#### ANTERO RESOURCES Corp

Form 4

January 12, 2017

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Keenan W Howard JR			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANTERO RESOURCES Corp [AR]					Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O YORKTOWN PARTNERS  LLC, 410 PARK AVENUE, 19TH  FLOOR			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/10/2017					X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
NEW YORK	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-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y	Year) Execution	emed ion Date, if /Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. SecurionAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	d (A) of (D) 4 and (A) or	))	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)		
stock, par value \$0.01 per share	01/10/2017			A	1,858	A	\$0	130,231	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share								235,380 (1)	I	See footnote (2)		
Common stock, par value \$0.01								215,319 (1)	I	See footnote (3)		

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per share

Common

per share

Common stock, par value \$0.01 See  $10,425,078 \stackrel{(1)}{=} I$  See footnote  $\stackrel{(5)}{=}$ 

per share

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)

Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if		5. onNumber	6. Date Exer Expiration D	ate	7. Title and Amount of	8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv	
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative	(Month/Day/ e	(Year)	Under	, ,	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene
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					4, and 5)						
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						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Number		
						Exercisable			of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Keenan W Howard JR C/O YORKTOWN PARTNERS LLC 410 PARK AVENUE, 19TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022

X

**Signatures** 

/s/ Alvyn A. Schopp, as attorney-in-fact for W. Howard Keenan, Jr.

01/12/2017

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- \* 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).
- The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the securities for Section 16 or any other purpose.
- (2) These securities are owned directly by Yorktown Energy Partners V, L.P. ("Yorktown V"). The reporting person is a member and manager of Yorktown V Company LLC, the general partner of Yorktown V.
- (3) These securities are owned directly by Yorktown Energy Partners VI, L.P. ("Yorktown VI"). The reporting person is a member and manager of Yorktown VI Associates LLC, the general partner of Yorktown VI Company LP, the general partner of Yorktown VI.
- (4) These securities are owned directly by Yorktown Energy Partners VII, L.P. ("Yorktown VII"). The reporting person is a member and manager of Yorktown VII Associates LLC, the general partner of Yorktown VII Company LP, the general partner of Yorktown VII.
- (5) These securities are owned directly by Yorktown Energy Partners VIII, L.P. ("Yorktown VIII"). The reporting person is a member and manager of Yorktown VIII Associates LLC, the general partner of Yorktown VIII Company LP, the general partner of Yorktown VIII.

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