NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.

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TO REPORT FOURTH QUARTER 2018 EARNINGS AND HOST CONFERENCE CALL ON JANUARY 30TH

Westbury, N.Y., December 27, 2018 – New York Community Bancorp, Inc. (NYSE: NYCB) (the "Company") today announced that it expects to issue its earnings release for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2018 at approximately 7:00 a.m. Eastern Time (ET) on Wednesday, January 30, 2019. The release will be posted to the Investor Relations portion of the Company's website, ir.myNYCB.com, upon issuance.

The Company will conduct a conference call at 8:30 a.m. (ET) on the same date, during which President and Chief Executive Officer Joseph R. Ficalora will discuss the Company's fourth quarter 2018 performance. The conference call will be simultaneously webcast at ir.myNYCB.com and archived through 5:00 p.m. on February 27, 2019.

Conference Call Details:

Dial-in for Live Call:

Domestic:	(877) 407-8293
International:	(201) 689-8349

Dial-in for Replay:

Availability:	January 30 (12:30 p.m.) – February 3 (11:59 p.m.)
Access Code:	13685972
Domestic:	(877) 660-6853
International:	(201) 612-7415

About New York Community Bancorp, Inc.

Based in Westbury, NY, New York Community Bancorp, Inc. is a leading producer of multi-family loans on non-luxury, rent-regulated apartment buildings in New York City, and the parent of New York Community Bank. At September 30, 2018, the Company reported assets of $51.2 billion, loans of $39.8 billion, deposits of $30.3 billion, and stockholders' equity of $6.8 billion.

Reflecting our growth through a series of acquisitions, the Company operates 252 branches through eight local divisions, each with a history of service and strength: Queens County Savings Bank, Roslyn Savings Bank, Richmond County Savings Bank, Roosevelt Savings Bank, and Atlantic Bank in New York; Garden State Community Bank in New Jersey; Ohio Savings Bank in Ohio; and AmTrust Bank in Florida and Arizona.

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