PEOPLES BANCORP INC Form 8-K June 04, 2007

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): June 4, 2007

PEOPLES BANCORP INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 0-16772 (Commission File Number) 31-0987416 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

138 Putnam Street, PO Box 738 Marietta, Ohio (Address of principal executive offices)

45750-0738 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (740) 373-3155

> Not applicable (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Section 8 – Other Events Item 8.01

Other Events.

On June 4, 2007 Peoples Bank, National Association, a subsidiary of Peoples Bancorp Inc. (Nasdaq: PEBO) announced plans to open a full-service banking location in Zanesville, Ohio. A copy of the news release is attached as Exhibit 99 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

 Section 9 – Financial Statements and Exhibits Item 9.01
 Financial Statements and Exhibits

 a) Financial statements of businesses acquired No response required.
 Financial Statements and Exhibits

 b) Pro forma financial information No response required.
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 c) Exhibits
 Financial Statements

Exhibit Number 99 Description News Release issued by Peoples Bancorp Inc. on June 4, 2007

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

PEOPLES BANCORP INC.

Date: June 4, 2007 By:/s/ MARK F. BRADLEY Mark F. Bradley President and Chief Executive Officer

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Exhibit Number Description 99 News Release issued by Peoples Bancorp Inc. on June 4, 2007