BOYD GAMING CORP

Form 8-K February 17, 2017

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): February 14, 2017

Boyd Gaming Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Nevada 001-12882 88-0242733

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

3883 Howard Hughes Parkway, Ninth Floor

Las Vegas, Nevada 89169

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Including Zip Code)

(702) 792-7200

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- oPre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events

On February 14, 2017, Boyd Gaming Corporation ("Boyd") issued a press release announcing that the U.S. Bureau of Indian Affairs has placed land in Elk Grove, California, into trust for the Wilton Rancheria Tribe. Boyd currently has an agreement, subject to approval by the National Indian Gaming Commission, to develop and manage a casino resort on the Tribe's behalf. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein in its entirety by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits
Exhibit Number Description
99.1 Press Release, dated February 14, 2017

SIGNATURE

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: February 17, 2017 Boyd Gaming Corporation

By: /s/ Anthony D. McDuffie

Anthony D. McDuffie

Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number Description

99.1 Press Release, dated February 14, 2017