

Oak Valley Bancorp
Form 8-K
January 20, 2016

**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: January 19, 2016
(Date of earliest event reported)

Oak Valley Bancorp
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| CA (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | 001-34142 (Commission File Number) | 26-2326676 (IRS Employer Identification Number) |
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125 N. Third Ave. Oakdale, CA
(Address of principal executive
offices) **95361**
(Zip Code)

(209) 848-2265
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable
(Former Name or Former Address, if changed since last report)

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the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

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-4(c))

ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

On January 19, 2016, the Board of Directors of Oak Valley Bancorp declared a \$0.12 per share cash dividend for shareholders of record as of February 1, 2016, payable on February 11, 2016. A press release was issued on January 20, 2016 and is attached to this Current Report and is incorporated into this report by reference.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release issued January 20, 2016 announcing declaration of a cash dividend.

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.

OAK VALLEY BANCORP

By: /s/ Jeffrey A. Gall

Dated: January 20, 2016 Jeffrey A. Gall
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial Officer and duly authorized signatory)

Exhibit Index

Exhibit No.

Description

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| 99.1 | Press Release of Oak Valley Bancorp dated January 20, 2016 |
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