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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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Testa Michael</u>     |  |  |        |                                 |  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Trinity Capital Inc. [ TRIN ]       |   |     |  |       |                                      |   |                                      | (Chec   | k all app<br>Direc                        | ship of Reporting applicable) rector fficer (give title  |   | 10% Ov   | vner   |
|--|--|--|--------|---------------------------------|--|---|---|-----|--|-------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|---|--|--|
| (Last)   | ast) (First) (Middle) O TRINITY CAPITAL INC.   |  |        |                                 |  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/14/2024                     |   |     |  |       |                                      |   |                                      | <b>V</b>  |   | Officer (give title below)  CFO and Treasurer  |   |  | вреспу   |
| 1 N. 1ST STREET, SUITE 302                                     |  |  |        |                                 |  | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                        |   |     |  |       |                                      |   |                                      | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) |   |  |   |  |  |
| (Street) PHOENIX AZ 85004                                      |  |  |        |                                 |  | Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |   |     |  |       |                                      |   |                                      |   |   |  |   |  |  |
| (City) (State) (Zip)   |  |  |        |                                 | Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  |   |   |     |  |       |                                      |   |                                      |   |   |  |   |  |  |
|  |  |  |        |                                 | Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10. |   |   |     |  |       |                                      |   |                                      |   |   |  |   |  |  |
|  | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned   |  |        |                                 |  |   |   |     |  |       |                                      |   |                                      |   |   |  |   |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Date) |  |  |        |                                 |  | Exec<br>if any  | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |     | 3. 4. Securitie Disposed Code (Instr. 8)       |       | es Acquired (A)<br>Of (D) (Instr. 3, |   | l and Securit<br>Benefic<br>Owned    |   | ties<br>cially<br>Following               | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4)  |   | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership                      |  |
|  |  |  |        |                                 |  |   |   |     | Code   | v     | Amount                               | (A) (D)   | or Pric                              | e   | Transa                                    | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)   |   |  | (Instr. 4)   |
| Common Stock 06/14/2   |  |  |        |                                 |  | 2024  |   |     |  |       | 729                                  | D   | \$1                                  | 4.82 66,665(2)  |   | ,665(2)  |   | D  |  |
|  | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |        |                                 |  |   |   |     |  |       |                                      |   |                                      |   |   |  |   |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)            | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security  | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | if any | emed<br>ion Date,<br>/Day/Year) | on Date, Transa<br>Code (  |   |   |     | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/Y |       | ite                                  | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Inst<br>3 and 4) |                                      | De<br>Se<br>(In   | Price of<br>rivative<br>curity<br>str. 5) | 9. Number<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficiall<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transactio<br>(Instr. 4) | у | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|  |  |  |        |                                 | Code   | v   | (A)   | (D) | Date<br>Exercis                                | sable | Expiration<br>Date                   | Title   | Amoun<br>or<br>Numbe<br>of<br>Shares | r   |   |  |   |  |  |

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares withheld to satisfy the reporting person's tax obligations in connection with vesting of restricted shares on June 14, 2024. Transaction exempt from Section 16(b) pursuant to Rule 16b-3.
- 2. Includes (1) 40,541 shares issued under the 2019 Trinity Capital Inc. Long Term Incentive Plan (the "LTIP") on March 15, 2024, which shares vest 25% on March 15, 2025, with the remaining 75% of such shares vesting pro rata over the twelve full calendar quarters immediately following March 15, 2025; (2) 17,588 shares issued under the LTIP on March 15, 2023, which shares vested 25% on March15, 2024, with the remaining 75% of such shares vesting pro rata over the twelve full calendar quarters immediately following March 15, 2024; (3) 5,780 shares issued under the LTIP on March 15, 2022, which shares vested 25% on March 15, 2023, with the remaining 75% of such shares vesting pro rata over the twelve full calendar quarters following March 15, 2023; and (4) 4,550 shares issued underthe LTIP on September 15, 2021, which shares began vesting quarterly pro rata over the twelve full calendar quarters immediately following September 15, 2021.

06/18/2024

\*\* 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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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