UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

Current Report

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report: November 15, 2017

Granite Point Mortgage Trust Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-38124 (Commission File Number)

61-1843143 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

590 Madison Avenue, 38th Floor New York, NY 10022

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 364-3200

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

□ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging Growth Company \boxtimes

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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Item 7.01 Regulation FD.

An investor presentation providing a business overview of Granite Point Mortgage Trust Inc. is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information in this Current Report, including Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto, is furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 of Form 8-K and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for any other purpose, including for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information in Item 7.01 of this Current Report, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing of the registrant under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, whether made before or after the date hereof, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filings (unless the registrant specifically states that the information or exhibit in this Item 7.01 is incorporated by reference).

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit	
No.	Description

99.1 <u>Third Quarter 2017 Investor Presentation.</u>

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

TWO HARBORS INVESTMENT CORP.

By: <u>/s/ REBECCA B. SANDBERG</u> Rebecca B. Sandberg General Counsel and Secretary

Date: November 15, 2017

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 <u>Third Quarter 2017 Investor Presentation.</u>

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Safe Harbor Statement



FORWARD LOOKING STATEMENTS

This presentation includes "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the safe harbor provisions of the United States Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Actual results of Granite Point Mortgage Trust Inc. ("Granite Point," "we," "us" or "our") may differ from expectations, estimates and projections and, consequently, readers should not rely on these forward-looking statements as predictions of future events. Words such as "expect," "target," "assume," "estimate," "project," "budget," "forecast," "anticipate," "intend," "plan," "goal," "may," "future," "likely," "will," "could," "should," "believe," "predict," "potential," "continue" and similar expressions or their negative forms are intended to identify such forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements involve significant risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from expected results, including, among other things, those described in our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the guarter ended June 30, 2017, and any subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, under the caption "Risk Factors." Factors that could cause actual results to differ include, but are not limited to: the timing of cash flows, if any, from our investments; the state of the U.S. economy generally or in specific geographic regions; defaults by borrowers in paying debt service on outstanding items and borrowers' abilities to manage and stabilize properties; actions and initiatives of the U.S. Government and changes to U.S. Government policies; our ability to obtain financing arrangements on terms favorable to us or at all; financing and advance rates for our target investments; our expected leverage; general volatility of the securities markets in which we invest; the return or impact of current or future investments; allocation of investment opportunities to us by our Manager; changes in interest rates and the market value of our investments; effects of hedging instruments on our target investments; rates of default or decreased recovery rates on our target investments; the degree to which our hedging strategies may or may not protect us from interest rate volatility; changes in governmental regulations, tax law and rates, and similar matters; our ability to maintain our qualification as a REIT for U.S. federal income tax purposes; availability of investment opportunities in mortgage-related and real estate-related investments and securities; our ability to locate suitable investments, and monitor, service and administer our investments and execute our investment strategy; availability of qualified personnel; estimates relating to our ability to make distributions to our stockholders in the future; our understanding of our competition; and market trends in our industry, interest rates, real estate values, the debt securities markets or the general economy.

Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance upon any forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date made. We do not undertake or accept any obligation to release publicly any updates or revisions to any forward-looking statement to reflect any change in its expectations or any change in events, conditions or circumstances on which any such statement is based. Additional information concerning these and other risk factors is contained in our most recent filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). All subsequent written and oral forward-looking statements concerning Granite Point or matters attributable to Granite Point or any person acting on its behalf are expressly qualified in their entirety by the cautionary statements above.

This presentation may include industry and market data obtained through research, surveys, and studies conducted by third parties and industry publications. We have not independently verified any such market and industry data from third-party sources. This presentation is provided for discussion purposes only and may not be relied upon as legal or investment advice, nor is it intended to be inclusive of all the risks and uncertainties that should be considered. This presentation does not constitute an offer to purchase or sell any securities, nor shall it be construed to be indicative of the terms of an offer that the parties or their respective affiliates would accept.

Readers are advised that the financial information in this presentation is based on company data available at the time of this presentation and, in certain circumstances, may not have been audited by Granite Point's independent auditors.

Company Formation Summary



- Granite Point was formed by Two Harbors Investment Corp. (NYSE: TWO) in a spin-out transaction in order to continue the commercial real estate lending business established by Two Harbors in 2015
- As part of the formation transaction in June 2017, we:
 - Completed an initial public offering (IPO), raising net proceeds of \$181.9 million
 - Issued 33,071,000 shares of common stock to Two Harbors in exchange for the \$1.8 billion commercial real estate portfolio that we originated while part of Two Harbors
 - Established significant borrowing capacity of approximately \$2.0 billion
- Two Harbors completed the spin-out on November 1, 2017 by distributing its shares of Granite Point common stock to its stockholders, allowing our market capitalization to be fully floating

Company Overview⁽¹⁾

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LEADING COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE FINANCE COMPANY FOCUSED ON DIRECTLY ORIGINATING AND MANAGING SENIOR FLOATING RATE COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE LOANS

CYCLE-TESTED SENIOR INVESTMENT TEAM	ATTRACTIVE AND SUSTAINABLE MARKET OPPORTUNITY
Over 25 years of experience leading commercial real estate lending platforms through multiple credit and real	 Structural changes create an enduring, sectoral shift in flows of debt capital into U.S. commercial real estate
estate cycles	Borrower demand for debt capital for both acquisition and
Extensive experience in investment management	refinancing activity remains strong
Broad and longstanding direct relationships within the	 Senior floating rate loans remain an attractive value

Broad and longstanding direct relationships within the ٠ commercial real estate lending industry

DIFFERENTIATED DIRECT ORIGINATION PLATFORM

- · Direct origination of senior floating rate commercial real estate loans
- · Target top 25 and generally up to the top 50 MSAs in the U.S.
- · Fundamental value-driven investing combined with credit intensive underwriting
- · Focus on cash flow as one of our key underwriting criteria
- · Prioritize income-producing, institutional-quality properties and sponsors
- 1) Except as otherwise indicated in this presentation, reported data is as of or for the period ended September 30, 2017.

- Senior floating rate loans remain an attractive value proposition within the commercial real estate debt markets

HIGH CREDIT QUALITY INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

- Carrying value of \$2.2 billion
- · Well diversified across property types and geographies
- Senior loans comprise over 90% of the portfolio
- · Over 97% of loans are floating rate; well positioned for rising short term interest rates



Commercial Real Estate Market Overview



Market Environment





DEMAND FOR COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE LOANS REMAINS HIGH ...



HOLDERS OF CRE DEBT(3)



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Market Environment (Cont'd)





... AND MARKET FUNDAMENTALS REMAIN STRONG





Source: National Council of Real Estate Investment Fiduciaries (NCREIF). Data from January 2001 through January 2017. Monthly cap rates are a three-month rolling average. Source: Real Capital Analytics. Data from 1/1/1983 through 12/31/2016. Source: Census Bureau and BEA. Data from 1/1/1993 to 12/31/2016. (1)

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Investment Strategy and Portfolio Overview





OUR TEAM HAS DEVELOPED A SUCCESSFUL INVESTMENT PHILOSOPHY THAT HAS BEEN TESTED THROUGH SEVERAL ECONOMIC, INTEREST RATE AND REAL ESTATE CYCLES

- · Long-term, fundamental value-oriented investing philosophy; heavy focus on relative value
- · Avoid "sector bets" and "momentum investments"
- Emphasize selectivity and diversification
- Prioritize income-producing, institutional quality properties and owners/sponsors
- Cash flow is a key underwriting metric
- Intensive diligence with a focus on bottom-up underwriting of property fundamentals
- · The property is our collateral; the loan is our investment

Investing in Primary & Secondary Markets



PRIMARY AND SECONDARY MARKETS CONTINUE TO OFFER ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT CHARACTERISTICS ALIGNED WITH OUR INVESTMENT THESIS

- · We target the top 25 and generally up to the top 50 MSAs, searching for value nationwide
- · We actively participate in the top 5 markets, which are large and liquid
- · The next tier of MSAs also offers compelling investment opportunities
- · Sponsorship, business plan and loan terms all matter as much as geographical market



Primary markets are defined as the top 5 MSAs. Secondary markets are defined as MSAs 6 and above.
 Source: Peol Capital Arabidist. Data from 2001 to 2016.

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Source: Real Capital Analytics. Data from 2001 to 2016.
 Source: Real Capital Analytics. Data from the first quarter of 2004 through the fourth quarter of 2016.

Investment Strategy Overview



INVESTMENT STRATEGY

- Focus on generating stable and attractive cash flows while preserving capital base
 - Primarily direct-originated investments funding:
 - Property acquisition
 - Refinancing
 - Recapitalization / restructuring
 - · Repositioning and renovation
 - Asset-by-asset portfolio construction focused on:
 - · Property and local market fundamentals
 - Relative value across property types and markets stressing geographic diversity
 - · Relative value within the capital structure

PRIMARY VS SECONDARY MARKETS

 Actively participate in primary and secondary markets



Target Investments



PRIMARY TARGET INVESTMENTS

- · Floating rate first mortgage loans secured by income-producing commercial real estate
- · Primary and secondary markets in the U.S.
- · Transitional loans on a variety of property types
- · Sponsors typically have a business plan involving leasing and capital improvements
- Generally sized between \$25 million and \$150 million
- Stabilized LTVs generally ranging from 55% to 70%⁽¹⁾
- Loan yields generally ranging from LIBOR + 4.00% to 5.50%

SECONDARY TARGET INVESTMENTS

 Subordinated interests (or B-notes), mezzanine loans, debt-like preferred equity and real estate-related securities

¹⁾ Except as otherwise indicated in this presentation, stabilized loan-to-value ratio (LTV) is calculated as the fully funded loan amount (plus any financing that is pari passu with or senior to such loan), including all contractually provided for future fundings, divided by the as stabilized value (as determined in conformance with USPAP) set forth in the original appraisal. As stabilized value may be based on certain assumptions, such as future construction completion, projected re-tenanting, payment of tenant improvement or leasing commissions allowances or free or abated rent periods, or increased tenant occupancies.

Origination Platform Overview



OUR ORIGINATION APPROACH PRODUCES A LARGE UNIVERSE OF OPPORTUNITIES FROM WHICH WE CAN SELECT THE MOST ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENTS FOR OUR PORTFOLIO

RELATIONSHIPS

 Extensive and longstanding direct relationships with a wide array of private equity firms, funds, REITs, and national, regional and local private owner/operators, brokers and co-lenders

PROCESS

 A highly-disciplined sourcing, screening and underwriting process

RESULTS

 Our team's reputation as a reliable counterparty has contributed to multiple investment opportunities with repeat borrowers

We believe that credibility, reliability & reputation drive repeat business and fuel our success as an originator

PORTFOLIO GROWTH OVER TIME⁽¹⁾



Credit Culture Based on Key Principles



OUR CREDIT CULTURE HAS BEEN DEVELOPED AND NURTURED OVER OUR SENIOR TEAM'S LONG TENURE IN COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE DEBT MARKETS



- Portfolio construction on a loan-by-loan basis with each investment standing on its own merit and adhering to our overall credit culture
- Significant amount of resources are committed upfront to ensure underwriting and structuring are carried out diligently
- Team originating a loan remains responsible for monitoring and managing that investment until capital is repaid

Illustrative Investments





- \$30 million floating rate, first mortgage loan secured by two apartment buildings totaling 62 units in Brooklyn, NY
- Strong, infill location benefitting from significant recent
 public and private investment
- NYC multifamily market has been historically supply constrained for over 30 years
- Acquisition financing transaction

Note: The above loan examples are provided for illustration purposes only.



- \$74.8 million floating rate, first mortgage loan secured by a Class B CBD office building
- Well-located in the strong NoMa submarket of Washington, D.C.
- Office complex has maintained 95%+ occupancy for 15 years
- Acquisition financing transaction

Illustrative Investments





- \$120.4 million floating rate, first mortgage loan secured by a 1.3mm SF Class A office portfolio, with two in Las Colinas (Irving, TX) and one in CBD Richmond
- Cross-collateralizing the three properties provides for stable cash flow during the leasing / re-leasing period
- Strong capital partner and experienced operating partner with local expertise
- Acquisition financing transaction

Note: The above loan examples are provided for illustration purposes only.



- \$68.4 million floating rate, first mortgage loan secured by a 130,599 SF grocery-anchored shopping center in the Lahaina submarket of Maui, HI
- Well-located in a supply-constrained market with high barriers to entry
- Business plan addresses grocer's strong desire to remain in and expand at the subject property
- Acquisition financing transaction

Investment Portfolio as of September 30, 2017



Expressed as a monthly equivalent yield. Weighted average yield excludes fixed rate loans. Includes mixed-use properties. 1) 2)

Interest Rate Sensitivity



• A 100 basis point increase in U.S. LIBOR would increase the annual net interest income per share on the existing portfolio by approximately \$0.14



Third Quarter 2017 Origination Highlights



ORIGINATIONS OVERVIEW

- · 11 senior floating rate commercial real estate loans
- · Gross loan commitments of \$450.4 million
- Funded \$379.8 million of principal balance of loans and an additional \$13.6 million of existing loan commitments, bringing total fundings to \$393.4 million
- Weighted average stabilized LTV of 66.2%
- Weighted average yield of LIBOR + 4.89%⁽¹⁾



PORTFOLIO NET FUNDING⁽²⁾



Yield includes net origination fees and exit fees, but does not include future fundings, and is expressed as a monthly equivalent yield. Data based on principal balance of assets at September 30, 2017.

GEOGRAPHY



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Capitalization and Liquidity



SUMMARY BALANCE SHEET (\$ IN MILLIONS, EXCEPT PER		SUMMARY FINANCING ⁽¹⁾ AT 9/30/17 (\$ IN MILLIONS)			
Cash	\$142.4				
Investment Portfolio	\$2,184.2	Maximum Borrowing Capacity	\$1,973.8		
Repurchase Facilities Outstanding	\$1,475.3				
Stockholders' Equity	\$830.8	Outstanding Balance	\$1,475.3		
Debt-to-Equity Ratio ⁽²⁾	1.8x				
Common Stock Outstanding	43,235,103	Demokrist Demokrat Oreco its	* 400 F		
Book Value Per Common Share	\$19.22	Remaining Borrowing Capacity	\$498.5		

- Subsequent to quarter end, we amended our financing facility with Morgan Stanley to increase borrowing capacity by \$100 million, bringing total borrowing capacity to \$2.1 billion
- In negotiations to amend a second financing facility to increase borrowing capacity by \$250 million, bringing total borrowing capacity to \$2.3 billion, subject to closing conditions

Excludes short-term bridge financing facility with UBS.
 Defined as total borrowings to fund the investment portfolio, divided by total equily.

Investment Portfolio Summary as of 9/30/17



(\$ in millions)	Maximum Loan Commitment	Principal Balance	Book Value	Cash Coupon ⁽¹⁾		Original Terms (Years)	Initial LTV ⁽³⁾	Stabilized LTV
Senior	\$2,312.4	\$2,041.8	\$2,023.9	L + 4.42%	L + 4.97%	3.5	69.7%	64.2%
Mezzanine	\$105.7	\$104.1	\$104.1	L+8.17%	L + 8.77%	5.3	67.6%	61.3%
CMBS/B-Notes	\$56.2	\$56.2	\$56.2	L + 7.17%	L + 7.80%	5.2	74.9%	74.8%
Total Weighted/Average	\$2,474.3	\$2,202.1	\$2,184.2	L+4.64%	L + 5.19%	3.6	69.8%	64.3%

Cash coupon does not include origination or exit fees. Weighted average cash coupon excludes fixed rate loans. Yield includes net origination fees and exit fees, but does not include future fundings, and is expressed as a monthly equivalent yield. Weighted average yield excludes fixed rate loans. Except as otherwise inclusted in this presentation, initial IV is calculated as the initial Ioan amount (plus any financing that is pari passu with or senior to such Ioan) divided by the as is appraised value (as determined in conformance with USPAP) as of the date the Ioan was originated set forth in the original appraisal. 1) 2) 3)



Third Quarter 2017 Earnings Summary



- · Loan closings weighted towards the end of the third quarter
- Dividend of \$0.32 per share driven by core earnings but also taxable income recognized in the quarter
- Taxable income was \$14.3 million, or \$0.33 per share, and included \$2.6 million of amortization of gain related to the formation transaction that occurred concurrent with our IPO
 - Estimate approximately \$15 million of taxable accretion to be recognized through the end of 2019⁽²⁾
- · Expect taxable income over the next 2-3 years, on a declining basis, to be higher than core earnings as a result of the taxable accretion
- Expect fourth quarter 2017 dividend in range of \$0.38-\$0.40 per share⁽³⁾
- Core Earnings is a non-U.S. GAAP measure that we define as comprehensive income attributable to common stockholders, excluding "realized and unrealized gains and losses" (impairment losses, realized and unrealized gains or losses on the aggregate portfolio and non-cash compensation expense related to restricted common stock). We believe the presentation of Core Earnings provides investors greater transparency into our period-over-period financial performance and facilitates comparisons to peer REITs. The timing of the tax accretion may change depending on prepayments, future fundings, loan extensions, credit defaults, and other factors. Anticipated dividend is subject to the discretion and approval of our Board of Directors. Going forward, we do not expect to provide guidance on dividends or other financial results. 1)
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Overview: GAAP-to-Tax Difference



- During our formation transaction, the contribution by Two Harbors of its commercial real estate lending business was treated as a sale for tax purposes
 - As a result, we recognized a lower tax basis than GAAP basis of approximately \$22 million at the time of the transaction
 - This GAAP-to-tax difference will result in higher tax accretion versus GAAP accretion over the life of the commercial real estate investment portfolio we acquired from Two Harbors
- In the third quarter, we recognized approximately \$2.6 million of additional accretion in taxable income versus GAAP income
- We estimate, that through the end of 2019, we will recognize approximately \$15 million of additional taxable accretion resulting in our taxable income being higher than core earnings
 - The amount and timing of this recognition may change depending on factors such as additional fundings, prepayments, and any potential credit losses, among other things

Investment Portfolio Detail as of September 30, 2017



\$ in millions	Туре	Origination Date	Maximum Loan Commitment		Carrying Value	Cash Coupon ⁽¹⁾	Yield ⁽²⁾	Original Term (Years)	State	Property Type	Initial LTV	Stabilized LTV
Asset 1	Senior	09/17	125.0	107.5	105.8	L + 4.45%	L +5.03%	3.0	СТ	Office	62.9%	58.9%
Asset 2	Senior	07/16	120.5	100.2	99.1	L + 4.45%	L + 4.99%	4.0	Various	Office	62.8%	61.5%
Asset 3	Senior	12/15	120.0	120.0	120.0	L + 4.20%	L + 4.43%	4.0	LA	Mixed-Use	65.5%	60.0%
Asset 4	Senior	09/15	105.0	105.0	105.0	L + 3.42%	L + 3.79%	3.0	CA	Retail	70.9%	66.9%
Asset 5	Senior	05/17	86.5	68.7	67.7	L + 4.10%	L + 4.82%	4.0	MA	Office	71.3%	71.5%
Asset 6	Senior	04/16	82.0	82.0	81.5	L + 4.75%	L + 5.44%	3.0	NY	Industrial	75.9%	55.4%
Asset 7	Senior	11/15	79.0	78.3	78.3	L + 4.20%	L + 4.67%	3.0	NY	Office	66.4%	68.7%
Asset 8	Senior	10/16	78.5	76.1	75.5	L + 4.37%	L + 4.83%	4.0	NC	Office	72.4%	68.1%
Asset 9	Senior	11/16	68.8	39.4	39.0	L + 4.89%	L + 5.78%	3.0	OR	Office	66.5%	51.1%
Asset 10	Senior	06/16	68.4	51.8	51.5	L + 4.49%	L + 4.93%	4.0	н	Retail	76.2%	57.4%
Asset 11	Senior	12/16	62.3	62.3	60.8	L + 4.11%	L + 4.87%	4.0	FL	Office	73.3%	63.2%
Asset 12	Senior	01/17	58.6	39.5	39.0	L + 4.50%	L + 5.16%	3.0	CA	Industrial	51.0%	60.4%
Asset 13	Senior	01/17	56.2	52.0	51.4	L + 4.75%	L + 5.24%	4.0	SC	Office	67.6%	67.1%
Asset 14	Senior	08/16	54.5	44.5	44.0	L + 4.95%	L + 5.54%	4.0	NJ	Office	60.8%	63.0%
Asset 15	Senior	11/15	54.3	39.9	39.8	L + 4.55%	L + 5.13%	4.0	MD	Office	80.0%	64.5%
Assets 16-58	Various	Various	1,254.7	1,134.9	1,125.8	8 L + 4.93%	L + 5.51%	3.6	Various	Various	71.3%	65.8%
Fotal/Weighte	ed Average		\$2,474.3	\$2,202.1	\$2,184.2	L + 4.64%	L + 5.19%	3.6			69.8%	64.3%

Cash coupon does not include origination or exit fees. Weighted average cash coupon excludes fixed rate loans.
 Yield includes net origination fees and exit fees, but does not include future fundings, and is expressed as a monthly equivalent yield. Weighted average yield excludes fixed rate loans.

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Third Quarter 2017 Average Balances and Yields/Cost of Funds



	Three Mo	Three Months Ended September 30, 2017						
(dollars in thousands)	Average Balance ⁽¹⁾	Interest Income/Expense	Net Yield/Cost of Funds					
Interest-earning assets								
Loans held-for-investment								
First mortgages	\$1,776,641	\$27,109	6.1%					
Subordinated loans	104,139	2,546	9.8%					
Available-for-sale securities	12,798	265	8.3%					
Held-to-maturity securities	43,442	940	8.7%					
Other		4						
Total interest income/net asset yield	\$1,937,020	\$30,864	6.4%					
Interest-bearing liabilities ⁽²⁾								
Total interest expense/cost of funds	\$1,247,881	12,497	4.0%					
Net interest income/spread		\$18,367	2.4%					

Average balance represents average amortized cost on loans held-for-investment, AFS securities and HTM securities.
 Includes repurchase agreements and note payable to affiliate.

