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> 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) APRIL 4, 2007

AMERICAN REAL ESTATE PARTNERS, L.P.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

1-9516

13-3398766

(State of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

767 FIFTH AVENUE, SUITE 4700 NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10153

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

(212) 702-4300

(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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SECTION 8 - OTHER EVENTS

ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

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On April 4, 2007, we issued a press release, a copy of which is furnished as Exhibit 99.1.

SECTION 9 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS (d) EXHIBITS EXHIBIT 99.1 - Press release dated April 4, 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.

> AMERICAN REAL ESTATE PARTNERS, L.P. (Registrant)

Date: April 4, 2007

By: AMERICAN PROPERTY INVESTORS, INC., its General Partner

By: /s/ KEITH A MEISTER

Keith A. Meister Principal Executive Officer