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## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre	1 0		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BRIDGE BANCORP, INC. [ BDGE ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<u>BASSWOOD CAPITAL</u> <u>MANAGEMENT, L.L.C.</u>				X Director X 10% Owner					
				Officer (give title X Other (specify					
,			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	below) below)					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	10/11/2019	Director-by-Deputization					
645 MADISON	NAVENUE, 107	TH FLOOR							
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)				Line)					
NEW YORK	NY	10022		Form filed by One Reporting Person					
				X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Common Stock")	10/11/2019		J <sup>(2)</sup>		64,657	A	\$29.63	746,999	Ι	See footnotes <sup>(1)(3)</sup>
Common Stock	10/11/2019		J <sup>(2)</sup>		68,721	D	\$29.63	474,949	Ι	See footnotes <sup>(1)(4)</sup>
Common Stock	10/11/2019		J <sup>(2)</sup>		3,735	A	\$29.63	37,676	Ι	See footnotes <sup>(1)(5)</sup>
Common Stock	10/11/2019		J <sup>(2)</sup>		329	A	\$29.63	21,926	Ι	See footnotes <sup>(1)(6)</sup>
Common Stock								30,136	Ι	See footnotes <sup>(1)(7)</sup>
Common Stock								115,726	Ι	See footnotes <sup>(1)(8)</sup>
Common Stock								314,229	I	See footnotes <sup>(1)(9)</sup>
Common Stock								138,282	D <sup>(1)(10)</sup>	
Common Stock								162,927.9441	<b>D</b> <sup>(1)(11)</sup>	

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

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. Transa Code ( 8)				Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)		d 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		of Derivative s Security ng (Instr. 5) re	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup>														

BASSWOOD CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.L.C.					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			
645 MADISON	AVENUE, 10TI	H FLOOR			
(Street)					
NEW YORK	NY	10022			
,					

(Zip)

(State)

(City)

1. Name and Address o LINDENBAUM	f Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> <u>I MATTHEW A</u>				
	(First) ITAL MANAGEME ENUE 10TH FLOO				
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10022			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			
1. Name and Address o					
	(First) ITAL MANAGEME 'ENUE, 10TH FLOO				
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10022			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			
1. Name and Address o BASSWOOD P	f Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> ARTNERS, L.L.	<u>C.</u>			
	(First) ITAL MANAGEME 'ENUE, 10TH FLOO				
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10022			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			
1. Name and Address o BASSWOOD F FUND LP	f Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> CNHANCED LOI	NG SHORT			
	(First) CAPITAL MANAGI 'ENUE, 10TH FLOO				
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10022			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			
1. Name and Address o BASSWOOD E LLC	f Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> CNHANCED LOI	<u>NG SHORT GP,</u>			
	(First) CAPITAL MANAGI 'ENUE, 10TH FLOO				
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10022			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BASSWOOD FINANCIAL LONG ONLY FUND, L.P.					
(Last) C/O BASSWOOD	(First) CAPITAL MANAGI	(Middle) EMENT L.L.C.			

645 MADISON	AVENUE, 10TH	I FLOOR
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10022
(City)	(State)	(Zip)
1. Name and Addres		<sup>ion*</sup> L FUND, INC.
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(Last)	(First)	(Middle)
C/O BASSWOO	D CAPITAL MA	ANAGEMENT L.L.C.
645 MADISON	AVENUE, 10TH	I FLOOR
(Street)		
NEW YORK	NY	10022
(City)	(State)	(Zip)
Explanation of Resp 1. See Exhibit 99.1	oonses:	
2. See Exhibit 99.1		

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Remarks:

Notes are included on Exhibit 99.1 hereto. Exhibit List: ------- Exhibit 99.1 - Explanation of Responses Exhibit 99.2 - Joint Filer Information Exhibit 99.3 - Joint Filers' Signatures

BASSWOOD CAPITAL	
MANAGEMENT, L.L.C., /s/	<u>10/16/2019</u>
Matthew Lindenbaum	
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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

 $\ast$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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Designated Filer:	Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C.
Issuer & Ticker Symbol:	Bridge Bancorp, Inc. [BDGE]
Date of Event Requiring Statement:	October 11, 2019

Explanation of Responses:

