

ROTH W RICHARD
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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 *
ROTH W RICHARD

(Last) (First) (Middle)
110 W TAYLOR STREET
(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SJW CORP [SJW]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/26/2012

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)
President & CEO

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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or Price | | |
| Common Stock | 01/26/2012 | | F | | 1,467 (1) | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/27/2012 | | F | | 1,712 (3) | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 18,300 | I | By Separate Property Trust |

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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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| ROTH W RICHARD 110 W TAYLOR STREET SAN JOSE, CA 95110 | X | | President & CEO | |

Signatures

/s/ Suzy Papazian Attorney-in-Fact for W. Richard Roth
Date: 01/30/2012

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Represents 1,467 shares of the issuer's common stock withheld to satisfy withholding taxes on certain shares of the issuer's common stock that became issuable on January 26, 2012 pursuant to the terms of the Restricted Stock Unit Issuance Agreement between the issuer and Mr. Roth dated January 26, 2010. The issuable shares were previously reported as Table I securities at the time the restricted stock units were granted, and accordingly the issuance of those shares is not a reportable transaction on this Form 4.

(2) Includes 44,455 shares of the issuer's common stock. Also includes 57,838 shares of the issuer's common stock underlying restricted stock units and 103,294 shares of the issuer's common stock underlying deferred restricted stock, which may be subject in whole or in part to vesting schedules tied to Mr. Roth's continued service with the issuer or the attainment of certain performance goals, and which will be issued as actual shares of common stock of the issuer either at the time of vesting or at a specified time thereafter (including termination of service with the issuer).

(3) Represents 1,712 shares of the issuer's common stock withheld to satisfy withholding taxes on certain shares of the issuer's common stock that became issuable on January 27, 2012 pursuant to the terms of the Restricted Stock Unit Issuance Agreement between the issuer and Mr. Roth dated January 27, 2009. The issuable shares were previously reported as Table I securities at the time the restricted stock units

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- Includes 47,410 shares of the issuer's common stock. Also includes 53,171 shares of the issuer's common stock underlying restricted stock units and 103,294 shares of the issuer's common stock underlying deferred restricted stock, which may be subject in whole or in
- (4) part to vesting schedules tied to Mr. Roth's continued service with the issuer or the attainment of certain performance goals, and which will be issued as actual shares of common stock of the issuer either at the time of vesting or at a specified time thereafter (including termination of service with the issuer).

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