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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UMPQUA HOLDINGS CORP [UMPQ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2009	Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) President-Umpqua Bank		
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		
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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (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	03/02/2009	D <u>(1)</u>	5,672	D	\$ 7.97	8,974	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2009	D <u>(1)</u>	2,587	D	\$ 7.97	6,387	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2009	D(2)	4,000	D	(3)	2,387	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2009	A(4)	7,300	A	\$0	9,687	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2009	A(4)	16,000	A	\$ 0	25,687	D	

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Common Stock 03/04/2009 J 5 A (3) 1,026 (5) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	orDerivative		orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		TransactiorDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (6. Date Exercisab Date (Month/Day/Year	•	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title				
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.59	03/02/2009		J		10,000	07/21/2009	07/20/2018(2)	Common Stock				
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.5	03/02/2009		J		24,000	01/28/2009	01/27/2018(2)	Common Stock				
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.49	03/02/2009		J		8,000	01/21/2006	01/20/2015(2)	Common Stock				
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.62						10/16/2003(6)	10/16/2012	Common Stock				
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.01						09/30/2004(6)	09/30/2013	Common Stock				

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

EDSON DAVID M ONE SW COLUMBIA STREET, SUITE 1200 PORTLAND, OR 97258

President-Umpqua Bank

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By: Steven L. Philpott, Attorney in Fact For: David M. Edson

03/04/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) Shares forfeited following termination of employment.
- (3) Not required.
- (4) Shares vested pursuant to grant of restricted stock units under 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan.
- (5) Holdings reported include shares acquired in the 401(k)/Profit Sharing plan through dividend reinvestment, payroll deferrals and/or employer contributions.
- (6) All options are fully vested.

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