

W. P. Carey Inc.  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Fox Jason E.

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O W. P. CAREY INC., 50  
ROCKEFELLER PLAZA  
(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10020

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
W. P. Carey Inc. [WPC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/19/2016

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Price                                    |   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 12/19/2016                           |  | M                              | 164 A \$ 30.07  | 513,088   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 12/19/2016                           |  | F                              | 128 D \$ 60.24  | 512,960   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 750.5561 <sup>(1)</sup>   | I  | by son                            |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 54.7016 <sup>(2)</sup>  | I  | by daughter                       |

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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy)       | \$ 30.07   | 12/19/2016                           |  | M                              | 164   | <sup>(3)</sup> 12/31/2016                                | Common Stock  | 164                           |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |           |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer   | Other |
| Fox Jason E.<br>C/O W. P. CAREY INC.<br>50 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA<br>NEW YORK, NY 10020 |               |           | President |       |

## Signatures

/s/ James A. Fitzgerald,  
Attorney-in-fact

12/20/2016

\_\_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 21.9048 shares previously acquired under the Issuer's dividend reinvestment plan.
- (2) Includes 1.5963 shares previously acquired under the Issuer's dividend reinvestment plan.
- (3)

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The options were fully vested upon grant but became exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning on 12/31/2011 and ending on 12/31/2015.

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