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| <b>Form 5500</b><br><br>Department of the Treasury<br>Internal Revenue Service<br><br>Department of Labor<br>Employee Benefits Security<br>Administration<br><br>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | <b>Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan</b><br>This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).<br><br><p style="text-align: center;">▶ <b>Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.</b></p> | OMB Nos. 1210-0110<br>1210-0089<br><br><div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">2022</div><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b> |
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| <b>Part I</b>                                                                                            | <b>Annual Report Identification Information</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2022</u> and ending <u>12/31/2022</u> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>A</b> This return/report is for:                                                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> a multiemployer plan <input type="checkbox"/> a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a single-employer plan <input type="checkbox"/> a DFE (specify) ____ |
| <b>B</b> This return/report is:                                                                          | <input type="checkbox"/> the first return/report <input type="checkbox"/> the final return/report<br><input type="checkbox"/> an amended return/report <input type="checkbox"/> a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)                                                                                                     |
| <b>C</b> If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. ....                                  | <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>D</b> Check box if filing under:                                                                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 5558 <input type="checkbox"/> automatic extension <input type="checkbox"/> the DFVC program<br><input type="checkbox"/> special extension (enter description)                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>E</b> If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here. ....   | <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |

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| <b>Part II Basic Plan Information</b> —enter all requested information                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                  |                                                                     |
| <b>1a</b> Name of plan<br><u>UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. 401(K) PLAN</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <b>1b</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶                         | <u>001</u>                                                          |
| <b>2a</b> Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan)<br>Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box)<br>City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions)<br><u>UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.</u><br><br><u>125 HIGHWAY 515 EAST</u><br><u>BLAIRSVILLE, GA 30512</u> | <b>1c</b> Effective date of plan<br><u>01/01/1967</u>            | <b>2b</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><u>58-1807304</u> |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>2c</b> Plan Sponsor's telephone number<br><u>706-439-6550</u> | <b>2d</b> Business code (see instructions)<br><u>522120</u>         |

**Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.**

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

|                  |                                                   |            |                                                              |
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| <b>SIGN HERE</b> | Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature. | 10/11/2023 | HANNAH COFFEY                                                |
|                  | Signature of plan administrator                   | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator       |
| <b>SIGN HERE</b> | Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature. | 10/11/2023 | HANNAH COFFEY                                                |
|                  | Signature of employer/plan sponsor                | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor |
| <b>SIGN HERE</b> |                                                   |            |                                                              |
|                  | Signature of DFE                                  | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as DFE                      |

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Form 5500 (2022)  
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| <b>3a</b> Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Same as Plan Sponsor                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  | <b>3b</b> Administrator's EIN                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |  | <b>3c</b> Administrator's telephone number                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| <b>4</b> If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report:<br><b>a</b> Sponsor's name<br><b>c</b> Plan Name                                                                                                                                     |  | <b>4b</b> EIN<br><br><b>4d</b> PN                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>5</b> Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |  | <b>5</b> 3252                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>6</b> Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines <b>6a(1)</b> , <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , <b>6c</b> , and <b>6d</b> ).                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>a(1)</b> Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |  | <b>6a(1)</b> 2597                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>a(2)</b> Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  | <b>6a(2)</b> 2934                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Retired or separated participants receiving benefits .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |  | <b>6b</b> 117                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>c</b> Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  | <b>6c</b> 514                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>d</b> Subtotal. Add lines <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , and <b>6c</b> .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |  | <b>6d</b> 3565                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>e</b> Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. ....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |  | <b>6e</b> 5                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>f</b> Total. Add lines <b>6d</b> and <b>6e</b> .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |  | <b>6f</b> 3570                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>g</b> Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  | <b>6g</b> 3321                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>h</b> Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |  | <b>6h</b> 29                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>7</b> Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item) .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  | <b>7</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>8a</b> If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:<br>2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 2S 2T                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>b</b> If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>9a</b> Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)<br>(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance<br>(2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts<br>(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust<br>(4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor                                                                                                                              |  | <b>9b</b> Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)<br>(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance<br>(2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts<br>(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust<br>(4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>10</b> Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>a Pension Schedules</b><br>(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>R</b> (Retirement Plan Information)<br><br>(2) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>MB</b> (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary<br><br>(3) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SB</b> (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary |  | <b>b General Schedules</b><br>(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>H</b> (Financial Information)<br>(2) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>I</b> (Financial Information – Small Plan)<br>(3) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>A</b> (Insurance Information)<br>(4) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>C</b> (Service Provider Information)<br>(5) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>D</b> (DFE/Participating Plan Information)<br>(6) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>G</b> (Financial Transaction Schedules) |

**Part III Form M-1 Compliance Information (to be completed by welfare benefit plans)**

**11a** If the plan provides welfare benefits, was the plan subject to the Form M-1 filing requirements during the plan year? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes" is checked, complete lines 11b and 11c.

**11b** Is the plan currently in compliance with the Form M-1 filing requirements? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No

**11c** Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2022 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2022 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code \_\_\_\_\_

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| <div>SCHEDULE C</div> <div>(Form 5500)</div> <div>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</div> <div>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration</div> <div>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</div> | <div>Service Provider Information</div> <div>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).</div> <div>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</div> | OMB No. 1210-0110                       |
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| For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2022 and ending 12/31/2022 |                                                      |
| A Name of plan<br>UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. 401(K) PLAN                                 | B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001                 |
| C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br>UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.     | D Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br>58-1807304 |

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| Part I | Service Provider Information (see instructions) |
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You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

- a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions).. . . . . ☒ Yes ☐ No
- b If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

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| (b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation |                                               |
| AMERICAN BEACON                                                                                            | 4151 AMON CARTER BLVD<br>FORT WORTH, TX 76155 |

|                                                                                                            |                                           |
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| (b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation |                                           |
| BLACKROCK FUNDS                                                                                            | 55 EAST 52ND STREET<br>NEW YORK, NY 10055 |

|                                                                                                            |                                                        |
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| (b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation |                                                        |
| DIMENSIONAL FUND ADVISORS                                                                                  | 6300 BEE CAVE ROAD<br>BUILDING ONE<br>AUSTIN, TX 78746 |

|                                                                                                            |                                                     |
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| (b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation |                                                     |
| EARNEST PARTNERS                                                                                           | 1180 PEACHTREET ST NE<br>#2300<br>ATLANTA, GA 30309 |

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**(b)** Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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GQG PARTNERS LLC

280 PARK AVE  
NEW YORK, NY 10017

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**(b)** Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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HARBOR FUNDS

111 SOUTH WACKER DRIVE  
34TH FLOOR  
CHICAGO, IL 60606

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**(b)** Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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PARNASSUS FUNDS

1 MARKET STREET  
SUITE 1600  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105

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**(b)** Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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PIMCO FUNDS DIST INST

PO BOX 55060  
BOSTON, MA 02205

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**(b)** Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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PRIMECAP ODYSSEY FUNDS

US BANCORP FUND SERVICES  
PO BOX 701  
MILWAUKEE, WI 53201

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**(b)** Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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VANGUARD MARKETING CORP

100 VANGUARD BLVD  
MALVERN, PA 19355

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**(b)** Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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**(b)** Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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**2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation.** Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

T ROWE PRICE RPS INC

100 EAST PRATT STREET  
BALTIMORE, MD 21202

| (b)<br>Service Code(s)                          | (c)<br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | (d)<br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | (e)<br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | (f)<br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | (g)<br>Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-. | (h)<br>Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount? |
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| 15 21 25 28<br>37 38 49 50<br>52 59 62 64<br>65 | NONE                                                                                              | 237072                                                                 | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                            | 0                                                                                                                                                                               | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                          |

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

| (b)<br>Service Code(s) | (c)<br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | (d)<br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | (e)<br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | (f)<br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | (g)<br>Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-. | (h)<br>Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount? |
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|                        |                                                                                                   |                                                                        | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                             | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                     |

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

| (b)<br>Service Code(s) | (c)<br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | (d)<br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | (e)<br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | (f)<br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | (g)<br>Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-. | (h)<br>Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount? |
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|                        |                                                                                                   |                                                                        | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                             | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                     |

**Part I Service Provider Information (continued)**

**3.** If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received \$1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

| (a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2                                    | (b) Service Codes<br>(see instructions)                                                                                                                            | (c) Enter amount of indirect compensation |
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| T ROWE PRICE RPS INC                                                                       | 15 21 25 28 37 38 49 50 52<br>59 62 64 65                                                                                                                          | 0                                         |
| (d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation                        | (e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation. |                                           |
| TRP STABLE VALUE FUND (SVFE) 100 EAST PRATT STREET<br>BALTIMORE, MD 21202                  | FEE FOR SHAREHOLDER SERVICING BASED UPON 0.25%                                                                                                                     |                                           |
| (a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2                                    | (b) Service Codes<br>(see instructions)                                                                                                                            | (c) Enter amount of indirect compensation |
| T ROWE PRICE RPS INC                                                                       | 15 21 25 28 37 38 49 50 52<br>59 62 64 65                                                                                                                          | 0                                         |
| (d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation                        | (e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation. |                                           |
| BLACKROCK INFL-PROT BOND INST 55 EAST 52ND STREET<br>NEW YORK, NY 10055                    | FEE FOR SHAREHOLDER SERVICING BASED UPON 0.15%                                                                                                                     |                                           |
| (a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2                                    | (b) Service Codes<br>(see instructions)                                                                                                                            | (c) Enter amount of indirect compensation |
| T ROWE PRICE RPS INC                                                                       | 15 21 25 28 37 38 49 50 52<br>59 62 64 65                                                                                                                          | 0                                         |
| (d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation                        | (e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation. |                                           |
| HARBOR INTERNATIONAL FUND, INSTL 111 SOUTH WACKER DRIVE<br>34TH FLOOR<br>CHICAGO, IL 60606 | FEE FOR SHAREHOLDER SERVICING BASED UPON 0.1%                                                                                                                      |                                           |

**Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information**

**4** Provide, to the extent possible, the following information for each service provider who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete this Schedule.

| (a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions) | (b) Nature of Service Code(s) | (c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide |
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| (a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions) | (b) Nature of Service Code(s) | (c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide |
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| (a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions) | (b) Nature of Service Code(s) | (c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide |
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| (a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions) | (b) Nature of Service Code(s) | (c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide |
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| (a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions) | (b) Nature of Service Code(s) | (c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide |
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| (a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions) | (b) Nature of Service Code(s) | (c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide |
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**Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)**  
(complete as many entries as needed)

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|--------------------|---------------------|
| <b>a</b> Name:     | <b>b</b> EIN:       |
| <b>c</b> Position: |                     |
| <b>d</b> Address:  | <b>e</b> Telephone: |
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Explanation:

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| <b>a</b> Name:     | <b>b</b> EIN:       |
| <b>c</b> Position: |                     |
| <b>d</b> Address:  | <b>e</b> Telephone: |
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| <b>a</b> Name:     | <b>b</b> EIN:       |
| <b>c</b> Position: |                     |
| <b>d</b> Address:  | <b>e</b> Telephone: |
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| <b>c</b> Position: |                     |
| <b>d</b> Address:  | <b>e</b> Telephone: |
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Explanation:

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| <b>a</b> Name:     | <b>b</b> EIN:       |
| <b>c</b> Position: |                     |
| <b>d</b> Address:  | <b>e</b> Telephone: |
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Explanation:

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| <b>SCHEDULE D</b><br><b>(Form 5500)</b><br><br><small>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</small><br><br><small>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> | <b>DFE/Participating Plan Information</b><br><br>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).<br><br><b>► File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b> | OMB No. 1210-0110<br><br><div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">2022</div><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection.</b> |
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| For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning <span style="color: blue;">01/01/2022</span> and ending <span style="color: blue;">12/31/2022</span> |                                                                                               |                                       |
| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br><span style="color: blue;">UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. 401(K) PLAN</span>                                                            | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) <span style="color: blue;">►</span>                     | <span style="color: blue;">001</span> |
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| <b>C</b> Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br><span style="color: blue;">UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.</span>                         | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><span style="color: blue;">58-1807304</span> |                                       |

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| <b>Part I</b> | <b>Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs)</b><br>(Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs) |
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| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2005 TRUST</span> |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY</span>      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <span style="color: blue;">61-6434302-001</span>                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code <span style="color: blue;">C</span> | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <span style="color: blue;">165540</span>   |
|                                                                                                                      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2010 TRUST</span> |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY</span>      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <span style="color: blue;">32-6199795-001</span>                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code <span style="color: blue;">C</span> | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <span style="color: blue;">1271485</span>  |
|                                                                                                                      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2015 TRUST</span> |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY</span>      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <span style="color: blue;">35-6941654-001</span>                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code <span style="color: blue;">C</span> | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <span style="color: blue;">1955193</span>  |
|                                                                                                                      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2020 TRUST</span> |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY</span>      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <span style="color: blue;">36-7594871-001</span>                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code <span style="color: blue;">C</span> | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <span style="color: blue;">6340292</span>  |
|                                                                                                                      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2025 TRUST</span> |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY</span>      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <span style="color: blue;">37-6495447-001</span>                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code <span style="color: blue;">C</span> | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <span style="color: blue;">14164789</span> |
|                                                                                                                      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2030 TRUST</span> |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY</span>      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <span style="color: blue;">38-7010946-001</span>                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code <span style="color: blue;">C</span> | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <span style="color: blue;">20309812</span> |
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| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2035 TRUST</span> |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <span style="color: blue;">T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY</span>      |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <span style="color: blue;">36-7595013-001</span>                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code <span style="color: blue;">C</span> | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <span style="color: blue;">15443046</span> |

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| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2040 TRUST           |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY                |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 35-6941729-001                                                               | <b>d</b> Entity code C | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 13059610 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2045 TRUST           |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY                |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 32-6199848-001                                                               | <b>d</b> Entity code C | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 8995567  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2050 TRUST           |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY                |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 30-6303214-001                                                               | <b>d</b> Entity code C | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 6547871  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2055 TRUST           |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY                |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 35-6941728-001                                                               | <b>d</b> Entity code C | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 3495712  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2060 TRUST           |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY                |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 47-1088316-001                                                               | <b>d</b> Entity code C | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 2620717  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: T. ROWE PRICE RETIREMENT 2065 TRUST           |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY                |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 85-1763138-001                                                               | <b>d</b> Entity code C | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 413279   |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRP STABLE VALUE COMMON TRUST FUND            |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): T. ROWE PRICE TRUST COMPANY                |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 52-1309931-001                                                               | <b>d</b> Entity code C | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 19118314 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: EARNEST SMID CAP CORE CLASS 1                 |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): EARNEST PARTNERS MULTIPLE INVESTMENT TRUST |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 26-4377500-041                                                               | <b>d</b> Entity code C | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 20101886 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: GQG PTNRS INTL EQUITY CIT                     |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): RELIANCE TRUST COMPANY                     |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 82-6253445-011                                                               | <b>d</b> Entity code C | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 2523186  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PARNASSUS SUSTAINABLE EQ CL1                  |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): SEI TRUST COMPANY                          |                        |                                                                                                              |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 85-3199856-144                                                               | <b>d</b> Entity code C | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 19281476 |

**Part II** **Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs)**

(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans)

**a** Plan name**b** Name of  
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| <b>SCHEDULE H</b><br><b>(Form 5500)</b><br><br><small>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</small><br><br><small>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration</small><br><br><small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small> | <b>Financial Information</b><br><br>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).<br><br><b>► File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b> | OMB No. 1210-0110<br><br><b>2022</b><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b> |
| For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2022</u> and ending <u>12/31/2022</u>                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                           |
| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br><u>UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. 401(K) PLAN</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) <u>001</u>                                          |
| <b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br><u>UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.</u>                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><u>58-1807304</u>                        |

| Part I Asset and Liability Statement                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                 |                       |                 |
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| <b>1</b> Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. <b>Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.</b> MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions. |                 |                       |                 |
| Assets                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                 | (a) Beginning of Year | (b) End of Year |
| <b>a</b> Total noninterest-bearing cash.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>1a</b>       | 242                   | 88              |
| <b>b</b> Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                 |                       |                 |
| <b>(1)</b> Employer contributions.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>1b(1)</b>    | 274423                | 403700          |
| <b>(2)</b> Participant contributions.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>1b(2)</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>(3)</b> Other.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>1b(3)</b>    | 28607                 | 29020           |
| <b>c</b> General investments:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                 |                       |                 |
| <b>(1)</b> Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>1c(1)</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>(2)</b> U.S. Government securities.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>1c(2)</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>(3)</b> Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                 |                       |                 |
| <b>(A)</b> Preferred.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>1c(3)(A)</b> |                       |                 |
| <b>(B)</b> All other.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>1c(3)(B)</b> |                       |                 |
| <b>(4)</b> Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                 |                       |                 |
| <b>(A)</b> Preferred.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>1c(4)(A)</b> |                       |                 |
| <b>(B)</b> Common.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>1c(4)(B)</b> |                       |                 |
| <b>(5)</b> Partnership/joint venture interests.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>1c(5)</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>(6)</b> Real estate (other than employer real property).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>1c(6)</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>(7)</b> Loans (other than to participants).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>1c(7)</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>(8)</b> Participant loans.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>1c(8)</b>    | 0                     | 1504225         |
| <b>(9)</b> Value of interest in common/collective trusts.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>1c(9)</b>    | 14577661              | 155807775       |
| <b>(10)</b> Value of interest in pooled separate accounts.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>1c(10)</b>   |                       |                 |
| <b>(11)</b> Value of interest in master trust investment accounts.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>1c(11)</b>   |                       |                 |
| <b>(12)</b> Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>1c(12)</b>   |                       |                 |
| <b>(13)</b> Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>1c(13)</b>   | 186867908             | 34279515        |
| <b>(14)</b> Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>1c(14)</b>   |                       |                 |
| <b>(15)</b> Other.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>1c(15)</b>   |                       |                 |

| <b>1d</b> Employer-related investments:                              |              | (a) Beginning of Year | (b) End of Year |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| (1) Employer securities .....                                        | <b>1d(1)</b> | 5129495               | 4454036         |
| (2) Employer real property .....                                     | <b>1d(2)</b> |                       |                 |
| <b>e</b> Buildings and other property used in plan operation .....   | <b>1e</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>f</b> Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e) ..... | <b>1f</b>    | 206878336             | 196478359       |

**Liabilities**

|                                                                           |           |       |   |
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| <b>g</b> Benefit claims payable .....                                     | <b>1g</b> | 19485 | 0 |
| <b>h</b> Operating payables .....                                         | <b>1h</b> |       |   |
| <b>i</b> Acquisition indebtedness .....                                   | <b>1i</b> |       |   |
| <b>j</b> Other liabilities .....                                          | <b>1j</b> |       |   |
| <b>k</b> Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j) ..... | <b>1k</b> | 19485 | 0 |

**Net Assets**

|                                                           |           |           |           |
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| <b>l</b> Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f) ..... | <b>1l</b> | 206858851 | 196478359 |
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**Part II Income and Expense Statement**

