WARDLOW MARK

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

WARDLOW MARK

UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP

(Check all applicable)

EVP/Chief Credit Officer

[UMPQ]

Symbol

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Officer (give title below)

Director

10% Owner Other (specify

ONE SW COLUMBIA STREET,

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

SUITE 1200

(City)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

02/04/2011

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

PORTLAND, OR 97258

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Code V Amount (D) 1.586 D

Price D

11.28

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common 02/04/2011 Stock

45,013

D

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)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Dr. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,			7. Title and Amount Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.23					02/02/2010(2)	02/01/2019	Common Stock	15,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.97					01/31/2012(3)	01/30/2021	Common Stock	20,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.89					02/05/2011(4)	02/04/2020	Common Stock	40,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.15					07/09/2005(5)	07/09/2014	Common Stock	5,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Fg	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WARDLOW MARK ONE SW COLUMBIA STREET, SUITE 1200 PORTLAND, OR 97258			EVP/Chief Credit Officer			
Signatures						
By: Steven L. Philpott, Attorney in Fact For: Mark Wardlow		02/04/2011				

Explanation of Responses:

**Signature of Reporting Person

- * 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).

Date

- (1) Payment of tax liability by delivering or withholding securities incident to the receipt, exercise or vesting of a security issued in accordance with Rule 16b-3.
- (2) Option granted 2/2/09. Beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date, the options vest 20% per year for five years.
- (3) Option granted 1/31/2011. Beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date, the options vest 25% per year for four years.

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- (4) Option granted 2/5/10. Beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date, the options vest 20% per year for five years.
- (5) All options are fully vested.

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