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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Beatty Vincent L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WASHINGTON FEDERAL INC [WAFD]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 425 PIKE ST	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2018	Director 10% Owner Selfow) Other (give title Other (specify below) EVP & CFO			
(Street) SEATTLE, WA 98101			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-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

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(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and 5	5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					or		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	10/31/2018		D	11,500	D	\$0	55,012	D	
Common Stock	10/31/2018		F	3,018	D	\$ 28.16	51,994	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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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Beatty Vincent L **425 PIKE STREET** SEATTLE, WA 98101

EVP & CFO

Signatures

Arian Colachis, 11/01/2018 Attorney-in-fact

**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).

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