UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Eckhardt Ezra	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	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2015	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP/Shared Resources		
(Street) PORTLAND, OR 97258	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (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 Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	04/29/2015		F	1,058 (1)	D	\$ 17.29	193,138	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2015		J	229	A	<u>(2)</u>	26,975 <u>(3)</u>	I	by 401(k)
Common Stock							1,545	I	by IRA
Common Stock							1,545	I	by Spouse IRA

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber 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 A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4	Securitie
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.16					04/29/2014(4)	04/28/2024	Common Stock	14,7

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

Eckhardt Ezra

ONE SW COLUMBIA STREET, SUITE 1200 PORTLAND, OR 97258

EVP/Shared Resources

Signatures

By: Andrew H. Ognall, Attorney-in-Fact For: Ezra

Eckhardt 04/30/2015

> **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).
- 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) Not required.
- Holdings reported include shares acquired in the 401(k)/Profit Sharing plan through dividend reinvestment, payroll deferrals and/or employer contributions in transactions that were exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).
- (4) Option granted 4/29/2013. Beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date, the option vest 25% per year over four years.

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