

Bugh John M  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Bugh John M

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/13/2018

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 \_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
 \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Vice President of Subsidiary

CARE OF GREAT SOUTHERN BANK, 218 S. GLENSTONE AVE  
 (Street)

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

SPRINGFIELD, MO 65802

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common stock	02/13/2018		M		3,683	A	\$ 16.81
					5,473		
Common stock	02/13/2018		S		3,683	D	\$ 48.9674
					1,790		

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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option to purchase	\$ 16.81	02/13/2018		M	3,683	(1) 09/26/2021	Common stock	10,000
Option to purchase	\$ 24.82					(2) 11/28/2022	Common stock	1,500
Option to purchase	\$ 29.64					(3) 12/18/2023	Common stock	1,500
Common stock	\$ 32.59					(4) 10/15/2024	Common stock	1,750
Common stock	\$ 50.71					(5) 11/18/2025	Common stock	1,750
Common stock	\$ 41.3					(6) 10/24/2026	Common stock	2,500
Option to purchase	\$ 52.2					(7) 11/15/2027	Common stock	2,800

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

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CARE OF GREAT SOUTHERN BANK  
218 S. GLENSTONE AVE  
SPRINGFIELD, MO 65802

Vice President of Subsidiary

## Signatures

Matt Snyder, Attorney-in-fact for John M.  
Bugh

02/14/2018

\_\_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) 2,500 shares vest on 09/26/2013, 09/26/2014, 09/26/2015 and 09/26/2016
- (2) 375 shares vest on 11/28/2014, 11/28/2015, 11/28/2016 and 11/28/2017
- (3) 375 shares vest on 12/18/2015, 12/18/2016, 12/18/2017 and 12/18/2018
- (4) 438 shares vest on 10/15/2016 and 10/15/2017, and 437 shares vest on 10/15/2018 and 10/15/2019
- (5) 438 shares vest on 11/18/2017 and 11/18/2018, and 437 shares vest on 11/18/2019 and 11/18/2020
- (6) 625 shares vest on 10/24/2018, 10/24/2019, 10/24/2020 and 10/24/2021
- (7) 700 shares vest on 11/15/2019, 11/15/2020, 11/15/2021 and 11/15/2022

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