

Pape Kathy L
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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 *
 Pape Kathy L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 American Water Works Company, Inc. [AWK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 1025 LAUREL OAK ROAD
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/21/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 President, PA American Water

VOORHEES, NJ 08043

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	11/21/2012	11/21/2012	M	1,775 A \$ 21.5	14,707	D	
Common Stock	11/21/2012	11/21/2012	M	2,876 A \$ 21.5	17,583	D	
Common Stock	11/21/2012	11/21/2012	M	17,482 A \$ 20.7	35,065	D	
Common Stock	11/21/2012	11/21/2012	S	22,133 D \$ 37.21	13,362	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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.5	11/21/2012	11/21/2012	M	1,775	<u>(1)</u> 12/31/2013	Common Stock	1,775
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.5	11/21/2012	11/21/2012	M	2,876	<u>(2)</u> 12/31/2014	Common Stock	2,876
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.7	11/21/2012	11/21/2012	M	17,482	<u>(3)</u> 12/31/2015	Common Stock	17,482

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Pape Kathy L 1025 LAUREL OAK ROAD VOORHEES, NJ 08043			President, PA American Water	

Signatures

/s/ Karen K. Pettiford-Wilson by Power of Attorney previously filed

11/26/2012

__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 Option Award granted on April 22, 2008, representing a right to purchase a total of 10,034 shares at \$21.50, became exercisable on January 1, 2010.
- (2) The Option Award granted on April 22, 2008, representing a right to purchase a total of 11,295 shares at \$21.50, became exercisable on January 1, 2011.
- (3) The Option Award granted on February 20, 2009, representing a right to purchase a total of 20,177 shares at \$20.70, vested in three equal installments on January 1, 2010, 2011 and 2012.

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