## 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): January 14, 2008

MACATAWA BANK CORPORATION

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Michigan

(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

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**000-25927** (Commission File No.) **38-3391345** (IRS Employer Identification No.)

**10753 Macatawa Drive, Holland, MI** (Address of Principal Executive Offices) **49424** (Zip Code)

616 820-1444

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if changed Since Last Report)

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230,425). Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240,14a-12). 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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 14, 2008, Macatawa Bank Corporation issued a press release announcing results for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2007. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.

The information in this Form 8-K and the attached Exhibit shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

## ITEM 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99 Press release dated January 14, 2008.

## 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 hereunto duly authorized.

# MACATAWA BANK CORPORATION

Dated: January 14, 2008

By /s/ Jon W. Swets

Jon W. Swets Chief Financial Officer

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# NEWS RELEASE

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#### Macatawa Bank Corporation Reports 2007 Annual and 4th Quarter Results

Holland, Michigan, January 14, 2008 - Macatawa Bank Corporation today announced its results for the fourth quarter of 2007 and for the full year.

In December, the Company announced that its  $4^{\text{th}}$  quarter earnings would be impacted by the need for additional loan loss provisions of \$9.5 million because of a growing weakness in residential development loans. This brought the Company's total  $4^{\text{th}}$  quarter provisions to \$10.3 million and led to a net loss of \$2.80 million, or a \$0.16 loss per share, for the fourth quarter of 2007. This compares to net income of \$2.85 million, or \$0.16 earnings per diluted share, for the same period in 2006.

For all of 2007, net income was \$9.08 million, or \$0.53 per diluted share, compared to net income of \$19.83 million, or \$1.14 per diluted share, for 2006.

"As we told the investment community in December, we considered these extra provisions both necessary and prudent in light of West Michigan's soft economic conditions, as reflected in declining property values throughout our community," commented Ben Smith, Chairman and CEO. "Many financial institutions across the state and around the country have found themselves in a similar position because of issues related to residential real estate."

The Company's credit exposure is primarily isolated in residential development loans, a narrow and declining slice of its total portfolio. The Company does not have any exposure to subprime mortgage loans.

The Company's non-performing loans increased \$25.2 million during the quarter to \$73.9 million and represent about 4.22% of total loans at December 31, 2007. Loans to residential developers comprised most of the increase in non-performing loans. With the additional provisions provided in the fourth quarter, management believes non-performing loans are either well collateralized or adequately reserved.

"Despite a disappointing quarter, we are nevertheless very proud of the franchise we have built," Mr. Smith said. "This past November the Company celebrated its  $1^{\frac{1}{4}}$  anniversary as a community bank. From a single branch with 10 employees, the Company has grown to become one of the top banks in Michigan. More importantly, Macatawa holds the largest market share in Ottawa County – and we remain focused on becoming the market leader in Kent and Allegan counties."

During 2007, the Company opened more than 25,000 new accounts. Smith attributed the increase to Macatawa's combination of highly personalized service and broad product offerings, which continues to resonate with both individual and business customers.

"As we begin 2008, we have made every effort to identify our credit exposure based on the current environment," Mr. Smith stated. "While we do not have a crystal ball, we have confidence in the West Michigan economy and its ability to recover. We remain well-capitalized. Our loan loss reserve is a healthy 1.91% of total loans, we have a strong balance sheet and we remain profitable."

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A breakdown of non-performing assets is shown in the table below:

Dollars in 000s	December 31, 2007				
Commercial Real Estate Commercial and Industrial	\$ 68,634 4,116	\$	44,153 3,424		
Total Commercial Loans Residential Mortgage Loans Consumer Loans	 72,750 641 518		47,577 487 639		
Total Non-Performing Loans Other Repossessed Assets Other Real Estate Owned	\$ 73,909 172 5,704	\$	48,703 158 6,095		
Total Non-Performing Assets	\$ 79,785	\$	54,956		

Loans for the development or sale of 1-4 family residential properties that were in a non-performing status were approximately \$57.4 million or 78% of total non-performing loans at December 31, 2007.

Fourth quarter net interest income totaled \$14.7 million, a decrease of \$2.4 million compared to the fourth quarter of 2006. The decrease in net interest income was primarily from a decline in the net interest margin partially offset by an increase in average earning assets. Average earning assets grew by 3% or \$50.7 million from the fourth quarter of 2006 to the fourth quarter of 2007. The net interest margin was 3.00% for the quarter, down 20 basis points from 3.20% for the third quarter of 2007 and 55 basis points from 3.55% for the fourth quarter of 2006.

On a consecutive quarter basis, 16 of the 20 basis points decline in the net interest margin was related to rising balances of non-performing loans. Only 3 basis points of the net interest margin decline can be attributed to the 100 basis point cuts in the Federal funds and prime rates since late September. Despite the Company's significant variable rate loan portfolio, it has been able to minimize the impact of the recent decline in short-term rates by the Federal Reserve Bank. Future rate cuts will have a slight negative impact on net interest income in the near term, although over a full twelve month period the overall impact on earnings is expected to be neutral. The Company's variable rate loan portfolio exceeds the level of variable rate funding, but the fixed rate funding portfolio that reprices over the next twelve months will offset this excess.

Non-interest income was \$4.0 million for the fourth quarter of 2007, an increase of \$173,000 compared to the fourth quarter of 2006. The Company continues to grow its non-interest revenue across the majority of its service delivery channels. Growth in revenue from deposit, trust and card services more than offset lower gains on sales of loans.

Non-interest expense was \$13.1 million for the quarter as compared to \$11.2 million for the fourth quarter of 2006. The increases in salaries and benefits, occupancy and furniture and equipment primarily relate to operating costs associated with the new Asset Management Services group and the opening of four new facilities since the beginning of the year. Despite these significant investments for the future, the Company has been able to successfully manage these overhead components within a tight range. The \$1,188,000 increase in other expense is primarily related to increases in legal and other carrying costs associated with non-performing assets and an increase of \$235,000 in FDIC assessments. The additional FDIC assessments relate to a change by the FDIC in their charges for all banks effective January 1.

Total assets increased \$55.2 million during the year to \$2.13 billion at December 31, 2007. Total loans increased \$39.2 million, primarily in consumer mortgages, to \$1.75 billion at December 31, 2007. Within the commercial loan portfolio, there was a shift between commercial real estate and commercial and industrial loans.

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The composition of the commercial loan portfolio is shown in the table below:

Dollars in 000s	De	cember 31, 2007	Sep	otember 30, 2007	December 31, 2006			
Construction and land development Farmland & agricultural Non-farm, non-residential Multi-family	\$	335,366 30,371 454,764 35,381	\$	354,897 25,438 454,220 37,618	\$	360,372 37,426 439,436 38,483		
Total Commercial Real Estate Commercial and Industrial	_	855,882 438,743		872,173 427,508		875,717 416,135		
Total Commercial Loans	\$	1,294,625	\$	1,299,681	\$	1,291,852		

Commercial real estate loans declined \$19.8 million while commercial and industrial loans grew by \$22.6 million since December 31, 2006. Loans for the development or sale of 1-4 family residential properties declined \$24.3 million since September 30 to \$235.8 million at December 31, 2007. Of this total, approximately \$29.5 million is secured by vacant land, \$125.6 million is secured by 1-4 family properties held for speculative purposes.

Total deposits decreased \$144.0 million since December 31, 2006. This was attributed primarily to one of the Company's institutional depositors, which withdrew approximately \$147 million in the latter half of the year. The withdrawals were associated with planned distributions and the depositor remains an excellent customer for the Company.

The Company has also reduced its holdings of deposits generated from out-of-market brokers during the year. Brokered deposits have declined \$70.1 million since December 31, 2006. Accordingly, growth from deposits within the Company's markets has been approximately \$73 million since the beginning of the year. The Company remained well-capitalized at December 31, 2007 with a total risk-based capital ratio of 10.7%.

"We continue to focus on what we can control through our commitment to excellence – seize opportunities to diversify and expand our franchise, exceed our customer and community needs and provide the highest quality service. Macatawa is well positioned to capitalize on the recovery of West Michigan. We have strong roots in this community, and understand and believe in its potential. The Macatawa team is excited and enthusiastic, poised better than ever for long-term success," concluded Mr. Smith.

## **Conference Call**

Macatawa Bank Corporation will hold its quarterly earnings conference call on Tuesday, January 15, 2008, at 10:00 A.M. Persons who wish to access the call may do so via the Internet by visiting <u>www.macatawabank.com</u> and clicking on the webcast link in the Investor Information section. It may also be accessed by logging on to <u>www.streetevents.com</u>. A replay of the call will be available for 30 days following the call.

## About Macatawa Bank

Headquartered in Holland, Michigan, Macatawa Bank Corporation is the parent company for Macatawa Bank. Through its banking subsidiary, the Corporation offers a full range of banking, investment and trust services to individuals, businesses, and governmental entities from a network of 26 full service branches located in communities in Kent County, Ottawa County, and northern Allegan County. Services include commercial, consumer and real estate financing; business and personal deposit services, ATM's and Internet banking services, trust and employee benefit plan services, and various investment services. The Corporation emphasizes its local management team and decision making, along with providing customers excellent service and superior financial products.

"CAUTIONARY STATEMENT: This press release contains certain forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties which could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to, economic, competitive, governmental and technological factors affecting our operations, markets, products, services, and pricing. These statements include, among others, statements related to future growth and funding sources, future profitability levels, the effects on earnings of changes in interest rates and the future level of other revenue sources. Annualized growth rates are not intended to imply future growth at those rates. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date of this press release. Further information concerning our business, including additional factors that could materially affect our financial results, is included in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission."

## MACATAWA BANK CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL SUMMARY (Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands except per share information)

	1	Three Mor Decem		Twleve Months Ended December 31							
EARNINGS SUMMARY		2007		2006	_	2007		2006			
Total interest income	\$	33,368	\$	35,589	\$	139,372	\$	133,506			
Total interest expense		18,681		18,544		76,456		66,089			
Net interest income		14,687		17,045		62,916		67,417			
Provision for loan loss		10,270		5,725		15,750		7,715			
Net interest income after provision for loan loss		4,417		11,320		47,166		59,702			
NON-INTEREST INCOME											
Deposit service charges		1,331		1,231		5,087		4,874			
Gain on sale of loans		221		433		1,290		1,721			
Trust fees		1,237		1,096		4,906		3,589			
Other		1,235		1,091		4,527		3,993			
Total non-interest income		4,024		3,851		15,810		14,177			
NON-INTEREST EXPENSE											
Salaries and benefits		6,562		6,268		25,499		24,791			
Occupancy		1,054		928		4,185		3,558			
Furniture and equipment		1,149		859		3,956		3,221			
Other		4,370		3,182		16,619		13,343			
Total non-interest expense		13,135		11,237		50,259		44,913			
Income before income tax		(4,694)		3,934		12,717		28,966			
Federal income tax expense		(1,895)		1,089		3,635		9,135			
Net income	\$	(2,799)	\$	2,845	\$	9,082	\$	19,831			
Basic earnings per share	\$	(0.16)	\$	0.17	\$	0.53	\$	1.17			
Diluted earnings per share	\$ \$	(0.16)	Տ	0.17	.թ Տ	0.53	.թ Տ	1.17			
Return on average assets	٩	-0.53%		0.16		0.33		1.14			
Return on average equity		-6.72%		7.17%		5.51%		13.09%			
Net interest margin		3.00%		3.55%				3.67%			
Efficiency ratio		70.20%		53.78%		63.84%		55.04%			

BALANCE SHEET DATA	December 31, 2007	De	cember 31, 2006
Assets Cash and due from banks Securities available for sale Securities held to maturity Federal Home Loan Bank Stock Loans held for sale Total loans Less allowance for loan loss	\$ 49,816 201,498 1,917 12,275 3,127 1,750,632 33,422	\$	39,882 198,546 2,711 12,275 1,547 1,711,450 23,259
Net loans	1,717,210		1,688,191
Premises and equipment, net Acquisition intangibles Bank-owned life insurance Other assets	64,564 28,942 22,703 27,914		60,731 25,478 21,843 23,612
Total Assets	\$ 2,129,966	\$	2,074,816
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity Noninterest-bearing deposits Interest-bearing deposits	\$ 185,681 1,337,872	\$	180,032 1,487,525
Total deposits Federal funds purchased Other borrowed funds Long-term debt Other liabilities	1,523,553 46,467 354,052 41,238 4,031		1,667,557 11,990 192,018 41,238 5,164
Total Liabilities	1,969,341		1,917,967
Shareholders' equity	160,625		156,849
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$ 2,129,966	\$	2,074,816

## MACATAWA BANK CORPORATION SELECTED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL DATA (Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands except per share information)

