

FIRST MIDWEST BANCORP INC  
Form 8-K  
February 25, 2019

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

FORM 8 K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 19, 2019

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware<br>(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)  | 0 10967<br>(Commission File Number) | 36 3161078<br>(IRS Employer Identification No.) |
| 8750 West Bryn Mawr Avenue, Suite 1300, Chicago, Illinois<br>(Address of principal executive offices) |                                     | 60631<br>(ZIP Code)                             |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (708) 831 7483

N/A  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8 K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d 2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d 2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e 4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e 4(c))  
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b 2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b 2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(b) On February 19, 2019, Br. James Gaffney, who has served as a director of First Midwest Bancorp, Inc. (the “Company”) since 1998, informed the Company that he has decided to retire from the board of directors upon the conclusion of his current term of office, which will expire at the Company’s annual meeting of stockholders to be held on May 15, 2019. Immediately prior to the annual meeting, the board of directors will reduce the number of directors to twelve members.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

FIRST MIDWEST BANCORP, INC.

Date: February 25, 2019 By: /s/ Nicholas J. Chulos  
Nicholas J. Chulos  
Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary