HERITAGE COMMERCE CORP

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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).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Kaczmarek Walter Theodore			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HERITAGE COMMERCE CORP [HTBK]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of (Month/D) ERITAGE COMMERCE 05/03/20 ORP, 150 ALMADEN BLVD.				•				Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO/Director		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
SAN JOSE, CA 95113									Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-l	Dei	rivative S	ecuri	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	Execution any	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ion	4. Securiti (A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	posed	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 (1)	05/03/2016			A		15,000	A	\$ 0	88,927	D	
Common									41,000	I	Indirect by Tax

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

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. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		e	(Instr. 3 and 4)		8. P Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Standard Employee Option - ISO	\$ 23.85					08/03/2006	08/03/2016	Common	0	
Standard Employee Option - NSO	\$ 23.85					08/03/2006	08/03/2016	Common	0	
Standard Employee Option - NSO	\$ 23.89					05/04/2007	05/04/2017	Common	0	
Standard Employee Option - NSO	\$ 8.07					02/27/2014	02/27/2024	Common	0	

Reporting Owners

**Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Kaczmarek Walter Theodore HERITAGE COMMERCE CORP 150 ALMADEN BLVD. SAN JOSE, CA 95113			President & CEO/Director					
Signatures								
Debbie Reuter as Attorney in fact for Kaczmarek	Walter	C	5/05/2016					

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Explanation of Responses:

- * 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) Restricted stock vests 25% each year on an annualized basis.

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