

MidWestOne Financial Group, Inc.  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**HOWARD CHARLES S**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**MidWestOne Financial Group, Inc. [MOFG]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**102 S. CLINTON STREET, P.O. BOX 1700**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**03/08/2013**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

**IOWA CITY, IA 52244-1700**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	03/08/2013		S	220	D	\$ 22.7	91,146 D
Common Stock	03/08/2013		S	980	D	\$ 22.5	90,166 D
Common Stock	03/08/2013		S	500	D	\$ 22.8	89,666 D
Common Stock	03/08/2013		S	400	D	\$ 22.81	89,266 D
Common Stock	03/08/2013		S	100	D	\$ 22.824	89,166 D

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Common Stock	03/08/2013	S	200	D	\$ 22.82	88,966	D	
Common Stock	03/08/2013	S	100	D	\$ 22.91	88,866	D	
Common Stock	03/08/2013	S	100	D	\$ 22.906	88,766	D	
Common Stock	03/08/2013	S	300	D	\$ 22.9	88,466	D	
Common Stock	03/08/2013	S	700	D	\$ 22.88	87,766	D	
Common Stock						75,800	I	By Spouse
Common Stock						27,827 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By ESOP

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

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**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)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V (A) (D)		
Stock Option	\$ 19.75					<u>(2)</u>	12/31/2013	Common Stock	6,982
Stock Option	\$ 21.94					<u>(2)</u>	04/21/2014	Common Stock	6,649
Stock Option	\$ 18.71					<u>(2)</u>	04/21/2014	Common Stock	2,849

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HOWARD CHARLES S 102 S. CLINTON STREET P.O. BOX 1700 IOWA CITY, IA 52244-1700		X		

## Signatures

Kenneth R. Urmie, Corporate Secretary, under Power of Attorney dated January 22, 2009

03/08/2013

\_\_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).

Shares held in MidWestOne Financial Group, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan and allocated to the reporting person's account

(1) through March 7, 2013. Number of shares held has increased by 153 shares since the reporting person's last Form filing due to allocations to his account.

(2) Fully vested.

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