Third Quarter 2017 Balance Sheet



GRANITE POINT MORTGAGE TRUST INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (in thousands, except share data)		ptember 30, 2017	December 31, 2016	
ASSETS		(unaudited)		
.oans held-for-investment	\$	2,127,954	\$	1,364,291
Available-for-sale securities, at fair value		12,814		12,686
teld-to-maturity securities		43,390		48,252
Cash and cash equivalents		142,391		56,019
Restricted cash		2,331		260
Accrued interest receivable		5,786		3,745
Due from counterparties		20		249
ncome taxes receivable		4		5
Accounts receivable		12,695		7,735
Deferred debt issuance costs		9,342		2,365
Total Assets	\$	2,356,727	\$	1,495,607
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
labilities				
Repurchase agreements	\$	1,475,264	\$	451,167
Note payable to affiliate		27,458		593,632
Accrued Interest payable		2,331		655
Jnearned interest income		450		143
Other payables to affiliates		86		21,460
Dividends payable		13,835		-
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		5,529		559
Total Liabilities		1,524,953		1,067,616
10% cumulative redeemable preferred stock, par value \$0.01 per share; 50,000,000 shares authorized and 1,000 and 0 shares issued and outstanding, respectively		1,000		-
Stockholders' Equity				
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share; 450,000,000 shares authorized and 43,235,103 and 0 shares issued and outstanding, respectively		432		_
Additional paid-in capital		829,522		392,608
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		16		(112
Cumulative earnings		14,664		35,495
Cumulative distributions to stockholders		(13.860)		_
Total Stockholders' Equity	-	830,774	-	427,991
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$	2.356,727	\$	1.495.607

Third Quarter 2017 Income Statement



GRANITE POINT MORTGAGE TRUST INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (in thousands, except share data)		Three Months E September 3			Nine Months Ended September 30,			
	- 27	2017	2016		2017	2016		
Interest income:		(unaudited)		(unaudite	d)		
Loans held-for-investment	\$	29,655 \$	14,933	\$	77,213 \$	37,062		
Available-for-sale securities		265	242		767	758		
Held-to-maturity securities		940	974		2,792	3,217		
Cash and cash equivalents		4	3		10	6		
Total interest income		30,864	16,152	_	80,782	41,043		
Interest expense		12,497	3,024		26,376	7,052		
Net interest income	1.0	18,367	13,128	-	54,406	33,991		
Other income:								
Ancillary fee income		-	15		-	41		
Total other income		-	15		-	41		
Expenses:								
Management fees		3,130	1,689		6,717	5,098		
Servicing expenses		333	145		962	372		
General and administrative expenses		3,388	1,721		7,561	5,204		
Total expenses		6,851	3,555	_	15,240	10,674		
Income before income taxes		11,516	9,588		39,166	23,358		
Benefit from income taxes		(2)	(2)		(3)	(9)		
Net income		11,518	9,590		39,169	23,367		
Dividends on preferred stock		25	-		25	-		
Net income attributable to common stockholders	\$	11,493 \$	9,590	\$	39,144 \$	23,367		
Basic and diluted earnings per weighted average common share (1)	\$	0.27 \$		\$	0.27 \$	-		
Dividends declared per common share	\$	0.32 \$	-	\$	0.32 \$	_		
Basic and diluted weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding		43,234,254	-		43,234,252	-		
Comprehensive income:								
Net income	\$	11,493 \$	9,590	\$	39,144 \$	23,367		
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax:								
Unrealized gain (loss) on available-for-sale securities	_	32	64	_	128	(128)		
Other comprehensive income (loss)		32	64	_	128	(128)		
Comprehensive income	\$	11,525 \$	9,654	\$	39,272 \$	23,239		

1) The Company has calculated earnings per share only for the period common stock was outstanding, referred to as the post-formation period. The Company has defined the post-formation period to be the period from the date the Company commenced operations as a publicly traded company on June 28, 2017 through September 30, 2017, or 95 days of activity. Earnings per share is calculated by dividing the net income for the post-formation period by the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding during the post-formation period.

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