

AMERICAN ECOLOGY CORP  
 Form 4/A  
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**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
 Gerratt Eric L  
  
 (Last) (First) (Middle)  
 300 E. MALLARD DRIVE, SUITE 300  
  
 (Street)  
 BOISE, ID 83706  
  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 AMERICAN ECOLOGY CORP  
 [ECOL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/06/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
 12/10/2007

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)  
 \_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 VP and Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)										
Common Stock	12/06/2007		A	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>Code</td> <td>V</td> <td>Amount</td> <td>(A) or (D)</td> <td>Price</td> </tr> <tr> <td>A</td> <td></td> <td>1,000</td> <td>A</td> <td>\$ 0 (1)</td> </tr> </table>	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	A		1,000	A	\$ 0 (1)	1,500 (2)	D	
Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price													
A		1,000	A	\$ 0 (1)													

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 Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Option <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 20.27					08/08/2008 08/08/2017	Common Stock	10,000
Common Stock Option	\$ 23.48	12/06/2007		A	5,000	12/06/2008 <sup>(4)</sup> 12/06/2017 <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock	5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gerratt Eric L 300 E. MALLARD DRIVE SUITE 300 BOISE, ID 83706			VP and Controller	

## Signatures

Eric L. Gerratt                      12/17/2007  
 \*\*Signature of                      Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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) Issued pursuant to 2006 Employee Restricted Stock Plan.
- (2) The original Form 4 incorrectly excluded holdings of 500 previously acquired shares from the total number of shares held following the reported transaction.
- (3) The original Form 4 excluded holdings of 10,000 previously acquired options.
- (4) The original Form 4 incorrectly stated the options were exercisable annually in 1/3 increments beginning on 12/05/2008, expiring on 12/05/2017. Options are exercisable annually in 1/3 increments beginning on 12/06/2008 and expire on 12/06/2017.

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