FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Planson Steven J					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANCORP											5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
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22199 COUNTY RD F						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/16/2010																	
					4. If	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
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		Tabl	e I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quire	ed, Di	sp	osed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally	Owne	ed					
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Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Lydia A. Huber

09/16/2010

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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