FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* NAFTALY ROBERT H							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SUN COMMUNITIES INC [SUI]									of Reporting Per cable) or		10% Ov	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5402 PLEASANT LAKE DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/29/2009									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify
(Street) WEST BLOOM (City)	WEST BLOOMFIELD MI 48322				4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X 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. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Da			Code (In		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned I Reporte	es ally Following	Form (D) o	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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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)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		Amount of		of es ng /e Sed		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly Di	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	\$14.95	07/29/2009			A		1,500		(1)	0	7/29/2019	Commor Stock	1 1,	,500	\$14.95	1,500		D	

Explanation of Responses:

 $1. \ The \ option \ vests \ in \ three \ equal \ annual \ installments \ beginning \ on \ July \ 29, \ 2010$

Robert H. Naftaly

07/31/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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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