UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP Form 8-K April 19, 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 19, 2017 (Date of earliest event reported)

Umpqua Holdings Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

OREGON 001-34624 93-1261319

(Commission File (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number) Number)

Organization)

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)

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:

[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
[] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
[] 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 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

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 19, 2017, Umpqua Holdings Corporation issued a press release announcing first quarter 2017 financial results. The release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. The information included in the press release is considered to be "furnished" under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"). Umpqua Holdings Corporation will include final financial statements and additional analyses for the quarter ended March 31, 2017 as part of its quarterly report on Form 10-Q covering that period.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

Umpqua Holdings Corporation is filing an investor slide presentation that it intends to review in conjunction with its earnings release conference call on April 20, 2017. The slides are included as Exhibit 99.2 to this report and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, or otherwise subject to the liability of that section, and shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) EXHIBITS

99.1 Press Release announcing first quarter 2017 financial results dated April 19, 2017 99.2 First quarter 2017 Investor Presentation

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 duly authorized.

UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORPORATION (Registrant)

By:/s/ Andrew H. Ognall Dated: April 19, 2017 Andrew H. Ognall

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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