MidWestOne Financial Group, Inc.

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Wersen Robert D			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) 102 SOUTH	(First) (Middle) 3. Date of (Month/Dath CLINTON STREET 01/22/20							_X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify below)		
				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	e I - Non-D	erivative	Securi	ities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	Execution any	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Secur onAcquire Dispose (Instr. 3,	d (A) of d of (E, 4 and (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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/22/2009			A	500	A	\$0	6,428	D	
Common Stock								2,849	I	By IRA

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)	Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. 6. Date Exercisable and Conth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any Code of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 15.86					<u>(1)</u>	04/30/2009	Common Stock	2,066
Stock Option	\$ 8.16					<u>(1)</u>	04/27/2010	Common Stock	1,945
Stock Option	\$ 10.28					<u>(1)</u>	04/26/2011	Common Stock	1,557
Stock Option	\$ 14.59					<u>(1)</u>	04/30/2012	Common Stock	1,151
Stock Option	\$ 16.85					<u>(1)</u>	04/30/2013	Common Stock	1,375
Stock Option	\$ 19.5					<u>(1)</u>	04/30/2014	Common Stock	1,310
Stock Option	\$ 18.49					<u>(1)</u>	04/29/2015	Common Stock	1,147
Stock Option	\$ 20.08					<u>(1)</u>	04/28/2016	Common Stock	950
Stock Option	\$ 18.06					<u>(1)</u>	04/26/2017	Common Stock	950

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Wersen Robert D 102 SOUTH CLINTON STREET IOWA CITY, IA 52240	X						

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Signatures

Kenneth R. Urmie, under Power of Attorney dated 01/22/2009

01/26/2009

**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) Fully vested.

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