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Transactions Reported

securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

1. Name and A JACOBS M.	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HICKORY TECH CORP [HTCO]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			ement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended h/Day/Year) 1/2012				(Check all applicable) Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President			
	Amendment, Date Original Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)						
MANKATO, MN 56002-3241 _X_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person										
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-Deri	vative Sec	curitie	s Acqu	ired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	d (A) of (D) 4 and (A) or))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	9,859 (1)	I	Rabbi Trust	
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	36,177 <u>(2)</u>	D	Â	
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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 Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						_			or	
						Date	Expiration	Title	Number	
						Exercisable	Date	of		
					(A) (D)				Shares	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
JACOBS MARY T 221 EAST HICKORY STREET PO BOX 3248 MANKATO, MN 56002-3241	Â	Â	Vice President	Â			

Signatures

/s/ David A. Christensen, Attorney-in-Fact for Mary T.
Jacobs 01/07/2013

**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) Includes shares of stock that were credited to the officer's account under the Company's deferred compensation program in connection with the reinvestment of cash dividends paid on shares of common stock held in the Rabbi Trust through December 31, 2012.
- (2) Includes shares of stock acquired under the Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan and the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan as of December 31, 2012.

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