#### CARRIZO OIL & GAS INC

Form 4 March 21, 2017

# FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FISHER JOHN BRADLEY			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CARRIZO OIL & GAS INC [CRZO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 500 DALLAS STREET, SUITE 2300			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/17/2017	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  VP & Chief Operating Officer		
	(Street)		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		
HOUSTON,	ΓX 77002			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)  (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/17/2017		M	11,608	A	\$ 0	155,680	D	
Common Stock	03/17/2017		M	10,991	A	\$ 0	166,671	D	
Common Stock	03/17/2017		M	18,327	A	\$ 0	184,998	D	
Common Stock	03/20/2017		S(1)(2)	16,780	D	\$ 28.1562 (3)	168,218	D	
	03/20/2017		S(2)	500	D		167,718	D	

Common 28.1922 Stock (4)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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
Restricted Stock Units (5)	\$ 0	03/17/2017		M	11,608	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	11,608
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Restricted Stock Units (5)	\$ 0	03/17/2017		M	18,327	(8)	(8)	Common Stock	18,327

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Other Officer

FISHER JOHN BRADLEY 500 DALLAS STREET **SUITE 2300** HOUSTON, TX 77002

VP & Chief Operating Officer

## **Signatures**

/s/ David L. Pitts, attorney-in-fact

03/21/2017

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

2 Reporting Owners

### **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) These transactions were effected in accordance with Rule 10b5-1.
- (2) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected to satisfy the reporting person's federal income tax obligations with respect to the vesting of equity awards.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer 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 in this Form 4. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$27.69 to \$28.44, inclusive.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer 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 in this Form 4. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$28.19 to \$28.20.
- (5) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
- (6) These restricted stock units vested in three equal installments on March 17, 2015, March 17, 2016 and March 17, 2017.
- (7) These restricted stock units vested, or will vest, in three equal installments on March 17, 2016, March 17, 2017 and March 17, 2018.
- (8) These restricted stock units vested, or will vest, in three equal installments on March 17, 2017, March 17, 2018 and March 17, 2019.

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