**2** Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

**Income**

|                                                                                                            |                 | (a) Amount | (b) Total |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------|-----------|
| <b>a</b> <b>Contributions:</b>                                                                             |                 |            |           |
| (1) Received or receivable in cash from: <b>(A)</b> Employers .....                                        | <b>2a(1)(A)</b> | 9759995    |           |
| <b>(B)</b> Participants .....                                                                              | <b>2a(1)(B)</b> | 16326492   |           |
| <b>(C)</b> Others (including rollovers) .....                                                              | <b>2a(1)(C)</b> | 16692693   |           |
| (2) Noncash contributions .....                                                                            | <b>2a(2)</b>    |            |           |
| (3) Total contributions. Add lines <b>2a(1)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , <b>(C)</b> , and line <b>2a(2)</b> ..... | <b>2a(3)</b>    |            | 42779180  |
| <b>b</b> <b>Earnings on investments:</b>                                                                   |                 |            |           |
| (1) Interest:                                                                                              |                 |            |           |
| <b>(A)</b> Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit) .....       | <b>2b(1)(A)</b> |            |           |
| <b>(B)</b> U.S. Government securities .....                                                                | <b>2b(1)(B)</b> |            |           |
| <b>(C)</b> Corporate debt instruments .....                                                                | <b>2b(1)(C)</b> |            |           |
| <b>(D)</b> Loans (other than to participants) .....                                                        | <b>2b(1)(D)</b> |            |           |
| <b>(E)</b> Participant loans .....                                                                         | <b>2b(1)(E)</b> | 49179      |           |
| <b>(F)</b> Other .....                                                                                     | <b>2b(1)(F)</b> |            |           |
| <b>(G)</b> Total interest. Add lines <b>2b(1)(A)</b> through <b>(F)</b> .....                              | <b>2b(1)(G)</b> |            | 49179     |
| (2) Dividends: <b>(A)</b> Preferred stock .....                                                            | <b>2b(2)(A)</b> |            |           |
| <b>(B)</b> Common stock .....                                                                              | <b>2b(2)(B)</b> |            |           |
| <b>(C)</b> Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds) .....                                  | <b>2b(2)(C)</b> | 1268666    |           |
| <b>(D)</b> Total dividends. Add lines <b>2b(2)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , and <b>(C)</b> .....                  | <b>2b(2)(D)</b> |            | 1268666   |
| (3) Rents .....                                                                                            | <b>2b(3)</b>    |            |           |
| (4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: <b>(A)</b> Aggregate proceeds .....                                 | <b>2b(4)(A)</b> | 358291     |           |
| <b>(B)</b> Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions) .....                                              | <b>2b(4)(B)</b> | 392460     |           |
| <b>(C)</b> Subtract line <b>2b(4)(B)</b> from line <b>2b(4)(A)</b> and enter result .....                  | <b>2b(4)(C)</b> |            | -34169    |
| (5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: <b>(A)</b> Real estate .....                         | <b>2b(5)(A)</b> |            |           |
| <b>(B)</b> Other .....                                                                                     | <b>2b(5)(B)</b> | -282002    |           |
| <b>(C)</b> Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines <b>2b(5)(A)</b> and <b>(B)</b> .....         | <b>2b(5)(C)</b> |            | -282002   |

|                                                                                                 |        | (a) Amount | (b) Total |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|------------|-----------|
| (6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts .....                              | 2b(6)  |            | 2317135   |
| (7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts .....                              | 2b(7)  |            |           |
| (8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts .....                      | 2b(8)  |            |           |
| (9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities.....                             | 2b(9)  |            |           |
| (10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds) ..... | 2b(10) |            | -39755781 |
| c Other income .....                                                                            | 2c     |            |           |
| d Total income. Add all <b>income</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total .....               | 2d     |            | 6342208   |
| <b>Expenses</b>                                                                                 |        |            |           |
| e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:                                             |        |            |           |
| (1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers .....                 | 2e(1)  | 16485628   |           |
| (2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits .....                                   | 2e(2)  |            |           |
| (3) Other .....                                                                                 | 2e(3)  |            |           |
| (4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3) .....                                   | 2e(4)  |            | 16485628  |
| f Corrective distributions (see instructions) .....                                             | 2f     |            |           |
| g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions) .....                    | 2g     |            |           |
| h Interest expense .....                                                                        | 2h     |            |           |
| i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees .....                                          | 2i(1)  |            |           |
| (2) Contract administrator fees .....                                                           | 2i(2)  |            |           |
| (3) Investment advisory and management fees .....                                               | 2i(3)  |            |           |
| (4) Other .....                                                                                 | 2i(4)  | 237072     |           |
| (5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4) .....                            | 2i(5)  |            | 237072    |
| j Total expenses. Add all <b>expense</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total .....            | 2j     |            | 16722700  |
| <b>Net Income and Reconciliation</b>                                                            |        |            |           |
| k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d .....                                        | 2k     |            | -10380492 |
| l Transfers of assets:                                                                          |        |            |           |
| (1) To this plan .....                                                                          | 2l(1)  |            |           |
| (2) From this plan .....                                                                        | 2l(2)  |            |           |

**Part III Accountant's Opinion**

**3** Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

**a** The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) ☒ Unmodified (2) ☐ Qualified (3) ☐ Disclaimer (4) ☐ Adverse

**b** Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

(1) ☒ DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 (2) ☐ DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) (3) ☐ neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

**c** Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name: **FORVIS, LLP**

(2) EIN: **44-0160260**

**d** The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. (2) ☐ It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

**Part IV Compliance Questions**

**4** CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l.

During the plan year:

**a** Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.) .....

|    | Yes | No | Amount |
|----|-----|----|--------|
| 4a |     | X  |        |

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Yes | No | Amount   |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|----|----------|
| <b>b</b> Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.) |     |    |          |
| <b>4b</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     | X  |          |
| <b>c</b> Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)                                                                                                                             |     |    |          |
| <b>4c</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     | X  |          |
| <b>d</b> Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)                                                                                                                  |     |    |          |
| <b>4d</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     | X  |          |
| <b>e</b> Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | X   |    | 10000000 |
| <b>f</b> Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?                                                                                                                                                                          |     | X  |          |
| <b>4f</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     | X  |          |
| <b>g</b> Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?                                                                                                                                       |     |    |          |
| <b>4g</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     | X  |          |
| <b>h</b> Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?                                                                                                                             |     |    |          |
| <b>4h</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     | X  |          |
| <b>i</b> Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)                                                                                                                                                   | X   |    |          |
| <b>4i</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | X   |    |          |
| <b>j</b> Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)                                                                                     |     |    |          |
| <b>4j</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     | X  |          |
| <b>k</b> Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?                                                                                                                                              |     |    |          |
| <b>4k</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     | X  |          |
| <b>l</b> Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |     |    |          |
| <b>4l</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     | X  |          |
| <b>m</b> If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)                                                                                                                                                                                     |     |    |          |
| <b>4m</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | X   |    |          |
| <b>n</b> If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.                                                                                                                        |     |    |          |
| <b>4n</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | X   |    |          |

**5a** Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year? ☐ Yes ☒ No  
If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year \_\_\_\_\_.

