MCCOY R MICHAEL

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCCOY R MICHAEL			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HEARTLAND FINANCIAL USA INC [HTLF]				C	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 1398 CEN	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/05/2018			_X_ Director Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify			
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Data (Month/Day/Year)	Executio any	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock				C0 40 ,	rimount	(2)	71100	44,429.0496 (1) (2)	D		
Common Stock	06/05/2018			M	1,035	A	\$ 56.45	45,464.0496	D		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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$\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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)	Code	5. Number insaction of Derivative de Securities str. 8) 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. F Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
2017 Director Restricted Stock Unit	(3)						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,035	
2017 Director Restricted Stock Unit	(3)	06/05/2018		M		1,035	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,035	\$
2018 Director Restricted Stock Units (retainer)	(3)						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	460 <u>(5)</u>	
2018 Director Restricted Stock Units	(3)						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,235	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MCCOY R MICHAEL 1398 CENTRAL AVE DUBUQUE, IA 52001	X						
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/s/ R. Michael McCoy 06/06/2018

Date

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**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Of these shares 31,036.2098 are held in Jt. Ten.
- (2) These shares participate in a Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer's common stock.
- (4) These restricted stock units are granted under the 2012 Long-term Incentive Plan and are subject to a one (1) year vesting schedule.
- (5) HTLF Directors may elect RSUs or cash for the retainer portion of their Director Compensation

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