

Impac Mortgage Holdings, Inc. Provides Clarification on Its Warehouse Facility With Colonial Bank, NA

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IRVINE, Calif., Nov. 21 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Impac Mortgage Holdings, Inc. (NYSE: IMH), or the "Company," a Maryland corporation, being taxed as a real estate investment trust ("REIT"), announces the following clarification: Colonial Bank, NA the banking subsidiary of the Colonial BancGroup, Inc. ("Colonial")(NYSE: CNB) currently lends to Impac Funding Corporation. The facility is currently being used to fund conforming A paper, agency eligible production, pre-sold to end investors. The current commitment is approximately \$27.0 million and is performing as agreed. Impac is not in default with Colonial Bank, NA.

Safe Harbor Statement

This release contains certain forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Forward-looking statements, some of which are based on various assumptions and events that are beyond our control may be identified by reference to a future period or periods or by the use of forward-looking terminology, such as "may," "will," "believe," "expect," "likely," "should," "could," "anticipate," "projected", or similar terms or variations on those terms or the negative of those terms. The forward-looking statements are based on management expectations. Actual results may differ materially as a result of several factors, including, but not limited to: the ability to generate sufficient liquidity from the long-term investment operations; higher than expected loss severities on REOs sales and liquidations; changes in assumptions of future allowance of losses on REOs; unexpected deterioration in the housing market changing previously appraised home values; change in value of mortgage loans underlying outstanding finance facilities causing margin calls; inability to obtain waivers from lenders; the failure to sell non-performing loans in the secondary market due to lack of interest; unexpected increase in prepayment rates on our mortgages; changes in assumptions regarding estimated loan losses or an increase in loan losses; changes in markets which the Company serves thereby effecting mortgage repayments on loans and the related value of mortgage loans underlying its securitized mortgage portfolio; inability to sub-lease on favorable terms or at all, or to negotiate reasonable terminations on leases; inability to file the third quarter Form 10-Q when anticipated or further delay of filing due to more time needed to prepare disclosure or discovery of unidentified issues; the adoption of new laws that affect our business or the business of people with whom we do business; changes in laws that affect our products and our business; and

About Impac Mortgage Holdings, Inc.

Impac Mortgage Holdings, Inc. is a mortgage REIT, which through its Long Term Investment Operations is primarily invested in non-conforming Alt A mortgage loans (Alt-A) and to a lesser extent small balance commercial and multi-family loans. The Company also operates a significantly reduced Mortgage Operations, which originates and sells conforming loans that are eligible for sale to government sponsored agencies. The Company is organized as a REIT for tax purposes, which generally allows it to pass through earnings to stockholders without federal income tax at the corporate level.

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