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Stock

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Common

1. Name and A Sander Mark	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) (M	Iiddle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify						
ONE PIERO	(Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2013						below) below) Senior Executive VP & COO						
	4. If Amendment, Date Original						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check						
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line)					
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(City) (State) (Zip)			Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq					ties Ac	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
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Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution (Instr. 3) any		on Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or				r	Securities	Indirect					
		Code		Disposed of (D))	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial			
		Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(]	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned Indirect (I) Ownership					
									Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
							(A)		Reported Transaction(s)				
							or		(Instr. 3 and 4)				
~				Code V	/ A	Amount	(D)	Price	,				
Common	05/17/2013			٨	2	260 (1)	٨	(2)	114 524	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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				C 1 W	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Sander Mark G ONE PIERCE PLACE **SUITE 1500** ITASCA, IL 60143

Senior Executive VP & COO

Signatures

Andrea L. Stangl, Attorney-in-fact for Mark G. Sander

05/20/2013

**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).
- Represents payment under a salary stock agreement with the Reporting Person consisting of payment of bi-weekly installments of fully **(1)** vested shares until December 2013.
- The number of shares represented by this award was determined by dividing the dollar value of the award granted to the Reporting Person by \$13.42 (the closing price of the Issuer's common stock as quoted on the Nasdaq Stock Market on May 16, 2013).

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