nature. These forward-looking statements are not historical facts and are based on current expectations, estimates and projections about our industry, management's beliefs and certain assumptions made by management, many of which, by their nature, are inherently uncertain and beyond our control. Accordingly, we caution you that any such forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and are subject to risks, assumptions and uncertainties that are difficult to predict. Although we believe that the expectations reflected in these forward-looking statements are reasonable as of the date made, actual results may prove to be materially different from the results expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements.

There are or will be important factors that could cause our actual results to differ materially from those indicated in these forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to, the following:

our limited operating history as an integrated company and our recent acquisitions;

business and economic conditions generally and in the bank and non-bank financial services industries, nationally and within our local market areas;

our ability to mitigate our risk exposures;

our ability to maintain our historical earnings trends;

risks related to the integration of acquired businesses (including our acquisition of nine branches from Independent Bank in Colorado and Valley Bancorp, Inc.) and any future acquisitions;

changes in management personnel;

interest rate risk;

concentration of our factoring services in the transportation industry;

credit risk associated with our loan portfolio;

lack of seasoning in our loan portfolio;

deteriorating asset quality and higher loan charge-offs;

time and effort necessary to resolve nonperforming assets;

inaccuracy of the assumptions and estimates we make in establishing reserves for probable loan losses and other estimates;

lack of liquidity;

fluctuations in the fair value and liquidity of the securities we hold for sale;

impairment of investment securities, goodwill, other intangible assets or deferred tax assets;

risks related to our acting as the asset manager for one or more collateralized loan obligations;

our risk management strategies;

environmental liability associated with our lending activities;

**Table of Contents**

increased competition in the bank and non-bank financial services industries, nationally, regionally or locally, which may adversely affect pricing and terms;

the accuracy of our financial statements and related disclosures;

material weaknesses in our internal control over financial reporting;

system failures or failures to prevent breaches of our network security;

the institution and outcome of litigation and other legal proceedings against us or to which we become subject;

changes in carry-forwards of net operating losses;

changes in federal tax law or policy;

the impact of recent and future legislative and regulatory changes, including changes in banking, securities and tax laws and regulations, such as the Dodd-Frank Act and their application by our regulators;

governmental monetary and fiscal policies;

changes in the scope and cost of FDIC, insurance and other coverages;

failure to receive regulatory approval for future acquisitions; and

increases in our capital requirements.

The foregoing factors should not be construed as exhaustive. If one or more events related to these or other risks or uncertainties materialize, or if our underlying assumptions prove to be incorrect, actual results may differ materially from what we anticipate. Accordingly, you should not place undue reliance on any such forward-looking statements. Any forward-looking statement speaks only as of the date on which it is made and we do not undertake any obligation to publicly update or review any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future developments or otherwise. New factors emerge from time to time and it is not possible for us to predict which will arise. In addition, we cannot assess the impact of each factor on our business or the extent to which any factor, or combination of factors, may cause actual results to differ materially from those contained in any forward-looking statements.





**Table of Contents**

**PROSPECTUS SUMMARY**

This summary provides a general description of the securities we may offer. This summary is not complete and does not contain all of the information that may be important to you. For a more complete understanding of us and the terms of the securities we will offer, you should read carefully this entire prospectus, including the Risk Factors section, the applicable prospectus supplement for the securities and the other documents we refer to and incorporate by reference. In particular, we incorporate important business and financial information into this prospectus by reference.

**The Securities We May Offer**

We may use this prospectus to offer securities in an aggregate amount of up to \$250,000,000 in one or more offerings. A prospectus supplement, which we will provide each time we offer securities, will describe the amounts, prices and detailed terms of the securities and may describe risks associated with an investment in the securities in addition to those described in the Risk Factors section of this prospectus. We will also include in the prospectus supplement, where applicable, information about material United States federal income tax considerations relating to the securities. Terms used in this prospectus will have the meanings described in this prospectus unless otherwise specified.

We may sell the securities to or through underwriters, dealers or agents or directly to purchasers. We, as well as any agents acting on our behalf, reserve the sole right to accept or to reject in whole or in part any proposed purchase of our securities. Each prospectus supplement will set forth the names of any underwriters, dealers or agents involved in the sale of our securities described in that prospectus supplement and any applicable fee, commission or discount arrangements with them.

**Debt Securities**

Our debt securities may be senior or subordinated in priority of payment. We will provide a prospectus supplement that describes the ranking, whether senior or subordinated, the specific designation, the aggregate principal amount, the purchase price, the maturity, the redemption terms, the interest rate or manner of calculating the interest rate, the time of payment of interest, if any, the terms for any conversion or exchange, including the terms relating to the adjustment of any conversion or exchange mechanism, the listing, if any, on a securities exchange and any other specific terms of the debt securities.

**Common Stock**

We may sell our common stock, par value \$0.01 per share. In a prospectus supplement, we will describe the aggregate number of shares offered and the offering price or prices of the shares.

**Preferred Stock; Depositary Shares**

We may sell shares of our preferred stock in one or more series. In a prospectus supplement, we will describe the specific designation, the aggregate number of shares offered, the dividend rate or manner of calculating the dividend rate, the dividend periods or manner of calculating the dividend periods, the ranking of the shares of the series with respect to dividends, liquidation and dissolution, the stated value of the shares of the series, the voting rights of the shares of the series, if any, whether and on what terms the shares of the series will be convertible or exchangeable, whether and on what terms we can redeem the shares of the series, whether we will offer depositary shares representing shares of the series and if so, the fraction or multiple of a share of preferred stock represented by each depositary share, whether we will list the preferred stock or depositary shares on a securities exchange and any other

specific terms of the series of preferred stock.

## **Table of Contents**

### **Purchase Contracts**

We may issue purchase contracts, including purchase contracts issued as part of a unit with one or more other securities, for the purchase or sale of our debt securities, preferred stock, depositary shares or common stock. The price of our debt securities or price per share of common stock, preferred stock or depositary shares may be fixed at the time the purchase contracts are issued or may be determined by reference to a specific formula contained in the purchase contracts. We may issue purchase contracts in such amounts and in as many distinct series as we wish.

### **Warrants**

We may sell warrants to purchase our debt securities, shares of preferred stock or shares of our common stock. In a prospectus supplement, we will inform you of the exercise price and other specific terms of the warrants, including whether our or your obligations, if any, under any warrants may be satisfied by delivering or purchasing the underlying securities or their cash value.

### **Rights**

We may distribute rights to the holders of our common stock or other securities to purchase a specified number of shares of our common stock or other securities that the holder owns as of record date set by our board of directors. In a prospectus supplement, we will inform you of the exercise price and other specific terms of the rights.

### **Units**

We may sell any combination of one or more of the other securities described in this prospectus, together as units. In a prospectus supplement, we will describe the particular combination of securities constituting any units and any other specific terms of the units.

**Table of Contents**

**RISK FACTORS**

Investing in our securities involves risk. Before making an investment decision, you should carefully consider the risks described under **Risk Factors** in the applicable prospectus supplement and in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K, and in our updates to those Risk Factors in our Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Current Reports on Form 8-K, together with all of the other information appearing in this prospectus or incorporated by reference into this prospectus and any applicable prospectus supplement, in light of your particular investment objectives and financial circumstances. In addition to those risk factors, there may be additional risks and uncertainties of which management is not aware or on which management is not focused or that management deems immaterial. Our business, financial condition or results or operations could be materially adversely affected by any of these risks. The trading price of our securities could decline due to any of these risks, and you may lose all or part of your investment.

**TRIUMPH BANCORP, INC.**

We are a financial holding company headquartered in Dallas, Texas and registered under the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, as amended. Through our wholly owned bank subsidiary, TBK Bank, SSB, (the **Bank**) we offer traditional banking services as well as commercial finance products to businesses that require specialized financial solutions. Our community banking operations include a full suite of lending and deposit products and services focused on our local market areas. These activities generate a stable source of core deposits and a diverse asset base to support our overall operations. Our commercial finance products include factoring, asset-based lending, equipment lending, and premium finance products offered on a nationwide basis. These product offerings supplement the asset generation capacity in our community banking markets and enhance the overall yield of our loan portfolio, enabling us to earn attractive risk-adjusted net interest margins. We believe our integrated business model distinguishes us from other banks and non-bank financial services companies in the markets in which we operate.

As of December 31, 2017, we had consolidated total assets of \$3.499 billion, total loans held for investment of \$2.811 billion, total deposits of \$2.621 billion and total stockholders' equity of \$391.7 million.

Our voting common stock is listed on the NASDAQ Global Select Market under the symbol **TBK**. Our principal executive offices are located at 12700 Park Central Drive, Suite 1700, Dallas, Texas 75251. Our telephone number is (214) 365-6900.

Additional information about us and our subsidiaries is included in documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus. See **Where You Can Find More Information** on page 2 of this prospectus.

**Table of Contents****RATIO OF EARNINGS TO FIXED CHARGES AND RATIO OF EARNINGS TO COMBINED FIXED CHARGES AND PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDENDS**

Our historical ratio of earnings to fixed charges and historical ratio of earnings to combined fixed charges and preferred stock dividend requirements for the periods indicated are set forth in the table below. The ratio of earnings to fixed charges is computed by dividing earnings by fixed charges. The ratio of earnings to combined fixed charges and preferred stock dividends is computed by dividing earnings by the sum of fixed charges and preferred stock dividends. For purposes of computing these ratios, earnings consist of income before income taxes plus interest expense, and fixed charges consist of interest expense and the interest portion of our rental expense. Preferred stock dividend requirements represent the amount of pre-tax income required to pay dividends on preferred shares.

	<b>Year Ended December 31,</b>				
	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges</b>					
Excluding interest on deposits	7.76x	10.02x	20.82x	5.95x	9.30x
Including interest on deposits	3.80x	3.58x	5.21x	3.57x	3.72x
<b>Ratio of earnings to combined fixed charges and preferred stock dividends:</b>					
Excluding interest on deposits	6.87x	7.20x	13.53x	4.89x	6.27x
Including interest on deposits	3.60x	3.22x	4.68x	3.21x	3.21x

**USE OF PROCEEDS**

We do not currently know the number or types of securities that ultimately will be sold pursuant to this prospectus or the prices at which such securities will be sold. Unless otherwise specified in a prospectus supplement relating to a specific issue of securities accompanying this prospectus, we intend to use the net proceeds from the sale of the securities for general corporate purposes. Our general corporate purposes may include, without limitation, financing acquisitions for bank and non-bank financial services companies that we believe are complementary to our business and consistent with our growth strategy, repurchasing our securities, extending credit to, or funding investments in, our subsidiaries and repaying, reducing or refinancing indebtedness.

