HMN FINANCIAL INC
Form SC 13G
August 18, 2015

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

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

HMN Financial, Inc. (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.01 par value (Title of Class of Securities)

40424G108

(CUSIP Number)

May 21, 2015

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

Rule 13d-1(b)

ý Rule 13d-1(c)

Rule 13d-1(d)

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

<sup>\*</sup> The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)
	EJF Capital LLC
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b) SEC USE ONLY
3	SEC USE ONE I
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
т	Delaware
	SOLE VOTING POWER 50
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY	SHARED VOTING POWER  6 277,777
	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER $^{7}_{0}$
PERSON WITH	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 8 277,777
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
	277,777
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 5.8% (1)

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)
	Emanuel J. Friedman
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b)
3	SEC USE ONLY
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
	United States  SOLE VOTING POWER  5 0
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	SHARED VOTING POWER  6 277,777
	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER  7 0
	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 8 277,777
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
	277,777
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
	5.8% (1)
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)
	EJF Financial Services Fund, LP
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b)
3	SEC USE ONLY
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
	Delaware
	SOLE VOTING POWER 50
NUMBER OF	SHARED VOTING POWER
SHARES BENEFICIALLY	<sup>6</sup> 277,777
OWNED BY EACH	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
REPORTING	<sup>7</sup> 0
PERSON WITH	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
	8277,777
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
	277,777
	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW
10	(9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
	5.8% (1)
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
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1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)
	EJF Financial Services GP, LLC
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b) SEC USE ONLY
3	SEC USE ONL I
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
•	Delaware
	SOLE VOTING POWER $_{0}$
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY	SHARED VOTING POWER  6 277,777
OWNED BY EACH REPORTING	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER $^{7}_{0}$
PERSON WITH	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 8 277,777
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
	277,777
	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN
10	SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
	5.8% (1)
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
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Name of Issuer Item 1. (a) HMN Financial, Inc. Item 1. (b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices 1016 Civic Center Drive N.W. Rochester, MN 55901 Item 2. (a) Name of Person Filing This Schedule 13G is being filed on behalf of the following persons (the "Reporting Persons")\*: (i) EJF Capital LLC; (ii) Emanuel J. Friedman; (iii) EJF Financial Services Fund, LP; and (iv) EJF Financial Services GP, LLC. \*Attached as Exhibit A is a copy of an agreement among the Reporting Persons that this Schedule 13G is being filed on behalf of each of them. Item 2. (b) Address of Principal Business Office or, if None, Residence EJF Capital LLC 2107 Wilson Boulevard Suite 410 Arlington, VA 22201 Emanuel J. Friedman 2107 Wilson Boulevard Suite 410 Arlington, VA 22201 EJF Financial Services Fund, LP 2107 Wilson Boulevard Suite 410 Arlington, VA 22201 EJF Financial Services GP, LLC 2107 Wilson Boulevard Suite 410 Arlington, VA 22201 Item 2. (c) Citizenship See Item 4 of the attached cover pages. Title of Class of Securities Item 2. (d)

Common Stock, \$0.01 par value ("Common Stock")

Item 2. (e) CUSIP Number

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Item 3. If This Statement is Filed Pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b) or (c), Check Whether the Person Filing is a:

Not Applicable.

Item 4. Ownership

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

See Item 9 of the attached cover pages.

(b) Percent of class:

See Item 11 of the attached cover pages.

Number of shares (c) as to which such person has:

(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:

See Item 5 of the attached cover pages.

Shared power to

(ii) vote or to direct the vote:

See Item 6 of the attached cover pages.

Sole power to dispose (iii) or to direct

the disposition:

See Item 7 of the attached cover pages.

Shared power to dispose or to direct the

(iv)

See Item 8 of the attached cover pages.

disposition:

EJF Financial Services Fund, LP is the record owner of warrants that are convertible, within 60 days, into the number of shares of Common Stock shown on item 9 of its cover page (the "Warrant Shares").

EJF Financial Services GP, LLC serves as the general partner of EJF Financial Services Fund, LP and may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of the Warrant Shares over which EJF Financial Services Fund, LP is the record owner.

EJF Capital LLC is the sole member of EJF Financial Services GP, LLC, and may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of the Warrant Shares over which EJF Financial Services GP, LLC may share beneficial ownership. Emanuel J. Friedman is the controlling member of EJF Capital LLC and may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of the Warrant Shares over which EJF Capital LLC may share beneficial ownership.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

Not Applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

Not Applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company

Not Applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group

The filing persons may be deemed to be members of a group.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group

Not Applicable.

Item 10. Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

### **SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: August 18, 2015

### EJF CAPITAL LLC

By:/s/ Neal J. Wilson Name: Neal J. Wilson

Title: Chief Operating Officer

### EMANUEL J. FRIEDMAN

By:/s/ Emanuel J. Friedman Name: Emanuel J. Friedman

#### EJF FINANCIAL SERVICES

FUND, LP

By: EJF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Its: GP, LLC

General Partner

By: EJF CAPITAL LLC

Its: Sole Member

By:/s/ Neal J. Wilson

Name: Neal J. Wilson

Title: Chief Operating Officer

#### EJF FINANCIAL FINANCIAL

SERVICES GP, LLC

By: EJF CAPITAL LLC

Its: Sole Member

By:/s/ Neal J. Wilson

Name: Neal J. Wilson

Title: Chief Operating Officer

#### **EXHIBIT A**

The undersigned, EJF Capital LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, Emanuel J. Friedman, EJF Financial Services Fund, LP, a Delaware limited partnership, and EJF Financial Services GP, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, hereby agree and acknowledge that the information required by this Schedule 13G, to which this Agreement is attached as an exhibit, is filed on behalf of each of them. The undersigned further agree that any further amendments or supplements thereto shall also be filed on behalf of each of them.

Dated: August 18, 2015

### EJF CAPITAL LLC

By:/s/ Neal J. Wilson Name: Neal J. Wilson

Title: Chief Operating Officer

#### EMANUEL J. FRIEDMAN

By:/s/ Emanuel J. Friedman Name: Emanuel J. Friedman

### **EJF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

FUND, LP

By: EJF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Its: GP, LLC

General Partner

By: EJF CAPITAL LLC

Its: Sole Member

By:/s/ Neal J. Wilson

Name: Neal J. Wilson

Title: Chief Operating Officer

#### EJF FINANCIAL FINANCIAL

SERVICES GP, LLC

**By: EJF CAPITAL LLC** 

Its: Sole Member

By:/s/ Neal J. Wilson

Name: Neal J. Wilson

Title: Chief Operating Officer