

W. P. Carey Inc.  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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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)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â PARK JOHN J</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O W. P. CAREY INC.,Â 50 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>NEW YORK,Â NYÂ 10020</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>03/18/2016</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>W. P. Carey Inc. [WPC]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) Managing Director</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	436,773 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	D	Â
Common Stock	560	I	by son
Common Stock	560	I	by son
Common Stock	560	I	by daughter

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable      Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â (3)      12/31/2017	Common Stock	245      \$ 33.2	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PARK JOHN J C/O W. P. CAREY INC. 50 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10020	Â	Â	Â Managing Director	Â

## Signatures

/s/ James A. Fitzgerald,  
Attorney-in-fact      03/28/2016

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person      Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).
- Includes grants of restricted stock units ("RSUs"), each scheduled to vest in three equal annual installments, with the remaining RSUs
- (1) vesting as follows: 11,363 on 2/15/2017, 7,391 on 2/15/2018, and 3,925 on 2/15/2019. These RSUs are convertible on a one-for-one basis into shares of the Issuer's Common Stock.
  - (2) Includes shares underlying awards of RSUs and performance share units, or PSUs, that have vested, with the shares to be paid at the end of the deferral period(s) selected by the reporting person.
  - (3) The options were fully vested upon grant but become exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning on 12/31/2012 and ending on 12/31/2016. Of the original grant, 245 options remain outstanding, of which 163 are currently exercisable.

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