The precise amounts and the timing of our use of the net proceeds will depend upon market conditions, our subsidiaries' funding requirements, the availability of other funds and other factors. Until we use the net proceeds in the manner described above, we may temporarily use them to make short-term investments. We expect that we will, on a recurrent basis, engage in additional financings as the need arises to finance our corporate strategies, to fund our subsidiaries, to finance acquisitions or otherwise.

**Table of Contents**

**DESCRIPTION OF DEBT SECURITIES**

We may issue senior debt securities or subordinated debt securities. Senior debt securities will be issued under an indenture, referred to as the senior indenture, between us and a senior indenture trustee to be named in the applicable prospectus supplement. Subordinated debt securities will be issued under a separate indenture, referred to as the subordinated indenture, between us and a subordinated indenture trustee to be named in the applicable prospectus supplement. The senior indenture and the subordinated indenture are sometimes collectively referred to in this prospectus as the indentures. The indentures will be subject to and governed by the Trust Indenture Act of 1939. A copy of the form of each of these indentures is included as an exhibit to the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part.

The following briefly describes the general terms and provisions of the debt securities which may be offered and the indentures governing them. The particular terms of the debt securities offered, and the extent, if any, to which these general provisions may apply to the debt securities so offered, will be described in more detail in the applicable prospectus supplement relating to those securities. The following descriptions of the indentures are not complete and are subject to, and are qualified in their entirety by reference to, all the provisions of the respective indentures.

**General**

The indentures permit us to issue the debt securities from time to time, without limitation as to aggregate principal amount, and in one or more series. The indentures also do not limit or otherwise restrict the amount of other indebtedness which we may incur or other securities which we or our subsidiaries may issue, including indebtedness which may rank senior to the debt securities. Nothing in the subordinated indenture prohibits the issuance of securities representing subordinated indebtedness that is senior or junior to the subordinated debt securities.

Unless we give you different information in the prospectus supplement, the senior debt securities will be unsubordinated obligations and will rank equally with all of our other unsecured and unsubordinated indebtedness. Payments on the subordinated debt securities will be subordinated to the prior payment in full of all of our senior debt, as described under Description of Debt Securities Subordination and in the applicable prospectus supplement.

We may issue debt securities if the conditions contained in the applicable indenture are satisfied. These conditions include the adoption of resolutions by our board of directors that establish the terms of the debt securities being issued. Any resolution approving the issuance of any issue of debt securities will include the terms of that issue of debt securities, which may include:

the title and series designation;

the aggregate principal amount and the limit, if any, on the aggregate principal amount or initial issue price of the debt securities which may be issued under the applicable indenture;

the principal amount payable, whether at maturity or upon earlier acceleration;

whether the principal amount payable will be determined with reference to an index, formula or other method which may be based on one or more currencies, currency units, composite currencies, commodities, equity indices or other indices;

whether the debt securities will be issued as original issue discount securities (as defined below);

the date or dates on which the principal of the debt securities is payable;

any fixed or variable interest rate or rates per annum or the method or formula for determining an interest rate;



**Table of Contents**

the date from which any interest will accrue;

any interest payment dates;

whether the debt securities are senior or subordinated, and if subordinated, the terms of the subordination;

the price or prices at which the debt securities will be issued, which may be expressed as a percentage of the aggregate principal amount of those debt securities;

the stated maturity date;

whether the debt securities are to be issued in global form;

any sinking fund requirements;

any provisions for redemption, the redemption price and any remarketing arrangements;

the denominations of the securities or series of securities;

whether the debt securities are denominated or payable in United States dollars or a foreign currency or units of two or more foreign currencies;

any restrictions on the offer, sale and delivery of the debt securities;

the place or places where payments or deliveries on the debt securities will be made and may be presented for registration of transfer or exchange;

whether any of the debt securities will be subject to defeasance in advance of the date for redemption or the stated maturity date;

the terms, if any, upon which the debt securities are convertible into other securities of ours or another issuer and the terms and conditions upon which any conversion will be effected, including the initial conversion price or rate, the conversion period and any other provisions in addition to or instead of those described in this prospectus;

a description of any documents or certificates that must be received prior to the issuance of any definitive securities;

whether and under what circumstances additional amounts will be paid to non-U.S. citizens in connection with any tax, assessment or governmental charge and whether securities may be redeemed in lieu of paying such additional fees;

the identity of each security registrar or paying agent (if other than trustee);

any provisions granting special rights to securities holders upon the occurrence of specified events;

any deletions from, modifications of, or additions to any default events or covenants set forth in the form of indenture;

the portion of the principal amount payable upon the declaration of acceleration of the maturity of any securities;

the date any bearer securities of or within the series and any temporary global security representing outstanding securities shall be dated, if other than date of original issuance; and

any other terms of the debt securities which are not inconsistent with the provisions of the applicable indenture.

The debt securities may be issued as original issue discount securities which bear no interest or interest at a rate which at the time of issuance is below market rates and which will be sold at a substantial discount below their principal amount. If the maturity of any original issue discount security is accelerated, the amount payable

## **Table of Contents**

to the holder of the security will be determined by the applicable prospectus supplement, the terms of the security and the relevant indenture, but may be an amount less than the amount payable at the maturity of the principal of that original issue discount security. Special federal income tax and other considerations relating to original issue discount securities will be described in the applicable prospectus supplement.

Under the indentures, the terms of the debt securities of any series may differ and we may, without the consent of the holders of the debt securities of any series, reopen a previous series of debt securities and issue additional debt securities of that series or establish additional terms of that series.

Please see the prospectus supplement or pricing supplement you have received or will receive for the terms of the specific debt securities we are offering.

You should be aware that special United States Federal income tax, accounting and other considerations may apply to the debt securities. The prospectus supplement relating to an issue of debt securities will describe these considerations.

## **Ranking of Debt Securities; Holding Company Structure**

*Senior Debt Securities.* Payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on senior debt securities will rank on a parity with all of our other unsecured and unsubordinated debt.

*Subordinated Debt Securities.* Payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on subordinated debt securities will be junior in right of payment to the prior payment in full of all of our senior debt, including senior debt securities. We will state in the applicable prospectus supplement relating to any subordinated debt securities the subordination terms of the securities as well as the aggregate amount of outstanding debt, as of the most recent practicable date, that by its terms would be senior to those subordinated debt securities. We will also state in that prospectus supplement limitations, if any, on the issuance of additional senior debt.

*Holding Company Structure.* The debt securities will be our exclusive obligations. We are a holding company and substantially all of our consolidated assets are held by our subsidiaries. Accordingly, our cash flows and our ability to service our debt, including the debt securities, are dependent upon the results of operations of our subsidiaries and the distribution of funds by our subsidiaries to us. Various statutory and regulatory restrictions, however, limit directly or indirectly the amount of dividends our subsidiaries can pay, and also restrict certain subsidiaries from making investments in or loans to us.

Because we are a holding company, the debt securities will be effectively subordinated to all existing and future liabilities, including indebtedness, customer deposits, trade payables, guarantees and lease obligations, of our subsidiaries. Therefore, our rights and the rights of our creditors, including the holders of the debt securities, to participate in the assets of any subsidiary upon that subsidiary's liquidation or reorganization will be subject to the prior claims of the subsidiary's creditors and, if applicable, its depositors, except to the extent that we may ourselves be a creditor with recognized claims against the subsidiary, in which case our claims would still be effectively subordinate to any security interest in, or mortgages or other liens on, the assets of the subsidiary and would be subordinate to any indebtedness of the subsidiary senior to that held by us. If a receiver or conservator were appointed for the Bank, the Federal Deposit Insurance Act recognizes a priority in favor of the holders of withdrawable deposits (including the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation as subrogee or transferee) over general creditors. Claims for customer deposits would have a priority over any claims that we may ourselves have as a creditor of the Bank. Unless otherwise specified in the applicable prospectus supplement, the indentures will not limit the amount of indebtedness or other liabilities that we and our subsidiaries may incur.

**Registration and Transfer**

Holders may present debt securities in registered form for transfer or exchange for other debt securities of the same series at the offices of the applicable indenture trustee according to the terms of the applicable indenture and the debt securities.

## **Table of Contents**

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, the debt securities will be issued in fully registered form, and in denominations of \$1,000 and any integral multiple thereof.

No service charge will be required for any transfer or exchange of the debt securities but we generally may require payment of a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge payable in connection with any transfer or exchange.

## **Payment and Place of Payment**

We will pay or deliver principal and any premium and interest in the manner, at the places and subject to the restrictions set forth in the applicable indenture, the debt securities and the applicable prospectus supplement. However, at our option, we may pay any interest by check mailed or wire transfer to the holders of registered debt securities.

## **Global Securities**

Each indenture provides that we may issue debt securities in global form. If any series of debt securities is issued in global form, the prospectus supplement will describe any circumstances under which beneficial owners of interests in any of those global debt securities may exchange their interests for debt securities of that series and of like tenor and principal amount in any authorized form and denomination. See Description of Global Securities.

## **Redemption and Repurchase**

The debt securities of any series may be redeemable at our option, may be subject to mandatory redemption pursuant to a sinking fund or otherwise, or may be subject to repurchase by us at the option of the holders, in each case upon the terms, at the times and at the prices set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement and pricing supplement, if any.

## **Conversion or Exchange Rights**

If debt securities may be convertible into or exchangeable for shares of our equity securities or other securities, the terms and conditions of conversion or exchange will be stated in the applicable prospectus supplement. The terms will include, among others, the following:

the conversion or exchange price;

the conversion or exchange period;

provisions regarding the convertibility or exchangeability of the debt securities, including who may convert or exchange;

events requiring adjustment to the conversion or exchange price;

provisions affecting conversion or exchange in the event of our redemption of the debt securities; and

any anti-dilution provisions, if applicable.

**Absence of Limitation on Indebtedness and Liens; Absence of Event Risk Protection**

Unless otherwise stated in the prospectus supplement relating to a series of debt securities, the indentures will not limit the amount of indebtedness, guarantees or other liabilities that we and our subsidiaries may incur and will not prohibit us or our subsidiaries from creating or assuming liens on our properties, including the capital stock of our subsidiaries. Unless otherwise provided in the related prospectus supplement, the indentures will not require us to maintain any financial ratios or specified levels of net worth, revenues, income, cash flow

## **Table of Contents**

or liquidity, and will not contain provisions which would give holders of the debt securities the right to require us to repurchase their debt securities in the event we undergo a takeover, recapitalization or similar restructuring or change in control.

## **Events of Default**

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, the following are events of default under the senior indenture with respect to the senior debt securities and under the subordinated indenture with respect to the subordinated debt securities:

default in the payment of any principal or premium or make-whole amount, if any, on the debt securities when due;

default in the payment of any interest or additional amounts on the debt securities, or of any coupon pertaining thereto, when due, which continues for 30 days;

default in the deposit of any sinking fund payment on the debt securities when due;

default in the performance or breach of any other obligation contained in the applicable indenture for the benefit of that series of debt securities (other than defaults or breaches otherwise specifically addressed), which continues for 90 days after written notice of the default or breach;

specified events in bankruptcy or insolvency; and

any other event of default provided with respect to the debt securities of any series.

