FEDERAL SIGNAL CORP /DE/ Form 8-K September 15, 2004

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): September 13, 2004

Federal Signal Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-693 36-1063330 (State or other (Commission File (IRS Employer

jurisdiction

of incorporation) Number) Identification No.)

1415 W. 22nd Street, Oak Brook, Illinois 60523 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(630) 954-2000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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

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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

The information in this Current Report is being furnished and shall not be deemed filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information in this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

On September 13, 2004, Federal Signal Corporation reviewed its operational and financial performance, and discussed growth strategies at the 2004 Sidoti West Coast Emerging Growth Institutional Investor Forum. A copy of the presentation materials and discussion script is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibits
99.1 Investor Forum Presentation materials dated September 13, 2004.

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SIGNATURE

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.

Dated: September 13, 2004

FEDERAL SIGNAL CORPORATION By: /s/ Robert D. Welding Robert D. Welding President and Chief Executive Officer

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