

DCP Midstream Partners, LP
Form 8-K
March 01, 2013

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 28, 2013

DCP MIDSTREAM PARTNERS, LP

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-32678
(Commission
File No.)

03-0567133
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

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370 17th Street, Suite 2500

Denver, Colorado
(Address of principal executive offices)

(303) 633-2900

80202
(Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under 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))

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On February 28, 2013, DCP Midstream Partners, LP (the Partnership) and certain of its affiliates (collectively, the Partnership Parties) entered into an underwriting agreement (the Underwriting Agreement) with Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, Barclays Capital Inc., Citigroup Global Markets Inc., Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, Deutsche Bank Securities Inc., J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, and RBC Capital Markets, LLC, as representatives of the several underwriters named therein (the Underwriters), providing for the issuance and sale by the Partnership, and the purchase by the Underwriters, of 11,000,000 common units representing limited partner interests in the Partnership (the Common Units) at a price to the public of \$40.63 per Common Unit (the Offering). The Offering of the Common Units was registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act), pursuant to a Registration Statement on Form S-3 (Registration No. 333-182116) (the Registration Statement) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission) on June 14, 2012, as supplemented by a Prospectus Supplement, filed with the Commission on March 1, 2013, pursuant to Rule 424(b)(2) of the Securities Act. Pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement, the Partnership granted the Underwriters a 30-day option to purchase up to an additional 1,650,000 Common Units on the same terms as those relating to the Common Units sold by the Partnership in the Offering. The Offering is scheduled to close on March 6, 2013.

The Partnership intends to use the net proceeds from the Offering, including the proceeds from any exercise of the Underwriters option to purchase additional Common Units, to repay indebtedness outstanding under its revolving credit facility and for general partnership purposes.

Pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement, the Partnership Parties agreed, among other things, to indemnify the Underwriters against certain liabilities, including liabilities arising under the Securities Act, or to contribute to payments the Underwriters may be required to make in respect of those liabilities. A copy of the Underwriting Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.1 and is incorporated by reference herein. The foregoing description of the terms of the Underwriting Agreement is qualified in its entirety by reference to this exhibit.

The Underwriters and their respective affiliates have, from time to time, performed, and may in the future perform, various financial advisory, commercial banking and investment banking services for the Partnership and its affiliates, for which they received or will receive customary fees and expense reimbursement. Affiliates of certain of the Underwriters are lenders under the Partnership s revolving credit facility and accordingly will receive a portion of the proceeds from the Offering.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On February 28, 2013, the Partnership issued a press release announcing the pricing of the Offering described in Item 1.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto. In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, this press release is deemed to be furnished and shall not be deemed filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information or Exhibit be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

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| 1.1 | Underwriting Agreement dated February 28, 2013 among DCP Midstream Partners, LP, DCP Midstream GP, LP, DCP Midstream GP, LLC, and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, Barclays Capital Inc., Citigroup Global Markets Inc., Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, Deutsche Bank Securities Inc., J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, and RBC Capital Markets, LLC, as representatives of the several underwriters |
| 5.1 | Opinion of Holland & Hart LLP |
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| 23.1 | Consent of Holland & Hart LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1 hereto) |
| 23.2 | Consent of Holland & Hart LLP (included in Exhibit 8.1 hereto) |
| 99.1 | Press Release, dated February 28, 2013 |

Cautionary Statement regarding Forward-Looking Statements

This Current Report on Form 8-K contains forward-looking statements as defined under the federal securities laws, including statements regarding the intended use of Offering proceeds, the anticipated closing date of the Offering and other aspects of the Offering. Although management believes that expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, no assurance can be given that such expectations will prove to be correct. In addition, these statements are subject to certain risks, uncertainties and other assumptions that are difficult to predict and may be beyond our control, including market conditions, customary closing conditions and other factors described in the prospectus supplement and accompanying prospectus for the Offering. If one or more of these risks or uncertainties materialize, or if underlying assumptions prove incorrect, the Partnership's actual results may vary materially from what management anticipated, estimated, projected or expected.

Investors are encouraged to closely consider the disclosures and risk factors contained in the Partnership's reports filed from time to time with the Commission and in the prospectus supplement and accompanying prospectus for the Offering. The forward-looking statements contained herein speak only as of the date of this report. The Partnership undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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.

DCP MIDSTREAM PARTNERS, LP

By: **DCP MIDSTREAM GP, LP**
its General Partner

By: **DCP MIDSTREAM GP, LLC**
its General Partner

By: /s/ Michael S. Richards
Name: Michael S. Richards
Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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