TIMBERLAND BANCORP INC Form 8-K January 26, 2016

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 25, 2016

Timberland Bancorp, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Washington State or other jurisdiction Of incorporation 0-23333 Commission File Number 91-1863696 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

624 Simpson Avenue, Hoquiam, Washington (Address of principal executive offices)

98550 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number (including area code) (360) 533-4747

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(17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On January 25, 2016, Timberland Bancorp, Inc. issued its earnings release for the quarter ended December 31, 2015. The release also announced the declaration of a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.08 per common share. A copy of the earnings release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, which is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is being furnished herewith and this list shall constitute the exhibit index:

99.1 Press Release of Timberland Bancorp, Inc. dated January 25, 2016

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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.

TIMBERLAND BANCORP, INC.

DATE: January 25, 2016

By: /s/ Dean J. Brydon Dean J. Brydon Chief Financial Officer