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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): November 13, 2018 SMITH-MIDLAND CORPORATION (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter) 54-1727060 Delaware 1-13752 (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number) P.O. Box 300, 5119 Catlett Road Midland, Virginia 22728 (Address of principal executive offices) (504) 439-3266 (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 (see General Instruction A.2. below): ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) ☐ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter). Emerging growth company \square If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13 (a) of the Exchange Act. \Box

ITEM 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On November 13, 2018 Smith-Midland Corporation issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2018.

A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No Exhibit Description

99.1 Press release, dated November 13, 2018

The information filed as an exhibit to this Form 8-K is being furnished in accordance with Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of such section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

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 13, 2018

SMITH-MIDLAND CORPORATION

By: /s/ Adam J. Krick

Adam J. Krick Chief Financial Officer

Smith-Midland Announces Third Quarter 2018 Results

MIDLAND, **VA**. - Smith-Midland Corporation (the Company) (OTCQX: SMID), which develops, manufactures, licenses, rents, and sells a broad array of precast concrete products for use primarily in the construction, transportation and utilities industries, today announced results for the guarter ended September 30, 2018.

CEO Commentary

Ashley Smith, CEO stated, "We are pleased to announce positive results for the third quarter and nine months of 2018. The accounting treatment for the guaranteed buy-back on our largest barrier order ever continues to impact current earnings as the deferred revenue balance increased to \$5.4 million and the deferred asset balance increased to \$4.3 million, which are not included in current revenue or net profits. Weather delayed some shipments to the jobsite on this order, and the Company is now expecting full delivery by the second quarter of 2019. While current earnings have had a short-term impact from the guaranteed buy-back deferral, the Company expects to continue recognizing significant revenue and net profits over the next four years from this contract.

"Even though the earnings have trailed the prior year, mainly due to the deferred buy-back accounting treatment, we continue to have progressive results that allow us to strategically reinvest for future growth and expansion. With highway and building construction demand remaining solid, the backlog continues to be strong at \$31.0 million, which is a 43% increase over the \$21.7 million backlog at this time a year ago.

"During the third quarter, the Company added a key SlenderWall licensee located in the Midwest. The addition is expected to create additional exposure of the proprietary product in major markets and increase licensing revenues in the future. The long-term growth opportunity of this proprietary product is gaining traction in the high-rise building construction end market. Smith-Midland is now producing a large SlenderWall order, which will go through the first quarter of 2019. The Company currently has excess capacity to support the anticipated growth for the continued market demand.

"Construction of our newest manufacturing facility in North Carolina continues to be on track and within budget. We should hit our target open of the second quarter 2019. The new plant capacity in North Carolina will be twice as large as the current NC facility. This will help us capture a bigger share of the growing highway market in the region, as we have begun bidding on larger contracts. We're focused on the long-term growth strength and sustainability in North Carolina with the increased budget for construction spending in future years."

Third Quarter 2018 Results

The Company reported total revenue of \$9.5 million for the three months ended September 30, 2018, compared to \$11.5 million for the same period in 2017, a decrease of \$2.0 million, or 17%. The pre-tax income for the three months ended September 30, 2018 was \$0.7 million compared to pre-tax income of \$1.2 million for the same period in 2017, or a decrease of \$0.5 million. The Company had net income of \$0.5 million for the three months ended September 30, 2018, compared to net income of \$0.7 million for the same period in 2017, or a decrease of \$0.2 million. The basic and diluted earnings per share were \$0.10 for the three months ended September 30, 2018, while the basic and diluted earnings per share were \$0.15 for the same period in 2017.

Nine Month 2018 Results

The Company reported total revenue of \$28.5 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2018, compared to \$31.7 million for the same period in 2017, a decrease of \$3.2 million, or 10%. The pre-tax income for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 was \$1.1 million compared to a pre-tax income of \$3.6 million for the same period in 2017, or a decrease of \$2.5 million. The Company had net income of \$0.8 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2018, compared to net income of \$2.3 million for the same period in 2017, or a decrease of \$1.5 million. The basic and diluted earnings per share were \$0.16 and \$0.15 for the nine months ended September 30, 2018, respectively, while the basic and diluted income per share were \$0.46 for the same period in 2017.

Balance Sheet and Liquidity

As of September 30, 2018, the Company had cash and investments totaling \$3.8 million, outstanding debt on notes payable totaling \$3.4 million, and no outstanding balances on the Company's \$4.0 million line of credit or the \$1.5 million equipment line of credit.

About Smith-Midland

Smith-Midland develops, manufactures, licenses, rents, and sells a broad array of precast concrete products for use primarily in the construction, transportation and utilities industries.

Forward-Looking Statements

This announcement contains forward-looking statements, which involve risks and uncertainties. The Company's actual results may differ significantly from the results discussed in the forward-looking statements. Factors which might cause such a difference include, but are not limited to, product demand, the impact of competitive products and pricing, capacity and supply constraints or difficulties, general business and economic conditions, the effect of the Company's accounting policies and other risks detailed in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K and other filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

For more complete information on Smith-Midland Corporation, visit the Company's web site at SMITHMIDLAND.com. The "Investor Relations" area will include the Company's Form 10-K.

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