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	ddress of Reporting Po	Symb	suer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading ol thon Petroleum Corp [MPC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Da (Mon			e of Earliest Transaction h/Day/Year) 7/2012	(Check all applicable) <u></u> Director <u></u> 10% Owner <u></u> Officer (give title <u></u> Other (specify below) Sr. VP, HR & Admin. Services			
FINDLAY,	(Street) OH 45840		mendment, Date Original Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by M Form filed by M Person	One Reporting P	erson	
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) T	able I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			Code (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)	
Common Stock	02/27/2012		F 1,244 D <sup>\$</sup> 42.66	14,599	D		
Common Stock				3,558.056 <u>(1)</u>	I	By 401(k) Plan	
Common Stock				2,194	I	By wife's Revocable Trust (2)	
Common Stock				8,463	I	By Revocable Trust (3)	

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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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## **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Nichols Rodney P. C/O MARATHON PETROLEUM CORPORATION 539 S. MAIN STREET FINDLAY, OH 45840			Sr. VP, HR & Admin. Services			
Signatures						
/s/ Molly R. Benson, Attorney-in-Fact for Rodney P. Nichols		02/29/2012				
**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) Includes 25.8720 shares acquired pursuant to dividend reinvestment and previously not reported pursuant to Rule 16a-11.
- (2) By Barb Nichols Revocable Trust Agreement (wife).
- (3) By Rodney P. Nichols Revocable Trust Agreement.

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