

LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP
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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FINDLAY DAVID M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP
 [LKFN]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2828 E. PRESTWICK RD
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/01/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
President & CFO

WINNIE LAKE, IN 46590

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	02/06/2012		M		7,848 A \$ 0	38,148	D
Common Stock	02/06/2012		M		7,920 A \$ 0	46,068	D
Common Stock	02/06/2012		S		4,822 D \$ 26.0757	41,246	D
Common Stock	02/07/2012		S		1,578 D \$ 25.818	39,668	D
Common Stock						6,865	I 401(k) Plan

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Common Stock 2,000 I By Spouse

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Restricted Stock Units ⁽³⁾	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	01/01/2012		A	8,000	02/01/2015 02/01/2015 ⁽²⁾	Common Stock 8,
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	02/06/2012		M	7,848	02/05/2012 02/05/2012 ⁽²⁾	Common Stock 7,
Restricted Stock Units ⁽³⁾	\$ 0	02/06/2012		M	7,920	03/15/2012 03/15/2012 ⁽²⁾	Common Stock 7,
Restricted Stock Units ⁽³⁾	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾					02/01/2013 02/01/2013 ⁽²⁾	Common Stock 6,
Restricted Stock Units ⁽³⁾	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾					02/01/2014 02/01/2014 ⁽²⁾	Common Stock 8,
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.185					12/09/2008 12/09/2013	Common Stock 10
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.05					05/14/2013 05/14/2018	Common Stock 10

