

LOWRIE WILLIAM G  
Form 5  
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**FORM 5**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**ANNUAL 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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
LOWRIE WILLIAM G  
  
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
WPX ENERGY, INC. [WPX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2011

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

ONE WILLIAMS CENTER  
  
(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting  
  
(check applicable line)

TULSA, OK 74172

Form Filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Amount Price			
Common Stock	12/31/2011	Â	J <sup>(1)</sup>	21,008 A \$ 0	21,008	D	Â

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)**

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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)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 10.86	12/31/2011	Â	A	14,499	Â	Â (2)	Â (2)	Common Stock	14,499
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 21.22	12/31/2011	Â	A	11,778	Â	Â (3)	Â (3)	Common Stock	11,778
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 29.73	12/31/2011	Â	A	7,349	Â	Â (4)	Â (4)	Common Stock	7,349

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LOWRIE WILLIAM G ONE WILLIAMS CENTER TULSA, OK 74172	Â X	Â	Â	Â

## Signatures

By: Stephen E. Brilz, Attorney-in-Fact for William G. Lowrie

02/13/2012

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

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

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

- (1) Receipt of spin-off distribution.
- (2) Restricted Stock Units payable on May 21, 2012 or upon death or other termination of service as a non-management director of the Company.
- (3) Restricted Stock Units payable on May 20, 2013 or upon death or other termination of service as a non-management director of the Company.
- (4) Restricted Stock Units payable on May 19, 2014 or upon death or other termination of service as a non-management director of the Company.

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