

DIME COMMUNITY BANCSHARES INC

Form 8-K

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INVESTOR PRESENTATION JULY 2015 “Lending for the Way New Yorkers Live”

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3 about... DIMENEW YORK CITY'S PREMIER COMMUNITY BANK MULTIFAMILY LENDER SINCE 1965 Dime Community Bancshares, Inc., is the holding company for The Dime Savings Bank of Williamsburgh, a \$4.64 billion dollar institution. Community retail bank model with an emphasis on New York City Multifamily Lending. Low credit risk model with consistently strong returns. Twenty-five branches serving Brooklyn, Queens, The Bronx and Nassau Counties. Split-adjusted IPO price of a DCOM share is \$2.96. The annualized total return since the IPO has been 12%; cumulative total return has been 800%. Current dividend of \$0.14/QTR (Yield of 3.24% based on 7/17/2015 closing price of \$17.31). Significant management tenure and equity ownership. Variety of initiatives underway to drive future shareholder value.

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Branch Network 4 25 Branches in New York City metropolitan area. Average branch size = \$117.4 million as of June 30, 2015 (1) Data as of December 31, 2014 Source: FDIC(2) As of June 30, 2015 County 2014 Market Share Rank (1) Number of Dime Branches (2) Deposits in Market (\$mm) Total Market Share (%) Brooklyn 11 10 \$ 1,279 2.68% Queens 13 7 802 1.64% Nassau 14 7 784 1.25% Bronx 18 1 69 0.62%

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Key Officers & Directors 5 \* Amounts per page 4 of the Company's proxy statement dated April 13, 2015.

Name	Title	Tenure	Inside Ownership*	DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS:	
Palagianio	Chairman & CEO	45 years	2.9% (966,592 shares)	Michael P. Devine	Vice Chairman & President 44 years
			1.8% (595,978 shares)	Kenneth J. Mahon	Senior Executive Vice President & COO 35 years
					1.1% (368,202 shares)
				Total Directors and Executive Officers Ownership 14.0% (4,901,720 shares)	
				OTHER	
				OPERATING OFFICERS:	
				Daniel Harris	Chief Lending Officer 7 years with 30 years prior bank experience
				Timothy King	Chief Risk Officer 32 years
				Terence Mitchell	Chief Retail Officer 4 years with 30 years prior bank experience
				Michael Pucella	Chief Accounting Officer 34 years
				Timothy Lenhoff	Chief Information Officer Recent hire. 30 years prior relevant experience
				Robert Volino	Chief Investment Officer 16 years

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Initiatives: Investing in the Business 6 Plans for three new Brooklyn branches to open by summer 2016. Including new branches in Williamsburg and Park Slope. Business banking outreach to commercial borrowers to grow business deposits. Recently added a seasoned 3-member team to Business Banking division. Development of Outreach Programs to Small- and Micro- Business customers in the Bank's trade areas. Growth of sales and training staff; introduction of customer relationship management process. Tighter focus on pay-for-performance. Adoption of "CONNECTIONS" customer management software.

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Initiatives: Investing in the Business 7 Investments in technology and staffing; major focus on e-banking, internet and cybersecurity. Mobile banking for consumers and small business. Development of the internet banking channel to grow deposits more efficiently and rapidly than brick-and-mortar. Cost-cutting initiatives to pay for new project implementations. Internal restructuring to create a leaner, more customer-responsive operations department. Monetization of owned real estate in Williamsburg, Brooklyn, creates significant book value and free capital.

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8 Another Year of Top Performance BankDirector: DIME RANKS # 7 in \$1 to \$5 billion asset group“The 200 largest U.S. banks are stronger and more profitable than at any time since the Great Recession.” SNLThrift Investor:DIME RANKS # 4 of 100For the sixth straight year, Dime ranks fifth or higher in SNL survey. Resurgent Performance, Inc:DIME RANKS # 2 in Lending Performance

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10 Source: SNL Financial(1) Excludes 5 peers with recent conversions; reflects average of extended peer group Tangible Common Equity / Tangible Assets (%) Grow assets 15% on average over the next 3 years (goal of 12% growth for 2015) Remain focused on NYC multifamily loans TCE sufficient to support growth Additional capital from monetization of real estate Decrease the loan to deposit ratio Increase lower cost commercial and business deposits. 3 to 5 Year Goals Peer TCE / TA: 8.41%(1)(as of 3/31/2015) DIME 3 to 5 Year Goals Focus on Asset Growth

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11 Source: SNL Financial Loan CAGR: 4.96% Deposit CAGR: 5.12% Loan and Deposit Growth

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12	Category (000's)	Jun-14	Avg. Cost	Jun-15	Avg. Cost	% Growth	CRE Deposits	\$ 105,174	0.11%	\$ 156,036	
	0.12%	48%	Business Deposits	85,394	0.14%	82,575	0.13%	-3%	Branch Consumer Deposits		
	2,462,511	0.81%	2,695,196	0.83%	9%	TOTAL	2,653,079	0.76%	2,933,807	0.78%	11%
	Deposit Growth Initiatives Increase Percentage of Commercial and Small Business Deposits 2015 - 2017 Deposit Change from 2014 - 2015										

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New York City Housing Stock\* 14 Source: 2011 New York City Housing and Vacancy Survey and census data. \* Total housing stock equals 3,187,575 units. As shown in the adjacent chart, New York City is a city of apartment dwellers. Only 18% of the City's housing stock is classified 1 – 4 family. Dime has historically been one of the primary lenders in the small (10 – 75 unit, rent-regulated) apartment house market in New York City, which is summed up in our mission statement: Lending for the Way New Yorkers Live.

