UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 4)*

The Macerich Company

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01 Per Share

(Title of Class of Securities)

554382101

(CUSIP Number)

Jeff Davis

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August 8, 2016

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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- 1 NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (entities only)
 - Ontario Teachers Pension Plan Board
- 2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (See Instructions)
 - (a) " (b) "
- 3 SEC USE ONLY
- 4 SOURCE OF FUNDS (See Instructions)

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- 5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) OR
 - 2(e) "
- **6** CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Ontario, Canada

NUMBER OF 7 SOLE VOTING POWER

SHARES

BENEFICIALLY 0

8 SHARED VOTING POWER

OWNED BY

EACH

23,286,237

REPORTING 9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

PERSON

WITH 0 10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

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- 12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (See Instructions)
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This Amendment No. 4 (this Amendment No. 4) amends and supplements the statement on Schedule 13D filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) on November 24, 2014 (the Original Schedule 13D), Amendment No. 1 to the Original Schedule 13D filed with the SEC on May 8, 2015 (Amendment No. 1), Amendment No. 2 to the Original Schedule 13D filed with the SEC on May 15, 2015 (Amendment No. 2) and Amendment No. 3 to the Original Schedule 13D filed with the SEC on March 9, 2016 (Amendment No. 3 , and together with the Original Schedule 13D, Amendment No. 1, Amendment No. 2 and this Amendment No. 4, the Schedule 13D) with respect to the common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the Common Stock), of The Macerich Company, a Maryland corporation (the Issuer), filed by Ontario Teachers Pension Plan Board, an Ontario, Canada corporation (Teachers), and 1700480 Ontario Inc., an Ontario, Canada corporation (1700480), wholly owned by Teachers . Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined have the meanings assigned to such terms in the Original Schedule 13D. All items or responses not described herein remain as previously reported in the Original Schedule 13D, as amended and supplemented by Amendment No. 1, Amendment No. 2 and Amendment No. 3.

All calculations with respect to beneficial ownership of the Issuer s Common Stock set forth in this Schedule 13D are based on 143,625,500 shares of Common Stock outstanding as of August 2, 2016, as reported on the cover of the Issuer s Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2016, filed with the SEC by the Issuer on August 3, 2016 (the June 2016 Form 10-Q). Based on information reported by the Issuer in the June 2016 Form 10-Q, the Issuer repurchased 5,930,209 shares of its Common Stock between April 19, 2016 and July 11, 2016. The Issuer s repurchases resulted in the increase in beneficial ownership of the Reporting Persons reported in this Amendment No. 4 from 15.6% in Amendment No. 3 to 16.2%.

Item 2. Identity and Background

Item 2 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended solely with respect to Schedule A attached hereto.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

Item 4 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following immediately prior to the last paragraph thereof:

On August 8, 2016, the Issuer, Teachers and 1700480 executed an agreement (the Letter Agreement) that: (i) amended the Limited Waiver to change the Excepted Holder Limit from 14.9% to 19.9% and to provide that, if Teachers Beneficial Ownership does not equal or exceed 19.7% at any time on or prior to July 31, 2021, then from and after that date the Excepted Holder Limit automatically will be reset to the highest Beneficial Ownership percentage actually reached by Teachers between August 1, 2016 and July 31, 2021; (ii) amended the Registration Rights Agreement to replace the definition of Shares with all Common Shares directly or indirectly held from time to time by the Holders and their respective Affiliates , and (iii) amended and restated Section 2.4 of the Master Agreement with the effect of replacing 9.9% with 14.9%

in the two places it appears therein. A copy of the Letter Agreement is included as Exhibit 99.6 to this Schedule 13D and is incorporated by reference herein. The foregoing summary of the Letter Agreement is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Letter Agreement.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer

Paragraphs (a) and (b) of Item 5 of the Schedule 13D are hereby amended and restated in their entirety as follows:

(a) and (b). 1700480, as a wholly-owned subsidiary of Teachers , may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power with Teachers with respect to the 23,286,237 shares of Common Stock it beneficially owns, representing approximately 16.2% of the shares of Common Stock outstanding. Pursuant to the Master Agreement, as amended by the Letter Agreement, 1700480 agreed that if it and its affiliates collectively own (beneficially or of record) more than 14.9% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock, 1700480 will cause to be voted in accordance with the recommendations of the Issuer s Board of Directors all of the shares of Common Stock owned by them in excess of such number of shares that represents 14.9% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock. The foregoing summary of the Master Agreement, as amended by the Letter Agreement, is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Master Agreement and the full text of the Letter Agreement.

Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships With Respect to Securities of the Issuer Item 6 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following immediately prior to the last paragraph thereof:

On August 8, 2016, the Issuer, Teachers and 1700480 executed the Letter Agreement. See Item 4. Purpose of Transaction for a description of the Letter Agreement, which is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Letter Agreement, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 99.6 hereto and incorporated herein by reference in answer to this Item 6.

Item 7. Material to Be Filed as Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
Exhibit 99.1	Master Agreement, dated as of November 14, 2014, by and among The Macerich Company, Pacific Premier Retail LP, MACPT LLC, Macerich PPR GP LLC, Queens JV LP, Macerich Queens JV LP, Queens JV GP LLC, and 1700480 Ontario Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to The Macerich Company s Current Report on Form 8-K filed on November 18, 2014).
Exhibit 99.2	Registration Rights Agreement, dated as of November 14, 2014, by and between The Macerich Company and 1700480 Ontario Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to The Macerich Company s Current Report on Form 8-K filed on November 18, 2014).
Exhibit 99.3	Representation Letter, dated as of November 24, 2014, executed and delivered by The Macerich Company and agreed to by Ontario Teachers Pension Plan Board and 1700480 Ontario Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 99.3 to the Original Schedule 13D filed on November 24, 2014).

- Exhibit 99.4 Limited Waiver, dated as of November 14, 2014, of the Macerich Company to Ontario Teachers Pension Plan Board and its affiliates (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 99.4 to the Original Schedule 13D filed on November 24, 2014).
- Exhibit 99.5 Joint Filing Agreement, dated November 24, 2014, by and between Ontario Teachers Pension Plan Board and 1700480 Ontario Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 99.5 to the Original Schedule 13D filed on November 24, 2014).
- Exhibit 99.6 Letter Agreement, dated as of August 8, 2016, by and among The Macerich Company, Ontario Teachers Pension Plan Board and 1700480 Ontario Inc.

Signatures

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

August 9, 2016

Ontario Teachers Pension Plan Board

By: /s/ Rossana Di Lieto Name: Rossana Di Lieto

Title: Chief Compliance Officer and Vice

President

1700480 Ontario Inc.

By: /s/ Salvatore Iacono Name: Salvatore Iacono Title: Authorized Officer

SCHEDULE A

CERTAIN INFORMATION REGARDING THE BOARD MEMBERS AND OFFICERS

OF ONTARIO TEACHERS PENSION PLAN BOARD

Set forth in the table below are the name, current residence or business address and current occupation or employment of each of the board members and officers of Ontario Teachers Pension Plan Board, an Ontario, Canada corporation (Teachers). Each director and officer is a citizen of Canada with the exception of: (i) Kathleen O Neill who is a citizen of Canada and Ireland; (ii) Bjarne Graven Larsen who is a citizen of Denmark; and (iii) Andrew Jonathan Mark Taylor who is a citizen of the United Kingdom.

	Residence or Business	
Name	Address	Occupation or Employment
Rodney Stephen Albert	566 Rosebank Road S.	Board Member
(Board Member)	Pickering, ON L1W 2N5	
William Frank Chinery	129 Yonge Boulevard,	Board Member
(Board Member)	Toronto, ON M5M 3H2	
Patricia Anne Croft	155 Talbot Drive	Board Member
(Board Member)	Oakville, ON L6L 4C4	
Lise Fournel	30 Lakeshore Boulevard	Senior Vice President & Chief
(Board Member)	Beaconsfield, Quebec	Information Officer, Air Canada
	H9W 4H3	
John David Murray	43 Centennial Boulevard	Board Member
(Board Member)	Ottawa, ON K1S 0M6	
Kathleen O Neill	21 Wilgar Road	Board Member
(Board Member)	Toronto, ON M8X 1J3	
Steven Robert McGirr	206 Bloor Street West	Board Member
(Board Member)	Suite 1102	
	Toronto, ON M5S 1T8	
Barbara Frank Palk	4 Douglas Drive	Board Member
(Board Member)	Toronto, ON M4W 2B3	

David William Smith 37 Burton Road Board Member

(Board Member) Toronto, ON M5P 1V1

Daniel Francis Sullivan 65 Chestnut Park Road Board Member

(Board Member) Toronto, ON M4W 1W7

Jean Turmel 1067 Boul. Mont-Royal President, Perseus Capital Inc.

(Board Member) Outremont, QUE H2V 2H5

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Andrew James Claerhout 5650 Yonge Street, 3rd Floor Senior Vice President,

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Toronto, ON M2M 4H5 Resources

Jeffrey Michael Davis	5650 Yonge Street, 3 rd Floor	General Counsel, Senior Vice President, Corporate Affairs and
	Toronto, ON M2M 4H5	Corporate Secretary
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	Toronto, ON M2M 4H5	
Bjarne Graven Larsen	5650 Yonge Street, 3 rd Floor	Executive Vice President & Chief Investment Officer
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Rosemarie Ellen McClean	5650 Yonge Street, 3 rd Floor	Senior Vice President and
	Toronto, ON M2M 4H5	Chief Operations Officer
David Lloyd McGraw	5650 Yonge Street, 3 rd Floor	Senior Vice President & Chief Financial Officer
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Marcia Elizabeth Mendes-d Abreu	5650 Yonge Street, 3 rd Floor	Senior Vice President, Human Resources & Facilities
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Ronald Wesley Mock	5650 Yonge Street, 3 rd Floor	President & Chief Executive Officer
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Nicole Theresa Musicco	5650 Yonge Street, 3 rd Floor	Regional Managing Director, Asia Pacific
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Sarah Jane Rowe	5650 Yonge Street, 3 rd Floor	Senior Vice President, Private Capital
	Toronto, ON M2M 4H5	
Andrew Jonathan Mark Taylor	5650 Yonge Street, 3 rd Floor	Regional Managing Director, Europe, Middle East and Africa
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Michael Peter Wissell	5650 Yonge Street, 3 rd Floor	Senior Vice President, Portfolio Construction
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	Toronto, ON M2M 4H5	Officer

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