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): September 28, 2017

NBT BANCORP INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) 0-14703 16-1268674 Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.) 52 South Broad Street, Norwich, New York 13815 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (607) 337-2265 (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 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)) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter). Emerging growth company \square If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. \square

ITEM 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

NBT Bancorp Inc. (NASDAQ: NBTB), the holding company for NBT Bank N.A., is attending investor meetings, sponsored by Piper Jaffray & Co., for institutional investors and analysts on September 28, 2017. Members of the executive management team made presentations regarding NBT Bancorp Inc.'s business activities and strategies. Presentation slides are available in the Investor Relations section of NBT Bancorp Inc.'s website at www.nbtbancorp.com.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

NBT BANCORP INC.

Date: September 28, 2017

By: <u>/s/ Michael J. Chewens</u>

Michael J. Chewens Senior Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer