

Bowers Kimberly S.
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Bowers Kimberly S.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 VALERO ENERGY CORP/TX [VLO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 P.O. BOX 696000
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/09/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP and GC

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78269-6000
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	11/09/2012		A		27,593 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ 0
					132,361 ⁽²⁾	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)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.2301	11/09/2012		A	14,030	⁽³⁾ 11/09/2022	Common Stock	14,030
Performance Shares	⁽⁴⁾	11/09/2012		A	16,840	⁽⁴⁾ 01/31/2016	Common Stock	⁽⁴⁾

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bowers Kimberly S. P.O. BOX 696000 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78269-6000			EVP and GC	

Signatures

J. Stephen Gilbert, as Attorney-in-Fact for Kimberly S. Bowers 11/13/2012

__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) Award of restricted stock subject to time vesting.
- (2) The 132,361 amount does not include 1,858,5760 shares indirectly owned by the reporting person in a thrift plan.
- (3) The options become exercisable, if at all, annually in equal one-third increments if the reported market price of the issuer's common stock on the NYSE equals or exceeds 25 percent of the options' exercise price.
- (4) The performance shares vest annually in one-third increments beginning in January 2014 and are payable in shares of common stock in amounts ranging from zero to 200 percent of the performance shares.

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