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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MEYER DAVID J					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVISTA CORP [AVA]									all app Dired	olicable) ctor	g Person(s) to I	Owner	
(Last) 1411 E M	(Fii IISSION A	· ·	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2013							X	Officer (give title below) Vice P		Other below resident	(specify)		
(Street) SPOKANE WA 99202 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	Forn Forn	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	le I - No	on-Deriva	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Dis	sposed o	f, or E	Benefi	cially	Own	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date			2. Transact Date (Month/Day	Execution Date,				es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
							·		Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		action(s)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 02/22/2				02/22/2	013	013		S		1,234	D	\$25	.8376	0		D		
Common Stock held in 401(k) Investment Plan																3,801	I	Held by Trustee
Common Stock held in Executive Deferral Account															2,389	I	Held by Trustee	
Common Stock held in IRA at DA Davidson																1,142	I	Held by Trustee
		Та	able II -								osed of, convertib				wned			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/Day/Year) if a	3A. Dee Execution if any (Month/	on Date,		ransaction ode (Instr.		of		Exerc ion Da /Day/Y		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Deri Seci (Insi	rice of vative urity tr. 5)	ative derivative rity Securities	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of Shares					

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ David J. Meyer

02/25/2013

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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