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FORM 4

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1(b).

STOCK

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Elmore Samuel L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST COMMUNITY BANCSHARES INC /NV/ [FCBC]				.Cl	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) P. O. BOX 989	, ,	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/19/2018					_X_ Director Officer (give below)		Owner or (specify
(Street) BLUEFIELD, VA 24605			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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I	- Non-Deri	ivative Se	curitie	es Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Yo	ear) Execu any	eemed tion Date, if h/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. SecurionAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
STOCK	03/19/2018			A	554	A	\$0	6,483	D	

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			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
STOCK OPTION	\$ 24.65					12/31/2002(1)	(2)	COMMON STOCK	865
STOCK OPTION	\$ 29.15					12/31/2003(1)	(2)	COMMON STOCK	1,297
STOCK OPTION	\$ 12.07					12/19/2011	12/19/2021	COMMON STOCK	4,907

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Elmore Samuel L							
P. O. BOX 989	X						
BLUEFIELD, VA 24605							

Signatures

Samuel L. Elmore by: Sarah W. Harmon (His Attorney-in-Fact) 03/20/2018

**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) Stock options vest and become exercisable in seven equal annual installments beginning with the date listed.
- Stock options are exercisable until 5 years after retirement at or after age 62, disability or death. If employment is terminated other than (2) by retirement at or after 62, disability or death vested options must be exercised within 90 days after the effective date of termination. Any option not exercised within such period shall be deemed cancelled.

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