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Real Estate Loan Portfolio	Portfolio Risk Segmentation	\$ Amount (In Thousands)	% of Portfolio
Current LTV	Loans Underlying Coops	\$ 226,962	5.3%
1-4 Family and Small Mixed Use		70,875	1.6%
Multifamily		1,971,535	49%
Multifamily w/ commercial		1,235,388	100%
Commercial w/ residential		357,988	28.7%
Pure Commercial		441,894	54%

The perceived risk profile of the loan portfolio by major segment, from "least" to "highest" risk. \* As of June 30, 2015. Excludes allowance for loan losses.

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Real Estate Loan Originations 16    Originations in \$ millions    Year Ended December 31    \*\* 2014 Total origination amount includes \$200.0 million of loans re-purchased from Fannie Mae at an average yield approximating 3.5%    NPAs / Assets (%)

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18 Source: SNL Financial Efficiency Ratio (%) Net Operating Expense / Avg. Assets (%) Low Cost Operator  
Relative to Peers

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20 CAGR: 11.7% Source: SNL Financial; Data pro forma for recently announced and pending acquisitions and capital raises Peer TBV + Cumulative Dividends CAGR: 5.1% Creating Shareholder Value

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21 Source: SNL Financial; Data as of 7/15/2015 DCOM – Ten Year Price Performance

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23 Risk Management In 2008, Dime created the position of CHIEF RISK OFFICER, encompassing the fields of : Enterprise Risk, Credit Administration, Compliance, Audit, and Cybersecurity Risk.Credit: Concentration in low-risk NYC multifamily market.Interest Rate: Nature of loans is short-term (5- and 7-year).Liquidity: Stable sources of available liquidity.

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24 Credit Risk Management Dime has a long, successful history of managing its highly concentrated “CRE” portfolio, mainly because multifamily loans are residential housing loans. At Dime, “commercial real estate” is a euphemism for multifamily residential housing. Dime has historically been one of the primary lenders in the small (10 – 75 unit, rent-regulated) multifamily housing market in New York. The New York City multifamily housing market is unique in the nation due mainly to rent regulation. NYC rent regulations provide a level of stability in the marketplace, especially to conservative lenders such as Dime (with loans reliant almost solely upon occupancy for debt service). From 2009 to the most recent quarter-end, the average debt service ratio on newly originated “commercial real estate” loans was 2.06x, and the average loan-to-value ratio was 58%. Dime’s “Texas ratio” (a popular measure of a bank’s ability to absorb credit losses) was 0.8% as of the most recent quarter-end, one of the lowest nationally.

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Credit Metrics since the onset of the financial crisis 25 Undue reliance should not be placed on any forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made, and the Company undertakes no obligation to update them in light of new information or future events except to the extent required by Federal securities laws.

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015 (1)	(\$ in thousands)	Total		
Loans	\$3,391,658	\$3,468,479	\$3,458,416	\$3,506,368	\$3,699,519						
	\$4,119,240	\$4,306,596					Non-Performing Loans	\$11,294	\$20,168	\$28,973	\$8,888
	\$12,549	\$6,198	\$1,292				NPLs to Total Loans				
	0.33%	0.58%	0.84%	0.25%	0.34%	0.15%	0.03%		Net Charge Offs (Recoveries)	\$8,993	\$13,821
	\$5,925	\$3,707	\$766	\$(212)	\$(1,451)				NCOs to Total		
Loans	0.27%	0.40%	0.17%	0.11%	0.02%	-0.01%	-0.034%		Allowance as a % of		
Loans	0.53%	0.54%	0.58%	0.59%	0.54%	0.45%	0.43%		"Texas" ratio (2) end of period		
end	4.0%	8.4%	8.9%	2.6%	3.7%	2.5%	0.8%		(1) At June 30, 2015 or for the period then ended.(2) "Texas" ratio =		
	sum of non-performing assets + accruing loans past due 90 days or more as a % of Tangible Capital + ALLL.										

Credit Metrics vs Peer Group 26 Undue reliance should not be placed on any forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made, and the Company undertakes no obligation to update them in light of new information or future events except to the extent required by Federal securities laws. For purposes of this chart, Dime Community Bancshares, Inc.'s peer group consists of the following: Astoria Financial Corporation (AF), Flushing Savings Bank (FFIC), Investors Bank (ISBC), Kearny Federal Savings Bank (KARNY), OceanFirst Bank (OCFC), Oritani Bank (ORIT), Signature Bank (SBNY), Sterling National Bank (STL), Sun National Bank (SNBC), The Provident Bank (PFS), TrustCo Bank (TRST), Valley National Bank (VLY). (% of Average Total Loans) Dime's conservative underwriting has resulted in consistent out-performance of its peers in credit loss experience.

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