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Northfield Bancorp, Inc. Form 8-K September 13, 2011

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 t (Date of earliest event reported): Sen

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): <u>September 9, 2011</u>
Northfield Bancorp, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

United States 1-33732 42-1572539

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File No.) (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation) Identification No.)

1410 St. Georges Avenue, Avenel, New Jersey 07001

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (732) 499-7200

Not Applicable

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o 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 September 9, 2011, Northfield Bancorp, Inc. s (the Company) Board of Directors authorized the continuance of its stock repurchase program. Pursuant to the additional authority, the Company may repurchase up to 2,066,379 shares, representing approximately 5% of its outstanding shares following the completion of its current repurchase program. The timing of the repurchases will depend on certain factors, including but not limited to, market conditions and prices, the Company s liquidity and capital requirements, and alternative uses of capital. Any repurchased shares will be held as treasury stock and will be available for general corporate purposes.

The foregoing information is qualified in its entirety by the press release that is filed as Exhibit 99 to this Current Report.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (a) Not Applicable.
- (b) Not Applicable.
- (c) Not Applicable.
- (d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Exhibit

99 Press Release dated September 9, 2011

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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.

NORTHFIELD BANCORP, INC.

DATE: September 13, 2011

By: /s/ Steven M. Klein

Steven M. Klein

Chief Financial Officer and Chief Operating Officer

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