

**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): December 11, 2020

MARINE PRODUCTS CORPORATION
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

1-16263
(Commission File Number)

58-2572419
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

2801 Buford Highway NE, Suite 300, Atlanta, Georgia 30329
(Address of principal executive office) (zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (404) 321-7910

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	MPX	New York Stock Exchange

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 ☐

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. ☐

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On December 11, 2020, the Board of Directors of Marine Products Corporation (the "Company") appointed Susan Bell and Patrick J. Gunning as Directors effective January 1, 2021. Ms. Bell will stand for election by the stockholders in 2022 as a Class III Director, and Mr. Gunning will stand for election by the stockholders in 2023 as a Class I Director. Both Ms. Bell and Mr. Gunning have been appointed to the Audit Committee effective January 1, 2021 and will be compensated on the same basis as the other non-employee directors. There are no transactions between Ms. Bell or Mr. Gunning and the Company that would be reportable under Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K, and no arrangements or understandings with any persons pursuant to which she or he was selected as a director. Ms. Bell will fill a board vacancy arising from the recent retirement of Bill J. Dismuke. On December 11, 2020, Mr. James B. Williams announced to the board that effective December 31, 2020 he would be retiring. Mr. Gunning will fill the board vacancy arising from Mr. Williams' retirement.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

[Exhibit 99.1 – Press Release dated December 15, 2020](#)

[Exhibit 99.2 – Press Release dated December 15, 2020](#)

104 – Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Marine Products Corporation has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Marine Products Corporation

Date: December 16, 2020

/s/ Ben M. Palmer

Ben M. Palmer

Vice President and Chief Financial Officer



Marine Products Corporation Board of Directors Appoints New Director Susan Bell

ATLANTA, December 15, 2020 – Marine Products Corporation (NYSE: MPX) today announced the appointment of Susan Bell to the Board of Directors of the Company effective January 1, 2021.

Bell recently retired from Ernst and Young LLP (EY) after a 36-year career in public accounting, serving in key leadership roles. She served clients as an audit and advisory partner, led the EY Southeast Risk Advisory practice, served as the Atlanta Office Managing Partner and led EY's Power & Utilities sector focus in the Global Financial Accounting Advisory Services (FAAS) practice. Bell led and advised client service teams supporting implementation of new accounting standards, internal controls implementation and testing, internal audit and enterprise risk management programs and initiatives, securities offerings, merger and acquisition transactions, and implementing enterprise transformational initiatives such as process automation and advanced analytics.

Richard A. Hubbell, President and Chief Executive Officer, stated "We are very pleased to welcome Susan to our Board. Her financial expertise and governance experience will be valuable to Marine Products Corporation."

Ms. Bell fills a board vacancy arising from the recent retirement of Bill J. Dismuke. Mr. Dismuke joined the Board of Directors in 2005 and served with distinction on the Board and several committees, including the Audit Committee. Mr. Hubbell also expressed the Company's appreciation for Mr. Dismuke's service and gratitude for his contributions over the past 15 years.

Marine Products Corporation (NYSE: MPX) is a leading manufacturer of fiberglass boats under three brand names: Chaparral, Robalo and Vortex. Chaparral's sterndrive models include SSI and SSX, along with the Chaparral Surf Series. Chaparral's outboard offerings include various models, such as OSX Luxury Sportboats, the 257 SSX, and SunCoast Sportdecks. Robalo builds an array of outboard sport fishing boats, which include center consoles, dual consoles and Cayman Bay Boat models. Chaparral also offers jet powered boats under the Vortex brand name. The Company continues to diversify its product lines through product innovation. With premium brands, a solid capital structure, and a strong independent dealer network, Marine Products Corporation is prepared to capitalize on opportunities to increase its market share and to generate superior financial performance to build long-term shareholder value. For more information on Marine Products Corporation visit our website at MarineProductsCorp.com.

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Marine Products Corporation Board of Directors Appoints New Director Patrick J. Gunning

ATLANTA, December 15, 2020 – Marine Products Corporation (NYSE: MPX) today announced the appointment of Patrick J. Gunning to the Board of Directors of the Company effective January 1, 2021.

Gunning is the Chief Financial Officer of the Robert W. Woodruff Arts Center, Inc. in Atlanta, Georgia. Previously he held multiple leadership roles during his 40 years in public accounting prior to retirement from Ernst & Young LLP (EY) in 2020. These positions included Partner at EY, Southeast Region Leader of the Financial Accounting Advisory Services (FAAS) at EY, Assurance leader and Audit Partner for EY, Partner and Assurance Division Leader with Arthur Andersen LLP, and numerous additional regional leadership roles. He will bring extensive financial reporting, accounting, management, and leadership experience to Marine Products Corporation's Board of Directors.

Richard A. Hubbell, President and Chief Executive Officer, stated "We are pleased to welcome Pat to our Board. He is an accomplished leader that will bring strategic insights to Marine Products Corporation."

Mr. Gunning will fill an upcoming board opening by the retirement of James B. Williams on December 31, 2020. Mr. Williams joined the Board of Directors in 2001 and served with distinction on the Board and several committees, including the Audit Committee. Mr. Hubbell also expressed the Company's appreciation for Mr. Williams' service and gratitude for his contributions over the past 19 years.

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