FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  RACICOT MARC F						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AVISTA CORP [ AVA ]										olicable)	g Person(s) to 10%	lssuer Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1411 E. MISSION AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/11/2019									Offic belov	er (give title w)	Othe belov	(specify v)	
(Street) SPOKAN (City)			99202 Zip)		4. If	Amer	dment	, Date (	of Origina	al File	d (Month/Da	ay/Year)		6. Indiv Line) X	Forn	n filed by One n filed by Mor	o Filing (Check e Reporting Perethan One Re	son
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative/	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Dis	sposed o	f, or E	enefi	cially	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacting Date (Month/Day)					Execution Date,		3. 4. Securitie Disposed Code (Instr. 8)				nd 5) Securi Benefi		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Pric	Tran		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 09/11/20				2019	)19		A <sup>(1)</sup>		477(2)	A	\$47	.14 <sup>(1)</sup>		.9,504	D			
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)  3. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			saction le (Instr. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Number of		Deri Sec (Inst		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Shares issued as an award of stock for Director Compensation. The price per share is the closing price on September 10, 2019.
- 2. Shares issued as part the Directors annual retainer.

/s/Marc F. Racicot 09/11/2019

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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