

of River Holding Company, Stoddard, Wisconsin, and thereby indirectly retain shares of River Bank, Stoddard, Wisconsin; and Wisconsin River Bank, Sauk City, Wisconsin.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, October 12, 2016.

**Michele Taylor Fennell,**

*Assistant Secretary of the Board.*

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## FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

### Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisitions of Shares of a Bank or Bank Holding Company

The notificants listed below have applied under the Change in Bank Control Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)) and § 225.41 of the Board's Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.41) to acquire shares of a bank or bank holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the notices are set forth in paragraph 7 of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)(7)).

The notices are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notices also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing to the Reserve Bank indicated for that notice or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Comments must be received not later than October 31, 2016.

*A. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco* (Gerald C. Tsai, Director, Applications and Enforcement) 101 Market Street, San Francisco, California 94105-1579:

1. *Stephen S. Taylor, Jr.*, Los Angeles, California; to acquire 10 percent or more of the voting shares of Neighborhood Bancorp, National City, California, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of Neighborhood National Bank, San Diego, California.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, October 11, 2016.

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## FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

### Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*)

(BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The applications will also be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)). If the proposal also involves the acquisition of a nonbanking company, the review also includes whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company complies with the standards in section 4 of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than November 10, 2016.

*A. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago* (Colette A. Fried, Assistant Vice President) 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690-1414:

1. *Treynor Bancshares, Inc.*, Treynor, Iowa; to acquire additional voting shares (for total ownership up to 34 percent) of TS Contrarian Bancshares, Inc., Treynor, Iowa, and thereby indirectly acquire additional voting shares of Bank of Tioga, Tioga, North Dakota.

2. *Treynor Bancshares, Inc. and TS Contrarian Bancshares, Inc.*, both in Treynor, Iowa; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of First National Bank and Trust Company, Clinton, Illinois.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, October 11, 2016.

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*Assistant Secretary of the Board.*

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## FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

### Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR part 225), and all other applicable statutes

and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The applications will also be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)). If the proposal also involves the acquisition of a nonbanking company, the review also includes whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company complies with the standards in section 4 of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than November 11, 2016.

*A. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis* (Jacquelyn K. Brunmeier, Assistant Vice President) 90 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-0291:

1. *Big Muddy Bancorp, Inc.*, Dutton, Montana; to acquire 100 percent of S.B.T. Financial, Inc., and thereby indirectly acquire The State Bank of Townsend, both in Townsend, Montana.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, October 12, 2016.

**Michele Taylor Fennell,**

*Assistant Secretary of the Board.*

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## FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD

### Notice of Senior Executive Performance Review Board Appointments

**AGENCY:** Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces the appointment of the members of the Senior Executive Service Performance Review Boards for the Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board. The purpose of the Performance Review Boards is to make written

recommendations on annual summary ratings and awards to the appointing authorities on the performance of senior executives.

**DATES:** This notice is effective October 12, 2016.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Kelly Powell, HR Specialist, at 202-942-1681.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Title 5, U.S. Code, 4314(c)(4), requires that the appointment of Performance Review Board members be published in the **Federal Register** before Board service commences. The following persons will serve on the Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board's Performance Review Board which will review initial summary ratings to ensure the ratings are consistent with established performance requirements, reflect meaningful distinctions among senior executives based on their relative performance and organizational results and provide recommendations for ratings, awards, and pay adjustments in a fair and equitable manner: Jim Courtney, Tee Ramos, Kim Weaver, and Renee Wilder Guerin.

Dated: October 12, 2016.

**Megan Grumbine,**

*General Counsel, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board.*

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## OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT ETHICS

### Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request for a Modified OGE Form 278e Executive Branch Personnel Public Financial Disclosure Report

**AGENCY:** Office of Government Ethics (OGE).

**ACTION:** Notice of request for agency and public comments.

**SUMMARY:** After this first round notice and public comment period, the Office of Government Ethics (OGE) intends to submit a modified OGE Form 278e Executive Branch Personnel Public Financial Disclosure Report to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval of a three-year extension under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Written comments by the public and the agencies on this proposed extension are invited and must be received on or before December 16, 2016.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments may be submitted to OGE, by any of the following methods:

*Email:* [usoge@oge.gov](mailto:usoge@oge.gov) (Include reference to "OGE Form 278e paperwork comment" in the subject line of the message.)

