

CENTRAL PACIFIC FINANCIAL CORP  
Form 8-K  
May 04, 2016

**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):

**April 29, 2016**

**Central Pacific Financial Corp.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Hawaii**  
(State or other  
jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**001-31567**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**99-0212597**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**220 South King Street, Honolulu, Hawaii**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**96813**  
(Zip Code)

**(808) 544-0500**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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**Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.**

On April 29, 2016, Central Pacific Financial Corp. (the Company) held its Annual Meeting of Shareholders at which the shareholders voted upon and approved (i) the election of eleven (11) nominees as directors; (ii) ratification of the appointment of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2016; and (iii) an advisory (non-binding) shareholder resolution to approve the compensation of the Company's named executive officers.

The final number of votes cast for or against (withheld) and the number of abstentions and broker non-votes with respect to each matter voted upon, as applicable, are set forth below.

	For	Against/Withheld	Abstained	Broker Non-Vote
<b>1. <u>Nominees as Directors:</u></b>				
Christine H.H. Camp	26,011,050	443,400		2,712,800
John C. Dean	25,601,682	852,768		2,712,800
Earl E. Fry	26,096,957	357,493		2,712,800
Wayne K. Kamitaki	26,042,076	412,374		2,712,800
Paul J. Kosasa	25,901,626	552,824		2,712,800
Duane K. Kurisu	26,042,219	412,231		2,712,800
Colbert M. Matsumoto	25,545,928	908,522		2,712,800
Lance A. Mizumoto	24,538,906	1,915,544		2,712,800
A. Catherine Ngo	25,655,193	799,257		2,712,800
Saedene K. Ota	26,125,557	328,893		2,712,800
Crystal K. Rose	25,936,547	517,903		2,712,800
2. Ratification of appointment of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for 2016.	28,894,260	215,053	57,937	
3. Non-binding advisory vote to approve compensation of the Company's named executive officers.	26,294,306	129,655	30,489	2,712,800

**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.

Central Pacific Financial Corp.  
(Registrant)

Date: May 3, 2016

By:

/s/ Glenn K. C. Ching  
Glenn K.C. Ching  
Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and  
Corporate Secretary