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, if an event of default occurs and is continuing for any series of senior debt securities, unless the principal amount of all senior debt securities of that particular series has already become due and payable, the indenture trustee or the holders of not less than 25% in aggregate principal amount or, under certain circumstances, issue price of the outstanding senior debt securities of that series may declare all amounts, or any lesser amount provided for in the senior debt securities of that series, to be immediately due and payable.

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, if an event of default described under the fifth bullet point above shall have occurred and be continuing, unless the principal amount of all the subordinated debt securities of a particular series has already become due and payable, the indenture trustee or the holders of not less than 25% in aggregate principal amount or, under certain circumstances, issue price of the subordinated debt securities of that series may declare all amounts or any lesser amount provided for in the subordinated debt securities of that series to be immediately due and payable.

At any time after the applicable indenture trustee or the holders have accelerated a series of debt securities, but before the applicable indenture trustee has obtained a judgment or decree for payment of money due, the holders of a

majority in aggregate principal amount of outstanding debt securities of that series may rescind and annul that acceleration and its consequences, provided that all payments and/or deliveries due, other than those due as a result of acceleration, have been made and all events of default have been remedied or waived.

The holders of a majority in principal amount or aggregate issue price of the outstanding debt securities of any series may waive any default with respect to that series, except a default:

in the payment of any amounts due and payable or deliverable under the debt securities of that series; or

in an obligation contained in, or a provision of, an indenture which cannot be modified under the terms of that indenture without the consent of each holder of each series of debt securities affected.

The holders of a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of a series may direct the time, method and place of conducting any proceeding for any remedy available to the applicable indenture



## **Table of Contents**

trustee or exercising any trust or power conferred on the indenture trustee with respect to debt securities of that series, provided that any direction is not in conflict with any rule of law or the applicable indenture and the trustee may take other actions, other than those that might lead to personal liability, not inconsistent with the direction. Subject to the provisions of the applicable indenture relating to the duties of the indenture trustee, before proceeding to exercise any right or power under the indenture at the direction of the holders, the indenture trustee is entitled to receive from those holders security or indemnity reasonably satisfactory to it against the costs, expenses and liabilities which it might incur in complying with any direction.

A holder of any debt security of any series will have the right to institute a proceeding with respect to the applicable indenture or for any remedy under the indenture, if:

that holder previously gives to the indenture trustee written notice of a continuing event of default with respect to debt securities of that series;

the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the outstanding securities of that series have made written request and offered the indenture trustee indemnity satisfactory to the indenture trustee to institute that proceeding as indenture trustee;

the indenture trustee has not received from the holders of a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series a direction inconsistent with the request; and

the indenture trustee fails to institute the proceeding within 60 days.

However, the holder of any debt security or coupon has the right to receive payment of the principal of (and premium or make-whole amount, if any) and interest on, and any additional amounts in respect of, such debt security or payment of such coupon on the respective due dates (or, in the case of redemption, on the redemption date) and to institute suit for the enforcement of any such payment.

We are required to furnish to the indenture trustees annually a statement as to the performance of our obligations under the indentures and as to any default in that performance of which we are aware.

## **Modification and Waiver**

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, Triumph Bancorp, Inc. and the applicable indenture trustee may amend and modify each indenture or debt securities under that indenture with the consent of holders of at least a majority in principal amount of each series of all outstanding debt securities then outstanding under the indenture affected. However, without the consent of each holder of any debt security issued under the applicable indenture, we may not amend or modify that indenture to:

change the stated maturity date of the principal of (or premium or make-whole amount, if any, on), or any installment of principal or interest on, any debt security issued under that indenture;

reduce the principal amount of or any make-whole amount, the rate of interest on or any additional amounts payable in respect thereof, or any premium payable upon the redemption of any debt security issued under that indenture;

reduce the amount of principal of an original issue discount security or make-whole amount, if any, issued under that indenture payable upon acceleration of its maturity or provable in bankruptcy;

change the place or currency of payment of principal or any premium or any make-whole amount or interest on any debt security issued under that indenture;

impair the right to institute suit for the enforcement of any payment or delivery on or with respect to any debt security issued under that indenture;

reduce the percentage in principal amount of debt securities of any series issued under that indenture, the consent of whose holders is required to modify or amend the indenture or to waive compliance with certain provisions of the indenture; or

**Table of Contents**

make any change that adversely affects the right to convert or exchange any security or decrease the conversion/exchange rate or increase the conversion/exchange price.

The holders of at least a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of any series issued under that indenture may, with respect to that series, waive past defaults under the indenture, except as described under Events of Default.

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, we and the applicable indenture trustee may also amend and modify each indenture without the consent of any holder for any of the following purposes:

to evidence the succession of another person to Triumph Bancorp, Inc.;

to add to our covenants for the benefit of the holders of all or any series of debt securities;

to add events of default for the benefit of the holders of all or any series of debt securities;

to add or change any provisions of the indentures to facilitate the issuance of bearer securities;

to change or eliminate any of the provisions of the applicable indenture in respect of any series of debt securities, so long as any such change or elimination will become effective only in respect of any series of securities when there is no outstanding security of that series which is entitled to the benefit of that provision;

to establish the form or terms of debt securities of any series;

to evidence and provide for the acceptance of appointment by a successor indenture trustee;

to cure any ambiguity, to correct or supplement any provision in the applicable indenture, or to make any other provisions with respect to matters or questions arising under that indenture, so long as the interests of holders of debt securities of any series are not adversely affected in any material respect by the actions taken to cure, correct or supplement a provision in an indenture;

to secure securities;

to close the indenture with respect to the authentication and delivery of additional series of securities or to qualify or maintain qualifications of the applicable indenture under the Trust Indenture Act; or

to supplement any of the provisions of an indenture as is necessary to permit or facilitate the defeasance or discharge of any series of securities under specified provisions of the indenture, provided that any such action shall not adversely affect the interests of the holders of securities of such series or any other series of securities under the indenture in any material respect.

**Voting**

The indentures contain provisions for convening meetings of the holders of debt securities of a series. A meeting will be permitted to be called at any time by the applicable trustee, and also, upon request, by us or the holders of at least 25% in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of such series, in any such case upon notice given as provided in such indenture. Except for any consent that must be given by the holder of each debt security affected by the modifications and amendments of an indenture described above, any resolution presented at a meeting or adjourned meeting duly reconvened at which a quorum is present may be adopted by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the aggregate principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series represented at such meeting.

Notwithstanding the preceding paragraph, except as referred to above, any resolution relating to a request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other action that may be made, given or taken by the holders of a specified percentage, which is less than a majority, of the aggregate principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of a series may be adopted at a meeting or adjourned meeting duly reconvened at which a quorum is present by the affirmative vote of such specified percentage.

## **Table of Contents**

Any resolution passed or decision taken at any properly held meeting of holders of debt securities of any series will be binding on all holders of such series. The quorum at any meeting called to adopt a resolution, and at any reconvened meeting, will be persons holding or representing a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of a series. However, if any action is to be taken relating to a consent or waiver which may be given by the holders of at least a specified percentage in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of a series, the persons holding such percentage will constitute a quorum.

Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions, the indentures provide that if any action is to be taken at a meeting with respect to any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other action that such indenture expressly provides may be made, given or taken by the holders of a specified percentage in principal amount of all outstanding debt securities affected by such action, or of the holders of such series and one or more additional series:

there shall be no minimum quorum requirement for such meeting; and

the principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of such series that vote in favor of such request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other action shall be taken into account in determining whether such request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other action has been made, given or taken under such indenture.

## **Consolidation, Merger and Sale of Assets**

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, we may consolidate or merge with or into any other person, and we may sell, lease or convey all or substantially all of our assets to any person, provided that the resulting entity, if other than Triumph Bancorp, Inc., is an entity organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America or any U.S. state or the District of Columbia and assumes all of our obligations to:

- (1) pay or deliver the principal and any premium or make-whole amount, if any, and any interest on, the debt securities;
- (2) perform and observe all of our other obligations under the indentures and supplemental indentures; and
- (3) we are not, or any successor entity, as the case may be, is not, immediately after any consolidation or merger, in default under the indenture.

The indentures do not provide for any right of acceleration in the event of a consolidation, merger, sale of all or substantially all of the assets, recapitalization or change in our stock ownership. In addition, the indentures do not contain any provision which would protect the holders of debt securities against a sudden and dramatic decline in credit quality resulting from takeovers, recapitalizations or similar restructurings.

## **International Offering**

If specified in the applicable prospectus supplement, we may issue debt securities outside the United States. Those debt securities will be described in the applicable prospectus supplement. In connection with any offering outside the

United States, we will designate paying agents, registrars or other agents with respect to the debt securities, as specified in the applicable prospectus supplement.

We will describe in the applicable prospectus supplement whether our debt securities issued outside the United States: (1) may be subject to certain selling restrictions; (2) may be listed on one or more foreign stock exchanges; and (3) may have special United States tax and other considerations applicable to an offering outside the United States.

## **Table of Contents**

### **Defeasance**

We may terminate or defease our obligations under the applicable indenture with respect to the debt securities of any series by taking the following steps:

- (1) depositing irrevocably with the indenture trustee an amount, which through the payment of interest, principal or premium, if any, will provide an amount sufficient to pay the entire amount of the debt securities:

in the case of debt securities denominated in U.S. dollars, U.S. dollars or U.S. government obligations;

in the case of debt securities denominated in a foreign currency, of money in that foreign currency or foreign government obligations of the foreign government or governments issuing that foreign currency; or

a combination of money and U.S. government obligations or foreign government obligations, as applicable;

- (2) delivering:

an opinion of independent counsel that the holders of the debt securities of that series will have no federal income tax consequences as a result of that deposit and termination;

an opinion of independent counsel that registration is not required under the Investment Company Act of 1940;

an opinion of counsel as to certain other matters;

officers certificates and opinion of counsel certifying as to compliance with the indenture and other matters; and

- (3) paying all other amounts due under the indenture.

Further, the defeasance cannot cause an event of default under the indenture or any other material agreement or instrument and no event of default under the indenture can exist at the time the defeasance occurs.

### **Subordination**

The subordinated debt securities will be subordinated in right of payment to all senior debt, as defined in the subordinated indenture. In certain circumstances relating to our liquidation, dissolution, receivership, reorganization, insolvency or similar proceedings:

the holders of all senior debt will first be entitled to receive payment in full before the holders of the subordinated debt securities will be entitled to receive any payment on the subordinated debt securities; and

until the senior debt is paid in full, any distributions that the holders of subordinated debt would be entitled shall be made to holders of senior debt, except that holders of subordinated debt may receive securities that are subordinated to senior debt to at least the same extent as the senior debt.

