WHITING PETROLEUM CORP

Form 4

October 30, 2013

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

ARTUS D SHERWIN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WHITING PETROLEUM CORP [WLL]					(Check all applicable)			
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			Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
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Common Stock 10/2	8/2013			S	2,000	D D	\$ 68.1737	53,873	D		
Common Stock 10/2	8/2013			S	3,000	D	\$ 69	50,873	D		
Common Stock 10/30	0/2013			S	1,000	D	\$ 70	49,873	D		

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

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ARTUS D SHERWIN 1700 BROADWAY, SUITE 2300 X DENVER, CO 80290

Signatures

/s/ Bruce R. DeBoer, Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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