

PATRIOT NATIONAL BANCORP INC  
Form 8-K  
December 17, 2015

**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): December 15, 2015

**PATRIOT NATIONAL BANCORP, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Connecticut  
(State or Other Jurisdiction

000-29599  
(Commission

06-1559137  
(IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

900 Bedford Street, Stamford, Connecticut  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

06901  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (203) 324-7500

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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

**Item 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.**

There were two matters submitted to a vote of securities holders at the 2015 Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Patriot National Bancorp, Inc. ( Patriot ), which was held on December 15, 2015. Following are the two proposals:

**(1) To elect six (6) directors to serve until Patriot s Annual Meeting of Shareholders to be held in 2016 and until their successors are elected.**

The results of the voting were as follows:

<b>NAME OF DIRECTOR</b>	<b>VOTES FOR</b>	<b>VOTES WITHHELD</b>	<b>BROKER NON-VOTES</b>
Michael A. Carrazza	3,146,874	0	0
Kenneth T. Neilson	3,146,874	0	0
Edward N. Constantino	3,146,874	0	0
Raymond B. Smyth	3,146,874	0	0
Emile Van den Bol	3,146,874	0	0
Michael J. Weinbaum	3,146,874	0	0

**(2) To ratify the appointment of BDO USA, LLP to serve as the independent registered public accounting firm for Patriot for the 2015 fiscal year.**

The results of the voting were as follows:

VOTES FOR	3,146,874
VOTES AGAINST	0
ABSTAINED	0
BROKER NON-VOTES	0

**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.

PATRIOT NATIONAL BANCORP, INC.

Date: December 17, 2015

By: /s/ Kenneth T. Neilson

Kenneth T. Neilson

President and Chief Executive Officer