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# FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1	dress of Reporting		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol YELLOW ROADWAY CORP [ YELL ]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
CARR CA	SSANDRA C	<u> </u>		X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 440 RIVER GARDEN TRAIL			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/15/2004		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Person				

### 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)			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150. 4)
Common Stock	07/15/2004		Α		743(1)	A	\$40.35	9,268	D	
Common Stock	07/15/2004		Α		1,500 <sup>(2)</sup>	A	\$40.35	10,768	D	

#### 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. Transa Code ( 8)		Derivative		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock Option	\$36.35	07/15/2004		D			2,000 <sup>(3)</sup>	07/02/2004	01/02/2009	Common Stock	2,000	\$36.35	8,534	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. The reporting person has deferred receipt of these shares until retirement from the board of directors of the issuer.

2. The issuer granted the reporting person share units that will vest in 500 unit increments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant.

3. The reporting person surrendered to the issuer 2,000 options granted by the issuer on January 2, 2004. The options have been canceled.

#### **Remarks:**

/s/ Cassandra C. Carr

07/16/2004

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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