

Summit Midstream Partners, LP  
 Form 4  
 September 30, 2015

**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 \*  
 Graves Brad N

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 Summit Midstream Partners, LP  
 [SMLP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 09/28/2015

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 See Remarks

C/O SUMMIT MIDSTREAM PARTNERS, LP, 1790 HUGHES LANDING BLVD., SUITE 500

(Street)

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

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

THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Units	09/28/2015		M	7,000	A	15,457	D	
Common Units	09/28/2015		F	258	D	\$ 16.76	15,199	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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Phantom Units (DCP)	(2)	09/28/2015		A	1,750	(2) (2)	Phantom Units (DCP)	1,750
Phantom Units	(1)	09/28/2015		M	7,000	(3) (4)	Common Units	7,000
Distribution Equivalent Rights	\$ 5.46	09/28/2015		D	7,000	(3) (4)	Common Units	7,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Graves Brad N C/O SUMMIT MIDSTREAM PARTNERS, LP 1790 HUGHES LANDING BLVD., SUITE 500 THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380				See Remarks

## Signatures

/s/ Brock M. Degeyter, Attorney-in-Fact for Brad N. Graves  
09/30/2015  
\*\*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).
- (1) Each phantom unit is the economic equivalent of one common unit.  
Under the terms of the Summit Midstream Partners, LLC Deferred Compensation Plan (DCP), the Reporting Person has elected to defer a portion of his phantom units (and the accrued DERs) associated with his October 3, 2012 award, and will be entitled to a distribution in Common Units or cash, as determined by the company, upon termination of employment. The Reporting Person is entitled to DERs, providing for payment equal to the distributions from and after grant date of the phantom units.
- (2) All of the phantom units subject to the original award agreement vested on September 28, 2015. The Reporting Person received distribution equivalent rights (DERs) for each phantom unit, providing for payment on the vesting date of a lump sum of cash equal to the accrued distributions from and after the grant date of the phantom units.
- (3) All of the phantom units subject to the original award agreement vested on September 28, 2015. The Reporting Person received distribution equivalent rights (DERs) for each phantom unit, providing for payment on the vesting date of a lump sum of cash equal to the accrued distributions from and after the grant date of the phantom units.

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- (4) The phantom units and associated DERs do not expire. The phantom units are settled upon vesting in common units (on a one-for-one basis) or in cash, at the discretion of the Issuer.

### **Remarks:**

The Reporting Person is Executive Vice President and Chief Commercial Officer of Summit Midstream GP, LLC, the general

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