#### MUETHING MARK F

Form 4

February 09, 2005

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MUETHING MARK F			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GREAT AMERICAN FINANCIAL RESOURCES INC [GFR]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 250 EAST FIFTH STREET			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2004					Director 10% Owner Self-cert (give title Other (specify below) below)  Executive Vice President			
CINCINNA		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tak	ole I - Non	-Derivativ	e Secu	rities A	cquired, Dispos	ed of, or Bene	eficially Owned	
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction(A) or Dispo			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	12/31/2004			A	903.39	(D)	\$ 0 (1)	33,517.04	I	Held in Deferred Compensation Plan	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MUETHING MARK F 250 EAST FIFTH STREET CINCINNATI, OH 45202

**Executive Vice President** 

### **Signatures**

Mark F. 02/09/2005 Muething

\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

# **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).
- Share equivalents are allocated to Reporting Person's account in the Great American Financial Resources, Inc. Deferred **(1)** Compensation Plan. The information reported herein is based on a Plan Statement as of December 31, 2004.

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