**5b** If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)

| 5b(1) Name of plan(s) | 5b(2) EIN(s) | 5b(3) PN(s) |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------|
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**5c** Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined

If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year \_\_\_\_\_.

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| <div>SCHEDULE R<br/>(Form 5500)<br/><br/>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service<br/><br/>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration<br/><br/>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</div>                                                                                                                            | <div>Retirement Plan Information</div> <div>This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).</div> <div>► File as an attachment to Form 5500.</div> | <div>OMB No. 1210-0110</div> <div>2022</div> <div>This Form is Open to Public Inspection.</div> |
| For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2022 and ending 12/31/2022                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| A Name of plan<br>UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. 401(K) PLAN                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | B Three-digit plan number (PN) ► 001                                                            |
| C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br>UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | D Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br>58-1807304                                            |
| Part I                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Distributions                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                 |
| All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 1 0                                                                                             |
| 2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits):<br><br>EIN(s): 58-1428634                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 3                                                                                               |
| Part II                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.)                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                 |
| 4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? ..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A<br>If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. Date: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____<br>If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 6a                                                                                              |
| b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 6b                                                                                              |
| c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 6c                                                                                              |
| If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline? ..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change? ..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| Part III                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Amendments                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                 |
| 9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box. If no, check the "No" box..... <input type="checkbox"/> Increase <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/> No          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| Part IV                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                 |
| 10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan?.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                        |
| 11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock?.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                        |
| b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.).....                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                        |
| 12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market?.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                        |
| For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 5500.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| Schedule R (Form 5500) 2022 v. 220413                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |

**Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans**

**13** Enter the following information for each employer that (1) contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year or (2) was one of the top-ten highest contributors (measured in dollars). See instructions. *Complete as many entries as needed to report all applicable employers.*

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

**d** Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

**e** Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

**d** Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

**e** Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

**d** Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

**e** Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

**a** Name of contributing employer

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(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

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**e** Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

**d** Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

**e** Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

|           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |            |  |
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| <b>14</b> | Enter the number of deferred vested and retired participants (inactive participants), as of the beginning of the plan year, whose contributing employer is no longer making contributions to the plan for:                                                                                                                      |            |  |
|           | <b>a</b> The current plan year. Check the box to indicate the counting method used to determine the number of inactive participants: <input type="checkbox"/> last contributing employer <input type="checkbox"/> alternative <input type="checkbox"/> reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment)..... | <b>14a</b> |  |
|           | <b>b</b> The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. <input type="checkbox"/> Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment) .....                                                                                                | <b>14b</b> |  |
|           | <b>c</b> The second preceding plan year. <input type="checkbox"/> Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment) .....                                                                                                                           | <b>14c</b> |  |
| <b>15</b> | Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:                                                                                                                                                    |            |  |
|           | <b>a</b> The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>15a</b> |  |
|           | <b>b</b> The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>15b</b> |  |
| <b>16</b> | Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |            |  |
|           | <b>a</b> Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>16a</b> |  |
|           | <b>b</b> If line 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers.....                                                                                                                                                           | <b>16b</b> |  |
| <b>17</b> | If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ..... <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                            |            |  |

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| <b>Part VI</b> | <b>Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans</b> |
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|-----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>18</b> | If any liabilities to participants or their beneficiaries under the plan as of the end of the plan year consist (in whole or in part) of liabilities to such participants and beneficiaries under two or more pension plans as of immediately before such plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ..... <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>19</b> | <p>If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete lines (a) through (c)</p> <p><b>a</b> Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:<br/> Stock: _____% Investment-Grade Debt: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Estate: _____% Other: _____%</p> <p><b>b</b> Provide the average duration of the combined investment-grade and high-yield debt:<br/> <input type="checkbox"/> 0-3 years <input type="checkbox"/> 3-6 years <input type="checkbox"/> 6-9 years <input type="checkbox"/> 9-12 years <input type="checkbox"/> 12-15 years <input type="checkbox"/> 15-18 years <input type="checkbox"/> 18-21 years <input type="checkbox"/> 21 years or more</p> <p><b>c</b> What duration measure was used to calculate line 19(b)?<br/> <input type="checkbox"/> Effective duration <input type="checkbox"/> Macaulay duration <input type="checkbox"/> Modified duration <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): _____</p>                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>20</b> | <p><b>PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements.</b> If this is a multiemployer plan or a single-employer plan that is not covered by PBGC, skip line 20.</p> <p><b>a</b> Is the amount of unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40 greater than zero? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><b>b</b> If line 20a is "Yes," has PBGC been notified as required by ERISA sections 4043(c)(5) and/or 303(k)(4)? Check the applicable box:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No. Reporting was waived under 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) because contributions equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution were made by the 30th day after the due date.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No. The 30-day period referenced in 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) has not yet ended, and the sponsor intends to make a contribution equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution by the 30th day after the due date.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No. Other. Provide explanation _____</p> |

**UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.**

**401(K) PLAN**

**Financial Statements and Supplemental Schedule**

**December 31, 2022 and 2021**

**(with Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm)**

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<sup>(1)</sup> Supplementary information required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, other than the schedules listed above, are omitted because of the absence of the conditions under which they are required.

## Independent Auditor's Report

Trustees and Plan Administrator  
United Community Banks, Inc. 401(k) Plan  
Blairsville, GA

### **Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit**

We have performed audits of the financial statements of United Community Banks, Inc. 401(k) Plan, an employee benefit plan subject to the *Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974* (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). The financial statements comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of United Community Banks, Inc. 401(k) Plan's financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audits need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 5 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

### **Opinion**

In our opinion, based on our audits and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section:

- The amounts and disclosures in the accompanying financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.
- The information in the accompanying financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of United Community Banks, Inc. 401(k) Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

## ***Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about United Community Banks, Inc. 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that these financial statements are available to be issued or within one year after the date that these financial statements are issued.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments, administering the plan, and determining that the plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

## ***Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements***

Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if, there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the United Community Banks, Inc. 401(k) Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about United Community Banks, Inc. 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audits did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

***Other Matter – Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA***

The supplemental schedule listed in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion:

- The form and content of the supplemental schedule, other than the information in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, are presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- The information in the supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Sincerely,

**FORVIS, LLP**

**Asheville, NC  
September 18, 2023**

**UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. 401(K) PLAN**  
**Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits**  
**December 31, 2022 and 2021**

|                                          | <u>2022</u>                  | <u>2021</u>                  |
|------------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>Assets:</b>                           |                              |                              |
| Cash                                     | \$ 88                        | \$ 242                       |
| Investments at fair value                | 194,541,326                  | 206,575,064                  |
| Receivables:                             |                              |                              |
| Notes receivable from participants       | 1,504,225                    | —                            |
| Employer match contribution              | 403,700                      | 274,423                      |
| Accrued dividends                        | 29,020                       | 28,607                       |
| Total receivables                        | 1,936,945                    | 303,030                      |
| <b>Net assets available for benefits</b> | <u><u>\$ 196,478,359</u></u> | <u><u>\$ 206,878,336</u></u> |

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

**UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. 401(K) PLAN**  
**Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits**  
**For the Year Ended December 31, 2022**

|                                                                 |                              |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>Additions to (deductions from) net assets attributed to:</b> |                              |
| Investment returns:                                             |                              |
| Interest and dividends                                          | \$ 1,544,889                 |
| Net depreciation in fair value of investments                   | (38,031,040)                 |
| Total investment returns                                        | <u>(36,486,151)</u>          |
| Contributions:                                                  |                              |
| Employer match                                                  | 9,759,995                    |
| Employee deferrals                                              | 16,326,492                   |
| Employee rollovers and other                                    | 16,692,693                   |
| Total contributions                                             | <u>42,779,180</u>            |
| Interest on notes receivable from participants                  | 49,179                       |
| Total additions                                                 | <u>6,342,208</u>             |
| <b>Deductions from net assets attributed to:</b>                |                              |
| Distributions paid to participants                              | 16,470,011                   |
| Administrative expenses                                         | 237,072                      |
| Other                                                           | 35,102                       |
| Total deductions                                                | <u>16,742,185</u>            |
| <b>Decrease in net assets available for benefits</b>            | <b>(10,399,977)</b>          |
| <b>Net assets available for plan benefits:</b>                  |                              |
| Beginning of year                                               | 206,878,336                  |
| End of year                                                     | <u><u>\$ 196,478,359</u></u> |

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

**UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. 401(K) PLAN**  
**Notes to Financial Statements**

**(1) Description of the Plan**

The following description of United Community Banks, Inc. 401(k) Plan (the “Plan”) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan’s provisions.

General

The Plan is a safe harbor defined contribution plan and was formed to provide benefits exclusively for the employees of United Community Banks, Inc. and its subsidiaries (the “Company”). Employees are eligible to participate in the Plan on the next monthly enrollment date following employment. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (“ERISA”).

Contributions

Employees of the Company participating in the Plan are entitled to make contributions to the Plan in amounts ranging from 2% to 75% of their annual base salary and commissions, subject to mandated maximum limitations. Under safe harbor provisions, the Company is required to provide a matching contribution. The Company matches 100% of participant deferral contributions up to 5% of the participant’s annual base salary and commissions for those who have completed 90 days of service.

On an annual basis, the Company will provide a true-up safe harbor matching contribution, as necessary, to ensure participants receive the maximum safe harbor matching contribution for each plan year. A true-up safe harbor matching contribution would be made in the event the safe harbor matching contributions made to a participant’s account throughout the year are less than the maximum amount that could have been made based on the participant’s contributions for the full plan year.

The Company may also make an additional discretionary contribution in any Plan year. No discretionary contribution was made for the 2022 Plan year. Contributions are subject to certain limitations. The Plan provides for automatic participant deferral contributions of 5% of compensation on behalf of each eligible employee who does not affirmatively elect against automatic contributions.

Investment Options

Participants direct the investment of their accounts into various investment options offered by the Plan. The Plan currently offers mutual funds and common trust funds as investment options for participants.

Participant Accounts

Each participant’s account is credited with the participant’s contribution, the Company’s contribution, and investment earnings and debited with benefit payments, investment losses, fees for participant initiated transactions and allocations of administrative expenses. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that is available in the participant’s vested account.

Vesting

Participants are immediately vested in their contributions to the Plan plus actual earnings thereon. Under safe harbor provisions, participants are immediately 100% vested in the Company’s safe harbor matching contributions.

Withdrawals

The Plan allows in-service withdrawals for active employees who have attained the age of 59 ½ years. Only one in-service withdrawal may be made by a participant during a calendar year for a minimum amount of \$1,000. The Plan also allows for certain hardship withdrawals prior to termination of employment.

Payment of Benefits

Upon retirement, a participant is entitled to receive 100% of the vested account balance in a lump-sum distribution or periodic payments over a predetermined period. Upon the death of a participant, the designated beneficiary is entitled to receive 100% of the participant’s account in a lump-sum distribution or periodic payments over a predetermined period. In addition, disabled participants are entitled to 100% of their account balance. Benefits are recorded when paid.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Effective January 1, 2022, the Plan was amended to permit participant loans. Participants may borrow from their account balances an amount not to exceed the lesser of \$50,000 reduced by the highest outstanding loan balance during the previous 12 months or 50% of their account balance. The minimum loan amount allowed by the Plan is \$1,000 and a participant may have only one loan outstanding at any time. The permitted loan term ranges from 1 to 5 years. The interest rate charged on amounts borrowed is equal to the Wall Street Journal prime rate plus 1% at the loan origination date. Principal and interest is paid ratably through payroll deductions.

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Administrative Expenses

The Plan pays substantially all administrative expenses.

Forfeited Accounts

At December 31, 2022 and 2021, forfeited non-vested accounts approximated \$3,500 and \$16,100, respectively. These amounts will be used to reduce future Company contributions or to reduce Plan expenses at the discretion of the Plan sponsor.

Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA.

**(2) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the Plan have been prepared using the accrual method of accounting and present the net assets available for benefits and changes in those assets of the Plan. The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of net assets available for benefits and changes therein, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

The Plan's investments are carried at fair value, which is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. As a practical expedient, the fair value of the common trust funds is estimated using the net asset value ("NAV") per share of the fund. See Note 6 for further information on fair value.

Securities transactions are recorded on the trade date. Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis when it is earned. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date.

The net returns from investment activity include realized and unrealized gains and losses from investment activity as well as earnings on investments. Unrealized gains and losses are calculated as the difference between the current value of securities as of the end of the Plan year and either the current value at the end of the preceding year or the actual cost if such investments were purchased during the current year. Realized gains or losses on sales of investments are calculated as the difference between sales proceeds and the current value of investments at the beginning of the year or the actual cost if such investments were purchased during the year. Earnings on investments include interest and dividends on the Company's common stock and mutual fund shares.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses. Delinquent participant loans are reclassified as distributions based upon the terms of the Plan document. No allowance for credit losses has been recorded as of December 31, 2022.

Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan provides for investments in various investment securities, which are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, credit and overall market volatility risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities could occur in the near term and that such change could materially affect the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

**(3) Tax Status**

The Plan obtained its latest determination letter on August 19, 2020, in which the Internal Revenue Service stated that the Plan, as then designed, was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC"). Since the date of the determination letter, the Plan has been amended. The Plan Administrator believes that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Therefore, the Plan Administrator believes that the Plan was qualified and the related trust was tax-exempt as of the financial statement date.

U.S. GAAP requires the Plan sponsor to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more-likely-than-not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan

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Administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2022, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions, however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

**(4) Party-In-Interest Transactions**

During the course of the year, the Plan entered into certain party-in-interest transactions with the Company and T. Rowe Price Trust Company (the “Trustee”).

The Plan holds an investment in the Company's common stock. Effective January 1, 2015, participants could no longer invest additional funds in the Company's common stock, although existing balances invested in the Company's common stock are maintained as Plan assets. The Company may declare cash dividends on its common stock on a quarterly basis throughout the year. In 2022, the Plan recorded dividends of \$118,017 on its investment in the Company's stock, which included \$29,020 in dividends receivable at December 31, 2022.

Administrative fees are paid by the Plan to the Trustee, which functions as the trustee, custodian and record keeper for the Plan. The Trustee receives revenue from mutual fund service providers for services provided by the Trustee to the funds. A portion of this revenue is shared with the Plan to offset certain amounts owed to the Trustee for administrative services provided to the Plan in the form of fee credits. Fee credits are included in other contributions on the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits. Gross fees totaled \$237,072 for 2022 and are presented on the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits as administrative expenses.

**(5) Unaudited Information Certified by Trustee**

The accompanying financial statements, investment information provided in Note 6 and the supplemental schedule include the following unaudited information as of December 31, 2022 and 2021 and for the year ended December 31, 2022 that was obtained from data prepared and certified to be complete and accurate by the Plan's Trustee.

|                                               | <b>2022</b>     | <b>2021</b>    |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Investments at fair value                     | \$ 194,541,326  | \$ 174,740,922 |
| Interest and dividends <sup>(1)</sup>         | \$ 1,544,476    |                |
| Net depreciation in fair value of investments | \$ (38,031,040) |                |

<sup>(1)</sup> Excludes adjustment for dividends receivable for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 reflected in the financial statements.

**(6) Fair Value Measurements**

In accordance with the fair value hierarchy established by the Financial Accounting Standards Board's ("FASB") Accounting Standards Codification Topic 820 ("ASC 820") *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, the Plan's assets are measured at fair value and categorized into one of the three levels of the hierarchy as set forth below.

*Level 1* Valuation is based upon quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Plan has the ability to access.

*Level 2* Valuation is based upon quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets, as well as inputs that are observable for the asset or liability (other than quoted prices), such as interest rates, foreign exchange rates, and yield curves that are observable at commonly quoted intervals.

*Level 3* Valuation is generated from model-based techniques that use at least one significant assumption based on unobservable inputs for the asset or liability, which are typically based on an entity's own assumptions, as there is little, if any, related market activity. In instances where the determination of the fair value measurement is based on inputs from different levels of the fair value hierarchy, the level in the fair value hierarchy within which the entire fair value measurement falls is based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. The assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement in its entirety requires judgment, and considers factors specific to the asset or liability.

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Valuation methodologies applied to investments reported at fair value are as follows:

*Common stock:* The Company's common stock trades on the Nasdaq Global Select Market ("Nasdaq"), and its value is based on a quoted market price qualifying it as a Level 1 investment.

*Mutual funds:* Investments in mutual funds held are stated at fair value based on quoted market prices of the underlying fund securities and are classified as Level 1 investments.

*Common trusts:* Investments in common trusts are measured at NAV per unit, as determined by the trustee at year-end. The NAV is used as the practical expedient to estimate fair value. The Plan's investment in these trusts is not required to be classified within the fair value hierarchy since it is measured at NAV.

The following tables set forth by level within the fair value hierarchy a summary of the Plan's assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis as of the dates indicated.

| <b>December 31, 2022</b>                  | <b>Level 1</b>       | <b>Level 2</b> | <b>Level 3</b> | <b>Total</b>         |
|-------------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|
| <b>Assets</b>                             |                      |                |                |                      |
| United Community Banks, Inc. common stock | \$ 4,454,036         | \$ —           | \$ —           | \$ 4,454,036         |
| Mutual funds                              | 34,279,515           | —              | —              | 34,279,515           |
|                                           | <u>\$ 38,733,551</u> | <u>\$ —</u>    | <u>\$ —</u>    | <u>38,733,551</u>    |
| Common trusts measured at NAV             |                      |                |                | 155,807,775          |
| Total investments at fair value           |                      |                |                | <u>\$194,541,326</u> |

| <b>December 31, 2021</b>                  | <b>Level 1</b>       | <b>Level 2</b> | <b>Level 3</b> | <b>Total</b>         |
|-------------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|
| <b>Assets</b>                             |                      |                |                |                      |
| United Community Banks, Inc. common stock | \$ 5,129,495         | \$ —           | \$ —           | \$ 5,129,495         |
| Mutual funds                              | 186,867,908          | —              | —              | 186,867,908          |
|                                           | <u>\$191,997,403</u> | <u>\$ —</u>    | <u>\$ —</u>    | <u>191,997,403</u>   |
| Common trusts measured at NAV             |                      |                |                | 14,577,661           |
| Total investments at fair value           |                      |                |                | <u>\$206,575,064</u> |

The following table summarizes the plan's investment in the common trusts, which use NAV per share to measure fair value as a practical expedient for the periods presented.

| <b>December 31, 2022</b>                     |                   |                             |                             |                                 |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|
|                                              | <b>Fair Value</b> | <b>Unfunded Commitments</b> | <b>Redemption Frequency</b> | <b>Redemption Notice Period</b> |
| T. Rowe Price Stable Value Common Trust Fund | \$ 19,118,314     | N/A                         | Daily                       | 12 months                       |
| T. Rowe Price Retirement Trusts              | 94,782,913        | N/A                         | Daily                       | 30 days                         |
| GQG Partners International Equity CIT D      | 2,523,186         | N/A                         | Daily                       | 15 business days                |
| Parnassus Sustainable Core Equity CIT I      | 19,281,476        | N/A                         | Daily                       | 5 business days                 |
| Earnest Partners SMID Cap Core I             | 20,101,886        | N/A                         | Daily                       | 5 business days                 |
| <b>December 31, 2021</b>                     |                   |                             |                             |                                 |
|                                              | <b>Fair Value</b> | <b>Unfunded Commitments</b> | <b>Redemption Frequency</b> | <b>Redemption Notice Period</b> |
| T. Rowe Price Stable Value Common Trust Fund | \$ 14,577,661     | N/A                         | Daily                       | 12 months                       |

**T. Rowe Price Stable Value Common Trust Fund:** The fund holds indirect investments in fully benefit-responsive investment contracts. It primarily invests in synthetic investment contracts issued by insurance companies, banks, and other financial institutions and other short-term investments. The objectives of the Stable Value Fund are to maximize current income consistent with the maintenance of principal and to provide benefit-responsive participant withdrawals at contract value.

