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FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANCORP INC  
Form 8-K  
October 20, 2006

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) October 20, 2006

Farmers & Merchants Bancorp, Inc.  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Ohio (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	000-14492 (Commission File Number)	34-1469491 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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307-11 N. Defiance, Archbold, Ohio (Address of Principal Executive Offices)	43502 (Zip Code)
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Registrant's Telephone Number, including Area Code (419) 446-2501

N/A  
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17-CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

On October 20, 2006, Farmers & Merchants Bancorp, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that its board of directors has authorized the repurchase of up to 250,000 shares of its outstanding common stock. Such repurchases will be conducted in the open market and in privately negotiated

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transactions during the balance of 2006 and throughout 2007. At October 20, 2006, the Company had 5,176,000 shares of common stock outstanding.

On December 19, 2005, the Company announced its plan to repurchase up to 5,000 shares of its common stock (20,000 shares adjusted for a 4 for 1 stock split effective May 12, 2006), all of which shares have now been repurchased.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (a) Not applicable.
- (b) Not applicable.
- (c) Not applicable.
- (d) The following exhibits are included with this Report:

Exhibit 99 Press Release dated October 20, 2006

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 authorized.

Dated: October 20, 2006

/s/ Paul S. Siebenmorgen

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Paul S. Siebenmorgen  
President & Chief Executive Officer

/s/ Barbara J. Britenriker

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Barbara J. Britenriker  
Executive Vice President &  
Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number	Exhibit Description
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Exhibit 99	Press Release dated October 20, 2006