

Hartmann Ronald
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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 *
Hartmann Ronald

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORP
[FFIC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

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

1979 MARCUS AVENUE, SUITE E140

04/26/2013

Senior Vice President

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

LAKE SUCCESS, NY 11042

Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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 or Price		
Common Stock	04/26/2013		M		3,520 (1)	A	\$ 8.44 19,481 D
Common Stock	04/26/2013		F		1,928	D	\$ 15.41 17,553 D
Common Stock	04/26/2013		F		575	D	\$ 15.41 16,978 D
Common Stock	04/26/2013		S		750	D	\$ 15.15 16,228 D
							18,355 (3) I 401(K)

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Stock

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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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.44	04/26/2013		M	3,520	<u>(1)</u> 01/29/2019	Common Stock	3,520
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(5)</u> <u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	856

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Hartmann Ronald 1979 MARCUS AVENUE SUITE E140 LAKE SUCCESS, NY 11042	Senior Vice President

Signatures

Signed by Russell A. Fleishman Under Power of Attorney by Ronald Hartmann

04/30/2013

__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) Stock option exercise from January 30, 2009 grant. Options became exercisable in five equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (2) All shares sold at \$15.15.
- (3) Shares held in FSB 401(K) Savings Plan a/o 4/30/2013.
- (4) 1:1
- (5) Includes amounts credited to Mr. Hartmann's account through 4/30/2013. The vested amount will be paid in cash lump sum installments as elected by the reporting officer upon termination of employment (in accordance with IRS 409A).

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