

# Simmons Reports Record 2019 Earnings - January 23, 2020

Pine Bluff, AR – Simmons First National Corporation (NASDAQ: SFNC) today announced net income of \$237.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2019, compared to \$215.7 million for 2018, an increase of \$22.1 million, or 10.3%. Diluted earnings per share were \$2.41 for 2019, an increase of \$0.09, or 3.9%, compared to prior year. Included in the 2019 results were \$31.7 million in net after-tax merger-related, early retirement program and branch right-sizing costs. Excluding the impact of these items, core earnings were \$269.6 million for the year ended December 31, 2019, compared to \$220.2 million for 2018, an increase of \$49.3 million, or 22.4%. Core diluted earnings per share were \$2.73, an increase of \$0.36, or 15.2%, from the same period in 2018.

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