MID AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES INC

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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): June 7, 2006 (June 2, 2006)

MID-AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

TENNESSEE 1-12762 62-1543819
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) Number) Identification No.)

6584 Poplar Avenue, Suite 300

Memphis, Tennessee
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (901) 682-6600

38138

(Zip Code)

N/A

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

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ITEM 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

On June 2, 2006, Mid-America Apartment Communities, Inc. (the "REIT"), Mid-America Apartments, L.P. (the "Operating Partnership") and Mid-America Apartments of Texas, L.P. ("MAA Texas," jointly and severally with the REIT and Operating Partnership, "Borrower") entered into a credit agreement (the "Credit Agreement") with Financial Federal Savings Bank, whereas the Borrower obtained a revolving credit loan in the amount of up to, but not exceeding \$200 million. The Credit Agreement matures on July 1, 2014 and allows for various tranches bearing interest rates equal to the Prime Rate, the Reference BillsSM Rate plus a Margin or the LIBO Rate plus a Margin.

The Credit Agreement contains customary affirmative and negative covenants and contains financial covenants that, among other things, requires each Borrower, except those subject to pass-through tax classification, to maintain certain minimum ratios of "EBITDA" (earnings before payment or charges of interest, taxes, depreciation, amortization or extraordinary items) as compared to interest expense and total fixed charges. The financial covenants also include consolidated net worth and leverage ratio tests.

The foregoing description of the Credit Agreement does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by the terms of the Credit Agreement, attached as Exhibit 10.1 of this Current Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 2.03 Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.

As discussed in Item 1.01 above, effective June 2, 2006, the registrant entered into the Credit Agreement with Financial Federal Savings Bank. The information reported in Item 1.01 above is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit Number Description

10.1 Credit Agreement dated June 2, 2006

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

MID-AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES, INC.

Date: June 7, 2006 /s/Simon R.C. Wadsworth

Simon R.C. Wadsworth

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

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