## Edgar Filing: CRAIN ERICA - Form 4

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January 06, 20 FORM	4 <sub>UNITI</sub>	<b>1</b> UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549								
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(Print or Type Res	sponses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> CRAIN ERICA			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GUARANTY FEDERAL BANCSHARES INC [GFED]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 579 LANTERN HILL RD			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/04/2010				Director       10% Owner        X Officer (give title       Other (specify below)         below)       below)         VP-RISK MANAGEMENT			
				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		
NIXA, MO 65	5714						Form filed by M Person	lore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I	- Non-Deri	vative Se	curities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		on Date 2A. D /Year) Exect any (Mon		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D) 4 and 5) (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
COMMON STOCK							0	D		

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares
OPTION RIGHT TO BUY COMMON STOCK	\$ 5.08	01/04/2010		A	1,000	<u>(1)</u>	01/04/2020	COMMON STOCK	1,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Addro	ess	Relationships						
F8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CRAIN ERICA 579 LANTERN HILL RD NIXA, MO 65714			VP-RISK MANAGEMENT					
Signatures								
ERICA CRAIN	01/06/2010							

\*\*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).
- (1) Options vest 20% annually with the first 20% vesting 01/04/2011.

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