

TOWNSEND KENT G  
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 \*  
TOWNSEND KENT G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Capitol Federal Financial, Inc.  
[CFFN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

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

Executive Vice President

CAPITOL FEDERAL FINANCIAL, INC., 700 SOUTH KANSAS AVENUE

(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

TOPEKA, KS 66603

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
CFFN phantom stock 2015	01/02/2019		M		4,137 A \$ 12.56	130,518	D
CFFN phantom stock 2015	01/02/2019		D		4,137 D \$ 13.41	123,081	D
CFFN common stock						44,224 <sup>(1)</sup>	I ESOP

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CFFN  
common stock      02/02/2019      A      0      A      \$ 0      39,987 <sup>(1)</sup>      I      IRA

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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
CFFN Phantom Stock 2016	\$ 16.46					12/31/2019 <sup>(2)</sup>	12/31/2019	CFFN common stock	4,100
CFFN Phantom Stock 2017	\$ 13.41					01/02/2021 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/02/2021	CFFN common stock	5,624
CFFN Phantom Stock 2018	\$ 12.77	01/02/2019		A	6,421	01/02/2022 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/02/2022	CFFN common stock	6,421

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TOWNSEND KENT G CAPITOL FEDERAL FINANCIAL, INC. 700 SOUTH KANSAS AVENUE TOPEKA, KS 66603			Executive Vice President	

## Signatures

/s/ Cara J. Puglisi, Power of  
Attorney

01/08/2019

\_\_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) During fiscal year 2018, Mr. Townsend diversified 50% of his ESOP shares, at the time, into an IRA.
  - (2) Phantom stock units are acquired under the Company's Deferred Incentive Bonus Plan. The units are deemed sold and settled in cash three years from date of acquisition.

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