

TRI COUNTY FINANCIAL CORP /MD/  
Form 8-K  
January 31, 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): January 30, 2012

TRI-COUNTY FINANCIAL CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	0-18279 (Commission File Number)	52-1652138 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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3035 Leonardtown Road, Waldorf, Maryland 20601  
(Address of principal executive offices)

(301) 645-5601  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable  
(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:

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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))



Item 8.01 Other Events.

On January 30, 2012, Tri-County Financial Corporation (the “Company”), the holding company for Community Bank of Tri-County, announced that its Board of Directors declared a \$0.40 cash dividend for the year ended December 31, 2011. A copy of the Company’s press release dated January 30, 2012 is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (a) Financial Statements of Business Acquired: Not applicable
- (b) Pro Forma Financial Information: Not applicable
- (c) Shell Company Information: Not applicable
- (d) Exhibits

Number	Description
99.1	Press Release Dated January 30, 2012

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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.

TRI-COUNTY FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Date: January 31, 2012

By: /s/ William J. Pasenelli  
William J. Pasenelli  
Executive Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer