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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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 *

 CHAMBERS JAMES

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

05/04/2012

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Great Wolf Resorts, Inc. [WOLF]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O APOLLO MANAGEMENT, Â 9 WEST 57TH STREET, 43RD FLOOR

(Street)

10% Owner _X_ Director Officer

(Check all applicable)

Other (give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

NEW YORK. NYÂ 10019

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(Zip)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership

(I)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Form: Direct (D)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

or Indirect

SEC 1473 (7-02)

(Instr. 5) Â D

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share $0^{(1)}$

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security

2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. 5. Conversion or Exercise

6. Nature of Indirect Ownership Beneficial Ownership Form of (Instr. 5)

Price of Derivative Derivative Security:

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Date Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Amount or Security Number of Shares Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CHAMBERS JAMES C/O APOLLO MANAGEMENT 9 WEST 57TH STREET, 43RD FLOOR NEW YORK, NYÂ 10019

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Signatures

/s/ James Chambers 05/04/2012

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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