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 28, 2020

HBT FINANCIAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	001-39085	37-1117216
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer
of incorporation)	· ·	Identification Number)
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401 North Hershey Road		
Bloomington, Illinois		61704
(Address of principal executive		(Zip Code)
offices)		(Exp douc)
omees)		
	(888) 897-2276	
(Regis	trant's telephone number, includir	og area code)
(Itegra	dant's terephone number, meruan	is area code)
	N/A	
(Former na	me or former address, if changed	since last report)
(1 Office in	inc or former address, it changed	since last report)
Check the appropriate how below if the Ec	rm 8-K filing is intended to simul	ltaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the
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\square Written communications pursuant to R	ule 425 under the Securities Act ((17 CED 220 42E)
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\square Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	•
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Securities registered pursuant to Section 1	2(b) of the Act:	
Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
		<u> </u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per sha	re HBT	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC
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		any as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act
of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule	12b-2 of the Securities Exchange	e Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).
		Emerging growth company 🗵
If an emerging growth company, indicate	by check mark if the registrant ha	s elected not to use the extended transition
period for complying with any new or rev	ised financial accounting standard	ls provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the
Exchange Act. □		
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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On April 28, 2020, the Board of Directors of HBT Financial, Inc. (the "Company") declared a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.15 per share on the Company's common stock (the "Dividend"). The Dividend is payable on May 19, 2020 to shareholders of record as of May 12, 2020.

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.

HBT FINANCIAL, INC.

By:/s/ Matthew J. Doherty

Name: Matthew J. Doherty Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: April 29, 2020