

NEW PEOPLES BANKSHARES INC  
Form 8-K  
December 07, 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): December 4, 2012

**New Peoples Bankshares, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

VIRGINIA  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

000-33411  
(Commission

File Number)

31-1804543  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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**67 Commerce Drive**

**Honaker, Virginia 24260**

(Address of principal offices, including zip code)

**(276) 873-7000**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**n/a**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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

New Peoples Bankshares, Inc. (the Company) convened its 2012 Annual Shareholders Meeting (the Annual Meeting) on December 4, 2012. A total of 13,824,697 shares of the Company's Common Stock were entitled to vote as of October 25, 2012, the record date for the Annual Meeting. There were 7,665,581 shares present at the Annual Meeting in person or by proxy, and the shareholders voted on three proposals.

**Proposal 1: Election of Directors**

The shareholders elected three directors to serve three year terms expiring in 2015. The three directors elected to serve the three year terms were Joe Carter, Harold Lynn Keene, and Fred W. Meade. The results of the vote were as follows:

Nominees	Votes FOR	Votes Withheld	Broker Non-Votes
Joe Carter	6,885,003	675,923	104,655
Harold Lynn Keene	6,886,882	674,044	104,655
Fred W. Meade	6,881,819	679,107	104,655

**Proposal 2: Advisory Vote to Approve Named Executive Officer Compensation**

The shareholders approved a non-binding advisory vote to approve the compensation of the Company's named executive officers. The results of the vote follow:

Votes FOR	Votes AGAINST	Votes ABSTAIN	Broker Non-Votes
6,567,487	309,323	684,366	104,655

**Proposal 3: Ratification of the Appointment of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm**

The shareholders voted to ratify the Company's Audit Committee of the Board of Directors' appointment of Elliott Davis, LLC to serve as its independent registered public accounting firm for the year ending December 31, 2012. The results of the vote follow:

Votes FOR	Votes AGAINST	Votes ABSTAIN
7,060,728	28,121	576,732

**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.

New Peoples Bankshares, Inc.

Date: December 7, 2012

/s/ C. Todd Asbury

C. Todd Asbury

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer and Secretary