

North American Energy Partners Inc.  
Form 6-K  
August 10, 2017

**UNITED STATES**

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 6-K

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Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16

under

the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of August 2017

Commission File Number 001-33161

NORTH AMERICAN ENERGY PARTNERS INC.

Suite 300

18817 Stony Plain Road

Edmonton, Alberta

Canada T5S 0C2

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes No

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Documents Included as Part of this Report

No. News Release

99.1 NORTH AMERICAN ENERGY PARTNERS INC. ANNOUNCES SHARE PURCHASE PROGRAM IN  
CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES

**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.

NORTH AMERICAN  
ENERGY PARTNERS  
INC.

Date: August 9, 2017 By: /s/ Martin Ferron  
Name: Martin Ferron  
Title: President & Chief  
Executive Officer