

NORTHEAST COMMUNITY BANCORP INC  
Form 8-K  
May 23, 2012

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) May 22, 2012

**NORTHEAST COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

United States  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

0-51852      06-178-6701  
(Commission (IRS Employer  
File Number) Identification No.)

**325 Hamilton Avenue, White Plains, New York**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

10601  
(Zip Code)

**(914) 684-2500**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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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 May 22, 2012, Northeast Community Bancorp, Inc. (the “Company”), the holding company for Northeast Community Bank (the “Bank”), announced that it has entered into a contract for a fourth branch location in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, where the Bank currently has three branch offices and one loan production office.

For more information, reference is made to the Company’s press release dated May 22, 2012, a copy of which is attached to this Report as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

Number Description

99.1 Press Release dated May 22, 2012

SIGNATURE

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.

Northeast Community  
Bancorp, Inc.

Date: May 22, 2012      By: /s/ Kenneth A.  
Martinek  
A. Martinek  
Chairman,  
President and  
Chief Executive  
Officer