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FORM 4

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Garea Josep		Symbol MACKINAC FINANCIAL CORP /MI/ [MFNC]				Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 469 NORTH	(Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/04/2011				X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
CT LOUIC		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			
ST. LOUIS,						Person			
(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. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l of (D))	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	08/04/2011		P	132	A	\$6	51,783	I	See footnote (1)
Common	08/08/2011		P	445	A	\$ 6	52,228	I	See footnote (1)

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

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footnote (1)

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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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/		Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	ying ies	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Garea Joseph D								
469 NORTH HANLEY RD	X							
ST. LOUIS, MO 63013								

Signatures

/s/ Ernie Krueger, 08/08/2011 Attorney-in-fact

**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).
- Held through Joseph D. Garea Revocable Trust dated 12/09/93. The reporting person is the sole trustee of the Trust and has sole voting and dispositive power.

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