

Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc.

Form 4

July 14, 2017

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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1(b).**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**FIORAVANTI MARK**2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc.  
[RHP]**5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**ONE GAYLORD DRIVE**  
(Street)3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**07/14/2017**☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)  
**President & CFO****NASHVILLE, TN 37214**4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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

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(9-02)**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Instr. 5)					
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0						<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	2,965
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0						<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	3,633
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	9,738
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	6,300
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0						<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	5,980

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FIORAVANTI MARK ONE GAYLORD DRIVE NASHVILLE, TN 37214			President & CFO	

## Signatures

Scott J. Lynn, Attorney-in-Fact for Mark  
Fioravanti 07/14/2017

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) Restricted stock vests on a one-to-one share basis on February 26, 2018.

(2)

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In accordance with the terms of the reporting person's outstanding restricted stock unit awards, as a result of the \$0.80 dividend per share of outstanding common stock paid by the issuer on July 14, 2017, the reporting person received additional restricted stock units in an amount based on the amount of the dividend per share and the closing price of the issuer's common stock traded on the NYSE on June 19, 2017.

- (3) Restricted stock unit vests on a one-to-one share basis ratably in 1/4 increments for four years beginning on March 15, 2016.
- (4) Restricted stock unit vests on a one-to-one share basis 50% on March 15, 2018 and 50% on March 15, 2019.
- (5) Restricted stock unit vests on a one-to-one share basis ratably in 1/4 increments for four years beginning on March 15, 2017.
- (6) Restricted stock unit vests on a one-to-one share basis ratably in 1/4 increments for four years beginning on March 15, 2018.

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