

COCKERHAM GREGORY C  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
COCKERHAM GREGORY C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TRI COUNTY FINANCIAL CORP  
/MD/ [TCFC.OB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Exec. V.P. & Chief Lending Off

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
3035 LEONARDTOWN ROAD  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/29/2008  
  
4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

WALDORF, MD 20601  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/29/2008		M	4,254 A \$ 7.2	43,049	D	
Common Stock					1,755	I	By IRA
Common Stock					24,837	I	By ESOP

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.2	12/29/2008		M	4,254	12/31/1998 12/31/2008	Common Stock	4,254	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.88					12/31/1999 12/31/2009	Common Stock	715	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.88					12/31/1999 12/31/2009	Common Stock	2,659	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.91					12/31/2000 12/31/2010	Common Stock	3,398	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.85					12/31/2001 12/31/2011	Common Stock	6,750	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.56					12/31/2002 12/31/2012	Common Stock	3,037	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.74					02/04/2004 12/31/2013	Common Stock	7,600	
Stock Option (right to Buy)	\$ 15.89					12/27/2004 12/27/2014	Common Stock	10,728	

buy)					
Stock					
Option	\$ 22.29	12/19/2005	12/19/2015	Common	5,476
(Right to				Stock	
Buy)					
Stock					
Option	\$ 27.7	07/17/2007	07/17/2017	Common	4,407
(Right to				Stock	
Buy)					

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
COCKERHAM GREGORY C 3035 LEONARDTOWN ROAD WALDORF, MD 20601			Exec. V.P. & Chief Lending Off	

## Signatures

/s/ Cockerham,  
Gregory C. 12/30/2008

\_\_Signature of Reporting  
Person

Date

## 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).

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