



Item 8.01. Other Events.

On October 19, 2011, the Board of Directors of MidWestOne Financial Group, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing an increase in the share repurchase program, allowing the repurchase of up to \$5.0 million of stock through December 31, 2012. The company bought 45,039 shares in August of this year for approximately \$658,000 of a \$1.0 million repurchase program announced in July. As of September 30, the remaining authorization totaled \$342,000, which is included in the newly approved amount. The Company also announced the declaration of a cash dividend of \$0.06 per share payable on December 15, 2011 to shareholders of record as of the close of business on December 1, 2011. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibits are filed herewith:

99.1 MidWestOne Financial Group, Inc. Press Release dated October 19, 2011.

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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.

MIDWESTONE FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.

Dated: October 19, 2011

By: /s/ GARY J. ORTALE  
Gary J. Ortale  
Executive Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer