

NARA BANCORP INC  
Form 8-K  
October 24, 2011

**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): October 24, 2011

Nara Bancorp, Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware                      000-50245      95-4170121  
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer  
of incorporation)              File Number) Identification No.)

3731 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 1000, Los Angeles, CA      90010  
(Address of principal executive offices)                                      (Zip Code)  
Registrant's telephone number, including area code (213) 639-1700

(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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On October 24, 2011, Nara Bancorp, Inc. issued a press release announcing that it had commenced an offering of approximately \$55 million of its common stock in an underwritten public offering, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference. The Company intends to grant the underwriter an option to purchase up to an additional 15% of the amount of common stock offered to cover overallotments, if any.

The shares will be issued pursuant to a prospectus supplement filed as part of a shelf registration statement previously filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission that has become effective.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release issued by Nara Bancorp, Inc. on October 24, 2011.

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**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 hereunto duly authorized.

Nara Bancorp, Inc.

Date: October 24, 2011    /s/ Alvin D. Kang  
Alvin D. Kang  
President and Chief  
Executive Officer