

Item 8.01. Other Events

On February 1, 2016, Horizon Bancorp (“Horizon”) completed the redemption (the “Redemption”) of all 12,500 outstanding shares of Senior Non-Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, Series B (the “SBLF Preferred Stock”) which were held by the U.S. Department of Treasury and issued pursuant to its Small Business Lending Fund (“SBLF”). The SBLF Preferred Stock was redeemed at its liquidation value of \$1,000 per share, plus accrued dividends, for a total Redemption price of \$12,510,416.67. Horizon funded the Redemption using cash on hand without borrowing and without a special dividend from its wholly owned banking subsidiary, Horizon Bank, N.A. Following the Redemption, Horizon does not have any shares of its Senior Non-Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, Series B outstanding. The Redemption terminates Horizon’s participation in the SBLF.

The Redemption was approved by Horizon’s primary federal regulator. After the Redemption, the capital resources of Horizon and Horizon Bank, N.A. continue to exceed minimum regulatory capital requirements and remain at levels that qualify as “well capitalized” under applicable regulatory guidelines.

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 hereto duly authorized.

Date: February 1, 2016 Horizon Bancorp

By: /s/ Mark E. Secor
Mark E. Secor
Executive Vice President & Chief Financial Officer