

HESLOP JAMES R II  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
HESLOP JAMES R II

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
MIDDLEFIELD BANC CORP  
[MBCN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
15985 EAST HIGH STREET, P. O.  
BOX 35

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2019

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Exec. Vice President/COO

(Street)  
MIDDLEFIELD, OH 44062

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting 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. 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price (A) or (D)		
Common Stock	03/01/2019		A		835 <sup>(1)</sup> \$ 41.9 <sub>(2)</sub>		D
Common Stock	03/01/2019		F		310 \$ 41.9 <sub>(2)</sub>		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 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 Acquired (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)
Common Stock (right to buy)	\$ 17.55					05/09/2012 05/09/2021	Common Stock 1,200
Conditional Stock Award <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 38.6992					<sup>(3)</sup> 07/20/2020	Common Stock 581
Conditional Stock Award <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 48.2					<sup>(4)</sup> 05/22/2021	Common Stock 1,202
Conditional Stock Award <sup>(5)</sup>	\$ 41.9	03/01/2019		A	1,489	<sup>(5)</sup> 03/01/2022	Common Stock 1,489

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
HESLOP JAMES R II 15985 EAST HIGH STREET P. O. BOX 35 MIDDLEFIELD, OH 44062	Director 10% Owner Officer Other X Exec. Vice President/COO

## Signatures

James R.  
Heslop, II  
03/04/2019  
Date

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

## 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) Shares acquired under the terms of a Conditional Stock Grant dated March 1, 2016.

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- (2) Includes shares acquired under MBCN Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

Until the award vests, the award confers no right to vote, no right to dividends, and no other shareholder rights to the recipient. Vesting is subject to a time-based or service condition and a performance-based condition. The details of the vesting conditions may be found in a Form 8-K filing dated July 20, 2017.

- (3) subject to a time-based or service condition and a performance-based condition. The details of the vesting conditions may be found in a Form 8-K filing dated July 20, 2017.
- (4) subject to a time-based or service condition and a performance-based condition. The details of the vesting conditions may be found in a Form 8-K filing dated June 25, 2018.

Until the award vests, the award confers no right to vote, no right to dividends, and no other shareholder rights to the recipient. Vesting is subject to a time-based or service condition and a performance-based condition. The details of the vesting conditions may be found in a Form 8-K filing dated March 5, 2019.

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