

VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP

Form 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Â Onorato Andrea T (Last) (First) (Middle) 1455 VALLEY ROAD (Street) WAYNE,Â NJÂ 07470 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2014	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP [VLY]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) Executive Vice President	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	38,797	D	Â
Common Stock (401k Plan)	2,064	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option/NQ	11/16/2005	11/16/2014	Common Stock	3,325	\$ 18.93	D	Â
Stock Option/NQ	11/14/2006	11/14/2015	Common Stock	3,519	\$ 17.54	D	Â
Stock Option/NQ	11/13/2007	11/13/2016	Common Stock	3,351	\$ 19.19	D	Â
Stock Option/NQ	11/14/2008	11/14/2017	Common Stock	3,191	\$ 14.93	D	Â
Stock Option/NQ	11/17/2009	11/17/2018	Common Stock	2,431	\$ 14.24	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Onorato Andrea T 1455 VALLEY ROAD WAYNE, NJ 07470	Â	Â	Â Executive Vice President	Â

Signatures

/s/ ANDREA T.
ONORATO

02/06/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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