

Bowen John R  
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 \*  
Bowen John R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Northfield Bancorp, Inc. [NFBK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
581 MAIN STREET, SUITE 810  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
01/24/2013

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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WOODBIDGE, NJ 07095

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock	01/24/2013		A <sup>(1)</sup>		23,358	A	\$ 0 23,358	D
Common Stock	01/24/2013		A <sup>(1)</sup>		5,152	A	\$ 0 5,152	I By Spouse
Common Stock	01/24/2013		A		500	A	\$ 10 5,652	I By Spouse
Common Stock	01/24/2013		A <sup>(1)</sup>		7,950	A	\$ 0 7,950	I By IRA
Common Stock	01/24/2013		A <sup>(1)</sup>		7,751.9308	A	\$ 0 7,751.9308	I By 401(k)

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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)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 7.09 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/24/2013		A <sup>(2)</sup>		97,220		01/30/2010	01/30/2019	Common Stock	97,220 <sup>(3)</sup>

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bowen John R 581 MAIN STREET SUITE 810 WOODBIDGE, NJ 07095	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Edward Q. Quint, pursuant to power of attorney 01/28/2013

\*\*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) Pursuant to the Plan of Conversion and Reorganization of Northfield Bancorp, MHC, each share of Northfield Bancorp, Inc. (Federal corporation) was exchanged for 1.4029 shares of common stock of Northfield Bancorp, Inc. (Delaware corporation).
- (2) Pursuant to the Plan of Conversion and Reorganization of Northfield Bancorp, MHC, each option to purchase shares of common stock of Northfield Bancorp, Inc. (Federal corporation) was converted into an option to purchase shares of common stock of Northfield Bancorp, Inc. (Delaware corporation) by multiplying the number of shares subject to each option by the 1.4029 exchange ratio. The exercise price per share of each converted option was determined by dividing the exercise price of the option by the 1.4029 exchange ratio. All such converted options continue to vest based on their original terms.
- (3) Options to purchase shares of common stock vest at a rate of 20% per year commencing on January 30, 2010.

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