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(City)	(State) (Zip	Table I	- Non-Deri	vative Seco	urities Ac	quired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Ye		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti on(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4)	posed 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 - Performance Based	07/19/2018		A	75,000			D	
Common Stock -Restricted						25,000 (3)	D	
Common Stock						102,268	D	
Common Stock						29,222	I	By IRA

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Common} \\ \text{Stock} \end{array} \hspace{1cm} \begin{array}{c} 41,880.6248 \\ \text{ } \underline{\text{(4)}} \end{array} \hspace{1cm} \text{I} \hspace{1cm} \text{By } 401(\text{k}) \end{array}$

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)

	•	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	ction	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	A) or f (D)	Expiration D	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount Securiti 4)
					Code V	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Share
	formance ck Option	\$ 23.32	07/19/2018		A		150,000		<u>(5)</u>	07/19/2028	Common Stock	150,
Sto	ck Option	\$ 8.62							<u>(6)</u>	01/17/2023	Common Stock	40,0
Sto	ck Option	\$ 9.54							<u>(7)</u>	04/17/2023	Common Stock	40,0
Sto	ck Option	\$ 14.71							<u>(8)</u>	01/15/2025	Common Stock	100,
Sto	ck Option	\$ 18.46							<u>(9)</u>	08/23/2025	Common Stock	150,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
French Tracy P.O. BOX 966 CONWAY, AR 72033	X		Centennial Bank CEO/ President				

Signatures

/s/ Tracy French by Micah Osborne 07/23/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) The Performance Stock awarded on July 19, 2018 will vest in 33 1/3% installments over three years beginning on the third annual anniversary of the date that the performance goal is met.
- The Performance Stock awarded on August 24, 2015 will vest in 33 1/3% installments over three years beginning on the third annual (2) anniversary of the date that the performance goal is met. The performance goal was met on December 31, 2016 and will therefore begin vesting in 33 1/3% installments on December 31, 2019.
- (3) Restricted Stock granted on August 24, 2015 will vest in 33 1/3% installments over three years beginning on the third anniversary of the award date.
- (4) Includes 81.3697 shares acquired through the Home BancShares, Inc. 401(k) Plan since the last filing.
- (5) The Performance Stock Option awarded on July 19, 2018 is exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning on the first annual anniversary of the date that the performance goal is met.
- (6) The option is exercisable in five equal annual installments. The first installment became exercisable on January 16, 2016.
- (7) The option is exercisable in five equal annual installments. The first installment became exercisable on January 18, 2014.
- (8) The option is exercisable in five equal annual installments. The first installment became exercisable on April 18, 2014.
- Once the performance goal has been met, the Performance Stock Option awarded on August 24, 2015 is exercisable in seven equal annual (9) installments beginning on the first annual anniversary of the award date. The performance goal was met on December 31, 2016. Therefore, the first installment became exercisable on August 24, 2016.

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