FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANCORP INC Form 8-K October 18, 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 EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) October 18, 2017

Farmers & Merchants Bancorp, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Ohio (State or Other Jurisdiction 001-38084 (Commission File Number) 34-1469491 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

307 North Defiance Street, Archbold, Ohio

Identification No.)

43502

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(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code) Registrant s Telephone Number, including Area Code (419) 446-2501

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17-CFR 240.13e-4(c)) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter)

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.

ITEM 2.02. Results of Operation and Financial Condition

On October 18, 2017, Farmers & Merchants Bancorp, Inc. issued a press release announcing its earnings for the third quarter ended September 30, 2017. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.

ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

ExhibitNumberExhibit99Company Press release dated October 18, 2017

Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto authorized.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANCORP, INC.

(Registrant)

Dated: October 18, 2017

/s/ Paul S. Siebenmorgen Paul S. Siebenmorgen President & Chief Executive Officer

/s/ Barbara J. Britenriker Barbara J. Britenriker Executive Vice President & Chief Financial Officer