# 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

# November 21, 2016 (November 21, 2016)

Date of Report (date of Earliest Event Reported)

#### NEWTEK BUSINESS SERVICES CORP.

(Exact Name of Company as Specified in its Charter)

MARYLAND 001-36742 46-3755188

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)

(Commission File No.)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

### 1981 Marcus Avenue, Suite 130, Lake Success, NY 11042

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(212) 356-9500

(Company's telephone number, including area code)

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following
provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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#### **Forward-Looking Statements**

Statements in this Current Report on Form 8-K (including the exhibits), including statements regarding Newtek Business Services Corp.'s ("Newtek" or the "Company") beliefs, expectations, intentions or strategies for the future, may be forward-looking statements. All forward-looking statements involve a number of risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from the plans, intentions and expectations reflected in or suggested by the forward-looking statements. Such risks and uncertainties include, among others, intensified competition, operating problems and their impact on revenues and profit margins, anticipated future business strategies and financial performance, anticipated future number of customers, business prospects, legislative developments and similar matters. Risk factors, cautionary statements and other conditions which could cause Newtek's actual results to differ from management's current expectations are contained in Newtek's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Newtek undertakes no obligation to update any forward-looking statement to reflect events or circumstances that may arise after the date of this filing.

#### Item 8.01. Other Events.

On November 21, 2016, the Company issued a press release entitled "Newtek Business Services Corp. Announces Note Repurchase Program" (the "Press Release") announcing that its board of directors approved a repurchase program under which the Company may repurchase up to 10%, or \$832,400 in aggregate principal amount, of its 7.5% notes due 2022 and up to 10%, or \$4,025,000 in aggregate principal amount, of its 7.0% notes due 2021 through open market purchases, including block purchases, in such manner as will comply with the provisions of the Investment Company Act of 1940 and the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Unless extended or terminated by its board of directors, the Company expects the termination date for the repurchase plan will be on May 21, 2017. A copy of the Press Release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information contained in this Current Report shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, and shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

#### (d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release, dated November 21, 2016, entitled "Newtek Business Services Corp. Announces Note Repurchase Program."

# **SIGNATURES**

In accordance with the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

	NEWTEK BUSINESS SERVICES CORP.		
Date: November 21, 2016	By:	/s/ Barry Sloane	
		Barry Sloane	
		Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer	

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# Newtek Business Services Corp. Announces Note Repurchase Program

NEW YORK, November 21, 2016 – Newtek Business Services Corp., (the "Company" or "Newtek") (NASDAQ: NEWT), an internally managed business development company ("BDC"), today announced that its board of directors approved a repurchase program (the "Program") under which the Company may repurchase up to 10%, or \$832,400 in aggregate principal amount, of its 7.5% notes due 2022 ("2022 Notes") and up to 10%, or \$4,025,000 in aggregate principal amount, of its 7.0% notes due 2021 ("2021 Notes"). The 2022 Notes and the 2021 Notes are listed on the Nasdaq Global Market under the symbols "NEWTZ" and "NEWTL," respectively.

The repurchases shall be effected through open market purchases, including block purchases, in such manner as will comply with the provisions of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended and the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "1934 Act"). Unless extended or terminated by its board of directors, the Company anticipates that the termination date for this repurchase program will be on May 21, 2017. The Company expects to finance the repurchases with existing capital.

Under the Program, purchases may be made at management's discretion from time to time in open-market transactions, in accordance with all applicable securities laws and regulations, including Rule 10b-18 of the 1934 Act. The extent to which the Company repurchases its Notes, and the timing of such repurchases, will depend upon a variety of factors, including market conditions, regulatory requirements and other corporate considerations, as determined by Newtek's management team. The repurchase program may be suspended or discontinued at any time.

**About Newtek Business Services Corp.** 

Newtek Business Services Corp., Your Business Solutions Company<sup>®</sup>, is an internally managed BDC, which along with its controlled portfolio companies, provides a wide range of business services and financial products under the Newtek<sup>®</sup> brand to the small- and medium-sized business ("SMB") market. Since 1999, Newtek has provided state-of-the-art, cost-efficient products and services and efficient business strategies to over 100,000 SMB accounts across all 50 states to help them grow their sales, control their expenses and reduce their risk.

Newtek's and its portfolio companies' products and services include: <u>Business Lending, SBA Lending Solutions, Electronic Payment</u>

<u>Processing, Technology Solutions (Cloud Computing, Data Backup, Storage and Retrieval), eCommerce, Accounts Receivable Financing & Inventory Financing, The Secure Gateway, The Newtek Advantage , Insurance Solutions, Web Services, and Payroll and Benefits Solutions.</u>

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#### Note Regarding Forward Looking Statements

This press release contains certain forward-looking statements. Words such as "believes," "intends," "expects," "projects," "anticipates," "forecasts," "goal" and "future" or similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements. All forward-looking statements involve a number of risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from the plans, intentions and expectations reflected in or suggested by the forward-looking statements. Such risks and uncertainties include, among others, intensified competition, operating problems and their impact on revenues and profit margins, anticipated future business strategies and financial performance, anticipated future number of customers, business prospects, legislative developments and similar matters. Risk factors, cautionary statements and other conditions, which could cause Newtek's actual results to differ from management's current expectations, are contained in Newtek's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission and available through <a href="http://www.sec.gov/">http://www.sec.gov/</a>. Newtek cautions you that forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and that actual results or developments may differ materially from those projected or implied in these statements.

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