*Fax:* 202-482-9237, *Attn:* Brandon Steele.

*Mail, Hand Delivery/Courier:* Office of Government Ethics, 1201 New York Avenue NW., Suite 500, Attention: Brandon Steele, Assistant Counsel, Washington, DC 20005-3917.

*Instructions:* Comments may be posted on OGE's Web site, [www.oge.gov](http://www.oge.gov). Sensitive personal information, such as account numbers or Social Security numbers, should not be included. Comments generally will not be edited to remove any identifying or contact information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Brandon Steele at the U.S. Office of Government Ethics; telephone: 202-482-9209; TTY: 800-877-8339; Fax: 202-482-9237; *Email:* [basteel@oge.gov](mailto:basteel@oge.gov). An electronic copy of the OGE Form 278e is available in the Forms Library section of OGE's Web site at <http://www.oge.gov>. A paper copy may also be obtained, without charge, by contacting Mr. Steele.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* Executive Branch Personnel Public Financial Disclosure Report.

*Form Number:* OGE Form 278e.

*OMB Control Number:* 3209-0001.

*Type of Information Collection:* Extension with modifications of a currently approved collection.

*Type of Review Request:* Regular.

*Respondents:* Private citizen Presidential nominees to executive branch positions subject to Senate confirmation; other private citizens who are potential (incoming) Federal employees whose positions are designated for public disclosure filing; those who file termination reports from such positions after their Government service ends; and Presidential and Vice-Presidential candidates.

*Estimated Annual Number of Respondents:* 4,884.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 3 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden:* 14,652 hours.

*Abstract:* The OGE Form 278 collects information from certain officers and high-level employees in the executive branch for conflicts of interest review and public disclosure. The form is also completed by individuals who are nominated by the President for high-level executive branch positions requiring Senate confirmation and new

entrants to other public reporting positions in the executive branch. The financial information collected relates to: Assets and income; transactions; gifts, reimbursements and travel expenses; liabilities; agreements or arrangements; outside positions; and compensation over \$5,000 paid by a source—all subject to various reporting thresholds and exclusions. The information is collected in accordance with section 102 of the Ethics in Government Act, 5 U.S.C. app. section 102, as amended by the Stop Trading on Congressional Knowledge Act of 2012 (Pub. L. 112-105) (STOCK Act) and OGE's implementing financial disclosure regulations at 5 CFR part 2634.

In 2013, OGE sought and received approval for the OGE Form 278e, an electronic version of the Form 278, implemented pursuant to the e-filing system mandated under section 11(b) of the STOCK Act. The OGE Form 278e collects the same information as the OGE Form 278. It is a streamlined output report format that presents only the filer's inputs in given categories and does not report other categories not selected by the filer. In 2014, OGE sought and received approval to incorporate the OGE Form 278e into its new *Integrity* e-filing application. *Integrity* has been in use since January 1, 2015, and OGE now requires filers to use a version of the OGE Form 278e rather than the old OGE Form 278.

OGE is proposing to make minor modifications to the OGE Form 278e to update the Privacy Act statement, improve the instructions, and make the form more user-friendly. Specifically, OGE proposes to change the titles to Part 2 and Part 5 on all versions of the form. With respect to the *Integrity* version of the form, OGE proposes to remove the "Owner" column from Part 5 and Part 8. Finally, with respect to the Excel/PDF version of the form, OGE proposes clarifying the reporting requirements in the instructions to Part 4 and correcting several minor typographical errors.

*Request for Comments:* Agency and public comment is invited specifically on the need for and practical utility of this information collection, the accuracy of OGE's burden estimate, the enhancement of quality, utility and clarity of the information collected, and the minimization of burden (including the use of information technology). Comments received in response to this notice will be summarized for, and may be included with, the OGE request for extension of OMB paperwork approval. The comments will also become a matter of public record.