

MID AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES INC  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
 LOWDER JAMES K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 MID AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES INC [MAA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 6584 POPLAR AVENUE  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/03/2013

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

MEMPHIS, TN 38138

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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**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)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
Common Stock	12/03/2013		A	V	495	A	\$ 60.58	103,973	D	
Common Stock								42,584	I	By 401(k)
Common Stock								307,287	I	By JKL Capital Holdings, LLC
Common Stock								576	I	By JKL Investments, LLC

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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
Limited Partnership Units	(1)					10/01/2013	(1)	Common Stock	32,142.6
Limited Partnership Units	(1)					10/01/2013	(1)	Common Stock	228,726.3
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 69.23					10/01/2013	04/21/2014	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 76.87					10/01/2013	05/02/2015	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 103.56					10/01/2013	04/26/2016	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 108.95					10/01/2013	04/25/2017	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 65.45					10/01/2013	04/23/2018	Common Stock	1,800

Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 57.09	10/01/2013	04/27/2018	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 63.09	10/01/2013	04/25/2019	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 40.98	10/01/2013	04/28/2020	Common Stock	1,800
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 64.14	04/24/2014	04/24/2020	Common Stock	1,623

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LOWDER JAMES K 6584 POPLAR AVENUE MEMPHIS, TN 38138	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Jennifer Patrick 12/04/2013

\*\*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) Units are redeemable for an equal number of shares of the issuer's Common Stock or, at the election of the issuer, cash equal to the fair market value of such shares. Units have no expiration date.

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