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TO REPORT FIRST QUARTER 2017 EARNINGS AND HOST CONFERENCE CALL ON APRIL 26TH

Westbury, N.Y., March 29, 2017 – New York Community Bancorp, Inc. (NYSE: NYCB) (the "Company") today announced that it expects to issue its earnings release for the three months ended March 31, 2017 at approximately 7:00 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time (EDT) on Wednesday, April 26, 2017. 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. (EDT) on the same date, during which President and Chief Executive Officer Joseph R. Ficalora will discuss the Company's first quarter 2017 performance and its business model. The conference call will be simultaneously webcast at ir.myNYCB.com and archived through 5:00 p.m. on May 24, 2017.

Conference Call Details:

Dial-in for Live Call:

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

Dial-in for Replay:

Availability:	April 26 (12:30 p.m.) – April 30 (11:59 p.m.)
Access Code:	13658110
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 $48.9 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 $28.9 billion and 255 branches in Metro New York, New Jersey, Florida, Ohio, and Arizona, the Company also ranks among the largest U.S. depositories.

Reflecting its growth through a series of acquisitions, New York 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.