

WARDLOW MARK  
Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â WARDLOW MARK		(Month/Day/Year)	UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP [UMPQ]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	09/24/2010	
ONE SW COLUMBIA STREET, SUITE 1200			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
PORTLAND,Â ORÂ 97258			<input type="checkbox"/> Director	<input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner
(City)			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
(State)			(give title below)	(specify below)
(Zip)			EVP/Chief Credit Officer	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
				<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	27,232	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Title			

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	Expiration Date	Amount or Number of Shares	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	02/02/2010 <sup>(1)</sup> 02/01/2019	Common Stock 15,000 \$ 9.23	D Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	02/05/2011 <sup>(2)</sup> 02/04/2020	Common Stock 40,000 \$ 11.89	D Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	07/09/2005 <sup>(3)</sup> 07/09/2014	Common Stock 5,000 \$ 22.15	D Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WARDLOW MARK ONE SW COLUMBIA STREET, SUITE 1200 PORTLAND, OR 97258	Â	Â	Â EVP/Chief Credit Officer	Â

## Signatures

By: Steven L. Philpott, Attorney in Fact For: Mark Wardlow 09/30/2010

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Option granted 2/2/09. Beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date, the options vest 20% per year for five years.
- (2) Option granted 2/5/10. Beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date, the options vest 20% per year for five years.
- (3) All options are fully vested.

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