

SPARTAN STORES INC  
Form 8-K  
March 05, 2013

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): March 1, 2013

**SPARTAN STORES, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Michigan  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

000-31127  
(Commission  
File Number)

38-0593940  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

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**850 76<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W.**

**P.O. Box 8700**

**Grand Rapids, Michigan**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**49518-8700**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (616) 878-2000**

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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)).

**Item 1.02. Termination of a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On March 1, 2013, Spartan Stores, Inc. (the Company) completed the previously announced redemption of all of its outstanding \$57.4 million aggregate principal amount of 3.375% Senior Convertible Notes due 2027 (Convertible Notes). The Company redeemed the Convertible Notes with available cash and borrowings under its revolving credit facility.

The completion of the redemption discharges the Indenture dated as of May 30, 2007 between the Company and the Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A. as Trustee (the Indenture) and the Convertible Notes. The description of the Indenture and the Convertible Notes set forth under Item 1.01 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on May 30, 2007 is here incorporated by reference.

**Item 2.04. Triggering Events That Accelerate or Increase a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement.**

The information described above under Item 1.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 3.03. Material Modification to Rights of Security Holders.**

The information described above under Item 1.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K is incorporated herein by reference.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: March 5, 2013

SPARTAN STORES, INC.

By /s/ David M. Staples  
David M. Staples

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer