

# NVR, Inc. Announces First Quarter Results

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RESTON, Va., April 19, 2018 /PRNewswire/ -- **NVR, Inc. (NYSE: NVR)**, one of the nation's largest homebuilding and mortgage banking companies, announced net income for its first quarter ended March 31, 2018 of \$166,049,000, or \$39.34 per diluted share. Net income and diluted earnings per share for the first quarter ended March 31, 2018 increased 61% and 57%, respectively, when compared to 2017 first quarter net income of \$102,923,000, or \$25.12 per diluted share. Consolidated revenues for the first quarter of 2018 totaled \$1,529,414,000, a 20% increase from \$1,277,092,000 in the first quarter of 2017.

Net income and diluted earnings per share were favorably impacted by the reduction in the Company's effective tax rate in the first quarter of 2018 to 13.1% from 22.1% in the first quarter of 2017. The reduction in the effective tax rate was primarily due to the following items:

- The enactment of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act in December 2017, which lowered the Company's federal statutory tax rate from 35% to 21%, and
- The retroactive reinstatement of certain expired energy tax credits under the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2018, which resulted in the Company recognizing a tax benefit of approximately \$6,200,000 related to homes settled in 2017.

Additionally, the effective tax rate in both the first quarter of 2018 and 2017 was favorably impacted by the recognition of an income tax benefit related to excess tax benefits from stock option exercises totaling \$19,567,000 and \$19,900,000, respectively.

#### Homebuilding

New orders in the first quarter of 2018 increased 17% to 5,174 units, when compared to 4,424 units in the first quarter of 2017. The average sales price of new orders in the first quarter of 2018 was \$378,200, a decrease of 4% when compared with the first quarter of 2017. The decrease in the average sales price of new orders is primarily attributable to a shift in new orders to lower priced markets and lower priced products. Settlements increased in the first quarter of 2018 to 3,896 units, 20% higher than the first quarter of 2017. The Company's backlog of homes sold but not settled as of March 31, 2018 increased on a unit basis by 22% to 9,809 units and increased on a dollar basis by 17% to \$3,744,523,000 when compared to March 31, 2017.

Homebuilding revenues in the first quarter of 2018 totaled \$1,490,093,000, 19% higher than the year earlier period. Gross profit margin in the first quarter of 2018 increased to 18.7%, compared to 17.8% in the first quarter of 2017. Income before tax from the homebuilding segment totaled \$168,570,000 in the first quarter of 2018, an increase of 44% when compared to the first quarter of 2017.

#### Mortgage Banking

Mortgage closed loan production in the first quarter of 2018 totaled \$1,009,673,000, an increase of 20% when compared to the first quarter of 2017. Income before tax from the mortgage banking segment totaled \$22,428,000 in the first quarter of 2018, an increase of 50% when compared to \$14,971,000 in the first quarter of 2017.

#### About NVR

NVR, Inc. operates in two business segments: homebuilding and mortgage banking. The homebuilding segment sells and builds homes under the Ryan Homes, NVHomes and Heartland Homes trade names, and operates in thirty-one metropolitan areas in fourteen states and Washington, D.C. For more information about NVR, Inc. and its brands, see <u>www.nvrinc.com</u>, <u>www.nvanhomes.com</u>, <u>www.nvhomes.com</u> and <u>www.heartlandluxuryhomes.com</u>.

Some of the statements in this release made by the Company constitute "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Certain, but not necessarily all, of such forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology, such as "believes," "expects," "may," "will," "should" or "anticipates" or the negative thereof or other comparable terminology. All statements other than of historical facts are forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements contained in this document may include those regarding market trends, NVR's financial position, business strategy, the outcome of pending litigation, investigations or similar contingencies, projected plans and objectives of management for future operations. Such forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause the actual results or performance of NVR to be materially different from future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements. Such risk factors include, but are not limited to the following: general economic and business conditions (on both a national and regional level); interest rate changes; access to suitable financing by NVR and NVR's customers; increased regulation in the mortgage banking industry; the ability of our mortgage banking subsidiary to sell loans it originates into the secondary market; competition; the availability and cost of land and other raw materials used by NVR in its homebuilding operations; shortages of labor; weather related slow-downs; building moratoriums; governmental regulation; fluctuation and volatility of stock and other financial markets; mortgage financing availability; and other factors over which NVR has little or no control. NVR undertakes no obligation to update such forward-looking statements except as required

NVR, Inc. Consolidated Statements of Income (in thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