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Participants may redeem trust units on a daily basis for withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value without restriction.

Events outside the normal operation of the Stable Value Fund that cause a withdrawal from an investment contract may result in a negative market value adjustment, which can limit the ability to transact at contract value with the issuers of its investment contracts. Examples of such events include, but are not limited to, partial or complete legal termination of the Stable Value Fund or a unit holder, tax disqualification of the Stable Value Fund or a unit holder, and certain Stable Value Fund amendments if issuers' consents are not obtained. According to the Stable Value Fund's annual report, as of December 31, 2022, the occurrence of such an event is not considered to be probable.

**T. Rowe Price Retirement trusts:** The plan includes 13 T. Rowe Price Retirement Trusts, which were formed under the T. Rowe Price Strategic Common Trust Fund. The investment objective of each retirement trust is to provide the highest total return over time consistent with an emphasis on both capital growth and income by investing primarily in a diversified portfolio of underlying bond, equity and money market trusts that represent various asset classes and sectors.

**GQG Partners International Equity CIT D:** The fund invests primarily in the equity securities of non-U.S. issuers that GQG believes are undervalued by the market. GQG may invest in equity securities directly or through equity-linked instruments of companies. The Fund has no limitation on the capitalization size of the companies in which it invests. It may invest in any non-US country, including emerging markets countries.

**Parnassus Sustainable Core Equity CIT I:** The Fund's primary investment objective is to achieve long-term capital appreciation. The Fund seeks to achieve this objective through investing a majority of its assets into U.S. large cap companies that pay dividends. The Fund's investment strategy is considered primarily a U.S., large-cap, equity strategy, which means that it normally invests more than half of its net assets in large, well-established businesses.

**Earnest Partners SMID Cap Core I:** Earnest Partners is a fundamental, bottom-up investment manager whose investment objective is to outperform the benchmark while controlling volatility and risk. The fund is comprised of a blend of mid-cap U.S. stocks.

**(7) Benefits Paid After Year-End and Reconciliation to Form 5500**

As of December 31, 2022, there were no distributions that were requested, but not yet paid to the participant. As of December 31, 2021, there were \$19,485 in distributions that were requested prior to the end of the plan year, but were not paid to the participant until 2022.

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to Form 5500 at December 31, 2022 and 2021:

|                                                                               | <b>December 31,</b>   |                       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
|                                                                               | <b>2022</b>           | <b>2021</b>           |
| Net assets available for benefits as reported in the the financial statements | \$ 196,478,359        | \$ 206,878,336        |
| Benefit claims payable                                                        | —                     | (19,485)              |
| Net assets available for benefits as reported in the Form 5500                | <u>\$ 196,478,359</u> | <u>\$ 206,858,851</u> |

The following is a reconciliation of the changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2022, as reported in the financial statements to the Form 5500:

|                                                                                     |                        |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Change in net assets available for benefits as reported in the financial statements | \$ (10,399,977)        |
| Change in benefit claims payable                                                    | 19,485                 |
| Change in net assets available for benefits as reported in the Form 5500            | <u>\$ (10,380,492)</u> |

**(8) Subsequent Events**

The Plan Administrator has evaluated the effects on the Plan financial statements of events that have occurred subsequent to December 31, 2022 through the date these financial statements were issued. During this period, there have been no material events that would require recognition in the financial statements or disclosures to the financial statements.

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Employer Identification Number: 58-1807304, Plan Number: 001  
Schedule H, Part IV, Line 4i: Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)  
December 31, 2022

| (a) | Identity of issuer or similar party (b) | Description of assets (c)                                       | Current Value (e)     |
|-----|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2030 Trust                             | \$ 20,309,812         |
|     | Earnest Partners                        | Earnest Partners SMID Cap Core I                                | 20,101,886            |
|     | Parnassus Investments                   | Parnassus Sustainable Core Equity CIT I                         | 19,281,476            |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Stable Value Common Trust Fund                    | 19,118,314            |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2035 Trust                             | 15,443,046            |
|     | Vanguard Funds                          | Vanguard Institutional Index Fund                               | 15,098,153            |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2025 Trust                             | 14,164,789            |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2040 Trust                             | 13,059,610            |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2045 Trust                             | 8,995,567             |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2050 Trust                             | 6,547,871             |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2020 Trust                             | 6,340,292             |
|     | Vanguard Funds                          | Vanguard Mid Cap Index Fund                                     | 4,963,149             |
|     | PIMCO Funds                             | PIMCO Total Return Bond Fund                                    | 4,917,209             |
| *   | United Community Banks, Inc.            | Common stock                                                    | 4,454,036             |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2055 Trust                             | 3,495,712             |
|     | Vanguard Funds                          | Vanguard Small Cap Index Fund                                   | 2,835,047             |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2060 Trust                             | 2,620,717             |
|     | GQG Partners                            | GQG Partners International Equity CIT D                         | 2,523,186             |
|     | BlackRock                               | BlackRock Inflation Protected Bond Fund                         | 2,288,716             |
|     | Vanguard Funds                          | Vanguard Total International Stock Index Fund                   | 2,168,280             |
|     | Vanguard Funds                          | Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund                           | 2,004,858             |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2015 Trust                             | 1,955,193             |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2010 Trust                             | 1,271,485             |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2065 Trust                             | 413,279               |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Retirement 2005 Trust                             | 165,540               |
| *   | T. Rowe Price                           | T. Rowe Price Government Money                                  | 4,103                 |
|     |                                         |                                                                 |                       |
| *   | Notes receivable from participants      | Interest rates range from 4.25%-8.00% due through November 2027 | 1,504,225             |
|     |                                         |                                                                 | <u>\$ 196,045,551</u> |

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