JOHNSON MITCHELL A

Form 4

August 27, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JOHNSON MITCHELL A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

FEDERAL AGRICULTURAL MORTGAGE CORP [AGM]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

C/O FARMER MAC, 1999 K

STREET NW, 4TH FLOOR

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

08/23/2012

Symbol

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

WASHINGTON, DC 20006

| (City) | (State) (Z | Cip) Table | I - Non-Do | erivative Se | curities Acquire | ed, Disposed of, o | r Beneficially | y Owned |
|--|---|---|---|----------------|----------------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or | | | 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Class C Non-Voting Common Stock | 08/23/2012 | | Code V | Amount 300 (1) | (D) Price D \$ 23.73 | 18,036 (2) | D | |
| Class C Non-Voting Common Stock | 08/23/2012 | | S | 200 (1) | D \$23.72 | 17,836 (2) | D | |
| Class C Non-Voting Common | 08/23/2012 | | S | 500 (1) | D \$23.7 | 17,336 (2) | D | |

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| Stock | | | | | | |
|--|------------|---|------------------|---------------|-------------------|---|
| Class C Non-Voting Common Stock | 08/24/2012 | S | 200 (1) D | \$ 23.74 | 17,136 <u>(2)</u> | D |
| Class C Non-Voting Common Stock | 08/24/2012 | S | 200 <u>(1)</u> D | \$ 23.7823 | 16,936 (2) | D |
| Class C Non-Voting Common Stock | 08/27/2012 | S | 200 <u>(1)</u> D | \$ 24.0401 | 16,736 (2) | D |
| Class C Non-Voting Common Stock | 08/27/2012 | S | 200 <u>(1)</u> D | \$ 23.95 | 16,536 (2) | D |
| Class C Non-Voting Common Stock | 08/27/2012 | S | 200 <u>(1)</u> D | \$ 23.9601 | 16,336 (2) | 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)

| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exer | cisable and | 7. Title and | 8. Price of |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------|-------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transac | tionNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amount of | Derivative |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Underlying | Security |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8 |) Derivativ | e | | Securities | (Instr. 5) |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | S | | (Instr. 3 and | 4) |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | |
| | • | | | | (A) or | | | | |
| | | | | | Disposed | | | | |
| | | | | | of (D) | | | | |
| | | | | | (Instr. 3, | | | | |
| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | | Amou | nt |
| | | | | | | Date | Expiration | or | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable | Date | Title Number | er |
| | | | | | | | | of | |
| | | | | Code ' | V (A) (D) | | | Share | S |

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

JOHNSON MITCHELL A C/O FARMER MAC 1999 K STREET NW, 4TH FLOOR WASHINGTON, DC 20006

X

Signatures

Christy M. Prendergast, as attorney-in-fact for Mitchell A. Johnson

08/27/2012

**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) Transaction effected during an open trading window for key employees of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation.
- (2) Includes 2,813 shares of restricted stock that will vest on March 31, 2013 if the reporting person remains a director of the Corporation on that date.

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