

Lynch Walter
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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 *
 Lynch Walter

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 American Water Works Company, Inc. [AWK]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 1025 LAUREL OAK ROAD
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 09/05/2018

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

VOORHEES, NJ 08043

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

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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
Common Stock	09/05/2018		M	V	10,000	A	\$ 44.06	112,031	D	
Common Stock	09/05/2018		S		10,000	D	\$ 89.57	102,031	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. 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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 44.06	09/05/2018		M	10,000	<u>(2)</u> 12/31/2020	Common Stock 10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Lynch Walter 1025 LAUREL OAK ROAD VOORHEES, NJ 08043			EVP and COO	

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey M. Taylor, as attorney-in-fact for Walter Lynch
 09/06/2018
 **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) The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$89.44 to \$89.75, inclusive. The report person undertakes to provide to American Water Works Company, Inc., any security holder thereof, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth above.
 - (2) The option award granted on February 20, 2014 and representing a right to purchase 28,545 shares vested in three equal installments on January 1, 2015, January 1, 2016 and January 1, 2017.
 - (3) A prior exercise of 5,000 shares underlying this option was previously reported.

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