

BRIDGE BANCORP INC
Form 8-K
January 06, 2017

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): January 6, 2017

BRIDGE BANCORP, INC.

(Exact name of the registrant as specified in its charter)

New York 001-34096 11-2934195
(State or other jurisdiction of (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer

incorporation or organization)

**Identification
No.)**

**2200 Montauk Highway
Bridgehampton, New York 11932
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)**

(631) 537-1000

(Registrant's telephone number)

N/A

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

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

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the

Exchange Act (17
CFR 240.13e-4c)

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On January 6, 2017 the Registrant announced the declaration of a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.23 per share, payable on January 31, 2017 to shareholders of record as of January 23, 2017. A copy of the press release announcing the dividend is attached as Exhibit 99.1 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

99.1 Press Release dated January 6, 2017

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 hereunto duly authorized.

Bridge Bancorp, Inc.

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Kevin M. O'Connor

Kevin M. O'Connor

President and Chief Executive Officer

Dated: January 6, 2017