In addition, we may make no payment on the subordinated debt securities in the event:

there is an event of default with respect to any senior debt which permits the holders of that senior debt to accelerate the maturity of the senior debt; and

the default is the subject of judicial proceedings or we receive notice of the default from an authorized person under the subordinated indenture.

By reason of this subordination in favor of the holders of senior debt, in the event of an insolvency our creditors who are not holders of senior debt or the subordinated debt securities may recover less, proportionately,



## **Table of Contents**

than holders of senior debt and may recover more proportionately, than holders of the subordinated debt securities. Unless otherwise specified in the prospectus supplement relating to the particular series of subordinated debt securities, senior debt is defined in the subordinated indenture as the principal, premium, if any, unpaid interest (including interest accruing on or after the filing of any petition in bankruptcy or for reorganization relating to Triumph Bancorp, Inc. whether or not a claim for post-filing interest is allowed in such proceeding), fees, charges, expenses, reimbursement and indemnification obligations, and all other amounts payable under or in respect of the following indebtedness of Triumph Bancorp, Inc. for money borrowed, whether any such indebtedness exists as of the date of the indenture or is created, incurred, assumed or guaranteed after such date:

- (i) any debt (a) for money borrowed by Triumph Bancorp, Inc., or (b) evidenced by a bond, note, debenture, or similar instrument (including purchase money obligations) given in connection with the acquisition of any business, property or assets, whether by purchase, merger, consolidation or otherwise, but shall not include any account payable or other obligation created or assumed in the ordinary course of business in connection with the obtaining of materials or services, or (c) which is a direct or indirect obligation which arises as a result of banker's acceptances or bank letters of credit issued to secure obligations of Triumph Bancorp, Inc., or to secure the payment of revenue bonds issued for the benefit of Triumph Bancorp, Inc. whether contingent or otherwise;
- (ii) any debt of others described in the preceding clause (i) which Triumph Bancorp, Inc. has guaranteed or for which it is otherwise liable;
- (iii) the obligation of Triumph Bancorp, Inc. as lessee under any lease of property which is reflected on Triumph Bancorp, Inc.'s balance sheet as a capitalized lease; and
- (iv) any deferral, amendment, renewal, extension, supplement or refunding of any liability of the kind described in any of the preceding clauses (i), (ii) and (iii).

Senior debt does not include (1) any such indebtedness, obligation or liability referred to in clauses (i) through (iv) above as to which, in the instrument creating or evidencing the same or pursuant to which the same is outstanding, it is provided that such indebtedness, obligation or liability is not superior in right of payment to the subordinated debt securities, or ranks pari passu with the subordinated debt securities, (2) any such indebtedness, obligation or liability which is subordinated to indebtedness of Triumph Bancorp, Inc. to substantially the same extent as or to a greater extent than the subordinated debt securities are subordinated, (3) any indebtedness to a subsidiary of Triumph Bancorp, Inc. and (4) the subordinated debt securities.

The subordinated indenture does not limit or prohibit the incurrence of additional senior debt, which may include indebtedness that is senior to the subordinated debt securities, but subordinate to our other obligations. Any prospectus supplement relating to a particular series of subordinated debt securities will set forth the aggregate amount of our indebtedness senior to the subordinated debt securities as of a recent practicable date.

The prospectus supplement may further describe the provisions, if any, which may apply to the subordination of the subordinated debt securities of a particular series.

## **Restrictive Covenants**

The subordinated indenture does not contain any significant restrictive covenants. The prospectus supplement relating to a series of subordinated debt securities may describe certain restrictive covenants, if any, to which we may be bound under the subordinated indenture.

**Governing Law**

Unless indicated otherwise in the applicable prospectus supplement, the indentures and the debt securities will be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of New York.

---

**Table of Contents**

**DESCRIPTION OF COMMON STOCK AND PREFERRED STOCK**

Our authorized capital stock consists of 50,000,000 shares of common stock, par value of \$0.01 per share and 1,000,000 shares of preferred stock, par value of \$0.01 per share, of which 50,000 shares have been designated as Series A Non-Cumulative Non-Voting Preferred Stock (the Series A Preferred Stock ) and 115,000 shares have been designated as Series B Non-Cumulative Non-Voting Preferred Stock (the Series B Preferred Stock ). As of February 27, 2018, there were 20,825,937 shares of common stock issued and outstanding. As of December 31, 2017, there were 45,500 shares of Series A Preferred Stock issued and outstanding and 51,076 shares of Series B Preferred Stock issued and outstanding. Our charter authorizes our board of director to issue all authorized but unissued shares of common stock without any further stockholder action.

In this section we describe certain features and rights of our capital stock. The following discussion summarizes some of the important rights of our stockholders. This discussion does not purport to be a complete description of these rights and may not contain all of the information regarding our capital stock that is important to you. These rights can be determined in full only by reference to federal and state banking laws and regulations, the Texas Business Organizations Code (the TBOC ) and our certificate of formation (our charter ) and bylaws, which are incorporated by reference as exhibits to the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part.

**Common Stock**

We may issue, either separately or together with other securities, shares of common stock. Upon our receipt of the full specified purchase price, the common stock issued will be fully paid and nonassessable. A prospectus supplement relating to an offering of common stock, or other securities convertible or exchangeable for, or exercisable into, common stock, will describe the relevant offering terms, including the number of shares offered, the initial offering price, and market price and dividend information, as well as, if applicable, information on other related securities.

Each holder of common stock is entitled to the following rights:

*Voting Rights.* Each holder of common stock is entitled to one vote for each share held on all matters on which our stockholders are entitled to vote. Directors are elected by a plurality vote standard and no stockholder has the right to cumulative voting with respect to the election of directors.

With respect to any matter other than the election of directors or a matter for which the affirmative vote of the holders of a specified portion of the shares entitled to vote is required by Texas law or our charter, the act of the stockholders will be the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the shares entitled to vote on, and voted for or against, the matter at a meeting of stockholders at which a quorum is present.

*Dividend Rights.* Subject to the prior rights of holders of any then outstanding shares of our preferred stock, each share of common stock has equal rights to participate in dividends when, as and if declared by our board of directors out of funds legally available therefor.

*Liquidation Rights.* Subject to the prior rights of our creditors and the satisfaction of any liquidation preference granted to the holders of any then-outstanding shares of our preferred stock, in the event of our liquidation, the holders of our common stock will be entitled to share ratably in any assets remaining after payment of all debts and other liabilities.

*Other.* Our stockholders have no subscription, sinking fund, conversion or preemptive rights.

**Preferred Stock**

The following summary contains a description of the general terms of the preferred stock that we may issue. The specific terms of any series of preferred stock will be described in the prospectus supplement relating to that

**Table of Contents**

series of preferred stock. The terms of any series of preferred stock may differ from the terms described below. Certain provisions of the preferred stock described below and in any prospectus supplement are not complete. You should refer to the articles supplementary to our charter with respect to the establishment of a series of preferred stock which will be filed with the SEC in connection with the offering of such series of preferred stock.

Upon authorization of our board of directors, we may issue shares of one or more series of our preferred stock from time to time. Our board of directors may, without any action by holders of common stock or, except as may be otherwise provided in the terms of any series of preferred stock of which there are shares outstanding, adopt resolutions to designate and establish a new series of preferred stock. Upon establishing such a series of preferred stock, the board will determine the number of shares of preferred stock of that series that may be issued and the rights and preferences of that series of preferred stock.

Any preferred stock that we issue under this prospectus will have the voting, dividend, liquidation, redemption and conversion rights described below, unless otherwise provided in the prospectus supplement related to a particular series of preferred stock. You should read the prospectus supplement relating to the particular series of preferred stock for specific terms of the series. The rights of any series of preferred stock may include, among others:

general or special voting rights;

preferential liquidation or preemptive rights;

preferential cumulative or noncumulative dividend rights;

redemption or put rights;

conversion or exchange rights; or

any additional dividend, liquidation, redemption or sinking fund provisions and other rights, preferences, privileges, limitations and restrictions of such preferred stock.

When issued, the preferred stock will be fully paid and nonassessable. Unless otherwise specified in the prospectus supplement relating to a series of preferred stock, in the event of a liquidation, each series of preferred stock will rank on a parity as to dividends and distributions with the Series A Preferred Stock and the Series B Preferred Stock, as described under Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock. You should read the prospectus supplement relating to the particular series of the preferred stock being offered for specific terms. Any of these actions could have an anti-takeover effect and discourage a transaction that some or a majority of our stockholders might believe to be in their best interests or in which our stockholders might receive a premium for their stock over our then market price.

*Voting Rights.* Unless otherwise described in the applicable prospectus supplement, holders of the preferred stock will have no voting rights except as may otherwise be required by Texas law or in our charter.

*Dividends.* Holders of the preferred stock of each series will be entitled to receive, when, as and if declared by our board of directors, cash dividends at such rates and on such dates described, if any, in the applicable prospectus supplement. Different series of preferred stock may be entitled to dividends at different rates or based on different methods of calculation. The dividend rate may be fixed or variable or both. Dividends will be payable to the holders of record as they appear on our stock books on record dates fixed by our board of directors, as specified in the applicable prospectus supplement.

Dividends on any series of the preferred stock may be cumulative or noncumulative, as described in the applicable prospectus supplement. If our board of directors does not declare a dividend payable on a dividend payment date on any series of noncumulative preferred stock, then the holders of that noncumulative preferred stock will have no right to receive a dividend for that dividend payment date, and we will have no obligation to pay the dividend accrued for that period, whether or not dividends on that series are declared payable on any future dividend payment dates. Such dividends shall accrue on a daily basis and shall be payable quarterly in arrears on or before March 31, June 30, September 30 or December 31 of each year.

## **Table of Contents**

If dividends are paid to holders of such preferred stock, the preferred stock will share dividends pro rata with the parity securities. Any dividends that are not paid with respect to a dividend period will not cumulate but will be waived and not payable by the Company.

*Rights Upon Liquidation.* Unless otherwise set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement, in the event of any voluntary or involuntary liquidation, dissolution or winding up of our business, the holders of each series of preferred stock will be entitled to receive, before any payment or distribution of assets is made to holders of junior securities, liquidating distributions in the amount described in the applicable prospectus supplement relating to that series of the preferred stock, plus an amount equal to accrued and unpaid dividends and, if the series of the preferred stock is cumulative, for all dividend periods prior to that point in time. In addition, if the amounts payable with respect to the preferred stock of any series and any other parity securities are not paid in full, the holders of the preferred stock of that series and of the parity securities will share proportionately in the distribution of our assets in proportion to the full liquidation preferences to which they are entitled. After the holders of preferred stock and the parity securities are paid in full, they will have no right or claim to any of our remaining assets.

