Western Gas Equity Partners, LP Form SC 13D/A July 19, 2016

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 13D/A

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 2)

Western Gas Equity Partners, LP (Name of Issuer)

Common Units Representing Limited Partner Interests (Title of Class of Securities)

95825R 103 (CUSIP Number)

Philip H. Peacock 1201 Lake Robbins Drive The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046 (832) 636-6000

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

June 17, 2016

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of This Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of §§ 240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box. o

CUSIP NO. 95825R 103

Name of Reporting Person 1 Anadarko Petroleum Corporation Check the appropriate box if a member of a group (a) " (b) " 3 SEC use only Source of Funds OO (please see Item 3) Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) Citizenship or Place of 6 Organization Delaware Numberle Voting Power: of 0ShareShared Voting Power: Benefit 28,587,365 common units Ownesdole Dispositive Power: by 0 Each Repositive Power: Person 78,587,365 common units Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by each Reporting Person: 178,587,365 common units Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares Percent of Class Represented 13 by Amount in Row (11) 81.6%* 14 Type of Reporting Person HC; CO

^{*} The calculation is based on a total of 218,922,303 common units outstanding as of June 17, 2016.

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Name of Reporting Person Western Gas Resources, Inc. Check the appropriate box if a member of a group (a) " (b) " 3 SEC use only Source of Funds OO (please see Item 3) Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) Citizenship or Place of 6 Organization Delaware Numberle Voting Power: ShareShared Voting Power: Benefic 8,587,365 common units Ownesible Dispositive Power: by ' Each Reportinged Dispositive Power: Person 78,587,365 common units With Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by each Reporting Person: 178,587,365 common units Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares Percent of Class Represented 13by Amount in Row (11) 81.6%* Type of Reporting Person

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AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SCHEDULE 13D

This Amendment No. 2 to Schedule 13D (this "Amendment") amends and restates (where indicated) the Schedule 13D filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 12, 2012 (as amended prior to this Amendment No. 2 and, where applicable, as further amended hereby, the "Schedule 13D"), and relates to the beneficial ownership by the Reporting Persons of the common units representing limited partner interests of Western Gas Equity Partners, LP, a Delaware limited partnership (the "Issuer"). Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Schedule 13D. This Amendment is being filed by the Reporting Persons pursuant to their Joint Filing Agreement filed as Exhibit A to the Schedule 13D. This Amendment is being filed to disclose the change in beneficial ownership of the common units by the Reporting Persons resulting from the sale of 12,500,000 common units on June 17, 2016, pursuant to the 2016 Secondary Underwriting Agreement (as defined below).

Item 2. Identity and Background

Item 2 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended and supplemented by replacing Schedule I thereto with Schedule I hereto.

Item 3. Sources and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

Item 3 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended to add the following text below the last paragraph:

On June 13, 2016, the Issuer entered into an Underwriting Agreement (the "2016 Secondary Underwriting Agreement") by and among the Issuer, the General Partner and WGR, on the one hand, and Goldman, Sachs & Co. and Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, on the other hand, providing for the offer and sale by WGR, and purchase by the underwriters, of 12,500,000 of the Issuer's common units (the "2016 Units") at a price to the underwriters of \$38.09 per common unit. The sale of the 2016 Units closed on June 17, 2016.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Partnership.

Item 5 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended and restated in its entirety as follows:

(a) - (b) The aggregate number and percentage of common units beneficially owned by each Reporting Person (on the basis of total of 218,922,303 common units issued and outstanding as of June 17, 2016) is as follows:

Anadarko

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 178,587,365 common units Percentage:
- ^(a) 81.6%
- (b) Number of common units to which the Reporting Person has:
- (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 178,587,365 common units
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 0
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 178,587,365 common units

WGR

Amount beneficially owned: 178,587,365 common units Percentage:

- (a) 81.6%
- (b) Number of common units to which the Reporting Person has:
- (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

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- (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 178,587,365 common units
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 0
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 178,587,365 common units

 Except as described in Item 3 above or elsewhere in the Schedule 13D, none of the Reporting Persons, or to the
 Reporting Persons' knowledge, none of the Listed Persons other than Donald R. Sinclair, an executive officer of
- (c) WGR, has effected any transactions in the common units during the past 60 days. Mr. Sinclair sold 150,000 common units during the past 60 days pursuant to a trading plan adopted in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended and on May 5, 2016, the Issuer's general partner made phantom unit grants to its independent directors in the normal course under its long-term incentive plan.
 - The Reporting Persons have the right to receive distributions from, and the proceeds from the sale of, the respective common units reported by such persons on the cover pages of the Schedule 13D and in this Item 5. See
- (d) Schedule I for the information applicable to the Listed Persons. Except for the foregoing and the cash distribution described in Item 6 below, no other person is known by the Reporting Persons to have the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of distributions from, or the proceeds from the sale of, common units beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons or, to the Reporting Persons' knowledge, the Listed Persons.
- (e) Not applicable.
- Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer.

