**AVISTA CORP** Form 4 January 06, 2014

## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Vermillion Dennis P			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AVISTA CORP [AVA]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First) (M	liddle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)		
1411 E MISSION AVENUE			(Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2014					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SPOKANE,	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) (	Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock - 2011 Restricted Share Award	01/02/2014			Code V	Amount 338 (1)	. ,	Price \$ 27.85	(Instr. 3 and 4) 18,287	D	
Common Stock - 2012 Restricted Share	01/02/2014			F	905 (2)	D	\$ 27.85	20,415	D	

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Common

Stock -

 $\frac{2013}{\text{Restricted}}$  01/02/2014 F 338  $\frac{(3)}{27.85}$  D  $\frac{\$}{27.85}$  21,111 D

Share Award

Common

Stock held 9,121.484 I by Trustee

in 401(k)

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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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionNumber **Expiration Date** Amount of Derivative Security or Exercise any Code of (Month/Day/Year) Underlying Security Price of Securities (Instr. 5) (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative Derivative Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) Security Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Amount or Expiration Title Number Date Exercisable Date of

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Code V (A) (D)

Vermillion Dennis P

1411 E MISSION AVENUE Senior Vice President

SPOKANE, WA 99202

**Signatures** 

/s/Dennis P. 01/06/2014 Vermillion

\*\*Signature of Reporting Date

Person

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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) Shares sold to pay income taxes on final 1/3 of 2011 restricted shares that vested on January 2, 2014.
- (2) Shares sold to pay income taxes on second 1/3 of 2012 restricted shares that vested on January 2, 2014.
- (3) Shares sold to pay income taxes on first 1/3 of 2013 restricted shares that vested on January 2, 2014.

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