*Redemption.* We may provide that a series of the preferred stock may be redeemable, in whole or in part, at our option or at the option of the holder of the stock. In addition, a series of preferred stock may be subject to mandatory redemption pursuant to a sinking fund or otherwise. The redemption provisions that may apply to a series of preferred stock, including the redemption dates and the redemption prices for that series, will be described in the prospectus supplement. The applicable prospectus supplement will state the terms, if any, regarding partial redemption, future payment of dividends, termination rights, treatment in the event of arrears and the ability of the Company to acquire any shares.

*Conversion or Exchange Rights.* The prospectus supplement relating to a series of preferred stock will state the terms, if any, on which shares of that series are convertible or exchangeable into shares of our common stock, debt securities or another series of our preferred stock. These provisions may allow or require the number of our shares of common stock or other securities to be received by holders of shares of preferred stock to be adjusted upon the occurrence of events described in the applicable prospectus supplement, including: the issuance of a stock dividend to common stockholders or a combination, subdivision or reclassification of common stock; the issuance of rights, warrants or options to all common and/or preferred stockholders entitling them to purchase common stock for an aggregate purchase price per share less than the current market price per share of common stock; and any other events described in the prospectus supplement. Unless the prospectus supplement relating to a series of preferred stock so provides, our preferred stock will have no preemptive rights.

## **Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock**

The description of the Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock contained in this section is qualified in its entirety by the actual terms of the Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock, as are stated in our charter. See [Where You Can Find More Information](#).

*General.* The Series A Preferred Stock constitutes a single series of our preferred stock, consisting of 50,000 shares, par value \$0.01 per share, of which 45,500 were issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2017. The Series B Preferred Stock constitutes a single series of our preferred stock, consisting of 115,000 shares, par value \$0.01 per share, of which 51,076 were issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2017. All issued and outstanding shares of Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock are duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable. All authorized but unissued shares of preferred stock will be available for issuance by our board of directors without any further stockholder action.

*Voting Rights.* The holders of the Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock are not entitled to vote or consent on any matter submitted to our stockholders for a vote or consent, except to the extent separate voting of the Series A or Series B Preferred Stock is required by Section 21.364(d) through (g) of the TBOC and,



**Table of Contents**

under certain circumstances, with respect to any amendment to the statement of designation that materially and adversely affects the rights of such stockholders.

*Dividend Rights.* Each holder of the outstanding shares of Series A Preferred Stock is entitled to receive, when and if authorized by our board of directors, out of funds legally available for the payment of dividends, noncumulative preferential cash dividends accruing at the Prime Rate (as defined in the statement of designations for the Series A Preferred Stock) plus 2%, subject to a minimum rate of 8% per annum, on the amount of \$100 per share of Series A Preferred Stock owned by such holder.

Each holder of the outstanding shares of Series B Preferred Stock is entitled to receive, when and if authorized by our board of directors, out of funds legally available for the payment of dividends, noncumulative preferential cash dividends accruing at a rate of 8% per annum, on the amount of \$100 per share of Series B Preferred Stock owned by such holder.

Such dividends shall accrue on a daily basis and shall be payable quarterly in arrears on or before March 31, June 30, September 30 or December 31 of each year. Dividends are paid to the holders pro rata based on the number of shares of Series A or Series B Preferred Stock then outstanding and owned by each such holder. Any dividends that are not paid with respect to a dividend period will not cumulate but will be waived and not payable by the Company.

Subject to regulatory approval, the holders of the Series A Preferred Stock have the right to receive a special, one-time dividend with respect to their respective shares of Series A Preferred Stock within 30 days after the occurrence of any of the following events: (i) the sale of all of the limited liability company interests of TBK Bank, SSB (successor to Triumph Commercial Finance, LLC) in Advance Business Capital, LLC d/b/a Triumph Business Capital, (ii) a merger of Advance Business Capital, LLC d/b/a Triumph Business Capital resulting in TBK Bank, SSB (successor to Triumph Commercial Finance, LLC) no longer owning any limited liability company interests in Advance Business Capital LLC d/b/a Triumph Business Capital or (iii) the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of Advance Business Capital LLC d/b/a Triumph Business Capital, subject to certain organizational restructuring exceptions.

*Conversion.* The Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock have the following conversion rights:

Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the respective statement of designation for the Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock, the holders of shares of Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock shall have the right, at her/his option at any time, to convert all or any portion of such shares of Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock into shares of common stock at a rate of 6.94008 shares of common stock for every one share of Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock being converted, as such rate may be adjusted from time to time.

Upon receipt of a redemption notice for the Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock from the Company, the holders of shares of Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock shall have the right, subject to the terms and conditions of the respective Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock statement of designation, to convert all or any portion of such shares of Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock into shares of common stock at a rate of 6.94008 shares of common stock for every one share of Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock being converted, as such rate may be adjusted from time to time.

If any capital reorganization or reclassification of our common stock shall be effected while shares of the Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock are outstanding in such a way that holders of common stock shall be entitled to receive stock, securities or assets with respect to or in exchange for common stock, then, as a condition of such reorganization or reclassification, lawful and adequate provisions shall be made whereby each holder of shares of Series A Preferred Stock or Series B

## **Table of Contents**

Preferred Stock shall thereupon have the right to receive, upon the terms and conditions specified in the respective Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock statement of designation and in lieu of the shares of common stock immediately theretofore receivable upon the conversion of such share or shares of Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock, such shares of stock, securities or assets as may be issued or payable with respect to or in exchange for a number of outstanding shares of such common stock equal to the number of shares of such common stock immediately theretofore receivable upon such conversion had such reorganization or reclassification not taken place and in any such case appropriate provisions shall be made with respect to the rights and interests of such holder to the end that the provisions hereof (including without limitation provisions for adjustments of the Series A Preferred Stock or Series B conversion rate) shall thereafter be applicable, as nearly as may be, in relation to any shares of stock, securities or assets thereafter deliverable upon the exercise of such conversion rights.

*Liquidation Rights.* In the event of a liquidation of our business, the Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock have a liquidation preference equal to the sum of \$100 per share and the unpaid accrued dividend per share for the then current dividend period, in the event of liquidation.

*Right of First Refusal.* The Company has a 30-day right of first refusal to purchase any Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock for which a stockholder receives a bona fide offer to purchase. In addition, any proposed transfer of Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock must be approved in advance by the Company unless the transfer occurs by reason of the death of the holder and each transferee is a member of such holder's immediate family.

*Redemption.* The Company has the right, subject to obtaining regulatory approval, to redeem Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock after October 15, 2018, at a cash price of \$100 per share, plus accrued unpaid dividends to the date fixed for redemption with respect to the dividend period in which the redemption occurs.

*No Unregistered Resales.* The Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock have not been registered under the Securities Act or any state securities laws. Stockholders may not make any sale, assignment or other transfer of Series A Preferred Stock or Series B Preferred Stock except pursuant to an offering of such securities duly registered under the Securities Act and registered or qualified under applicable state securities laws, or under such other circumstances as in the opinion of counsel for (or counsel satisfactory to) the Company shall not at the time require registration under the Securities Act or under such state laws.

## **Anti-takeover Effects**

Texas law and certain provisions of our charter and bylaws may be deemed to have anti-takeover effects and may delay, prevent, discourage or make more difficult unsolicited tender offers or takeover attempts that a stockholder may consider to be in the stockholder's best interest, including those attempts that might result in a premium over the market price for the shares of common stock held by stockholders. These provisions, summarized below, are intended to encourage persons seeking to acquire control of us to first negotiate with our board of directors. These provisions may also have the effect of making it more difficult for third parties to cause the replacement of our current management.

*No Action by Written Consent Without Unanimous Consent.* Under our charter and bylaws, any action required or permitted to be taken at an annual or special meeting of stockholders may be taken by written consent in lieu of a meeting of stockholders only with the unanimous written consent of our stockholders;

*Business Combinations.* We are subject to the provisions of Title 2, Chapter 21, Subchapter M of the TBOC, or the Texas Business Combination Law, which provides that, subject to certain exceptions, a Texas corporation such as us

may not engage in certain business combinations, including mergers, consolidations and asset sales,

**Table of Contents**

with a person, or an affiliate or associate of such person, who is an Affiliated Stockholder (generally defined as the holder of 20% or more of the corporation's voting shares) for a period of three years from the date such person became an Affiliated Stockholder unless: (1) the business combination or purchase or acquisition of shares made by the Affiliated Stockholder was approved by the board of directors of the corporation before the Affiliated Stockholder became an Affiliated Stockholder or (2) the business combination was approved by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding voting shares of the corporation not beneficially owned by the Affiliated Stockholder, at a meeting of stockholders called for that purpose (and not by written consent), not less than six months after the Affiliated Stockholder became an Affiliated Stockholder. Neither our charter nor our bylaws contain any provision expressly providing that we will not be subject to the Texas Business Combination Law. This law may have the effect of inhibiting a non-negotiated merger or other business combination involving us, even if such event would be beneficial to our stockholders;

*Authorized Capital Stock.* We have authorized but unissued shares of preferred stock and common stock and our board of directors may authorize the issuance of one or more series of preferred stock without stockholder approval. These shares could be used by our board of directors to make it more difficult or to discourage an attempt to obtain control of us through a merger, tender offer, proxy contest or otherwise;

*Special Meetings of Stockholders.* Our charter and bylaws provide that a special meeting of stockholders may be called only by our board of directors or the chairman of the board or upon the written request of the holders of not less than 50% of the voting power represented by all the shares issued, outstanding and entitled to be voted at the proposed special meeting;

*Board Vacancies.* Our charter and bylaws enable the board of directors to increase, between annual meetings, the number of persons serving as directors and to fill the vacancies created as a result of the increase by a majority vote of the directors then in office;

*Bylaw Amendments.* Provisions in our charter and bylaws allow our board of directors to amend or repeal the bylaws by a majority vote of the directors present at a meeting;

*Charter Amendments.* Texas law requires that stockholders representing two-thirds of the outstanding shares of common stock approve all amendments to our charter and approve mergers and similar transactions;

*Advance Notice.* The requirement that any stockholders that wish to bring business before our annual meeting of stockholders or nominate candidates for election as directors at our annual meeting of stockholders must provide advance notice of their intent in writing;

*Removal of Directors.* The vote of no less than the majority of stockholders will be required for stockholders to remove from office a member of our board of directors with cause; and

*Board of Directors.* Our charter and bylaws provide that our board of directors is classified into three classes of directors, with the members of one class to be elected each year. Our charter and bylaws also provide for noncumulative voting and a plurality voting standard in the election for directors.

