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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad Person <u>*</u> Smith Jer	•	Ü	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2011	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST NORTHERN COMMUNITY BANCORP [FNRN]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/03/2011	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Origina Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
195 N. FIRS BOX 547	T STREET	Γ, P.O.		(Check	all applicable)			
(Street) DIXON, CA 95620				Director 10% Owner Other (give title below) (specify below) EVP/CFO			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	tive Securiti	es Be	Reporting Person neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr	•	
Common Sto	ock		2,962		D	Â		
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 $Table\ II\ -\ Derivative\ Securities\ Beneficially\ Owned\ (\textit{e.g.},\ puts,\ calls,\ warrants,\ options,\ convertible\ securities)$

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Title	Derivative	Security:	

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		Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	01/30/2010(1)	01/30/2016	Common Stock	1,237	\$ 20.992	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	03/18/2011(1)	03/18/2020	Common Stock	2,000	\$ 4.25	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Smith Jeremiah Zachary 195 N. FIRST STREET P.O. BOX 547 DIXON, CA 95620	Â	Â	EVP/CFO	Â			

Signatures

Lynn Campbell, AVP/Corporate
Secretary

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Stock Options Granted vest 0% upon their grant and 25% annually over 4 years.

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