

CITY HOLDING CO  
Form 8-K  
August 02, 2005

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**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): 07/27/2005**

**CITY HOLDING CO**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Commission File Number: 0-17733**

**West Virginia**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation or Organization)

**55-0619957**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**25 Gatewater Road, Cross Lanes, WV 25313**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Including Zip Code)

**304-769-1100**  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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

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Items to be Included in this Report

### **Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers**

At the regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Directors of City Holding Company ("the Company") held on July 27, 2005, Gerald R. Francis, Chairman of the Board, advised the Board of his intent to resign from the Board to focus his time and attention on the responsibilities arising from his employment as CEO of Hasten Bancshares, a privately-held bank located in Indianapolis, IN. The Company issued a news release, attached as Exhibit 99, announcing that Mr. Francis had resigned from the Board effective August 1, 2005. Furnished as Exhibit 99 and incorporated herein by reference is the news release issued by the Company.

### **Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

99 News Release issued on August 1, 2005

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#### **Signature(s)**

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.

CITY HOLDING CO

Date: August 02, 2005.

By: /s/ David L. Bumgarner

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David L. Bumgarner  
Chief Financial Officer

**Exhibit Index**

<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
EX-99.	Press Release, Francis resignation 8 1 2005