#### **CARROLL MILTON**

Form 4 May 17, 2013

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue.

See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> CARROLL MILTON			Symbol						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			Western Gas Partners LP [WES]					(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle	e) 3. Date of Ear	liest Trans	action							
1201 LAKE ROBBINS DRIVE			•	(Month/Day/Year)				_X_ Director	Owner			
			05/17/2013	05/17/2013					Officer (give titleOther (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendm	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
THE WOOD	Filed(Month/D	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person _ Form filed by More than One Reporting					
THE WOODLA	ANDS, TX	//380					_	Person	ore man one rep	, or ung		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I -	Non-Deri	vative Sec	urities	s Acqui	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transactio (Month/Day/		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. SecuritonAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) c l of (D	))	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 Units Representing Limited Partnership Interests	05/17/2013	3		M	1,581	A	\$0	4,157	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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares
Phantom Units	(1)	05/17/2013		M	1,581	05/17/2013	05/17/2013	Common Units Representing Limited Partnership Interests	1,581

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelation	snips	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CARROLL MILTON
1201 LAKE ROBBINS DRIVE X
THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

### **Signatures**

/s/ Linda Mansker by power of atty. for Milton
Carroll 05/17/2013

\*\*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) Each Phantom Unit is the economic equivalent of one WES Common Unit representing limited partnership interests, and upon vesting, entitled to receive a common unit.

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