# **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) November 9, 2007

# **FASTENAL COMPANY**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Minnesota (State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

0-16125 (Commission File Number) 41-0948415 (IRS Employer

**Identification No.)** 

2001 Theurer Boulevard Winona, Minnesota 55987-1500 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant s telephone number, including area code (507) 454-5374

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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#### Item 8.01. Other Events.

On November 9, 2007, Fastenal Company (the Company ) issued a press release announcing the election of four executive officers. These officers were in addition to the existing group of officers reelected earlier in the year. A copy of that press release is attached as an exhibit to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.

### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

The following is furnished herewith:

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release of Fastenal Company dated November 9, 2007

#### 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 hereunto duly authorized.

Date: November 9, 2007

FASTENAL COMPANY

By: /s/ Daniel L. Florness Daniel L. Florness Chief Financial Officer

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