

Vaccaro Marc B
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Vaccaro Marc B

(Last) (First) (Middle)

122 WEST WASHINGTON AVENUE

(Street)

MADISON, WI 53703

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Great Wolf Resorts, Inc. [WOLF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/20/2004

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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	12/20/2004		C/K ⁽¹⁾		1,650,339	A	Ⓛ
					1,650,339	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)

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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 Underlying (Instr. 3 and 4)
LLC Interests	\$ 1 ⁽¹⁾	12/20/2004		C/K	1,650,339	12/20/2004 12/20/2004	Common Stock
Stock Option	\$ 17	12/20/2004		A	200,000	12/20/2005 ⁽²⁾ 12/20/2014	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Vaccaro Marc B 122 WEST WASHINGTON AVENUE MADISON, WI 53703			X	

Signatures

Marc B.
Vaccaro

12/20/2004

**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).

LLC interests in LLC's that held real estate were exchanged for Issuer common stock at the closing of the initial public offering which (1) occurred on December 20, 2004. The number of shares allocated in exchange for the LLC Interests were based upon a formula set forth in the Issuer's Prospectus dated December 14, 2004. The initial public offering price was \$17 per share.

(2) Option vest as one-third of the shares of common stock for which the options are exercisable, annually, beginning on 12/20/2005.

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