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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

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obligations

may continue.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Hess Gary

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Middle)

2800 GAP ROAD

(Street)

(State)

BATESVILLE, AR 72501

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

FutureFuel Corp. [FTFL.OB]

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

12/21/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) Sr. VP - Commercial Oper. FFCC

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

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

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

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

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

7. Nature of

(A)

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

or Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

(A)

Code V

(D) Date Exercisable Expiration Date

Title

Amount or Number of Shares

Stock

Options (Right to Buy)

\$ 7 12/21/2009

A 10,611

12/21/2009 12/20/2014

Common Stock

10,611

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner

Officer

Other

Hess Gary 2800 GAP ROAD BATESVILLE, AR 72501 Sr. VP -Commercial Oper. FFCC

Signatures

/s/ Douglas D. Hommert

12/23/2009

**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) Issuance of stock options under the issuer's 2007 Omnibus Incentive Plan; exempt under Rule 16b-3(d).

Remarks:

Attorney in fact for the Reporting Person, Gary Hess

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