**Table of Contents**

**DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSITARY SHARES**

We may offer depositary shares, which will be evidenced by depositary receipts, representing fractional interests in shares of preferred stock of any series. In connection with the issuance of any depositary shares, we will enter into a deposit agreement with a bank or trust company, as depositary, which will be named in the applicable prospectus supplement. The following briefly summarizes the material provisions of the deposit agreement and of the depositary shares and depositary receipts, other than pricing and related terms disclosed for a particular issuance in an accompanying prospectus supplement. This description is not complete and is subject to, and qualified in its entirety by reference to, all provisions of the deposit agreement, depositary shares and depositary receipts. You should read the particular terms of any depositary shares and any depositary receipts that we offer and any deposit agreement relating to a particular series of preferred stock described in more detail in a prospectus supplement. The prospectus supplement will also state whether any of the generalized provisions summarized below do not apply to the depositary shares or depositary receipts being offered.

**General**

We may, at our option, elect to offer fractional shares of preferred stock, rather than full shares of preferred stock. In such event, we will issue receipts for depositary shares, each of which will represent a fraction of a share of a particular series of preferred stock. For a description of our preferred stock, see [Description of Our Common Stock and Preferred Stock](#) [Description of Preferred Stock](#).

The shares of any series of preferred stock represented by depositary shares will be deposited under a deposit agreement between us and the depositary we select. Each owner of a depositary share will be entitled to all the rights and preferences of the underlying preferred stock, including any dividend, voting, redemption, conversion and liquidation rights described in the particular prospectus supplement, in proportion to the applicable fraction of a share of preferred stock represented by such depositary share.

The depositary shares will be evidenced by depositary receipts issued pursuant to the deposit agreement. Depositary receipts will be distributed to those persons purchasing the fractional shares of preferred stock in accordance with the terms of the applicable prospectus supplement.

**Dividends and Other Distributions**

The preferred stock depositary will distribute all cash dividends or other cash distributions, if any, received in respect of the deposited preferred stock to the record holders of depositary shares relating to the preferred stock in proportion to the number of depositary shares owned by such holders on the relevant record date.

In the case of a distribution other than in cash, the preferred stock depositary will distribute any property received by it other than cash to the record holders of depositary shares entitled to receive it in proportion to the number of depositary shares owned by such holder. If the preferred stock depositary determines that it is not feasible to make such a distribution, it may, with our approval, sell the property and distribute the net proceeds from the sale to the holders of the depositary shares.

The amounts distributed in any such distribution, whether in cash or otherwise, will be reduced by any amount required to be withheld by us or the preferred stock depositary on account of taxes.

**Withdrawal of Preferred Stock**

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement and unless the related depositary shares have been called for redemption, when a holder surrenders depositary receipts at the office of the preferred stock depositary maintained for that purpose, and pays any necessary taxes, charges or other fees, the holder will be entitled to receive the number of whole shares of the related series of preferred stock, and any money or other

## **Table of Contents**

property, if any, represented by the holder's depositary shares. Once a holder exchanges depositary shares for whole shares of preferred stock, that holder generally cannot re-deposit these shares of preferred stock with the preferred stock depositary, or exchange them for depositary shares. If a holder delivers depositary receipts that represent a number of depositary shares other than a whole number of shares of preferred stock for redemption or exchange, the preferred stock depositary will issue a new depositary receipt to the holder that evidences the remainder of depositary shares at the same time that the preferred stock is withdrawn.

## **Redemption, Conversion and Exchange of Preferred Stock**

If a series of preferred stock represented by depositary shares is to be redeemed, the depositary shares will be redeemed from the proceeds received by the preferred stock depositary resulting from the redemption, in whole or in part, of that series of preferred stock. The depositary shares will be redeemed by the preferred stock depositary at a price per depositary share equal to the applicable fraction of the redemption price per share payable in respect of the shares of preferred stock redeemed.

Whenever we redeem shares of preferred stock held by the preferred stock depositary, the preferred stock depositary will redeem, as of the same date, the number of depositary shares representing shares of preferred stock redeemed. If fewer than all the depositary shares are to be redeemed, the depositary shares to be redeemed will be selected by the preferred stock depositary by lot or ratably or by any other equitable method, in each case as we may determine.

If a series of preferred stock represented by depositary shares is to be converted or exchanged, the holder of depositary receipts representing the shares of preferred stock being converted or exchanged will have the right or obligation to convert or exchange the depositary shares evidenced by the depositary receipts.

After the redemption, conversion or exchange date, the depositary shares called for redemption, conversion or exchange will no longer be outstanding. When the depositary shares are no longer outstanding, all rights of the holders will end, except the right to receive money, securities or other property payable upon redemption, conversion or exchange.

## **Voting Deposited Preferred Stock**

Upon receipt of notice of any meeting at which the holders of any series of deposited preferred stock are entitled to vote, the preferred stock depositary will mail the information contained in the notice of meeting to the record holders of the depositary receipts evidencing the depositary shares relating to that series of preferred stock. Each record holder of the depositary receipts on the record date will be entitled to instruct the preferred stock depositary to vote the amount of the preferred stock represented by the holder's depositary shares. The preferred stock depositary will try, if practical, to vote the amount of such series of preferred stock represented by such depositary shares in accordance with such instructions.

We will agree to take all reasonable actions that the preferred stock depositary determines are necessary to enable the preferred stock depositary to vote as instructed. The preferred stock depositary will abstain from voting shares of any series of preferred stock held by it for which it does not receive specific instructions from the holders of depositary shares representing those preferred shares.

## **Amendment and Termination of the Deposit Agreement**

The form of depositary receipt evidencing the depositary shares and any provision of the deposit agreement may at any time be amended by agreement between us and the preferred stock depositary. However, any amendment that



materially and adversely alters any existing right of the holders of depositary receipts will not be effective unless the amendment has been approved by the holders of depositary receipts representing at least a majority of the depositary shares then outstanding. Additionally, in the case of amendments relating to or

## **Table of Contents**

affecting rights to receive dividends or distributions or voting or redemption rights, approval is also required by the holders of depositary receipts representing not less than a specified percentage or all of the depositary shares of such series or class then outstanding, as provided in the applicable prospectus supplement. Every holder of an outstanding depositary receipt at the time any such amendment becomes effective will be deemed, by continuing to hold the depositary receipt, to consent and agree to the amendment and to be bound by the deposit agreement, as amended.

We may direct the preferred stock depositary to terminate the deposit agreement at any time by mailing notice of termination to the record holders of the depositary receipts then outstanding at least 30 days prior to the date fixed for termination. Upon termination, the preferred stock depositary will deliver to each holder of depositary receipts, upon surrender of those receipts, such number of whole shares of the series of preferred stock represented by the depositary shares together with cash in lieu of any fractional shares, to the extent we have deposited cash for payment in lieu of fractional shares with the preferred stock depositary. In addition, the deposit agreement will automatically terminate if:

all of the outstanding shares of the preferred stock deposited with the preferred stock depositary have been withdrawn, redeemed, converted or exchanged; or

there has been a final distribution in respect of the deposited preferred stock in connection with our liquidation, dissolution or winding up and the distribution has been made to the holders of the related depositary shares evidenced by depositary receipts.

### **Charges of Preferred Stock Depositary; Taxes and Other Governmental Charges**

We will pay all transfer and other taxes and governmental charges arising solely from the existence of the depositary arrangements. We also will pay charges of the preferred stock depositary in connection with the initial deposit of preferred stock and any redemption of preferred stock. Holders of depositary receipts will pay other transfer and other taxes and governmental charges and such other charges, including a fee for the withdrawal of shares of preferred stock upon surrender of depositary receipts, as are expressly provided in the deposit agreement to be for their accounts.

Prospective purchasers of depositary shares should be aware that special tax, accounting and other issues may be applicable to instruments such as depositary shares.

### **Resignation and Removal of Depositary**

The preferred stock depositary may resign at any time by delivering to us notice of its intent to do so, and we may at any time remove the preferred stock depositary, any such resignation or removal to take effect upon the appointment of a successor preferred stock depositary meeting the requirements specified in the deposit agreement and its acceptance of such appointment.

### **Miscellaneous**

The preferred stock depositary will forward all reports and communications from us which are delivered to the preferred stock depositary and which we are required to furnish to the holders of the deposited preferred stock.



**Table of Contents**

Neither we nor the preferred stock depositary will be liable if we are or the preferred stock depositary is prevented or delayed by law or any circumstances beyond our or its control in performing our or its obligations under the deposit agreement. Our obligations and the obligations of the preferred stock depositary under the deposit agreement will be limited to performance in good faith of the duties under the deposit agreement, and we and the preferred stock depositary will not be obligated to prosecute or defend any legal proceeding in respect of any depositary shares, depositary receipts or shares of preferred stock unless satisfactory indemnity is furnished. We and the preferred stock depositary may rely upon written advice of counsel or accountants, or upon information provided by holders of depositary receipts or other persons believed to be competent and on documents believed to be genuine.

**Table of Contents**

**DESCRIPTION OF PURCHASE CONTRACTS**

We may issue purchase contracts, including purchase contracts issued as part of a unit with one or more other securities, for the purchase or sale of our debt securities, preferred stock, depositary shares or common stock.

The price of our debt securities or the price per share of our common stock, preferred stock or depositary shares may be fixed at the time the purchase contracts are issued or may be determined by reference to a specific formula contained in the purchase contracts. We may issue purchase contracts in such amounts and in as many distinct series as we wish.

The applicable prospectus supplement may contain, where applicable, the following information about the purchase contracts issued under it:

whether the purchase contracts obligate the holder to purchase or sell, or both purchase and sell, our debt securities, common stock, preferred stock or depositary shares, and the nature and amount of each of those securities, or method of determining those amounts;

whether the purchase contracts are to be prepaid or not;

whether the consideration per share of common stock or preferred stock or per depositary share may be fixed at the time the stock purchase contracts are issued or may be determined by a specific reference to a formula set forth in the stock purchase contracts;

whether the purchase contracts are to be settled by delivery, or by reference or linkage to the value, performance or level of our common stock or preferred stock;

any acceleration, cancellation, termination or other provisions relating to the settlement of the purchase contracts;

United States federal income tax considerations relevant to the purchase contracts; and

whether the purchase contracts will be issued in fully registered or global form.

The applicable prospectus supplement will describe the terms of any purchase contracts. The preceding description and any description of purchase contracts in the applicable prospectus supplement does not purport to be complete and is subject to and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the purchase contract agreement and, if applicable, collateral arrangements and depositary arrangements relating to such purchase contracts.

**Table of Contents**

**DESCRIPTION OF WARRANTS**

We may issue warrants for the purchase of our debt securities, or shares of our common stock or preferred stock or depositary shares. Warrants may be issued independently or together with any of our debt securities, shares of common stock or preferred stock or depositary shares offered by any prospectus supplement and may be attached to or separate from the debt securities, shares of common stock or preferred stock or depositary shares. The warrants will be issued under warrant agreements to be entered into between Triumph Bancorp, Inc. and a warrant agent, as is named in the prospectus supplement relating to the particular issue of warrants. The warrant agent will act solely as an agent of Triumph Bancorp, Inc. in connection with the warrants and will not assume any obligation or relationship of agency or trust for or with any holders of warrants or beneficial owners of warrants.