Three Months Ended March 31,			
2018	2017		

Homebuilding:				
Revenues	\$ 1,490,093		\$	1,247,587
Other income	1,977			1,102
Cost of sales	(1,211,946)		(	1,026,017)
Selling, general and administrative	(105,547)			(99,904)
Operating income	1	174,577		122,768
Interest expense		(6,007)		(5,578)
Homebuilding income	168,570			117,190
Mortgage Banking:				
Mortgage banking fees	39,321			29,505
Interest income		2,093		1,661
Other income	524			309
General and administrative	(	19,235)		(16,246)
Interest expense		(275)		(258)
Mortgage banking income	22,428			14,971
Income before taxes	1	90,998		132,161
Income tax expense	(24,949)			(29,238)
Net income	<u>\$</u> 1	66,049	\$	102,923
Basic earnings per share	\$	45.19	\$	27.78
Diluted earnings per share	\$	39.34	\$	25.12
Basic weighted average shares outstanding		3,675		3,705
Diluted weighted average shares outstanding		4,220		4,097

### NVR, Inc. Consolidated Balance Sheets (in thousands, except share and per share data) (Unaudited)

	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017		
ASSETS				
Homebuilding:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 414,763	\$ 645,087		
Restricted cash	20,767	19,438		
Receivables	22,374	20,026		
Inventory:				
Lots and housing units, covered under sales agreements with customers	1,170,604	1,046,094		
Unsold lots and housing units	124,312	148,620		
Land under development	33,078	34,212		
Building materials and other	16,398	17,273		
	1,344,392	1,246,199		
Contract land deposits, net	361,891	370,429		
Property, plant and equipment, net	41,326	43,191		
Reorganization value in excess of amounts allocable to identifiable assets, net	41,580	41,580		
Other assets	204,329	198,930		
	2,451,422	2,584,880		
Mortgage Banking:				
Cash and cash equivalents	10,803	21,707		
Restricted cash	3,230	2,256		
Mortgage loans held for sale, net	344,023	352,489		
Property and equipment, net	6,237	6,327		
Reorganization value in excess of amounts allocable to identifiable assets, net	7,347	7,347		
Other assets	23,003	14,273		
	394,643	404,399		
Total assets	\$ 2,846,065	\$ 2,989,279		
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Homebuilding:				
Accounts payable	\$ 265,155	\$ 261,973		
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	314,897	341,891		
Customer deposits	167,486	150,033		

Senior notes	597,220	597,066
	1,344,758	1,350,963
Mortgage Banking:		
Accounts payable and other liabilities	34,499	32,824
	34,499	32,824
Total liabilities	1,379,257	1,383,787
Commitments and contingencies		
Shareholders' equity:		
Common stock, \$0.01 par value; 60,000,000 shares authorized; 20,555,330 shares issued as of		
both March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017	206	206
Additional paid-in capital	1,678,100	1,644,197
Deferred compensation trust – 108,642 and 108,640 shares of NVR, Inc. common stock as of		
March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively	(17,389)	(17,383)
Deferred compensation liability	17,389	17,383
Retained earnings	6,400,185	6,231,940
Less treasury stock at cost – 16,936,586 and 16,864,324 shares as of March 31, 2018 and December 31,		
2017, respectively	(6,611,683)	(6,270,851)

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Total shareholders' equity

Total liabilities and shareholders' equity

NVR, Inc. Operating Activity (dollars in thousands) (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,			
		2018		2017
Homebuilding data:				
New orders (units)				
Mid Atlantic (1)		2,503		2,125
North East (2)		371		359
Mid East (3)		1,296		1,134
South East (4)		1,004		806
Total		5,174		4,424
Average new order price	\$	378.2	\$	392.6
Settlements (units)				
Mid Atlantic (1)		1,926		1,658
North East (2)		301		268
Mid East (3)		879		725
South East (4)		790		605
Total		3,896		3,256
Average settlement price	\$	382.4	\$	383.1

Backlog (units)

Mid Atlantic (1)	4,801			4,008	
North East (2)	752			699	
Mid East (3)	2,315			1,908	
South East (4)	 1,941			1,437	
Total	 9,809			8,052	
Average backlog price	\$ 381.7		\$	396.6	
New order cancellation rate	14	%		16	%
Community count (average)	485			486	
Lots controlled at end of period	91,300			79,100	
Mortgage banking data:					
Loan closings	\$ 1,009,673		\$	843,341	
Capture rate	86	%		86	%
Common stock information:					
Shares outstanding at end of period	3,618,744		Э	8,735,638	
Number of shares repurchased	116,268			50,922	
Aggregate cost of shares repurchased	\$ 357,242		\$	85,547	
(1) Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Delaware and Washington, D.C.					

Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Delaware and Washington, D.C.
New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania
New York, Ohio, Western Pennsylvania, Indiana and Illinois
North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Florida

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