



**DATE: NOVEMBER 6, 2020**

**SUBJECT: DIME COMMUNITY BANCSHARES, INC. - ANTICIPATED  
ADJUSTMENT  
OPTION SYMBOL: DCOM  
NEW SYMBOL: DCOM1  
DATE: ???**

**Contract Adjustment**

**DATE:** Effective the opening of the business day after the merger is consummated. Contract adjustment is anticipated to occur in the first quarter of 2021.

**OPTION SYMBOL:** DCOM changes to DCOM1

**STRIKE DIVISOR:** 1

**CONTRACTS MULTIPLIER:** 1

**NEW MULTIPLIER:** 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150; a strike of 10 yields \$1,000.00)

**NEW DELIVERABLE PER CONTRACT:** 1) 64 (New) Dime Community Bancshares, Inc. (DCOM) Common Shares  
2) Cash in lieu of 0.8 fractional DCOM Common Shares

**CUSIP:** New: (DCOM): TBD

**PRICING**

Until the cash in lieu amount is determined, the underlying price for DCOM1 will be determined as follows:

$$\text{DCOM1} = 0.648 (\text{DCOM})$$

**DELAYED SETTLEMENT**

The DCOM component of the DCOM1 deliverable will settle through National Securities Clearing Corporation (NSCC). OCC will delay settlement of the cash portion of the DCOM1 deliverable until the cash in lieu of fractional DCOM shares is determined. Upon determination of the cash in lieu amount, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees to deliver the appropriate cash amount.

**BACKGROUND**

On December 3, 2020, Shareholders of Dime Community Bancshares, Inc. (DCOM) will vote concerning the proposed merger with Bridge Bancorp, Inc. (BDGE). If the merger is approved and consummated, Bridge Bancorp, Inc. will change its name to (New) Dime Community Bancshares, Inc., and each existing DCOM Common Share will be converted into the right to receive 0.648 (New) DCOM Common Shares. Cash will be paid in lieu of fractional DCOM shares.

It is anticipated that Dime Community Bancshares, Inc. Common Shares will trade on the NASDAQ Stock Market under the symbol "DCOM".

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