DAVEY STEPHEN P

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock (401k

Plan) (1)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DAVEY STEPHEN P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP [VLY]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 1455 VALL	· · · · · ·	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/06/2013			Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President					
				ndment, Date Original hth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
WAYNE, NJ 07470								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							lly Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Executi	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (D) (Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or	d of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/06/2013			S	508	D	\$ 9.26	24,267	D		
Common											

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			(Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Prio Deriv Secur (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 18.85					11/17/2004	11/17/2013	Common Stock	3,491	
Stock Options	\$ 18.93					11/16/2005	11/16/2014	Common Stock	3,325	
Stock Options	\$ 17.54					11/14/2006	11/14/2015	Common Stock	3,519	
Stock Options	\$ 19.19					11/13/2007	11/13/2016	Common Stock	3,351	
Stock Options	\$ 14.93					11/14/2008	11/14/2017	Common Stock	2,426	
Stock Options	\$ 14.24					11/17/2009	11/17/2018	Common Stock	1,216	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DAVEY STEPHEN P 1455 VALLEY ROAD WAYNE, NJ 07470

Senior Vice President

Signatures

/s/ STEPHEN

DAVEY 05/08/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Holdings under the Valley 401K Plan has been updated to reflect reporting person's balance in the Plan.

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