Item 6 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended to add the following text below the first paragraph under the subheading "Tangible Equity Units":

2016 Secondary Underwriting Agreement

In connection with the 2016 Secondary Underwriting Agreement, the Issuer, the General Partner and WGR have agreed not to sell any common units they beneficially own for a period of 90 days, and the executive officers and directors of the General Partner have agreed not to sell any common units they beneficially own for a period of 45 days, in each case, from the date of the 2016 Secondary Underwriting Agreement. References to, and descriptions of, the 2016 Secondary Underwriting Agreement as set forth in this Item 6 and elsewhere in the Schedule 13D are qualified in their entirety by reference to the 2016 Secondary Underwriting Agreement filed as Exhibit 1.1 to the Issuer's current report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-35753) filed with the Commission on June 16, 2016, which is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits.

This Amendment supplements Item 7 of the Schedule 13D by inserting the following paragraph after the last paragraph of Item 7 of the Schedule 13D.

Underwriting Agreement, dated June 13, 2016, by and among Western Gas Equity Holdings, LLC, Western Exhibit Gas Equity Partners, LP, Western Gas Resources, Inc. and Goldman, Sachs & Co. and Morgan Stanley & Co.

J LLC (attached as Exhibit 1.1 to the Issuer's current report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-35753) filed with the Commission on June 16, 2016 and incorporated herein in its entirety by reference).

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SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of their knowledge and belief, the undersigned certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: July 19, 2016

ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORPORATION

By: /s/ Robert K. Reeves Name: Robert K. Reeves

Title: Executive Vice President, Law and Chief Administrative Officer

WESTERN GAS RESOURCES, INC.

By: /s/ Amanda M. McMillian Name: Amanda M. McMillian

Title: Vice President and Corporate Secretary

Schedule I

The following sets forth the name, business address, and present principal occupation and citizenship of each manager, executive officer and controlling person of the Reporting Persons.

Executive Officers of Anadarko Petroleum Corporation

R. A. Walker

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Chairman of the Board, President and Chief Executive Officer

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 9,900 (not including 2,500 Tangible Equity Units)

Robert P. Daniels

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Executive Vice President, International and Deepwater Exploration

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 20,000

Robert G. Gwin

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Executive Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 200,000

Darrell E. Hollek

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Executive Vice President, U.S. Onshore Exploration and Production

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 7,500

Mitchell W. Ingram

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Executive Vice President, Global LNG

Citizenship: UK

Amount Beneficially Owned: 0

James J. Kleckner

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Executive Vice President, International and Deepwater Operations

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 10,000

Robert K. Reeves

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Executive Vice President, Law and Chief Administrative Officer

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 9,000

Directors of Anadarko Petroleum Corporation

R. A. Walker (see above)

Anthony R. Chase

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of ChaseSource, L.P., a Houston-based staffing

and real estate development firm

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 0

Kevin P. Chilton

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Retired

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 900

H. Paulett Eberhart

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046 Principal Occupation: Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of HMS Ventures, a privately held business involved with technology services and the acquisition and management of real estate

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 0

Peter J. Fluor

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046 Principal Occupation: Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Texas Crude Energy, Inc., a private,

independent oil and gas exploration company

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 61,118

Richard L. George

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046 Principal Occupation: Chairman of the Board of Penn West Petroleum Ltd., an exploration and production company based in Calgary, Alberta

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 5,000

Joseph W. Gorder

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046 Principal Occupation: Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Valero Energy Corporation, an international manufacturer and marketer of transportation fuels, other petrochemical products and power Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 0

John R. Gordon

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046 Principal Occupation: Senior Managing Director of Deltec Asset Management LLC, an investment firm

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 0

Sean Gourley

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Founder and CEO of Primer, an early-stage venture-backed company building software to power artificial intelligence applications.

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 0

Mark C. McKinley

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Managing Partner of MK Resources LLC, a private oil and gas development company specializing in the recovery and production of crude oil and the development of unconventional resource projects

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 0

Eric D. Mullins

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: Managing Director and Co-Chief Executive Officer of Lime Rock Resources, which acquires,

operates and improves lower-risk oil and natural gas properties

Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 0

Executive Officers of Western Gas Resources, Inc.

Donald R. Sinclair

President

c/o Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380-1046

Principal Occupation: President and Chief Executive Officer of Western Gas Holdings, LLC and Western Gas Equity

Holdings, LLC Citizenship: USA

Amount Beneficially Owned: 80,664

Darrell E. Hollek

(see above)

Robert K. Reeves

(see above)

Directors of Western Gas Resources, Inc.

Robert G. Gwin

(see above)

Darrell E. Hollek

(see above)

Robert K. Reeves

(see above)