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): March 5, 2012

HERITAGE COMMERCE CORP

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

California	000-23877	77-0469558
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
150 Almaden Boulevard, San Jose, California		95113
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registrant's tele	phone number, including area code: (40	08) 947-6900
	Not Applicable	
(Former nam	ne or former address, if changed since la	ast report.)
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8- any of the following provisions (See General Inst	•	tisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under
☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 42	25 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 23	0.425)
□ 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))		

ITEM 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.

Heritage Commerce Corp is scheduled to present at Sandler O'Neill's West Coast Financial Services Conference at the Ritz-Carlton, San Francisco, California. Walter T. Kaczmarek, President and Chief Executive Officer, is scheduled to present on Tuesday, March 6, 2012 at 7:05 a.m. The presentation will be archived for 30 days after the conference, beginning March 7, 2012, and can be viewed at http://www.sandleroneill.com. A copy of the information in the slide presentation is included as Exhibit 99.2. This Form 8-K and the information included as exhibits shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ("Exchange Act"), nor shall it be incorporated by reference into a filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended ("Securities Act"), or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing. The furnishing of the information in this report is not intended to, and does not, constitute a determination or admission by the Company that the information in this report is material or complete, or that investors should consider this information before making an investment decision with respect to any security of the Registrant or any of its affiliates. The information in the materials is presented as of December 31, 2011, and the Company does not assume any obligations to update such information in the future.

A copy of the press release announcing the Company's participation in the Conference is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS.

Heritage Commerce Corp will hold its Annual Meeting of Shareholders at its Company Headquarters in San Jose, California, on May 24, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. (PDT).

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

D) Exhibits

- 99.1 Press Release, dated March 5, 2012, entitled "Heritage Commerce Corp to Present at Sandler O'Neill's West Coast Financial Services Conference."
- 99.2 Slide presentation to investors to be presented on March 6, 2012 by the registrant's President and Chief Executive Officer.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

Date: March 5, 2012

Heritage Commerce Corp

By: /s/ Lawrence D. McGovern Name: Lawrence D. McGovern

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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