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FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BUZBY TIMOTHY L	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	FEDERAL AGRICULTURAL MORTGAGE CORP [AGM]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
C/O FARMER MAC, 1999 K STREET NW, 4TH FLOOR	05/26/2016	President and CEO			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
WASHINGTON, DC 20006	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (Z	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acquire	d, 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) tionor Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Class C Non-Voting Common Stock	05/26/2016		M	23,043 (1)	A	\$ 26.36	82,029 (2)	D	
Class C Non-Voting Common Stock	05/26/2016		F	2,950 (1)	D	\$ 36.03	79,079 (2)	D	
Class C Non-Voting Common	05/26/2016		D	16,858 (1)	D	\$ 36.03	62,221 (2)	D	

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Stock

Class C

\$ 3,235 Non-Voting S 05/27/2016 36.0045 58,986 ⁽²⁾ D (3) Common Stock

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 26.36	05/26/2016		M	23,043	<u>(5)</u>	06/01/2016	Class C Non-Voting Common Stock	23,043

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BUZBY TIMOTHY L C/O FARMER MAC 1999 K STREET NW, 4TH FLOOR WASHINGTON, DC 20006

President and CEO

Signatures

Anjali Desai, as attorney-in-fact for Timothy L. 05/31/2016 Buzby

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
 - This report reflects: (on Table I) (a) the acquisition of 23,043 shares of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation's ("Farmer Mac") Class C Non-Voting Common Stock through the exercise of a stock option acquired by the Reporting Person in June 2006 at a grant price of \$26.36 pursuant to former Rule 16b-3; (b) the net share settlement of his exercise, which entitled Mr. Buzby to receive 23,043 shares,
- (1) of which (i) 2,950 were retained by Farmer Mac to satisfy tax withholding requirements arising from the exercise, (ii) 16,858 were delivered to Farmer Mac to cover the exercise cost, and (iii) 3,235 were delivered to Mr. Buzby; (c) the sale of 3,235 shares; and (on Table II) (d) the exercise of the June 2006 employee stock option. The exercise of the June 2006 employee stock option is exempt under Section 16(b) under Rule 16b-6 but is reported herein pursuant to Rule 16a-4.
- (2) Includes 34,814 shares of unvested restricted stock previously granted pursuant to Farmer Mac's 2008 Omnibus Incentive Plan. The grants of restricted stock have been described in detail in Farmer Mac's prior filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.
- (3) Transaction effected during an open trading window for key employees and directors of Farmer Mac.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares of Class C Non-Voting Common Stock were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$36.00 to \$36.02, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to Farmer Mac, any security holder of Farmer Mac, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote to Form 4.
- (5) Exercisable beginning May 31, 2007 with respect to 7,681 shares, beginning May 31, 2008 with respect to 7,681 shares, and beginning May 31, 2009 with respect to 7,681 shares.

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