FORM 4

# **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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### NT OF CHANCES IN DENERICIAL OWNERSHIP

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name ar		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MACERICH CO [ MAC ]							eck all applic	able)	Person(s) to Issu 10% Ov Other (s	vner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) THE MACERICH COMPANY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/26/2018							X Officer (give tide String Specify below) below)  Senior EVP, Treasurer & CFO			
(Street) SANTA MONICA	A CA	CA 90401			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Lin	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															
Date				Transactior te onth/Day/Yo	Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Inst	n Disposed	rities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported Transact	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	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		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		ve es ed ed nstr.	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
LTIP Units	(1)	04/26/2018		A		89,637		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	89,637	\$0	140,992 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents units of limited partnership interest in The Macerich Partnership, L.P. (the "Partnership"), of which the Issuer is the general partner, issued as compensation pursuant to the Issuer's equity based compensatory programs. Conditioned upon minimum allocations to the capital accounts of the LTIP Units for federal income tax purposes, each LTIP Unit may be converted into a common unit of limited partnership interest in the Partnership (a "Common Unit"). Each Common Unit acquired upon conversion of a LTIP Unit may be presented for redemption, at the election of the holder, for cash equal to the then fair market value of a share of the Issuer's Common Stock, except that the Issuer may, at its election, acquire each Common Unit so presented for one share of Common Stock. The rights to convert LTIP Units into Common Units and redeem Common Units do not have expiration dates.

2. In addition, the reporting person holds 162,964 common units in the Partnership which are generally redeemable upon certain circumstances for an equal number of shares of the Issuer's common stock.

Ann C. Menard for THOMAS
E. O'HERN

04/30/2018

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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#### SECTION 16 REPORTS

#### CONFIRMING STATEMENT

This statement confirms that the undersigned, Thomas E. O'Hern, has authorized and designated ANN C. MENARD and/or LISA PENA (the "Agents") to execute and file on the undersigned's behalf all Forms 4 and 5 (including any amendments thereto) that the undersigned may be required to file with the U. S. Securities and Exchange Commission as a result of the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in securities of THE MACERICH COMPANY (the "Corporation"). The authority of the Agents under this Statement shall continue until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 4 and 5 with regard to the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in securities of the Corporation, unless earlier revoked in writing. The undersigned acknowledges that the Agents are not assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Date: April 30, 2018 Signature: /s/ Thomas E. O'Hern

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Thomas E. O'Hern