PINNACLE WEST CAPITAL CORP

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GOMEZ BARBARA M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PINNACLE WEST CAPITAL CORP [PNW]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last) 400 NORTH 8602	(First) 5TH STREE	(Middle) ET, MS	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2016	Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX_ Other (specify below) VP, Human Resources - APS
PHOENIX, A	(Street)		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
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posed of, or Beneficially Owned							
nt of s illy	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
on(s) and 4)							
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-E	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			Beneficially (D) or Beneficially Owned Indirect (I) Own Following (Instr. 4) (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	11/18/2016		M	1,608 (1)	A	\$ 0 (1)	1,608	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2016		F(2)	757	D	\$ 73.26	851	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2016		A	113 (3)	A	\$ 0 (3)	964	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2016		F(2)	54	D	\$ 73.26	910	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2016		G(4)	910	D	\$ 0 (4)	0	D	

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Stock	11/18/2016	$G^{(4)}$	910	A	\$ 0 (4)	3,813	I	by trust
Common Stock						5,817	I	by 401(k)
Reminder: Rep	ort on a separate line for each class of secu	rities benef	icially ow	ned dii	rectly or in	ndirectly.		

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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)	Code	Transaction Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	11/18/2016		M	1,608	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	1,608	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GOMEZ BARBARA M 400 NORTH 5TH STREET MS 8602 PHOENIX, AZ 85004

VP, Human Resources - APS

Signatures

/s/ Diane Wood,

Attorney-in-Fact 11/22/2016 **Signature of Reporting Person Date

2 Reporting Owners

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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) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive the economic equivalent of one share of the Company's common stock.
- (2) Shares retained by the Company for the purpose of meeting tax withholding requirements. The recipient retained all other shares.
- (3) Represents shares of common stock received by the individual in settlement of dividend rights granted in connection with the Restricted Stock Units that vested on November 18, 2016.
- (4) The reporting person gifted the shares received on November 18, 2016 to a revocable family trust.
- (5) The Restricted Stock Units vested and were released on November 18, 2016 in accordance with the terms of the initial grant.

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