The following outlines some of the anticipated general terms and conditions of the warrants. Further terms of the warrants and the applicable warrant agreement will be stated in the applicable prospectus supplement. The following description and any description of the warrants in a prospectus supplement may not be complete and is subject to and qualified in its entirety by reference to the terms and provisions of the applicable warrant agreement.

**General**

If warrants are offered, the prospectus supplement will describe the terms of the warrants, including the following:

the title of the warrants;

the price or prices at which the warrants will be issued;

the designation, aggregate principal amount and terms of the debt securities purchasable upon exercise of any debt warrants and the price at which such debt securities may be purchased upon such exercise;

the price or prices at which the warrants may be exercised to purchase the securities underlying them;

the number of shares purchasable upon exercise of any common stock warrants and the price at which such shares of common stock may be purchased upon such exercise;

the designation, number of shares and terms of the preferred stock purchasable upon exercise of any preferred stock warrants and the price at which such shares of preferred stock may be purchased upon such exercise;

if applicable, the date on and after which the warrants and the related debt securities, common stock or preferred stock will be separately transferable;

if applicable, the minimum or maximum amount of the warrants that may be exercised at any one time;

the date on which the right to exercise the warrants shall commence and the date on which such right shall expire;

whether the warrants will be issued in registered or bearer form;

a discussion of certain federal income tax, accounting and other special considerations, procedures and limitations relating to the warrants; and

any other terms of the warrants, including terms, procedures and limitations relating to the exchange and exercise of the warrants.

If in registered form, warrants may be presented for registration of transfer, and may be exercised at the corporate trust office of the warrant agent or any other office indicated in the prospectus supplement. Before the exercise of their warrants, holders of warrants will not have any of the rights of holders of the securities purchasable upon such exercise.

## **Table of Contents**

### **Exercise of Warrants**

Each warrant will entitle the holder to purchase such principal amount of debt securities or such number of shares of common stock or preferred stock or depositary shares at such exercise price as shall in each case be set forth in, or can be calculated according to information contained in, the prospectus supplement relating to the warrant. Warrants may be exercised at such times as are set forth in the prospectus supplement relating to such warrants. After the close of business on the expiration date of the warrants, or such later date to which such expiration date may be extended by Triumph Bancorp, Inc., unexercised warrants will become void.

Subject to any restrictions and additional requirements that may be set forth in the prospectus supplement, warrants may be exercised by delivery to the warrant agent of the certificate evidencing such warrants properly completed and duly executed and of payment as provided in the prospectus supplement of the amount required to purchase the debt securities or shares of common stock or preferred stock or depositary shares purchasable upon such exercise. The exercise price will be the price applicable on the date of payment in full, as set forth in the prospectus supplement relating to the warrants. Upon receipt of such payment and the certificate representing the warrants to be exercised, properly completed and duly executed at the corporate trust office of the warrant agent or any other office indicated in the prospectus supplement, we will, as soon as practicable, issue and deliver the debt securities or shares of common stock or preferred stock or depositary shares purchasable upon such exercise. If fewer than all of the warrants represented by such certificate are exercised, a new certificate will be issued for the remaining amount of warrants.

### **Additional Provisions**

The exercise price payable and the number of shares of common stock or preferred stock purchasable upon the exercise of each stock warrant will be subject to adjustment in certain events, including:

the issuance of the stock dividend to holders of common stock or preferred stock, respectively;

a combination, subdivision or reclassification of common stock or preferred stock, respectively; or

any other event described in the applicable prospectus supplement.

In lieu of adjusting the number of shares of common stock or preferred stock purchasable upon exercise of each stock warrant, we may elect to adjust the number of stock warrants. We may, at our option, reduce the exercise price at any time. No fractional shares will be issued upon exercise of stock warrants, but we will pay the cash value of any fractional shares otherwise issuable. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in case of any consolidation, merger, or sale or conveyance of the property of Triumph Bancorp, Inc. as an entirety or substantially as an entirety, the holder of each outstanding stock warrant will have the right upon the exercise thereof to the kind and amount of shares of stock and other securities and property, including cash, receivable by a holder of the number of shares of common stock or preferred stock into which such stock warrants were exercisable immediately prior thereto.



**Table of Contents**

**DESCRIPTION OF RIGHTS**

This section describes the general terms of the rights to purchase common stock or other securities that we may offer using this prospectus. Further terms of the rights will be stated in the applicable prospectus supplement. The following description and any description of the rights in a prospectus supplement may not be complete and is subject to and qualified in its entirety by reference to the terms of any agreement relating to the rights.

We may issue rights to purchase shares of our common stock or our preferred stock, depositary shares, senior debt securities, senior subordinated debt securities, subordinated debt securities, or any combination thereof. The rights may be issued independently or together with any other securities and may be attached or separate from the other securities. Each series of rights will be issued under a separate rights agreement to be entered into between a rights agent and us. The rights agent will act solely as our agent in connection with the rights and will not assume any obligation or relationship of agency for or with the holders or beneficial owners of rights

Rights may be issued independently or together with any other security and may or may not be transferable. As part of the rights offering, we may enter into a standby underwriting or other arrangement under which the underwriters or any other person would purchase any securities that are not purchased in such rights offering. The prospectus supplement relating to any rights we offer will describe the specific terms of the offering and the rights, including:

the title of the rights;

the record date for determining security holders entitled to the rights distribution;

the number of rights issued and the number of shares of common stock or other securities that may be purchased upon exercise of the rights;

the rights agent;

the designation and terms of the underlying securities purchasable upon exercise of the rights and the number of such underlying securities initially issuable upon exercise of the rights;

if applicable, the designation and terms of the other securities with which the rights are issued and the number of such rights securities issued with each such underlying right;

the date, if any, on and after which the rights will be separately transferable;

if applicable, the minimum or maximum number of rights that may be exercised at any one time; the exercise price of the rights;

the steps required to exercise the rights;

the conditions to the completion of the offering, if any;

the withdrawal, termination and cancellation rights, if any;

the date on which the rights will become effective and the date on which the rights will expire;

whether the rights will include oversubscription rights, so that the holder may purchase more securities if other holders do not purchase their full allotments;

whether we intend to sell the shares of common stock or other securities that are not purchased in the offering to an underwriter or other purchaser under a contractual standby commitment or other arrangement;

our ability to withdraw or terminate the rights offering prior to the expiration date of the rights;

any material U.S. Federal income tax consequences; or

**Table of Contents**

any other terms of the rights, including terms, procedures and limitations relating to the distribution, exchange and exercise of the rights.

Each right will entitle the holder of rights to purchase for cash the principal amount of shares of common stock, preferred stock or other securities at the exercise price provided in the applicable prospectus supplement. Unless otherwise provided in the applicable prospectus supplement, rights may be exercised at any time up to the close of business on the expiration date for the rights provided in the applicable prospectus supplement. Rights will be issued in registered form only.

Prior to the exercise of their rights, holders of rights will not have any of the rights of holders of the securities purchasable upon the exercise of the rights, and will not be entitled to, among other things, vote or receive dividend payments or other distributions on the securities purchasable upon exercise.

**Table of Contents**

**DESCRIPTION OF UNITS**

This section identifies the general terms of the rights to issue units consisting of common stock, preferred stock, debt securities, warrants, rights, stock purchase contracts or any combination of one or more of the other securities described in this prospectus. Further terms of the rights will be stated in the applicable prospectus supplement. The following description and any description of the rights in a prospectus supplement may not be complete and is subject to and qualified in its entirety by reference to the terms of any agreement relating to the rights.

The applicable prospectus supplement or supplements will also describe:

the designation and the terms of the units and of any combination of the securities constituting the units, including whether and under what circumstances those securities may be held or traded separately;

any additional terms of the agreement governing the units;

any additional provisions for the issuance, payment, settlement, transfer or exchange of the units or of the securities constituting the units;

any applicable material United States federal income tax consequences; and

whether the units will be issued in fully registered form.

The terms and conditions described under Description of Debt Securities, Description of Warrants, and Description of Common Stock and Preferred Stock will apply to each unit that includes such securities and to the securities included in each unit, unless otherwise specified in the applicable prospectus supplement.

We will issue the units under one or more unit agreements to be entered into between us and a bank or trust company, as unit agent. We may issue units in one or more series, which will be described in the applicable prospectus supplement.

**Table of Contents**

**DESCRIPTION OF GLOBAL SECURITIES**

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, we may issue the securities in the form of one or more fully registered global securities that will be deposited with a depository or its nominee identified in the applicable prospectus supplement and registered in the name of that depository or its nominee. In those cases, one or more registered global securities will be issued in a denomination or aggregate denominations equal to the portion of the aggregate principal or face amount of the securities to be represented by registered global securities. Unless and until it is exchanged in whole for securities in definitive registered form, a registered global security may not be transferred except as a whole by and among the depository for the registered global security, the nominees of the depository or any successors of the depository or those nominees.

If not described below, any specific terms of the depository arrangement with respect to any securities to be represented by a registered global security will be described in the prospectus supplement relating to those securities. We anticipate that the following provisions will apply to all depository arrangements.

Ownership of beneficial interests in a registered global security will be limited to persons, called participants, that have accounts with the depository or persons that may hold interests through participants. Upon the issuance of a registered global security, the depository will credit, on its book-entry registration and transfer system, the participants accounts with the respective principal or face amounts of the securities beneficially owned by the participants. Any dealers, underwriters or agents participating in the distribution of the securities will designate the accounts to be credited.

Ownership of beneficial interests in a registered global security will be shown on, and the transfer of ownership interests will be effected only through, records maintained by the depository, with respect to interests of participants, and on the records of participants, with respect to interests of persons holding through participants. The laws of some states may require that some purchasers of securities take physical delivery of these securities in definitive form. These laws may impair your ability to own, transfer or pledge beneficial interests in registered global securities.

So long as the depository, or its nominee, is the registered owner of a registered global security, that depository or its nominee, as the case may be, will be considered the sole owner or holder of the securities represented by the registered global security for all purposes. Except as described below, owners of beneficial interests in a registered global security will not be entitled to have the securities represented by the registered global security registered in their names, will not receive or be entitled to receive physical delivery of the securities in definitive form and will not be considered the owners or holders of the securities. Accordingly, each person owning a beneficial interest in a registered global security must rely on the procedures of the depository for that registered global security and, if that person is not a participant, on the procedures of the participant through which the person owns its interest, to exercise any rights of a holder under the applicable indenture, warrant agreement or unit agreement. We understand that under existing industry practices, if we request any action of holders or if an owner of a beneficial interest in a registered global security desires to give or take any action that a holder is entitled to give or take, the depository for the registered global security would authorize the participants holding the relevant beneficial interests to give or take that action, and the participants would authorize beneficial owners owning through them to give or take that action or would otherwise act upon the instructions of beneficial owners holding through them.

