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Form 8-K May 24, 2013

# 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)

May 20, 2013

**Tompkins Financial Corporation** 

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York1-1270916-1482357(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)(Commission (IRS Employer Identification No.)

The Commons, PO Box 460, Ithaca,

New York

(Address of Principal executive

offices)

14851

(Zip Code)

Date of Report (Date of earliest event

reported)

(607) 273-3210

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

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#### Section 5 – Corporate Governance and Management

### Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

On Monday, May 20, 2013 at 5:30 p.m., at the Country Club of Ithaca, 189 Pleasant Grove Road, Ithaca, New York, Tompkins Financial Corporation (the "Company") held its 2013 Annual Meeting of Shareholders (the "Annual Meeting"). On March 22, 2013, the record date for the meeting, 14,447,017 shares of the Company's common stock were issued and outstanding, of which 12,076,194 were represented at the meeting in person or by proxy, and this amount represented a quorum.

Shareholders voted on the following matters:

- (1) Shareholders elected eighteen (18) director nominees for terms expiring at the 2014 Annual Meeting;
- (2) Shareholders ratified the selection of the independent registered public accounting firm, KPMG LLP, as the Company's independent auditor for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2013;

Set forth below are the number of votes cast for or against each such matter as well as the number of abstentions and broker non-votes with respect to each such matter:

#### Proposal No. 1 – Election of Directors

The individuals named below were elected at the Annual Meeting as members of the Board of Directors, to serve for a term of one year expiring at the 2014 Annual Meeting.

	Number of	Broker Shares Withheld	Broker
Director	Shares Voted For	Abstain	Non-Votes
John E. Alexander	9,330,651	99,372	2,646,171
Paul J. Battaglia	9,353,906	76,117	2,646,171
James J. Byrnes	9,340,442	89,581	2,646,171
Daniel J. Fessenden	9,309,943	120,080	2,646,171
James W. Fulmer	9,342,830	87,193	2,646,171
Reeder D. Gates	9,322,999	107,024	2,646,171
James R. Hardie	9,359,554	70,469	2,646,171
Carl E. Haynes	9,351,450	78,573	2,646,171
Susan A. Henry	9,307,955	122,068	2,646,171
Patricia A. Johnson	9,315,087	114,936	2,646,171
Frank C. Milewski	9,360,728	69,295	2,646,171
Sandra A. Parker	9,314,929	115,094	2,646,171
Thomas R. Rochon	9,315,446	114,577	2,646,171
Stephen S. Romaine	9,307,316	122,707	2,646,171
Michael H. Spain	9,293,051	136,972	2,646,171
William D. Spain, Jr.	8,905,925	524,098	2,646,171
Alfred J. Weber	9,323,073	106,950	2,646,171
Craig Yunker	9,311,598	118,425	2,646,171

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Proposal No. 2 – Ratification of the Selection of KPMG LLP as Independent Auditors of the Company for 2013

The Audit Committee's appointment of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the year ending December 31, 2013 was ratified by the following vote:

Number of Number of Broker

Shares

Voted For Shares Against Shares Abstain Non-Votes

11,929,922 96,107 50,165 0

#### **SIGNATURE**

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.

TOMPKINS FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Date: May 24, 2013 /S/ Stephen S. Romaine Stephen S. Romaine President and CEO