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Form 4

January 07, 2003

- Name and Address of Reporting Person Bidwell, Martin J. 3300 Central Avenue Middletown, OH 45044
- Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol First Financial Bancorp (FFBC)
- 3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary) 282-58-5303
- 4. Statement for Month/Day/Year 01/06/2003
- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
- 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
 - (X) Director () 10% Owner
 - () Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)
- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 - (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
 - () Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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

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Common Stock										2136
Common Stock										0

FFBC (Directors Fee Stock Plan) 01/06/2003 P 145 A \$17.0985 2247

TABLE II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1999 (NQ) \$20.671 Stock Option 04/27/2009 Common Stock

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2002 (NQ) \$18.84 Stock 04/23/2012 Common Stock

Option

Explanation of Responses:

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON /s/ Terri J. Ziepfel

DATE 01/07/2003