

UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP
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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 *
 SULLIVAN DANIEL A

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)
 11/08/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP - Umpqua Holdings Corp

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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code V	Amount		
Common Stock	11/08/2007		M	15,000	A \$ 8.375	112,767	D
Common Stock						1,659	I by 401(k)

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.375	11/08/2007		M	15,000	05/01/2001 ⁽¹⁾ 05/01/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.01					09/30/2004 ⁽²⁾ 09/30/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.49					01/20/2006 ⁽³⁾ 01/20/2015	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SULLIVAN DANIEL A
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Signatures

By: Steven L. Philpott, Attorney in Fact For: Daniel A. Sullivan

11/09/2007

 **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) All options are fully vested.

(2) Option granted 9/30/03. Beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date, the options vest 20% per year for five years.

(3) Option granted 1/21/05. Beginning on the day before the first anniversary of the grant date, the options vest 20% per year for five years.

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