

Form 144

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED SALE OF SECURITIES  
PURSUANT TO RULE 144 UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

## 144: Filer Information

Filer CIK 0001794690  
Filer CCC XXXXXXXXX  
Is this a LIVE or TEST Filing?  LIVE  TEST

### Submission Contact Information

Name  
Phone  
E-Mail Address

## 144: Issuer Information

Name of Issuer Midland States Bancorp, Inc.  
SEC File Number 001-35272  
Address of Issuer 1201 Network Centre Drive  
Effingham  
ILLINOIS  
62401  
Phone 217-342-2141  
Name of Person for Whose Account the Securities are To Be Sold Eric T. Lemke

See the definition of "person" in paragraph (a) of Rule 144. Information is to be given not only as to the person for whose account the securities are to be sold but also as to all other persons included in that definition. In addition, information shall be given as to sales by all persons whose sales are required by paragraph (e) of Rule 144 to be aggregated with sales for the account of the person filing this notice.

Relationship to Issuer Former officer

## 144: Securities Information

Title of the Class of Securities To Be Sold	Name and Address of the Broker	Number of Shares or Other Units To Be Sold	Aggregate Market Value	Number of Shares or Other Units Outstanding	Approximate Date of Sale	Name the Securities Exchange
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	Midland Wealth Management 1201 Network Centre Drive Effingham IL 62401	14893	384835.00	20813975	04/28/2026	Nasdaq

Furnish the following information with respect to the acquisition of the securities to be sold and with respect to the payment of all or any part of the purchase price or other consideration therefor:

## 144: Securities To Be Sold

Title of the Class	Date you Acquired	Nature of Acquisition	Name of Person from	Is this	Date Donor	Amount of Securities	Date of Payment	Nature of Payment *
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Transaction	Whom Acquired	a Gift?	Acquired	Acquired
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 08/06/2021 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	116	08/06/2021 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/05/2021 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	760	11/05/2021 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/07/2021 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	776	11/07/2021 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/08/2021 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	106	11/08/2021 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 08/06/2022 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	116	08/06/2022 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 10/30/2022 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	725	10/30/2022 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/01/2022 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	239	11/01/2022 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/05/2022 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	35	11/05/2022 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/07/2022 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	777	11/07/2022 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/08/2022 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	105	11/08/2022 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 10/31/2023 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	598	10/31/2023 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/01/2023 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	964	11/01/2023 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/05/2023 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	759	11/05/2023 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/07/2023 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	776	11/07/2023 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 10/01/2024 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	598	10/01/2024 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/01/2024 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	964	11/01/2024 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/05/2024 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	760	11/05/2024 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/06/2024 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	1546	11/06/2024 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 10/31/2025 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	553	10/31/2025 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/01/2025 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	692	11/01/2025 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/06/2025 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	1546	11/06/2025 Services(1)
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 11/07/2025 Equity award	Issuer	<input type="checkbox"/>	1382	11/07/2025 Services(1)

\* If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

Furnish the following information as to all securities of the issuer sold during the past 3 months by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold.

## 144: Securities Sold During The Past 3 Months

Nothing to Report

# 144: Remarks and Signature

Remarks 1. The securities to be sold were acquired by the reporting person on the dates indicated, upon the vesting of equity awards granted to the reporting person in connection with his employment as an executive officer of the issuer. All such equity awards were granted prior to October 28, 2025.

Date of Notice 04/28/2026

***ATTENTION:***

The person for whose account the securities to which this notice relates are to be sold hereby represents by signing this notice that he does not know any material adverse information in regard to the current and prospective operations of the Issuer of the securities to be sold which has not been publicly disclosed. If such person has adopted a written trading plan or given trading instructions to satisfy Rule 10b5-1 under the Exchange Act, by signing the form and indicating the date that the plan was adopted or the instruction given, that person makes such representation as of the plan adoption or instruction date.

Signature /s/ Eric Lemke

***ATTENTION: Intentional misstatements or omission of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001)***