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Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

► See separate instructions.

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Part I Reporting	Issuer		
1 Issuer's name			2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN)
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8 Date of action		9 Classification and description	
November 1, 2013		Common Stock	
10 CUSIP number	11 Serial number(s)	12 Ticker symbol	13 Account number(s)
743606 10 5	NA	РВ	NA
	onal Action Attach	additional statements if needed.	See back of form for additional questions.
			late against which shareholders' ownership is measured for
			") was merged with and into Prosperity
			the terms and conditions in the Agreement and Plan of
		June 30, 2013, by and between Pro	
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			urity in the hands of a U.S. taxpayer as an adjustment per
			o receive 2.70676 shares of Prosperity common stock and
\$44.337 cash per share. In	1 addition, cash was p	aid for any fractional share interests	S
	•	• • •	ulation, such as the market values of securities and the
valuation dates ► For	federal income tax pu	urposes, the aggregate tax basis of	the Prosperity common shares received by FVNB
shareholders as a result o	f the merger (excludir	ng any fractional share interest deen	ned received and redeemed for cash) will be
the same as the aggregate	tax basis of the FVNI	B shares surrendered in exchange t	herefor, reduced by the amount of cash
		<u> </u>	on the exchange. A former FVNB shareholder
	-		r's new Prosperity common shares received in the merger.
	•	·	sis will differ with respect to each separate former
			nd distinct blocks of common shares owned by any
			lieu of a fractional Prosperity common
share, a portion of the total	al tax basis must be al	located to the fractional share and s	such fractional share will be deemed to be received and
then exchanged for cash.	The holding period of	any shares of Prosperity common s	stock received by FVNB shareholders in the merger
generally will include the l	holding period of the	shares of FVNB common stock exch	nanged for such Prosperity common stock.
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17 Li	ist the applicable Internal Revenue Code section(s) and subsection(s) upon which the tax treatment is based ▶	
The me	erger of FVNB into Prosperity on November 1, 2013 qualifies as a reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(a) of the	
Internal	Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. In general, the income tax consequences to the former FVNB shareholders are	
determi	ined under the Internal Revenue Code sections 354, 356, 358 and 1221.	
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18 C	an any resulting loss be recognized? ► FVNB shareholders generally will not recognize loss for U.S. federal income tax	
purpos	es by reason of the merger, except with respect to cash received in lieu of a fractional share of Prosperity common stock.	
If a FVN	NB shareholder receives cash in lieu of a fractional share of Prosperity common stock, the FVNB shareholder will be	
treated	as having received a fractional share of Prosperity common stock pursuant to the merger and then as having exchanged the	
fraction	nal share of Properity common stock for cash in a redemption by Prosperity. As a result, the FVNB shareholder generally	
	ognize gain or loss equal to the difference between the amount of cash received and the FVNB shareholder's basis in the	
	hal share of Prosperity common stock as set forth on line 16 above. This gain or loss generally will be capital gain or loss, and	
	long-term capital gain or loss if, as of the Effective Date, the FVNB shareholder's holding period with respect to the fractional	
	including the holding period of the FVNB common stock surrendered therefor) exceeds one year. Special rules apply to	
	shareholders who received their FVNB common shares through the exercise of an employee stock option, through a tax and retirement plan or otherwise as compensation, and such FVNB shareholders are instructed to consult their own tax advisors.	
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19 Pr	rovide any other information necessary to implement the adjustment, such as the reportable tax year ▶	
The me	erger became effective on November 1, 2013; therefore, the reportable tax year is 2013.	
	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.	ge an
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