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Form 4

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#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* COPELAND REX A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

GREAT SOUTHERN BANCORP,

(Check all applicable)

INC. [GSBC]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

11/15/2017

below) Treasurer / Senior Vice Pres of Subsidiary

CARE OF GREAT SOUTHERN BANK, 218 S. GLENSTONE AVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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SPRINGFIELD, MO 65802

(State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common stock

Code V Amount (D) Price

21,548 D

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Dat	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	
Option to purchase	\$ 52.2	11/15/2017		A	1,050	11/15/2019	11/15/2027	Common Stock	1,050	
Option to purchase	\$ 52.2	11/15/2017		A	1,050	11/15/2020	11/15/2027	Common Stock	1,050	
Option to purchase	\$ 52.2	11/15/2017		A	1,050	11/15/2021	11/15/2027	Common Stock	1,050	
Option to purchase	\$ 52.2	11/15/2017		A	1,050	11/15/2022	11/15/2027	Common Stock	1,050	
Option to purchase	\$ 8.36					<u>(1)</u>	11/19/2018	Common stock	2,100	
Option to purchase	\$ 19.53					(2)	11/16/2021	Common stock	4,200	
Option to purchase	\$ 24.82					(3)	11/28/2022	Common stock	1,050	
Option to purchase	\$ 29.64					<u>(4)</u>	12/18/2023	Common stock	2,100	
Option to purchase	\$ 32.59					(5)	10/15/2024	Common Stock	4,200	
Option to purchase	\$ 50.71					<u>(6)</u>	11/18/2025	Common Stock	4,200	
Option to purchase	\$ 41.3					<u>(7)</u>	10/24/2026	Common Stock	4,200	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Keiauonsinps		
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	

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

Treasurer Senior Vice Pres of Subsidiary

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# **Signatures**

Matt Snyder, Attorney-in-fact for Rex A.
Copeland

11/21/2017

\*\*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) 1,050 shares vest on 11/19/2012 and 11/19/2013
- (2) 1,050 shares vest on 11/16/2013, 11/16/2014, 11/16/2015 and 11/16/2016
- (3) 1,050 shares vest on 11/28/2017
- (4) 1,050 shares vest on 12/18/2017 and 12/18/2018
- (5) 1,050 shares vest on 10/15/2016, 10/15/2017, 10/15/2018 and 10/15/2019
- (6) 1,050 shares vest on 11/18/2017, 11/18/2018, 11/18/2019 and 11/18/2020
- (7) 1,050 shares vest on 10/24/2018, 10/24/2019, 10/24/2020 and 10/24/2021

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