ST JOE CO Form 8-K May 16, 2007

## 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):

May 15, 2007

# The St. Joe Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

1-10466

(Commission

File Number)

Florida

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

245 Riverside Avenue, Suite 500, Jacksonville, Florida

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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59-0432511

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

32202

(Zip Code)

904-301-4200

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#### <u>Top of the Form</u> Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On May 15, 2007, the Board of Directors of the Company named Janna L. Connolly as the Company's Chief Accounting Officer effective immediately. Ms. Connolly replaces Michael N. Regan who is retiring. Ms. Connolly, age 51, has approximately 28 years of accounting experience and has served as Vice President, Controller of the Company since December 2000. She joined the Company in November 1996 as Controller. Prior to that time Ms. Connolly held various accounting positions, including Chief Accountant of Vector Aeromotive Corporation and Vice President, Controller of Riverside Group, Inc. Ms. Connolly began her career as a public accountant with KPMG LLP from 1979-1985.

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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.

The St. Joe Company

May 16, 2007

By: /s/ Christine M. Marx

Name: Christine M. Marx Title: General Counsel and Corporate Secretary