			Quarterly						Year to Date					
	4	4th Qtr 2007	3rd Qtr 2nd Qtr 1st Qtr   2007 2007 2007			4th Qtr 2006		2007			2006			
EARNINGS SUMMARY														
Net interest income	\$	14,687	\$		\$	16,335 965	\$		\$		\$		\$	67,417
Provision for loan loss Total non-interest income		10,270 4,024		3,640 4,031		4,020		875 3,735		5,725 3,851		15,750 15,810		7,715 14,177
Total non-interest expense		13,135		12,732		12,605		11,787		11,237		50,259		44,913
Income taxes		(1,895)		1,037		2,195		2,297		1,089		3,635		9,135
Net income	\$	(2,799)	\$	2,457	\$	4,590	\$	4,835	\$	2,845	\$	9,082	\$	19,831
Basic earnings per share	\$	(0.16)	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	1.17
Diluted earnings per share	\$	(0.16)	\$	0.14	\$	0.26	\$	0.28	\$	0.16	\$	0.53	\$	1.14
MARKET DATA	s	0.47	\$	0.64	\$	9.52	\$	0.40	\$	9.19	\$	0.47	\$	0.10
Book value per share Market value per share	ծ Տ	9.47 8.59	ծ Տ		\$ \$		ծ Տ		\$ \$		\$ \$		ծ Տ	9.19 20.25
Average basic common shares	-	6.969.316	φ	17.082.023	-	17.191.063		17,221,595		17,038,967		17,109,664		17,011,590
Average diluted common shares		6,969,316		17,232,709		17,405,018		17,499,098		17,380,901		17,283,344		17,379,473
Period end common shares		6,968,398		16,982,794		17,170,235		17,226,564		17,067,350		16,968,398		17,067,350
PERFORMANCE RATIOS														
Return on average assets		-0.53%		0.46%		0.87%		0.93%		0.56%		0.43%		1.01%
Return on average equity		-6.72%		5.91%		11.08%		12.06%		7.17%		5.51%		13.09%
Net interest margin (FTE) Efficiency ratio		3.00% 70.20%		3.20% 64.09%		3.32% 61.93%		3.35% 59.55%		3.55% 53.78%		3.21% 63.84%		3.67% 55.04%
ASSET QUALITY														
Net charge-offs	\$	2,764	\$	1,667	\$	711	\$	445	\$		\$	5,587	\$	5,448
Nonperforming loans	\$	73,909	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	)	\$	22,290
Other real estate and repossessed assets	\$	5,876	\$	-,	\$	-,	\$		\$	-,	\$	-,	\$	3,293
Nonperforming loans to total loans Nonperforming assets to total assets		4.22% 3.75%		2.80% 2.61%		1.71% 1.69%		0.99% 0.98%		1.30% 1.23%		4.22% 3.75%		1.30% 1.23%
Nonperforming assets to total assets Net charge-offs to average loans (annualized)		0.64%		0.39%		0.16%		0.98%		1.25%		0.32%		0.33%
Allowance for loan loss to total loans		1.91%		1.49%		1.39%		1.38%		1.36%		1.91%		1.36%
CAPITAL & LIQUIDITY														
Average equity to average assets		7.93%		7.85%		7.83%		7.71%		7.77%		7.83%		7.69%
Tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets		9.42%		9.66%		9.57%		9.53%		9.49%		9.42%		9.49%
Total capital to risk-weighted assets Loans to deposits + other borrowings		10.67% 93.24%		10.91% 95.35%		10.93% 90.47%		10.89% 90.26%		10.85% 92.03%		10.67% 93.24%		10.85% 92.03%
END OF PERIOD BALANCES														
Total portfolio loans	\$	1,750,632	\$	1,736,370	\$	1,724,773	\$	1,721,192	\$	1,711,450	\$	1,750,632	\$	1,711,450
Earning assets		1,966,732	~	1,949,608	~	1,966,563	~	1,972,111	~	1,921,735	~	1,966,732		1,921,735
Total assets		2,129,966		2,102,733		2,116,295		2,120,043		2,074,816		2,129,966		2,074,816
Deposits		1,523,553		1,522,003		1,661,686		1,639,332		1,667,557		1,523,553		1,667,557
Total shareholders' equity		160,625		163,731		163,524		163,406		156,849		160,625		156,849
AVERAGE BALANCES	¢	1 724 225	e	1 721 542	¢	1 722 552	¢	1 712 204	¢	1 696 120	¢	1 725 452	¢	1 625 201
Total portfolio loans Earning assets		1,734,325 1,949,756	\$	1,721,543 1,966,155	э	1,732,553 1,967,055	Э	1,713,204 1,937,392	\$	1,686,139 1,903,566	3	1,725,453 1,955,154	э	1,635,391 1,834,673
Total assets		2,099,826		2,116,474		2,114,974		2,078,501		2,042,005		2,102,541		1,854,675
Deposits		1,485,232		1,654,354		1,645,849		1,645,806		1,616,606		1,607,498		1,574,444
Total shareholders' equity		166,591		166,196		165,702		160,348		158,716		164,730		151,479