

WINN JAMES CLIFTON
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Winn James Clifton		(Month/Day/Year)	Village Bank & Trust Financial Corp. [VBFC]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
13319 MIDLOTHIAN TURNPIKE			(Check all applicable)	
(Street)			<input type="checkbox"/> Director	<input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
			(give title below)	(specify below)
MIDLOTHIAN, VA 23113			Pres. Village Bank Mortgage	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	207	D	

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Amount or Number of Shares	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
Restricted Stock Units	Â (2)	07/10/2027	Common Stock 350	\$ (1) D Â
Restricted Stock Units	Â (3)	07/01/2026	Common Stock 375	\$ (1) D Â
Restricted Stock Units	Â (4)	07/02/2025	Common Stock 187	\$ (1) D Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WINN JAMES CLIFTON 13319 MIDLOTHIAN TURNPIKE MIDLOTHIAN, VA 23113	Â	Â	Â Pres. Village Bank Mortgage	Â

Signatures

/s/ James Clifton
Winn 01/25/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer common stock.
- (2) Restricted stock award vests at the rate of 1/3 per year over three years beginning on July 10, 2018.
- (3) Restricted stock award vests at the rate of 25% per year over two years and 50% on the third year. The first installment became exercisable on July 1, 2017, and the next two installments became exercisable on July 1, 2018 and July 1, 2019.
- (4) Restricted stock award vests at the rate of 25% per year over the first two years and 50% on the final year. The first installment became exercisable on July 2, 2016, and the next two installments became exercisable on July 2, 2017 and July 2, 2018.

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