

GENUINE PARTS CO  
Form 8-K  
April 25, 2017

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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 24, 2017

Genuine Parts Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Georgia

001-05690

58-0254510

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

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

2999 Wildwood Pkwy, Atlanta, Georgia

30339

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

770.953.1700

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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:

- 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))

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in 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. [ ]

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**Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.**

The 2017 Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Genuine Parts Company (the "Company") was held on April 24, 2017. At the Annual Meeting, the Company's shareholders (1) elected each of the persons listed to serve as a director of the Company with terms to expire at the 2018 Annual Meeting; (2) approved on an advisory basis, the compensation of the Company's named executive officers, including the Company's compensation practices and principles and their implementation; (3) approved on an advisory basis, the frequency of the shareholders' vote on the compensation of the Company's named executive officers to be every year, and in light of these results, the Company's Board of Directors determined at a meeting held on April 24, 2017 that the Company will hold a non-binding advisory vote on the compensation of the Company's named executive officers every year until the next shareholder advisory vote on this matter; and (4) ratified the selection of Ernst & Young LLP as independent auditors of the Company for 2017.

The results of the vote of the Company's shareholders is filed with this Current Report on Form 8-K as exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Results of the vote of the Company's shareholders

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**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.

Genuine Parts Company

*April 25, 2017*

By: *Carol B. Yancey*

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*Name: Carol B. Yancey*

*Title: Executive Vice President and CFO*

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<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
99.1	Results of the vote of the Company's shareholders