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TO REPORT FOURTH QUARTER 2016 EARNINGS AND HOST CONFERENCE CALL ON JANUARY 25TH

Westbury, N.Y., December 28, 2016 – 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, 2016 at approximately 7:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time (EST) on Wednesday, January 25, 2017. The release will be posted to the Company’s website, ir.myNYCB.com, upon issuance.

The Company will conduct a conference call at 8:30 a.m. (EST) on the same date, during which President and Chief Executive Officer Joseph R. Ficalora will discuss the Company’s fourth quarter 2016 performance and its business model. The conference call will be simultaneously webcast at ir.myNYCB.com and archived through 5:00 p.m. on February 22, 2017.

Conference Call Details:

Dial-in for Live Call:

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

Dial-in for Replay:

Availability: January 25 (12:30 p.m.) – January 29 (11:59 p.m.)
Access Code: 13651844
Domestic: (877) 660-6853
International: (201) 612-7415

About New York Community Bancorp, Inc.

One of the largest U.S. bank holding companies, with assets of \$49.5 billion, 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 and New York Commercial Bank. With deposits of \$29.1 billion and 255 branches in Metro New York, New Jersey, Florida, Ohio, and Arizona, the Company also ranks among the largest depositories in the United States.

Reflecting its growth through a series of acquisitions, the Community Bank currently operates through seven local divisions, each with a history of service and strength: Queens County Savings Bank, Roslyn Savings Bank, Richmond County Savings Bank, and Roosevelt Savings Bank in New York; Garden State Community Bank in New Jersey; Ohio Savings Bank in Ohio; and AmTrust Bank in Florida and Arizona. Similarly, New York Commercial Bank currently operates 18 of its 30 New York-based branches under the divisional name Atlantic Bank. Additional information about the Company and its bank subsidiaries is available at www.myNYCB.com and www.NewYorkCommercialBank.com.