This Form 4 is filed on behalf of Matthew Lindenbaum, Bennett Lindenbaum, Basswood Partners, L.L.C., Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C., Basswood Enhanced Long Short Fund, L.P. ("BELS"), Basswood Enhanced Long Short GP, LLC, Basswood Financial Long Only Fund, LP ("BFLOF") and Basswood Financial Fund, Inc. ("BFF, Inc.") (collectively, the "Reporting Persons"). Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C. is the investment manager or adviser to BFF, Inc., Basswood Opportunity Partners, LP ("BOP"), BELS, Basswood Financial Fund, LP ("BFF"), BFLOF and Basswood Opportunity Fund, Inc. ("BOF") (collectively, the "Funds") and certain separate managed accounts managed by Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C. (the "Managed Accounts") and may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in the Common Stock directly held by the Funds and held in the Managed Accounts. Basswood Partners, L.L.C. is the general partner of BFF, BOP and BFLOF, and may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in the Common Stock held directly by BFF, BOP and BFLOF. Basswood Enhanced Long Short GP, LLC is the general partner of BELS and may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in the Common Stock held directly by BELS. Matthew Lindenbaum and Bennett Lindenbaum are the managing members of Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C. and may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in the Common Stock directly held by the Funds and held in the Managed Accounts, and also directly hold shares of Common Stock. In accordance with Instruction 4(b)(iv), the entire amount of Common Stock held by the Funds or Managed Accounts are reported herein. Each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares of Common Stock that are beneficially owned by the Funds or Managed Accounts, except to the extent of any direct or indirect pecuniary interest therein. Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C. and Basswood Partners, L.L.C. also disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares held directly by Matthew Lindenbaum and Bennett Lindenbaum. Matthew Lindenbaum and Bennett Lindenbaum each disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares held directly by the other.

Matthew Lindenbaum, a managing member of Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C., serves on the board of directors of the Issuer as a representative of the Reporting Persons. As a result, each of the Reporting Persons is a "director-by-deputization" solely for purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act. By reason of the provisions of Rule 16a-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), each of the Reporting Persons may be deemed to be a beneficial owner of the shares of Common Stock issued to Matthew Lindenbaum.

- 2. Represents a cross-trade of Common Stock among certain of the Funds or Managed Accounts.
- 3. Common Stock held directly by certain separate accounts managed by Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C.
- 4. Common stock held directly by BELS.
- 5. Common Stock held directly by BFLOF.
- 6. Common Stock held directly by BFF, Inc.
- 7. Common Stock held directly by BOF.
- 8. Common Stock held directly by BFF.
- 9. Common Stock held directly by BOP.
- 10. Common Stock held directly by Bennett Lindenbaum.
- 11. Common Stock held directly by Matthew Lindenbaum, which includes 1,912.944112 shares of Common Stock underlying restricted stock unit awards. This number includes shares received as part of a dividend reinvestment program.

# Joint Filer Information

# Joint Filers:

1. Name:	Matthew Lindenbaum Address: c/o Basswood Capital Management, LLC 645 Madison Avenue, 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10022
2. Name:	Bennett Lindenbaum Address: c/o Basswood Capital Management, LLC 645 Madison Avenue, 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10022
3. Name:	Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C. Address: c/o Basswood Capital Management, LLC 645 Madison Avenue, 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10022
4. Name:	Basswood Partners, L.L.C. Address: c/o Basswood Capital Management, LLC 645 Madison Avenue, 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10022
5. Name:	Basswood Enhanced Long Short GP, LLC Address: c/o Basswood Capital Management, LLC 645 Madison Avenue, 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10022
6. Name:	Basswood Enhanced Long Short Fund, LP Address: c/o Basswood Capital Management, LLC 645 Madison Avenue, 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10022

Designated Filer:	Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C.
Issuer & Ticker Symbol:	Bridge Bancorp, Inc. [BDGE]
Date of Event Requiring Statement:	October 11, 2019

- 7. Name: Basswood Financial Long Only Fund, LP Address: c/o Basswood Capital Management, LLC 645 Madison Avenue, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10022
- 8. Name: Basswood Financial Fund, Inc. Address: c/o Basswood Capital Management, LLC 645 Madison Avenue, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10022

Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C. Bridge Bancorp, Inc. [BDGE] October 11, 2019

Joint Filers' Signatures

<u>/s/ Matthew Lindenbaum</u> Matthew Lindenbaum

<u>/s/ Bennett Lindenbaum</u> Bennett Lindenbaum

## **Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C.**

By: <u>/s/ Matthew Lindenbaum</u> Name: Matthew Lindenbaum Title: Managing Member

### **Basswood Partners, L.L.C.**

By: <u>/s/ Matthew Lindenbaum</u> Name: Matthew Lindenbaum Title: Managing Member Designated Filer: Issuer & Ticker Symbol: Date of Event Requiring Statement: Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C. Bridge Bancorp, Inc. [BDGE] October 11, 2019

#### **Basswood Enhanced Long Short Fund, LP** By: Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C.

By: <u>/s/ Matthew Lindenbaum</u> Name: Matthew Lindenbaum Title: Managing Member

#### **Basswood Enhanced Long Short GP, LLC** By: Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C.

By: <u>/s/ Matthew Lindenbaum</u> Name: Matthew Lindenbaum Title: Managing Member

## **Basswood Financial Long Only Fund, LP**

By: Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C.

By: <u>/s/ Matthew Lindenbaum</u> Name: Matthew Lindenbaum Title: Managing Member

#### **Basswood Financial Fund, Inc.**

By: Basswood Capital Management, L.L.C.

By: <u>/s/ Matthew Lindenbaum</u> Name: Matthew Lindenbaum Title: Managing Member