FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* CIVERA EDWARD S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Elme Communities [ELME]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2023	X	Director Officer (give title below)	10% Owner Other (specify below)		
1775 EYE STREE SUITE 1000 (Street)	T N.W.		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Chec Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One	Person		
WASHINGTON (City)	DC (State)	20006 (Zip)	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contra affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.	ct, instruct	ion or written plan that is intended	to satisfy the		

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. Transac Code (Ir 8)		4. Securities Ad Disposed Of (D		4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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)		
Common Stock	05/15/2023		A		3,084(1)	A	\$0.0	80,438.9298	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	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (Ir 8)		5. Num Derivat Securit Acquire or Disp (D) (Ins and 5)	ive ies ed (A) osed of	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	7. Title and A Securities Un Derivative Se (Instr. 3 and	nderlying ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. These are Restricted Share Awards granted pursuant to the Washington Real Estate Investment Trust 2016 Omnibus Long-Term Incentive Plan based on the closing price on 5/15/2023 of \$16.21.

By: W. Drew Hammond For:
Edward S. Civera

05/16/2023

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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