Payments of principal of, and premium, if any, and interest on, debt securities, and any payments to holders with respect to other securities represented by a registered global security registered in the name of a depository or its nominee will be made to the depository or its nominee, as the case may be, as the registered owner of the registered global security. None of Triumph Bancorp, Inc., the trustees, the warrant agents or any preferred stock depository, as applicable, will have any responsibility or liability for any aspect of the records relating to or the payments made on

account of beneficial ownership interests in the registered global security or for maintaining, supervising or reviewing any records relating to those beneficial ownership interests.

**Table of Contents**

We expect that the depository for any of the securities represented by a registered global security, upon receipt of any payment of principal, premium, interest or other distribution of underlying securities or other property to holders on that registered global security, will immediately credit participants' accounts in amounts proportionate to their respective beneficial interests in that registered global security as shown on the records of the depository. We also expect that payments by participants to owners of beneficial interests in a registered global security held through participants will be governed by standing customer instructions and customary practices, as is now the case with the securities held for the accounts of customers in bearer form or registered in street name, and will be the responsibility of those participants.

If the depository for any of these securities represented by a registered global security is at any time unwilling or unable to continue as depository or ceases to be a clearing agency registered under the Exchange Act, and a successor depository registered as a clearing agency under the Exchange Act is not appointed by us within 90 days, we will issue securities in definitive form in exchange for the registered global security that had been held by the depository. In addition, under the terms of the indenture, we may at any time and in our sole discretion decide not to have any of the securities represented by one or more registered global securities. We understand, however, that, under current industry practices, the depository would notify its participants of our request, but will only withdraw beneficial interests from a global security at the request of each participant. We would issue definitive certificates in exchange for any such interests withdrawn. Any securities issued in definitive form in exchange for a registered global security will be registered in the name or names that the depository gives to the applicable trustee, warrant agent, unit agent or other relevant agent of ours or theirs. It is expected that the depository's instructions will be based upon directions received by the depository from participants with respect to ownership of beneficial interests in the registered global security that had been held by the depository.

**Table of Contents**

**PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION**

We may sell our securities in any of three ways (or in any combination):

through underwriters or dealers;

through agents; or

directly to purchasers or to a single purchaser.

Each time that we use this prospectus to sell our securities, we will also provide a prospectus supplement that contains the specific terms of the offering. The prospectus supplement will set forth the terms of the offering of such securities, including:

the name or names of any underwriters, dealers or agents and the type and amounts of securities underwritten or purchased by each of them; and

the public offering price of the securities and the proceeds to us and any discounts, commissions or concessions allowed or reallocated or paid to dealers.

Sales of the securities may be effected from time to time in one or more transactions, including negotiated transactions:

at a fixed price or prices, which may be changed;

at market prices prevailing at the time of sale;

at prices related to prevailing market prices; or

at negotiated prices

Any public offering price and any discounts or concessions allowed or reallocated or paid to dealers may be changed from time to time.

If underwriters are used in the sale of any securities, the securities will be acquired by the underwriters for their own account and may be resold from time to time in one or more transactions, including negotiated transactions, at a fixed public offering price or at varying prices determined at the time of sale. The securities may be either offered to the public through underwriting syndicates represented by managing underwriters, or directly by underwriters. Generally, the underwriters' obligations to purchase the securities will be subject to certain conditions precedent. The



underwriters will be obligated to purchase all of the securities if they purchase any of the securities.

We may sell the securities through agents from time to time. The prospectus supplement will name any agent involved in the offer or sale of our securities and any commissions we pay to them. Generally, any agent will be acting on a best efforts basis for the period of its appointment.

We may authorize underwriters, dealers or agents to solicit offers by certain purchasers to purchase our securities at the public offering price set forth in the prospectus supplement pursuant to delayed delivery contracts providing for payment and delivery on a specified date in the future. The contracts will be subject only to those conditions set forth in the prospectus supplement, and the prospectus supplement will set forth any commissions or discounts we pay for solicitation of these contracts.

In connection with the sale of any of the securities, underwriters or agents may receive compensation from us in the form of underwriting discounts or commissions and may also receive compensation from purchasers of the securities, for whom they may act as agents, in the form of discounts, concessions or commissions. Underwriters may sell the securities to or through dealers, and such dealers may receive compensation in the

## **Table of Contents**

form of discounts, concessions or commissions from the underwriters and/or commissions from the purchasers for whom they may act as agents. Discounts, concessions and commissions may be changed from time to time. Dealers and agents that participate in the distribution of the securities may be deemed to be underwriters under the Securities Act of, and any discounts, concessions or commissions they receive from us and any profit on the resale of securities they realize may be deemed to be underwriting compensation under applicable federal and state securities laws.

Pursuant to a requirement by the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ( FINRA ), the maximum commission or discount to be received by any FINRA member or independent broker-dealer may not be greater than 8% of the gross proceeds received by us from the sale of any securities registered pursuant to SEC Rule 415.

Agents and underwriters may be entitled to indemnification by us against certain civil liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or to contribution with respect to payments which the agents or underwriters may be required to make in respect thereof. Agents and underwriters may be customers of, engage in transactions with, or perform services for us in the ordinary course of business.

Unless otherwise specified in the related prospectus supplement, each series of securities will be a new issue with no established trading market, other than our common stock, which is listed on the NASDAQ Global Select Market. We expect that any common stock sold pursuant to a prospectus supplement will be listed on the NASDAQ Global Select Market, subject to official notice of issuance. We may elect to list any series of debt securities or preferred stock on an exchange, but we are not obligated to do so. It is possible that one or more underwriters may make a market in the securities, but such underwriters will not be obligated to do so and may discontinue any market making at any time without notice. No assurance can be given as to the liquidity of, or the trading market for, any offered securities.

We may enter into derivative transactions with third parties, or sell securities not covered by this prospectus to third parties in privately negotiated transactions. If the applicable prospectus supplement so indicates in connection with those derivatives, then the third parties may sell securities covered by this prospectus and the applicable prospectus supplement, including in short sale transactions. In that event, the third party may use securities pledged by us or borrowed from us or others to settle those sales or to close out any related open borrowings of stock, and may use securities received from us in settlement of those derivatives to close out any related open borrowings of securities. The third party in such sale transactions will be an underwriter and will be identified in the applicable prospectus supplement (or a post-effective amendment).

Until the distribution of the securities is completed, rules of the SEC may limit the ability of any underwriters and selling group members to bid for and purchase the securities. As an exception to these rules, underwriters are permitted to engage in some transactions that stabilize the price of the securities. Such transactions consist of bids or purchases for the purpose of pegging, fixing or maintaining the price of the securities.

Underwriters may engage in overallotment. If any underwriters create a short position in the securities in an offering in which they sell more securities than are set forth on the cover page of the applicable prospectus supplement, the underwriters may reduce that short position by purchasing the securities in the open market.

The lead underwriters may also impose a penalty bid on other underwriters and selling group members participating in an offering. This means that if the lead underwriters purchase securities in the open market to reduce the underwriters short position or to stabilize the price of the securities, they may reclaim the amount of any selling concession from the underwriters and selling group members who sold those securities as part of the offering.

In general, purchases of a security for the purpose of stabilization or to reduce a short position could cause the price of the security to be higher than it might be in the absence of such purchases. The imposition of a



**Table of Contents**

penalty bid might also have an effect on the price of a security to the extent that it were to discourage resales of the security before the distribution is completed.

We do not make any representation or prediction as to the direction or magnitude of any effect that the transactions described above might have on the price of the securities. In addition, we do not make any representation that underwriters will engage in such transactions or that such transactions, once commenced, will not be discontinued without notice.

If we offer securities in a subscription rights offering to our existing security holders, we may enter into a standby underwriting agreement with dealers, acting as standby underwriters. We may pay the standby underwriters a commitment fee for the securities they commit to purchase on a standby basis. If we do not enter into a standby underwriting arrangement, we may retain a dealer-manager to manage a subscription rights offering for us.

Underwriters, dealers and agents may engage in transactions with us or perform services for us in the ordinary course of business.

If indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, we will authorize underwriters or other persons acting as our agents to solicit offers by particular institutions to purchase securities from us at the public offering price set forth in such prospectus supplement pursuant to delayed delivery contracts providing for payment and delivery on the date or dates stated in such prospectus supplement. Each delayed delivery contract will be for an amount no less than, and the aggregate amounts of securities sold under delayed delivery contracts shall be not less nor more than, the respective amounts stated in the applicable prospectus supplement. Institutions with which such contracts, when authorized, may be made include commercial and savings banks, insurance companies, pension funds, investment companies, educational and charitable institutions and others, but will in all cases be subject to our approval. The obligations of any purchaser under any such contract will be subject to the conditions that (a) the purchase of the securities shall not at the time of delivery be prohibited under the laws of any jurisdiction in the United States to which the purchaser is subject, and (b) if the securities are being sold to underwriters, we shall have sold to the underwriters the total amount of the securities less the amount thereof covered by the contracts. The underwriters and such other agents will not have any responsibility in respect of the validity or performance of such contracts.

To comply with applicable state securities laws, the securities offered by this prospectus will be sold, if necessary, in such jurisdictions only through registered or licensed brokers or dealers. In addition, securities may not be sold in some states unless they have been registered or qualified for sale in the applicable state or an exemption from the registration or qualification requirement is available and is complied with.

**Table of Contents**

**LEGAL MATTERS**

In connection with particular offerings of our securities in the future, and unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, the validity of the securities offered hereby will be passed upon for us by Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz, New York, New York, and certain legal matters relating to Texas law will be passed upon for us by Adam D. Nelson, who is our General Counsel, or another of our lawyers. Additional legal matters may be passed on for us, or any underwriters, dealers or agents, by counsel that we will name in the applicable prospectus supplement.

**EXPERTS**

The consolidated financial statements of Triumph Bancorp, Inc. as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, and for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2017, have been audited by Crowe Horwath LLP, an independent registered public accounting firm, as set forth in their report appearing in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, and incorporated in this prospectus by reference. Such consolidated financial statements have been so incorporated in reliance upon the report of such firm given upon their authority as experts in accounting and auditing.

**Table of Contents**

**Shares**

**Common Stock**

**PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT**

*Lead Book-Running Managers*

**Stephens Inc.**

**Keefe, Bruyette & Woods**

**Sandler O'Neill + Partners, L.P.**

*A Stifel Company*

*Co-Managers*

**Wells Fargo Securities**

**D.A. Davidson & Co.**

**Piper Jaffray**

**April , 2018**