UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP Form 8-K April 16, 2009

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: April 16, 2009 (Date of earliest event reported)

Umpqua Holdings Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

OREGON000-2559793-1261319(State or Other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation or Organization)(Commission File
Number)(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)

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:

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

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 16, 2009, Umpqua Holdings Corporation issued a press release announcing first quarter 2009 financial results. A copy of the press release is attached as <u>Exhibit 99.1</u>.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (a) Not applicable
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Not applicable
- (d) Exhibits
 - 99.1 Earnings Press Release

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)

Dated: April 16, 2009 By: /s/ Kenneth E. Roberts

Kenneth E. Roberts
Assistant Secretary

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.11	12/28/2005		A	7,500	(2)	12/28/2015	Common Stock	7,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MANDIGO CLARK R 224 E. DOUGLAS SUITE 700 WICHITA, KS 67202-	X					

Signatures

By: /s/ Gerald T. Aaron, 12/29/2005 Attorney-in-fact **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- The exercise price is based on the closing price of the Company's common stock on December 28, 2005.

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25% of the options vest on the one year anniversary of grant, 25% of the options vest on the two year anniversary of grant, 25% of the options vest on the three year anniversary of grant and the remaining 25% vest on the four year anniversary of grant.

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