

FIRST AMERICAN CORP

Form 3

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burden hours per
response... 0.5**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
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 *

Wool Martin Raymond

(Last) (First) (Middle)

7833 HASKELL AVENUE

(Street)

VAN NUYS, CA 91406

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

11/08/2006

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FIRST AMERICAN CORP [(FAF)]4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer ☐ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
Business Segment President5. 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)2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Common Stock

1,531.516

D

A

Common Stock

3,068.114

I

By 401(k)

Common Stock

2,472.908

I

By ESOP

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

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currently valid OMB control number.****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 Security4. Conversion
or Exercise5. Ownership
Form of6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial
Ownership

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	02/24/2001 ⁽¹⁾	02/24/2010	Common Stock	5,663	\$ 10.75	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	07/23/2003 ⁽²⁾	07/23/2012	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 16.5	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	01/13/2007 ⁽³⁾	01/13/2016	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 46.48	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				Other
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		
Wool Martin Raymond 7833 HASKELL AVENUE VAN NUYS, CA 91406	Â	Â	Â	Business Segment President	Â

Signatures

By: Jeffrey S. Robinson, Attorney In
Fact for 11/17/2006

__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) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 2/24/01, the first anniversary of the grant.

(2) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 7/23/03, the first anniversary of the grant.

(3) The option vests in five equal annual increments commencing 1/13/07, the first anniversary of the grant.

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