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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

## **FORM 10-Q**

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

For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2007

Commission File Number 0-15572

#### FIRST BANCORP

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

North Carolina (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)

56-1421916 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

341 North Main Street, Troy, North Carolina (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

27371-0508 (Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(910) 576-6171

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding twelve months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. ý YES "NO

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer." Large Accelerated Filer y Accelerated Filer "Non-Accelerated Filer"

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). "YES  $\circ$  NO

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The number of shares of the registrant's Common Stock outstanding on November 1, 2007 was 14,376,778.							
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**Part I. Financial Information** 

Item 1 - Financial Statements

## First Bancorp and Subsidiaries Consolidated Balance Sheets

(\$ in thousands-unaudited)	S	September 30, 2007	December 31, 2006 (audited)	September 30, 2006
ASSETS				
Cash & due from banks, noninterest-bearing	\$	36,352	43,248	35,931
Due from banks, interest-bearing		114,824	83,877	83,571
Federal funds sold		33,438	19,543	24,212
Total cash and cash equivalents		184,614	146,668	143,714
Securities available for sale (costs of \$140,993, \$130,824,		100 =00	100 061	107.001
and \$127,227)		139,738	129,964	125,824
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Securities held to maturity (fair values of \$13,643, \$13,168,		12.652	12 122	10.714
and \$10,770)		13,652	13,122	10,714
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Presold mortgages in process of settlement		4,130	4,700	3,143
Loans		1,838,346	1,740,396	1,696,835
Less: Allowance for loan losses		(20,631)	(18,947)	(18,465)
Net loans		1,817,715	1,721,449	1,678,370
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Premises and equipment		46,123	43,540	43,207
Accrued interest receivable		13,157	12,158	11,368
Goodwill		49,505	49,505	49,489
Other intangible assets		1,608	1,889	2,229
Other		14,015	13,563	10,398
Total assets	\$	2,284,263	2,136,624	2,078,458
LIABILITIES				
Deposits: Demand - noninterest-bearing	\$	229,727	217,291	212,509
NOW accounts		193,577	193,435	185,701
Money market accounts		250,036	205,994	196,144
Savings accounts		105,328	103,346	115,252
Time deposits of \$100,000 or more		468,565	422,772	411,178
Other time deposits		571,675	552,841	544,118
Total deposits		1,818,908	1,695,679	1,664,902
Repurchase agreements		39,059	43,276	32,804
Borrowings		233,013	210,013	200,013
Accrued interest payable		6,156 16,357	5,649	5,382
Other liabilities		16,357	19,302	12,268

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Total liabilities **2,113,493** 1,973,919 1,915,369