

Wendy's Co  
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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 \*  
GARDEN EDWARD P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Wendy's Co [WEN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
280 PARK AVENUE  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/01/2012

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

NEW YORK, NY 10017

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

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/01/2012		P		875,000 (1)	A	\$ 4.7539 (1)	77,498,145	I	By Trian Partners (2) (3)
Common Stock	02/02/2012		P		875,000 (4)	A	\$ 4.78 (4)	78,373,145	I	By Trian Partners (2) (3)
Common Stock	02/03/2012		P		875,000 (5)	A	\$ 4.8672 (5)	79,248,145	I	By Trian Partners (2) (3)
Common Stock								293,506	D	



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Partner, LLC ("Trian GP LLC"), the general partner of Trian Partners GP, L.P. ("Trian GP"), and as such is in a position to determine the investment and voting decisions made by Trian GP LLC on behalf of Trian GP.

- (3) (FN 2, contd.) Accordingly, Mr. Garden may be deemed to indirectly beneficially own (as that term is defined in Rule 13d-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934) the shares beneficially owned by the Trian Entities and Trian GP. Mr. Garden disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

- (4) The price shown in Column 4 is a weighted average purchase price. The price range for the purchases is \$4.755 to \$4.810. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price.

- (5) The price shown in Column 4 is a weighted average purchase price. The price range for the purchases is \$4.83 to \$4.90. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price.

### Remarks:

The transactions involving securities of the Issuer reported in this filing are the same securities and transactions reported separately.

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