

CAPITOL FEDERAL FINANCIAL  
Form 8-K  
July 28, 2004

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K**

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

---

July 27, 2004

CAPITOL FEDERAL FINANCIAL

---

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)

United States

0-24118

48-1212142

---

(State or other  
jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

(Commission File  
Number)

(IRS Employer  
Identification  
Number)

700 Kansas Avenue Topeka, Kansas 66603

---

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(785) 235-1341

N/A

---

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Next Page

---

**ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS AND REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE**

The Registrant's press release dated July 27, 2004, announcing a cash dividend of \$0.50 per share on outstanding CFFN common stock payable on August 20, 2004 to stockholders of record as of the close of business on August 6, 2004 is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, and is incorporated herein by reference.

**ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.**

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 - Press Release dated July 27, 2004

Next Page

---

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

**CAPITOL FEDERAL FINANCIAL**

Date: July 28, 2004

By: /s/ John B. Dicus

---

John B. Dicus, President and  
Chief Executive Officer

Date: July 28, 2004

By: /s/ Neil F. M. McKay

---

Neil F. M. McKay, Executive Vice President  
and Chief Financial Officer

End.

---