PEOPLES BANCORP OF NORTH CAROLINA INC

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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): May 2, 2019

Peoples Bancorp of North Carolina, Inc. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

North Carolina (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

000-272056-2132396

(Commission Employer File Identification No.) No.)

518 West

Street, 28658

Newton,

North

Carolina

(Address

of

Principal (Zip Principal Code) Executive

Offices)

(828)

464-5620

(Registrant's

Telephone

Number,

Including

Area Code)

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

(a) Annual Shareholders' Meeting – May 2, 2019

(b)
Directors elected at the meeting are as follows: James S. Abernethy, Robert C. Abernethy, Douglas S. Howard, John W. Lineberger, Jr., Gary E. Matthews, Billy L. Price, Jr. MD, Larry E. Robinson, William Gregory Terry, Dan Ray Timmerman, Sr. and Benjamin I. Zachary

At the May 2, 2019 Annual Shareholders' Meeting the following items were submitted to a vote of shareholders:

1) Election of Directors:

| | Votes For | Votes Against | Votes Withheld | Broker Non-votes |
|-------------------------|-----------|---------------|----------------|------------------|
| James S. Abernethy | 3,757,660 | - | 965,696 | 915,460 |
| Robert C. Abernethy | 3,523,593 | - | 1,199,763 | 915,460 |
| Douglas S. Howard | 3,809,595 | - | 913,761 | 915,460 |
| John W. Lineberger, Jr. | 4,035,346 | - | 688,010 | 915,460 |
| Gary E. Matthews | 4,038,260 | - | 685,096 | 915,460 |
| Billy L. Price, Jr. MD | 4,037,978 | - | 685,378 | 915,460 |
| Larry E. Robinson | 4,036,209 | - | 687,147 | 915,460 |
| William Gregory Terry | 3,806,583 | - | 916,773 | 915,460 |
| Dan Ray Timmerman, Sr. | 3,757,588 | - | 965,768 | 915,460 |
| Benjamin I. Zachary | 3,984,066 | - | 739,290 | 915,460 |

2)
Participation in advisory (non-binding) vote to approve the compensation of the Company's named executive officers

Votes For – 3,951,783; Votes Against – 675,315; Votes Abstained – 96,258; Broker Non-votes – 915,460

3)

Participation in advisory (non-binding) vote to determine the frequency in which shareholders approve the compensation of the Company's named executive officers

Votes For 3 Years – 2,677,906; Votes For 2 Years – 155,773; Votes For 1 Year – 1,800,489; Votes Abstained – 89,188; Broker Non-votes – 915,460

4) Ratification of appointment of Independent Registered Public Accountants – Elliott Davis, PLLC

Votes For – 5,611,599; Votes Against – 10,357; Votes Abstained – 16,860; Broker Non-votes – 0

(c) Not applicable

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.

PEOPLES BANCORP OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

Date: May 3, 2019 By: /s/ A. Joseph Lampron, Jr.

A. Joseph Lampron, Jr. Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer