

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): **December 23, 2014**

**TEXAS PACIFIC LAND TRUST**  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Not Applicable**  
(State or Other  
Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**1-737**  
(Commission File Number)

**75-0279735**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

**1700 Pacific Avenue, Suite 2770, Dallas, Texas 75201**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **214-969-5530**

**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:

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

Texas Pacific Land Trust (the "Trust") hereby incorporates by reference the contents of its News Release, dated December 23, 2014, announcing the Trust's entry into a contract for the sale of approximately 19,607 acres of land in Upton/Crane Counties, Texas for aggregate consideration of \$19,840,000.

A copy of the News Release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 News Release of Texas Pacific Land Trust, dated December 23, 2014.

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**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Trust has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

TEXAS PACIFIC LAND TRUST

Date: December 23, 2014

By: /s/ David M. Peterson  
David M. Peterson  
General Agent

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NEWS RELEASE

TEXAS PACIFIC LAND TRUST ANNOUNCES LAND SALE CONTRACT

TEXAS PACIFIC LAND TRUST

DALLAS, TEXAS, December 23, 2014 — Texas Pacific Land Trust (NYSE: TPL) announced today that it has entered into a contract for the sale of approximately 19,607 acres of land in Upton/Crane Counties, Texas for aggregate consideration of \$19,840,000. The Trust will retain its oil and gas royalty interests in the acres being sold. The closing of the transaction is scheduled for January 15, 2015.

*This news release may contain forward-looking statements as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements include statements regarding the Trust's future operations and prospects, the markets for real estate in the areas in which the Trust owns real estate, applicable zoning regulations, the markets for oil and gas, production limits on prorated oil and gas wells authorized by the Railroad Commission of Texas, expected competitions, management's intent, beliefs or current expectations with respect to the Trust's future financial performance and other matters. We assume no responsibility to update any such forward-looking statements.*