

UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP  
Form 8-K  
April 17, 2017

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

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report: April 17, 2017  
(Date of earliest event reported)

Umpqua Holdings Corporation  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

OREGON (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)	000-25597 (Commission File Number)	93-1261319 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)
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One SW Columbia Street, Suite 1200  
Portland, Oregon 97258  
(address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(503) 727-4100  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the

Exchange Act. [ ]

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Item 8.01. Other Information.

On April 17, 2017, Umpqua Bank announced the hiring of Rilla Delorier as Executive Vice President/Chief Strategy Officer effective as of April 10, 2017. Ms. Delorier, age 50, is a former Suntrust Bank executive, serving as Executive Vice President-Consumer Channels from 2014-2016, Executive Vice President-Chief Marketing Officer from 2008-2014 and Senior Vice President-Director of Marketing, Wealth & Investment Management from 2006-2008. Prior to joining Umpqua Bank, Ms. Delorier was Chief Executive Officer of Periphery Associates, a strategic consulting firm.

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- (5) Phantom Stock Units acquired under the Company's Non-Employee Director Deferred Compensation Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(c). Shares of Common Stock are issued under terms of the Plan upon resignation from the board of directors.

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