

Gagliano Vincent J.
Form 4
March 05, 2019

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Gagliano Vincent J.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2301 HIGHWAY 190 WEST

(Street)

DERIDDER, LA 70634

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
AMERISAFE INC [AMSF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/04/2019

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

EVP - Chief Risk Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__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. 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common stock, par value \$0.01	03/04/2019		M	5,000	A \$ 3.95	21,929	D
Common stock, par value \$0.01	03/04/2019		S	5,000 (1)	D \$ (2) 61.29	16,929	D
Common stock, par value \$0.01	03/04/2019		S	744 (3)	D \$ (2) 61.29	16,185	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)

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to prurchase)	\$ 3.95	03/04/2019		M		5,000		11/09/2013	11/09/2019	Common stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Gagliano Vincent J. 2301 HIGHWAY 190 WEST DERIDDER, LA 70634	EVP - Chief Risk Officer

Signatures

/s/Kathryn H. Shirley attorney-in-fact for Vincent J.
Gagliano

03/05/2019

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The shares were sold pursuant to the Reporting Person's 10b5-1 plan.

Represents the weighted average selling price of the Issuer's common stock. The range of sales prices were between \$61.04 and \$62.13.

(2) The Reporting Person undertakes, upon request, to provide the SEC, the Issuer and any security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

(3) The shares were sold pursuant to the Reporting Person's 10b5-1 plan for restricted stock that fully vested March 1, 2019.

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