

MASON THEODORE S
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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 *
 MASON THEODORE S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP
 [UMPQ]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 ONE SW COLUMBIA STREET,
 SUITE 1200
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 04/23/2009

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

PORTLAND, OR 97258

4. 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

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	04/23/2009		J	V 1,662 (1) A (2)	10,073 (3)	I	by Deferred Comp Pln
Common Stock					110,657	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. 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. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.47					03/29/2001 ⁽⁴⁾ 03/29/2010	Common Stock 25,500
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.65					06/26/2003 ⁽⁴⁾ 06/26/2013	Common Stock 2,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MASON THEODORE S ONE SW COLUMBIA STREET, SUITE 1200 PORTLAND, OR 97258	X			

Signatures

By: Steven L. Philpott, Attorney in Fact For: Theodore S. Mason 04/24/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) The Report is filed to reflect that the Reporting Person is no longer subject to Section 16.
- (2) Not required.
- (3) Holdings reported include shares acquired pursuant to the Issuer's Director Compensation Plan.
- (4) All options are fully vested.

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