

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report: April 24, 2014

**NORTHWEST INDIANA BANCORP**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Indiana  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

000-26128  
(Commission File Number)

35-1927981  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

9204 Columbia Avenue  
Munster, Indiana 46321  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(219) 836-4400  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K 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)
  - 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))
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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On April 25, 2014, NorthWest Indiana Bancorp issued a press release reporting its Board of Directors authorized a stock repurchase program for the Bancorp's common stock. A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Stock Repurchase Program Press Release dated April 25, 2014

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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.

Date: April 25, 2014

NORTHWEST INDIANA BANCORP

By: /s/ David A. Bochnowski

Name: David A. Bochnowski  
Title: Chairman of the Board, Chief  
Executive Officer, and President

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**  
**APRIL 25, 2014**

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION**  
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**NORTHWEST INDIANA BANCORP**  
**ANNOUNCES STOCK REPURCHASE PROGRAM**

Munster, Indiana - NorthWest Indiana Bancorp (the "Bancorp"), the holding company for Peoples Bank (the "Bank"), announced today that the Board of Directors has authorized the repurchase of up to 50,000 shares of the Bancorp's common stock, which represents approximately 1.8% of the total shares outstanding.

"Our Board believes that at current prices the Bancorp's stock is a very attractive investment for the corporation," said David A. Bochnowski, chairman and chief executive officer.

The Bancorp's Board believes that repurchasing its common stock would benefit the Bancorp and its shareholders by enhancing the potential for growth in earnings per share for the remaining outstanding shares. Under the stock repurchase plan, the Bancorp's management is authorized to repurchase, from time to time and subject to market conditions, shares of its outstanding common stock in the open market, in block trades, or in private transactions.

The newly authorized stock repurchase plan replaces a stock repurchase plan previously authorized by the Board. Under the prior stock repurchase plan, the Bancorp had completed the repurchase of 43,812 shares of the 50,000 shares authorized, or approximately 1.5% of the outstanding common stock of the Bancorp, at an average price of \$22.64 per share.

**About NorthWest Indiana Bancorp**

NorthWest Indiana Bancorp is a locally owned and independent bank holding company headquartered in Munster, Indiana, whose activities are primarily limited to holding the stock of Peoples Bank. Peoples Bank provides a wide range of personal, business and wealth management financial services from its 14 locations in Lake and Porter Counties in Northwest Indiana. NorthWest Indiana Bancorp's common stock is traded on the OTC Bulletin Board under the symbol NWIN. The website [ibankpeoples.com](http://ibankpeoples.com) provides information on Peoples Bank's products and services, and NorthWest Indiana Bancorp's investor relations.

**Forward-looking Statements**

"Forward-looking statements" as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 may be included in this release. A variety of factors could cause the Bancorp's actual results to differ from those expected at the time of this release. These include, but are not limited to, changes in economic conditions in the Bancorp's market area, changes in policies by regulatory agencies, fluctuation in interest rates, demand for loans in the Bancorp's market area, economic conditions in the financial services industry, competition and other risks set forth in the Bancorp's reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2013. Readers are urged to carefully review and consider the various disclosures made by the Bancorp in its periodic reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made, and the Bancorp undertakes no obligation to update them in light of new information or future events.

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