

Barbarick Steve K  
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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting  
Person \*

Barbarick Steve K

(Last) (First) (Middle)

200 POWELL PLACE

(Street)

BRENTWOOD, TN 37027

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring  
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

09/27/2012

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TRACTOR SUPPLY CO /DE/ [TSCO]

4. Relationship of Reporting  
Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer \_\_\_\_ Other  
(give title below) (specify below)  
Executive VP Merchandising

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group  
Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting  
Person  
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Reporting Person

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security  
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities  
Beneficially Owned  
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership  
Form:  
Direct (D)  
or Indirect  
(I)  
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial  
Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

Common Stock

4,161

D

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Common Stock

5,618 <sup>(1)</sup>

D

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Common Stock

4,977

I

Stock Purchase Plan

Common Stock

2,240

I

Stock Purchase Plan By Wife

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

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### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security  
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and  
Expiration Date

3. Title and Amount of  
Securities Underlying

4. Conversion

5. Ownership

6. Nature of Indirect  
Beneficial

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	(Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Employee Stock Option	02/09/2007	02/09/2016	Employee Stock Option	600	\$ 30.635	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/09/2008	02/09/2016	Employee Stock Option	2,224	\$ 30.635	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/09/2009	02/09/2016	Employee Stock Option	2,224	\$ 30.635	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/07/2010	02/07/2017	Employee Stock Option	2,667	\$ 23.0825	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/06/2010	02/06/2018	Employee Stock Option	344	\$ 19.225	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/06/2011	02/06/2018	Employee Stock Option	4,667	\$ 19.225	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/04/2011	02/04/2019	Employee Stock Option	601	\$ 17.1175	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/04/2012	02/04/2019	Employee Stock Option	2,667	\$ 17.1175	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/03/2011	02/03/2020	Employee Stock Option	1,785	\$ 26.2075	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/03/2012	02/03/2020	Employee Stock Option	2,797	\$ 26.2075	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/03/2013	02/03/2020	Employee Stock Option	2,797	\$ 26.2075	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/02/2012	02/02/2021	Employee Stock Option	3,626	\$ 51.695	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/02/2013	02/02/2021	Employee Stock	3,625	\$ 51.695	D	Â

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Employee Stock Option	02/02/2014	02/02/2021	Option Employee Stock Option	3,625	\$ 51.695	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/08/2013	02/08/2022	Employee Stock Option	3,169	\$ 85.08	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/08/2014	02/08/2022	Employee Stock Option	3,169	\$ 85.08	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/08/2015	02/08/2022	Employee Stock Option	3,169	\$ 85.08	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	02/09/2009	02/09/2016	Employee Stock Option	1,600	\$ 30.635	I	By Wife
Employee Stock Option	02/07/2010	02/07/2017	Employee Stock Option	2,400	\$ 23.0825	I	By Wife
Employee Stock Option	02/06/2011	02/06/2018	Employee Stock Option	2,000	\$ 19.225	I	By Wife
Employee Stock Option	02/04/2012	02/04/2019	Employee Stock Option	600	\$ 17.1175	I	By Wife
Employee Stock Option	02/03/2011	02/03/2020	Employee Stock Option	333	\$ 26.2075	I	By Wife
Employee Stock Option	02/03/2012	02/03/2020	Employee Stock Option	333	\$ 26.2075	I	By Wife
Employee Stock Option	02/03/2013	02/03/2020	Employee Stock Option	334	\$ 26.2075	I	By Wife
Employee Stock Option	02/02/2012	02/02/2021	Employee Stock Option	600	\$ 51.695	I	By Wife
Employee Stock Option	02/02/2013	02/02/2021	Employee Stock Option	600	\$ 51.695	I	By Wife
Employee Stock Option	02/02/2014	02/02/2021	Employee Stock Option	600	\$ 51.695	I	By Wife

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Employee Stock Option	02/08/2013	02/08/2022	Employee Stock Option	600	\$ 85.08	I	By Wife
Employee Stock Option	02/08/2014	02/08/2022	Employee Stock Option	600	\$ 85.08	I	By Wife
Employee Stock Option	02/08/2015	02/08/2022	Employee Stock Option	600	\$ 85.08	I	By Wife

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Barbarick Steve K 200 POWELL PLACE BRENTWOOD, TN 37027	Â	Â	Â Executive VP Merchandising	Â

## Signatures

By: /s/ Steve K.                      10/11/2012  
Barbarick

\_\_Signature of Reporting                      Date  
Person

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

Represents restricted stock units granted under the Tractor Supply Company 2009 Stock Incentive Plan. Each restricted stock unit (1) represents a contingent right to receive one share of Tractor Supply Company common stock. The restricted stock units vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant.

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