#### UNITED FIRE GROUP INC Form 13F-HR February 14, 2012

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 13F

FORM 13F COVER PAGE
Report for the Calendar Year or Quarter Ended: December 31, 2011
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This Amendment (Check only one.): [_] is a restatement. [_] adds new holdings entries.
Institutional Investment Manager:
Name: United Fire Group, Inc. Address: 118 Second Avenue SE Cedar Rapids IA 52401
Form 13F File Number: 28-6427
The institutional investment manager filing this report and the person by whom it is signed hereby represent that the person signing the report is authorized to submit it, that all information contained herein is true, correct and complete, and that it is understood that all required items, statements, schedules, lists, and tables, are considered integral parts of this form.
Person Signing this Report on Behalf of the Reporting Manager:
Name: Kevin W. Helbing Title: Controller Phone: 319 286-2533
Signature, Place and Date of Signing:
/s/ Kevin W. Helbing Cedar Rapids, IA 2/14/2012 Kevin W. Helbing
Report Type (Check only one.):
[X] 13F HOLDINGS REPORT. (Check here if all holdings of this reporting manager are reported in this report.)
[_] 13F NOTICE. (Check here if no holdings reported are in this report, and al holdings are reported by other reporting manager(s).)
[_] 13F COMBINATION REPORT. (Check here if a portion of the holdings for this reporting manager are reported in this report and a portion are reported by other reporting manager(s).)

FORM 13F SUMMARY PAGE

Report Summary:

Number of Other Included Managers: 0

Form 13F Information Table Entry Total: 105

Form 13F Information Table Value Total: \$ 154,744 (in thousands)

List of Other Included Managers: NONE

FORM 13F INFORMATION TABLE

NAME OF ISSUER	TITLE OF CLASS	CUSIP	VALUE (x \$1000)	SHARES/ PRN AMT		
AGL Resources Inc	Common	001204-10-6	1,417	33,528	SH	Sole
AT&T Inc	Common	00206R-10-2	3,074	101,660		Sole
Abbott Laboratories	Common	002824-10-0	12,652	225,000		Sole
Agilysys Inc	Common	00847J-10-5	999	125,687		Sole
Alliant Energy Corporation	Common	018802-10-8	5,390	122,200		Sole
ALTERA CORP	Common	021441-10-0	186	5,000		Sole
American Strategic Inc Port II	Common	030099-10-5	205	25,420		Sole
AMERISOURCEBERGEN CORP	Common	03073E-10-5	223	6,000		Sole
BCE Inc	Common	05534B-76-0	618	14,823		Sole
BRE Properties Inc	Common	05564E-10-6	909	18,000		Sole
Bank of America Corporation	Common	060505-10-4	778	140,000		Sole
BECTON DICKINSON & CO	Common	075887-10-9	149	2,000		Sole
BED BATH & BEYOND INC	Common	075896-10-0	348	6,000		Sole
Bemis Company Inc	Common	081437-10-5	945	31,400	SH	Sole
Boeing Company	Common	097023-10-5	5,501	75,000	SH	Sole
CIT Group Inc	Common	125581-80-1	1,920	55 <b>,</b> 065	SH	Sole
CAMPBELL SOUP CO	Common	134429-10-9	332	10,000	SH	Sole
Cincinnati Financial Corp	Common	172062-10-1	9,756	320,276	SH	Sole
COCA COLA CO	Common	191216-10-0	280	4,000	SH	Sole
COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO	Common	194162-10-3	370	4,000	SH	Sole
ConocoPhillips	Common	20825C-10-4	733	10,059	SH	Sole
CONSOLIDATED EDISON INC	Common	209115-10-4	93	1,500	SH	Sole
Cummins Inc	Common	231021-10-6	6 <b>,</b> 776	76 <b>,</b> 980	SH	Sole
DANAHER CORP DEL	Common	235851-10-2	188	4,000	SH	Sole
Dean Foods Company	Common	242370-10-4	90	8,000	SH	Sole
Deere & Company	Common	244199-10-5	1,547	20,000	SH	Sole
DOLLAR TREE INC	Common	256746-10-8	249	3,000	SH	Sole
Dow Chemical Company	Common	260543-10-3	4,889	170,000	SH	Sole
Duke Energy Corporation	Common	26441C-10-5	3,260	148,192	SH	Sole
Emerson Electric Co	Common	291011-10-4	587	12,600	SH	Sole
Exelis Inc	Common	30162A-10-8	23	2,500	SH	Sole
EXPRESS SCRIPTS INC	Common	302182-10-0	179	4,000	SH	Sole
Exxon Mobil Corporation	Common	30231G-10-2	3,390	40,000	SH	Sole
FACTSET RESH SYS INC	Common	303075-10-5	262	3,000	SH	Sole
Federal-Mogul Corporation	Common	313549-40-4	567	38 <b>,</b> 457	SH	Sole
Fidelity National Information	Common	31620M-10-6	259	9,758		Sole
Fidelity NationalFinancial Inc	Common	31620R-10-5	354	22,201		Sole
Frontier Communications Corp	Common	35906A-10-8	69	13,439		Sole
GABELLI GLOBAL MULTIMEDIA TR	Preferred	36239Q-30-7	409	15,845		Sole
Arthur J Gallagher & Co	Common	363576-10-9	345	10,321		Sole
GENERAL DYNAMICS CORP	Common	369550-10-8	332	5,000	SH	Sole

General Electric Company	Common	369604-10-3	4 <b>,</b> 925	275,000		Sole
General Motors Company	Common	37045V-10-0	7	364		Sole
General Motors Company-Warrants A	Common	37045V-11-8	4	331		Sole
General Motors Company-Warrants B	Common	37045V-12-6	3	331		Sole
GenOn Energy Inc	Common	37244E-10-7	210	80,347		Sole
GILDAN ACTIVEWEAR INC	Common	375916-10-3	28	1,500		Sole
HARRIS PFD CAP CORP	Preferred	414567-20-6	152	6,000		Sole
H J Heinz Company	Common	423074-10-3	2,432	45,000		Sole
Honeywell International Inc	Common	438516-10-6	2,065	38,000		Sole
Hospira Inc	Common	441060-10-0	486	16,000		Sole
Intel Corporation	Common	458140-10-0	1,455	60,000		Sole
INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHS	Common	459200-10-1	552	3,000		Sole
JPMorgan Chase & Co	Common	46625H-10-0	1,920	57 <b>,</b> 736		Sole
JACOBS ENGR GROUP INC DEL	Common	469814-10-7	41	1,000		Sole
Johnson & Johnson	Common	478160-10-4	2,492	38,000		Sole
JOS A BANK CLOTHIERS INC	Common	480838-10-1	73	1,500		Sole
LINEAR TECHNOLOGY CORP	Common	535678-10-6	120	4,000		Sole
LOWES COS INC	Common	548661-10-7	431	17,000	SH	Sole
MCCORMICK & CO INC	Common	579780-20-6	101	2,000	SH	Sole
MCDONALDS CORP	Common	580135-10-1	502	5,000	SH	Sole
Medtronic Inc	Common	585055-10-6	956	25,000	SH	Sole
Merck & Co Inc	Common	58933Y-10-5	217	5 <b>,</b> 767	SH	Sole
METLIFE INC	Common	59156R-10-8	56	1,800	SH	Sole
NATIONAL PRESTO INDS INC	Common	637215-10-4	94	1,000	SH	Sole
Newell Rubbermaid Inc	Common	651229-10-6	739	45,766	SH	Sole
NIKE INC	Common	654106-10-3	289	3,000	SH	Sole
NOVELLUS SYS INC	Common	670008-10-1	206	5,000	SH	Sole
Old Republic International Cor	Common	680223-10-4	2,361	254,690	SH	Sole
OMNICOM GROUP INC	Common	681919-10-6	134	3,000	SH	Sole
ORACLE CORP	Common	68389X-10-5	180	7,000	SH	Sole
PepsiCo Inc	Common	713448-10-8	1,526	23,000	SH	Sole
Pfizer Inc	Common	717081-10-3	866	40,000	SH	Sole
Piper Jaffray Cos	Common	724078-10-0	168	8,329	SH	Sole
PLAINS ALL AMER PIPELINE LP	Common	726503-10-5	220	3,000	SH	Sole
Procter & Gamble Company	Common	742718-10-9	5,070	76,000	SH	Sole
Progress Energy Inc	Common	743263-10-5	1,072	19,131	SH	Sole
QCR Holdings Inc	Common	74727A-10-4	757	83,181	SH	Sole
ROYAL BK SCOTLAND GROUP PLC	Preferred	780097-87-9	33	2,000	SH	Sole
Royal Dutch Shell ADR	Common	780259-20-6	2,924	40,000	SH	Sole
Schlumberger Limited	Common	806857-10-8	2,049	30,000	SH	Sole
SMUCKER J M CO	Common	832696-40-5	313	4,000	SH	Sole
Spectra Energy Corporation	Common	847560-10-9	2,893	94,096	SH	Sole
STRYKER CORP	Common	863667-10-1	298	6,000	SH	Sole
Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd	Common	881624-20-9	73	1,802		Sole
TEXAS INSTRS INC	Common	882508-10-4	146	5,000	SH	Sole
TRACTOR SUPPLY CO	Common	892356-10-6	281	4,000		Sole
Treehouse Foods Inc	Common	89469A-10-4	631	9,652		Sole
U S Bancorp	Common	902973-30-4	19,070	704,984		Sole
UNION PAC CORP	Common	907818-10-8	265	2,500		Sole
V F CORP	Common	918204-10-8	381	3,000		Sole
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			VALUE	SHARES/ SH/	PUT/	INVSTMNT	OTHER -
NAME OF ISSUER	TITLE OF CLASS	CUSIP	(x \$1000)	PRN AMT PRN	CALL	DSCRETN	MANAGERS

SYS INC	Common	92220P-10-5	67	1,000	SH	Sole	
Vectren							
Corporation	Common	92240G-10-1	806	26,658	SH	Sole	
Verizon							
Communications							
Inc	Common	92343V-10-4	2,247	55 <b>,</b> 997	SH	Sole	
WAL MART							
STORES INC	Common	931142-10-3	209	3,500	SH	Sole	
WALGREEN							
CO	Common	931422-10-9	331	10,000	SH	Sole	
WASTE MGMT							
INC DEL	Common	94106L-10-9	65	2,000	SH	Sole	
Wells Fargo &							
Company	Common	949746-10-1	7,030	255,086	SH	Sole	2
Wachovia Corp							
Ser L Conv							
Perp Pfd	Preferred	949746-80-4	1,478	1,400	SH	Sole	
Windstream							
Corporation	Common	97381W-10-4	152	12,942	SH	Sole	
Wintrust							
Financial							
Corporation	Common	97650W-10-8	6,466	230,523	SH	Sole	2
Wisconsin							
Power &Light							
Company	Preferred	976826-86-7	258	9,100	SH	Sole	
Xcel Energy,							
Inc.	Common	98389B-10-0	2,488	90,000		Sole	
Xylem Inc	Common	98419M-10-0	64	2,500	SH	Sole	
Montpelier Re							
Holdings Ltd	Common	G62185-10-6	163	9,189	SH	Sole	
Report					0 other	managers on	
Summary	Data Rec	ords 105	154,744				filed