

Carapella Victor P
Form 4
May 24, 2011

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Carapella Victor P

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
FIRST MIDWEST BANCORP INC
[FMBI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ONE PIERCE PLACE, SUITE 1500
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/20/2011

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
EVP, Comm'l Banking Group Mgr.

ITASCA, IL 60143

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ 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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/20/2011		A	147 ⁽¹⁾	A 64,561	D	
Common Stock	05/20/2011		F ⁽³⁾	2,956	D \$ 12.24	61,605	D
Common Stock					49,071	I	By NQ Stock Option Gain Deferral Plan
					25,679	I	

Common
StockBy Profit
Sharing
Plan

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

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(9-02)**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

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ITASCA, IL 60143

EVP, Comm'l Banking Group Mgr.

Signatures

Andrea L. Stangl, Attorney-in-fact for Victor P.
Carapella

05/24/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Represents a portion of base salary paid to the Reporting Person in bi-weekly installments of fully vested shares. The Reporting Person

(1) may not transfer the shares during the period the Company has any obligations outstanding under the U.S. Treasury's Troubled Asset Relief Program except in the case of the Reporting Person's death or disability.

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- The number of shares represented by this award was determined by dividing the dollar value of the award granted to the Reporting Person
- (2) by \$12.325 (the average high and low sale price of one share of the company's common stock as quoted on the Nasdaq Stock Market on May 19, 2011).

- On May 20, 2009 the Issuer granted the Reporting Person a Restricted Stock Award (RSA) of 18,797 restricted shares of First Midwest Bancorp, Inc. Common Stock under the First Midwest Bancorp, Inc. Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan (Plan) which were scheduled to vest
- (3) in two equal annual installments on the second and third anniversary of the date of grant. On May 20, 2011, 9,399 shares of the originally granted RSAs vested, of which 2,956 shares were surrendered by the Reporting Person in order to satisfy tax withholding obligations.

This form is being filed to reflect the surrender of such shares to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligation.

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