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(Print or Type R	esponses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> POLING JOHN W SR			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN ECOLOGY CORP [ECOL]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) 300 E. MAL	(First) LARD DR., SU	(Middle) JITE 300	3. Date of (Month/Da 05/13/20	-	insaction			X Director Officer (give below)		6 Owner er (specify	
			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					<ol> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> </ol>			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecuritie	es Acq	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Yea	r) Executionany	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D) 4 and 5) (A) or	) Price	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				Couc V	Amount	(D) I	TICC	900	D		

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)

## Reporting Owners

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Option	\$ 16.4	05/13/2009		А	5,400	05/10/2010	05/13/2019	Common Stock	5,400

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / A	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
POLING JOHN W SR 300 E. MALLARD DR., SU BOISE, ID 83706	JITE 300	Х					
Signatures							
John W. Poling, Sr.	05/15/200	9					
**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) Issued pursuant to Amended and Restated 2005 Non-Employee Director Compensation Plan.

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