UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP Form 8-K August 12, 2014

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): August 6, 2014

Umpqua Holdings Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Oregon001-3462493-1261319(State or Other Jurisdiction(Commission(IRS Employerof Incorporation)File Number)Identification No.)

One SW Columbia, Suite 1200

Portland, Oregon 97258

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

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

Not Applicable

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:

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On August 12, 2014, Umpqua Holdings Corporation (the Company) completed a secondary public offering (the Offering) of 15,000,000 shares of the Company's common stock (the Shares) by certain funds affiliated with Thomas H. Lee Partners, L.P. and Warburg Pincus LLC (the Selling Shareholders). The Company itself did not sell any shares and did not receive any proceeds from the Offering. The Offering was made pursuant to the Company's shelf registration statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-195396), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 18, 2014, and related prospectus supplement dated August 7, 2014.

In connection with the Offering, the Company entered into an Underwriting Agreement, dated August 6, 2014 (the Underwriting Agreement), by and among the Company, the Selling Shareholders and J.P. Morgan Securities LLC as underwriter. The Underwriting Agreement is filed herewith as Exhibit 1.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

Number 1.1

Description

Underwriting Agreement, dated as of August 6, 2014, by and among Umpqua Holdings Corporation, Thomas H. Lee Equity Fund VI, L.P., Thomas H. Lee Parallel Fund VI, L.P., Thomas H. Lee Parallel (DT) Fund VI, L.P., THL Sterling Equity Investors L.P., THL Managers VI, LLC, Warburg Pincus Private Equity X, L.P., Warburg Pincus X Partners, L.P. and J.P. Morgan Securities LLC.

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

Umpqua Holdings Corporation

Date: August 12, 2014

By: /s/ Andrew H. Ognall

Name: Andrew H. Ognall

Title: Executive Vice President, General

Counsel and Secretary

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