SAUNDERS WILLIAM E JR

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SAUNDERS WILLIAM E JR			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Community Bankers Trust Corp [ESXB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 9954 MAYLA 2100	954 MAYLAND DRIVE, SUITE		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2018	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP and CRO, Essex Bank		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
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RICHMOND, VA 23233

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)		ities Acquired pisposed of (D) , 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/04/2018		M	12,000	A	\$ 2.78	27,727	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2018		S	12,000	D	\$ 8.8	15,727	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.78	05/04/2018		M	12,000	<u>(1)</u>	05/20/2020	Common Stock	12,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SAUNDERS WILLIAM E JR 9954 MAYLAND DRIVE SUITE 2100 RICHMOND, VA 23233

EVP and CRO, Essex Bank

Signatures

/s/ John M. Oakey, III by power of attorney

05/15/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The option vested in four equal annual installments beginning on May 20, 2011.

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