Smith Walter A. Form 4 December 19, 2006

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Smith Walter A.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Mueller Water Products, Inc.

[MWA]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

(State)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 11/29/2006

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 Other (specify below)

Sr. Vice President, Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

ATLANTA, GA 30328

(City)

1200 ABERNATHY ROAD

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

Series A Common

Stock (1)

(Instr. 3)

12/15/2006

 $A^{(1)}$ 

 $0^{(1)}$ 

\$0  $6,421 \frac{(2)}{}$  D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transact	5. 6. Date Exercisable and ionNumber Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		8. Price of Derivative	
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			(Instr. 3 and 4)		Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0 (1)	12/15/2006		A	0 (1)	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Series A Common Stock	0 (1)	\$ 0

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Smith Walter A. 1200 ABERNATHY ROAD ATLANTA, GA 30328

Sr. Vice President, Treasurer

## **Signatures**

MaryLiz A. Geffert, Attorney-In-Fact for Walter A. Smith

12/19/2006

\*\*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).

In connection with the Company's spin-off from Walter Industries, Inc. ("WLT"), the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company (the Committee) approved a formula for the grant of restricted stock units (RSUs) and stock options to the Reporting Person and others on December 15, 2006, substantively replacing RSUs and stock options for WLT common stock held by the grantees

- (1) prior to the spin-off on December 14, 2006. The RSUs and options will be granted under the Company's 2006 Stock Incentive Plan. The number of replacement RSUs, and the number and exercise prices of replacement stock options are based upon a formula designed to provide grantees with equity grants of comparable value based on the relative fair market values of Walter Industries common stock and of Mueller Water Products Series A common stock at the time of the spin-off, and have not yet been calculated. Such amounts will be provided in an amendment to this Form 4.
- (2) Reflects Reporting Person's holdings without giving effect to the grants reported hereby.

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