WEBSTER FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K February 07, 2012

# 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): February 7, 2012

# **Webster Financial Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

001-31486 (Commission 06-1187536 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

**Identification No.)** 

Webster Plaza, Waterbury, Connecticut (Address of principal executive offices)

06702 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (203) 578-2202

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing 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)
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- " 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 8.01. Other Events.

Item 9.01.

On February 7, 2012, Webster Bank, National Association (the Bank), a wholly owned subsidiary of Webster Financial Corporation, announced that it has accepted for purchase an aggregate of \$74,901,000 principal amount of its 5.875% Subordinated Notes due 2013 (the Notes) that were validly tendered pursuant to its previously announced fixed price cash tender offer for the Notes (the Tender Offer). The Tender Offer expired at 5:00 P.M., New York City time, on Monday, February 6, 2012. The Tender Offer was made pursuant to the Offer to Purchase and the related Letter of Transmittal, dated January 30, 2012.

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A copy of the press release announcing the completion of the Tender Offer is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

(a)	Not applicable.
(b)	Not applicable.
(c)	Not applicable.
(d)	Exhibits.
Exhibit No. Description	
99.1	Press release dated February 7, 2012.

Financial Statements and Exhibits.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

## WEBSTER FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Date: February 7, 2012 By: /s/ Glenn I. MacInnes

Name: Glenn I. MacInnes

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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### EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

No. Description

99.1 Press release dated February 7, 2012.

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