

UNITED FIRE GROUP INC
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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 *
EVANS JACK

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
UNITED FIRE GROUP INC [UFCS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 118 SECOND AVENUE SE, P.O. BOX 73909
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 06/07/2013

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

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52407-3909

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	06/07/2013		M	1,774 A <u>1</u>	32,908 <u>(2)</u>	D	
Common Stock					7,698 <u>(3)</u>	I	see footnote #2

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

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Represents 800 options exercised at \$27.32 per share; 545 options exercised at 22.46 per shares; and 429 options exercised at \$21.095 per share.

- The total number of securities beneficially held directly by the Reporting Person following the reported transaction includes: 32,488 held
- (2) directly by the Reporting Person and 420 shares of restricted stock issued under the Issuer's 2005 Non-Qualified Non-Employee Director Stock Option and Restricted Stock Plan which vest, subject to certain conditions, on May 15, 2014.

- The total number of securities beneficially held indirectly by the Reporting Person following the reported transaction includes: 3,674
- (3) shares held in an individual retirement account for Mr. Evans' benefit, 2,000 shares in a 401(k) account for Mr. Evans' benefit, and 2,024 shares held in an individual retirement account for the benefit of Mr. Evans' wife.
 - (4) All options currently exercisable.
 - (5) Includes 545 options currently exercisable; 545 options becoming exercisable on 5/19/2014; 546 options becoming exercisable on 5/19/2015.
 - (6) Includes 429 options currently exercisable and 1,716 options become exercisable in four equal installments of 429 options each on 05/16/2014, 05/16/2015, 05/16/2016 and 05/16/2017.

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