

COMMUNITY WEST BANCSHARES /  
Form 8-K  
April 30, 2012  
**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 30, 2012

Commission File Number: **000-23575**

**COMMUNITY WEST BANCSHARES**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

California 77-0446957  
(State or other jurisdiction (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

of incorporation or organization)  
445 Pine Avenue, Goleta, California 93117  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)  
(805) 692-5821  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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 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))

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**Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On April 30, 2012 the Company issued a press release announcing financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2012. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this current Report on Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

- (a) Financial statements. – not applicable
- (b) Pro forma financial statements. – not applicable
- (c) Shell Company Transactions. Not applicable.
- (d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is being furnished herewith:

99.1 Press release dated April 30, 2012, entitled “Community West Bancshares Earns \$819,000 in First Quarter 2012”

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirement of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: April 30, 2012 COMMUNITY WEST  
BANCSHARES

By: /s/ Charles G. Baltuskonis  
Charles G. Baltuskonis  
Executive Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer