

GREAT SOUTHERN BANCORP INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 TURNER JOSEPH W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

CARE OF GREAT SOUTHERN BANK, 218 S. GLENSTONE AVE

(Street)

SPRINGFIELD, MO 65802

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 GREAT SOUTHERN BANCORP INC [GSBC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/17/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 ____ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 President/CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
				Code	V	Amount				
Common stock	05/17/2016		M		1,100	A	\$ 30.66	139,032	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2016		S		1,100	D	\$ 38.4205	137,932	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2016		M		7,432	A	\$ 30.66	145,364	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2016		S		7,432	D	\$ 38.3402	137,932	D	
Common stock								2,478	I	Spouse

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Common stock	10,200	I	Children's Trust
Common stock	369,738	I	LTD Family Partnership

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities (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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option to purchase	\$ 30.66	05/17/2016		M	1,100	<u>(1)</u> 10/18/2016	Common Stock	1,100
Option to purchase	\$ 30.66	05/18/2016		M	7,432	<u>(1)</u> 10/18/2016	Common Stock	7,432
Option to purchase	\$ 25.48					<u>(2)</u> 10/17/2017	Common stock	9,600
Option to purchase	\$ 19.53					<u>(3)</u> 11/16/2021	Common stock	6,000
Option to purchase	\$ 24.82					<u>(4)</u> 11/28/2022	Common stock	6,000
Option to purchase	\$ 29.64					<u>(5)</u> 12/18/2023	Common stock	6,000
Option to purchase	\$ 32.59					<u>(6)</u> 10/15/2024	Common stock	6,000
Option to purchase	\$ 50.71					<u>(7)</u> 11/18/2025	Common Stock	6,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TURNER JOSEPH W CARE OF GREAT SOUTHERN BANK 218 S. GLENSTONE AVE SPRINGFIELD, MO 65802			President/CEO	

Signatures

Matt Snyder, Attorney-in-fact for Joseph W. Turner	05/18/2016
<small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small>	<small>Date</small>

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) 2,400 shares vest on 10/18/2008, 10/18/2009, 10/18/2010 and 10/18/2011
 - (2) 2,400 shares vest on 10/17/2009, 10/17/2010, 10/17/2011 and 10/17/2012
 - (3) 1,500 shares vest on 11/16/2013, 11/16/2014, 11/16/2015 and 11/16/2016
 - (4) 1,500 shares vest on 11/28/2014, 11/28/2015, 11/28/2016 and 11/28/2017
 - (5) 1,500 shares vest on 12/18/2015, 12/18/2016, 12/18/2017 and 12/18/2018
 - (6) 1,500 shares vest on 10/15/2016, 10/15/2017, 10/15/2018 and 10/15/2019
 - (7) 1,500 shares vest on 11/18/2017, 11/18/2018, 11/18/2019 and 11/18/2020

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