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Narrow minded? 2 negative Qtrs = recession

Broader assessment = No recession yet

It matters

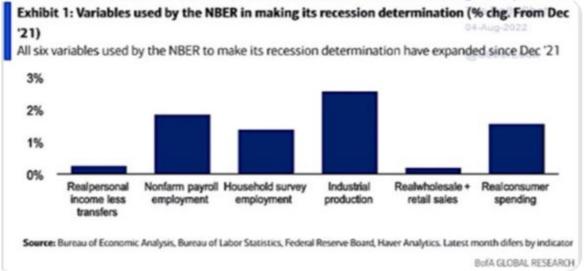
FOMC members believe no recession yet

View will shape policy

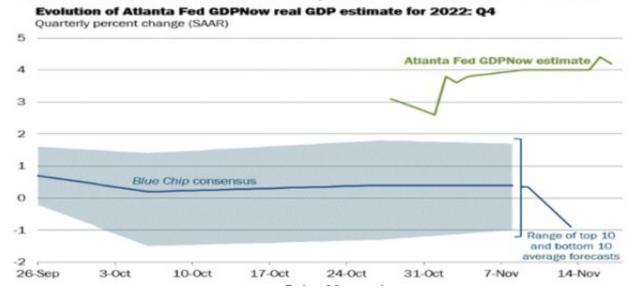
Which matters - Your view? Ego?

Be objective

NBER Recession Variables – June 30, 22 NO RECESSION versus GDP 2 negative quarters



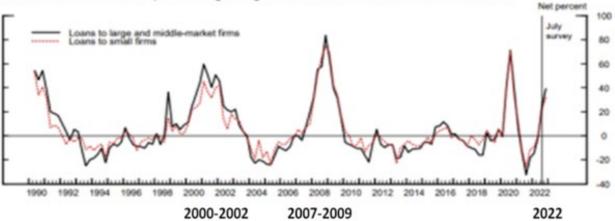
Atlanta Fed GDP Now – Fourth quarter GDP +4.2%, Q3 +2.6%



C&I Lending standards up = more monetary tightening - Fed is spigot, Banks are nozzle

Measures of Supply and Demand for Commercial and Industrial Loans, by Size of Firm Seeking Loan

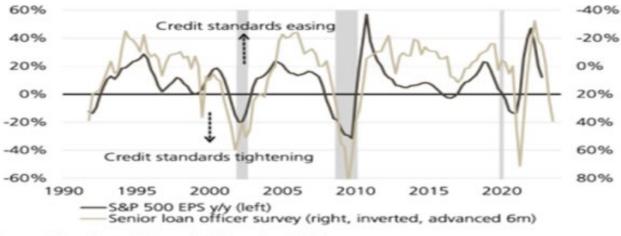
Net Percent of Domestic Respondents Tightening Standards for Commercial and Industrial Loans



Tighter Lending Standards - Bad for Profits

Fig. 1: Tighter lending standards will likely weigh on profit growth

S&P 500 EPS growth; Senior Loan Officer Opinion Survey, % of banks tightening



Source: Bloomberg, UBS as of 7 November 2022

