

FIRST BANCORP /NC/  
Form 8-K  
February 26, 2016

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
450 Fifth Street NW  
Washington, D.C. 29549

**Form 8-K**

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF  
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **February 26, 2016**

**First Bancorp**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

North Carolina	0-15572	56-1421916
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

300 SW Broad Street, Southern Pines,  
North Carolina

28387

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(910) 246-2500

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if changed since last report)

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First Bancorp has named Michael G. Mayer as President of First Bancorp. Mr. Mayer will continue to serve as President of First Bank, the principal subsidiary of First Bancorp. Richard H. Moore will continue to serve as Chief Executive Officer (“CEO”) of First Bancorp and First Bank.

Information regarding Mr. Mayer, including his business experience and relationships with the Company, has been previously reported in the Company’s proxy statement filed April 1, 2015 and in the Form 8-K filed on February 27, 2014, and such information is incorporated by reference herein.

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.

First Bancorp

February 26, 2016 By: /s/ Elizabeth B. Bostian  
Elizabeth B. Bostian  
Secretary and Executive Vice President

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