

Massaro Lawrence S  
Form 4  
August 16, 2018

**FORM 4**

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

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may continue.  
See Instruction  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Massaro Lawrence S

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
NEWFIELD EXPLORATION CO  
/DE/ [NFX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
4 WATERWAY SQUARE PLACE,  
STE 100

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/15/2018

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
EVP & Chief Financial Officer

(Street)  
THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
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  
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	(A) or (D)	Price			
common stock								8,241	I	By 401(k)
common stock	08/15/2018		M		9,015 (1) (2)	A	\$ 0	207,987	D	
common stock	08/15/2018		M		6,335 (1) (2)	A	\$ 0	214,322	D	
common stock	08/15/2018		M		4,816 (1) (2)	A	\$ 0	219,138	D	
common stock	08/15/2018		D		20,166 (2)	D	\$ 25.9425	198,972	D	

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common stock      08/15/2018      F      15,872      D      \$ 25.9425      183,100      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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/15/2018		M	9,015	08/15/2016 02/15/2019	common stock	9,015
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/15/2018		M	6,335	08/15/2017 02/15/2020	common stock	6,335
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/15/2018		M	4,816	08/15/2018 02/15/2021	common stock	4,816

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director      10% Owner      Officer      Other

Massaro Lawrence S  
4 WATERWAY SQUARE PLACE, STE 100  
THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

EVP & Chief Financial Officer

## Signatures

/s/ Timothy D. Yang as attorney-in-fact for Lawrence S. Massaro

08/16/2018

                     \*\*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) Each cash-settled restricted stock unit subject to this award is the economic equivalent of one share of the issuer's common stock and may be settled solely in cash.
- (2) These transactions reflect the conversion of cash-settled restricted stock units into cash (i.e., the deemed acquisition and simultaneous disposition of the underlying shares of stock).

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