

Public Storage  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
HUGHES B WAYNE ET AL

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PUBLIC STORAGE, 701  
WESTERN AVENUE

(Street)

GLENDALE, CA 91201

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Public Storage [PSA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/27/2009

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)

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock					2,723,141	I	As Trustee <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock					0	I	As Settlor <u>(2)</u>
Common Stock					1,427	I	By IRA <u>(3)</u>
Common Stock					735,000	I	By GRAT <u>(4)</u>
Common Stock	08/27/2009		S	150,000 D	\$ 70.4253 450,000	I	By LLC <u>(6)</u>

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Common Stock	08/27/2009	S	150,000	D	\$ 71.6359	700,000	I	By LLC <u>(7)</u>
Common Stock	08/28/2009	S	317,800	D	\$ 71.359	382,200	I	By LLC <u>(7)</u>
Common Stock	08/31/2009	S	182,200	D	\$ 70.6889	200,000	I	By LLC <u>(7)</u>
Common Stock						650,000	I	By LLC <u>(8)</u>
Common Stock						555,829.6477	I	By 401(k) Plan <u>(5)</u>
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock						52,547	I	As Trustee <u>(1)</u>
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock						46	I	By IRA <u>(3)</u>
Depository Shares Representing Equity Stock						10,767.0546	I	By 401(k) Plan <u>(5)</u>

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)

# Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HUGHES B WAYNE ET AL C/O PUBLIC STORAGE 701 WESTERN AVENUE GLENDALE, CA 91201	X	X		CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

# Signatures

/s/ David Goldberg, Attorney  
in Fact 08/31/2009

\*\*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) By B. Wayne Hughes, trustee for B.W. Hughes Living Trust dated 6/3/77 (the "Living Trust").
- (2) By The Northern Trust Company of Delaware, trustee for B. Wayne Hughes 2008 Irrevocable Intervivos Trust ("NTCD").
- (3) By custodian of an IRA for the reporting person's benefit.
- (4) By B. Wayne Hughes, trustee of Wayne Hughes 6-07 Annuity Trust.
- (5) 401 (k) plan units that represent interests in common stock or equity stock; based on plan information as of August 25, 2009. There is not a one to one correlation between units and shares.  
The reported shares are held by Japanese Village, LLC, a limited liability company that owns substantial other assets in addition to the reported shares. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported shares held by Japanese Village and this report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of section 16 or for any other purposes.
- (6) The reported shares are held by Quarterhorse Equities, LLC, a limited liability company that owns substantial other assets in addition to the reported shares. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported shares held by Quarterhorse Equities and this report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of section 16 or for any other purposes.
- (7) The reported shares are held by 5420 Sunset Boulevard LP, LLC, a limited liability company that owns substantial other assets in addition to the reported shares. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported shares held by 5420 Sunset Boulevard and this report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of section 16 or for any other purposes.
- (8)

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