

UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP  
Form 8-K  
June 15, 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 and Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report: June 15, 2011  
(Date of earliest event reported)

**Umpqua Holdings Corporation**  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

**OREGON**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or  
Organization)

**000-25597**  
(Commission File  
Number)

**93-1261319**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification  
Number)

**One SW Columbia Street, Suite 1200**  
**Portland, Oregon 97258**  
(address of Principal Executive Offices)(Zip Code)

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

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

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**Item 8.01 Other Information**

On June 15, 2011, Umpqua Holdings Corporation announced the declaration of a cash dividend of \$0.05 per common share, payable on July 15, 2011 to shareholders of record as of June 30, 2011.

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.

UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORPORATION  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Kenneth E. Roberts

Dated: June 15, 2011      Kenneth E. Roberts  
Assistant Secretary

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