

ROBBINS JOHN J  
Form 3  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

ROBBINS JOHN J  
(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ARBOR REALTY TRUST,  
INC., 333 EARLE  
OVINGTON BLVD., STE. 900  
(Street)

UNIONDALE, NY 11553  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)  
05/25/2011

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ARBOR REALTY TRUST INC [ABR]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer  Other  
(give title below) (specify below)

5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security  
(Instr. 4)

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned  
(Instr. 4)

15,000 <sup>(1)</sup>

3. Ownership Form:  
Direct (D)  
or Indirect (I)  
(Instr. 5)

D

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

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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

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

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| Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares | Security | Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 5) |
|---------------------|--------------------|-------|----------------------------------|----------|--|
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## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| ROBBINS JOHN J<br>C/O ARBOR REALTY TRUST, INC.<br>333 EARLE OVINGTON BLVD., STE. 900<br>UNIONDALE, NY 11553 | X             | X         | X       | X     |

## Signatures

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| /s/ John J. Bishar, Jr., Attorney-in-Fact for John J. Robbins | 07/26/2011 |
| **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) Shares of common stock par value \$0.01 per share of Arbor Realty Trust, Inc. (the "Company") granted on July 22, 2011 pursuant to the Company's Amended and Restated 2003 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan.

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