

Palmer C. Michael
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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 *
 Palmer C. Michael

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O MARATHON PETROLEUM CORPORATION, 539 S. MAIN STREET

(Street)

FINDLAY, OH 45840

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Marathon Petroleum Corp [MPC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/05/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Sr. VP, Supply Distrib. & Plan

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/05/2011		A	351 A \$ 0	9,051.2776 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock					3,603.46 ⁽²⁾	I	By 401(k) Plan

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)
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.4	12/05/2011		A	5,772	12/05/2012 ⁽³⁾ 12/05/2021	Common Stock 5,772

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Palmer C. Michael C/O MARATHON PETROLEUM CORPORATION 539 S. MAIN STREET FINDLAY, OH 45840			Sr. VP, Supply Distrib. & Plan	

Signatures

/s/ Molly R. Benson, Attorney-in-Fact for C. Michael Palmer
12/07/2011

__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) Includes 0.067 shares acquired pursuant to dividend reinvestment and previously not reported pursuant to Rule 16a-11.
- (2) Includes 19.4820 shares acquired pursuant to dividend reinvestment and previously not reported pursuant to Rule 16a-11.
- (3) Vests in annual installments of 1,924 shares on December 5, 2012, 1,924 shares on December 5, 2013 and 1,924 shares on December 5, 2014.

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