POTHOVEN JOHN P

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of POTHOVEN JOH		Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
		MidWestOne Financial Group, Inc. [MOFG]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (Fin	rst) (Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2009	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
102 SOUTH CLIN	TON STREET	12/01/2009				
(Str	eet)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting			
			(check applicable line)			
IOWA CITY, IA	52240		X 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. Securit (A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	l of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	12/31/2009(3)	Â	A	19 (4)	A	\$0	27,994	D	Â	
Common Stock	12/31/2009(7)	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$0	0	I	Self/UTMA Custodian Minor Grandchildren (1)	
	03/10/2009	Â	J		A	\$0	52,705	I	By IRA	

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Common				37,706					
Stock				(6)					
Common Stock	03/10/2009	Â	J	37,706 (5) (6) D \$0 0	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)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Number		(Month/Day/Year) vative rities ired or osed o) :. 3,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 16.86	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	06/30/2011(8)	Common Stock	4,750
Stock Option	\$ 19.75	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	06/30/2011(8)	Common Stock	4,987
Stock Option	\$ 21.94	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	06/30/2011(8)	Common Stock	4,750
Stock Option	\$ 18.71	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	06/30/2011(8)	Common Stock	2,375

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
POTHOVEN JOHN P 102 SOUTH CLINTON STREET IOWA CITY, IA 52240	ÂΧ	Â	Â	Â				

Signatures

Kenneth R. Urmie, as Power of Attorney dated January 22, 2009 01/22/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
- Registered to self as custodian for minor grandchildren under Uniform Transfers to Minors Act. The reporting person disclaims beneficial (1) ownership of these shares, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (2) Fully vested.
- (3) This report is for the year as accrued on the same dates as cash dividends were paid on the underlying stock.
 - These RSU shares represent the dividend equivalent that would have been paid on the number of shares of unvested restricted stock units
- (4) (RSUs) awarded, plus prior dividend equivalents accruing on such RSUs. All such dividend equivalents credited will be treated as RSUs. As RSUs, these dividend equivalents are subject to vesting, forfeiture and termination in accordance with the terms of the original awards.
- (5) Ownership of shares in ESOP increased since last report due to allocations to his account.
- (6) Reporting person transferred all shares in ESOP account to his IRA.
- (7) During the year 2009 the reporting person ceased being the custodian of the shares.
- (8) Due to reporting person's retirement on June 30, 2008, these stock options must be exercised on or before June 30, 2011.

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