# 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 22, 2019

# **Texas Pacific Land Trust**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Not Applicable	1-737	75-0279735
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
1700 Pacific Avenue, Suite 2770 Dallas, Texas		75201
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registran	t's telephone number, including area code: (214) 96	9-5530
(Form	Not Applicable her name or former address, if changed since last rep	port)
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended	ded to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of	f the registrant under any of the following provisions:
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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging grathe Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter		rities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of
		Emerging growth company
If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the I		ition period for complying with any new or revised financial
Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:		
Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Sub-shares in Certificates of Proprietary Interest (par value \$0.03-1/3 per share)	TPL	New York Stock Exchange

#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On May 22, 2019, Texas Pacific Land Trust (the "<u>Trust</u>") issued a press release for the holders of sub-share certificates of proprietary interest (the <u>"Shareholders</u>") to explain the lawsuit filed by the Trust on May 21, 2019, against Eric L. Oliver (the "<u>Lawsuit</u>") and the postponement of the special meeting, which was previously scheduled to be held on May 22, 2019 (and to be adjourned until June 6, 2019), until further notice. Shareholders will be notified of the exact date, time, and location of the rescheduled special meeting at a later date.

A copy of the release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press Release of Texas Pacific Land Trust dated May 22, 2019

### SIGNATURE

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.

Date: May 22, 2019 TEXAS PACIFIC LAND TRUST

By: /s/ Robert Packer

Name: Robert Packer

Title: Chief Financial Officer

#### Texas Pacific Land Trust Releases Letter to Shareholders Regarding Recently-Filed Lawsuit against Eric Oliver

DALLAS (May 22, 2019) -- Texas Pacific Land Trust (NYSE: TPL) ("TPL" or the "Trust") today released a letter to shareholders regarding the lawsuit filed by the Trust yesterday in the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Texas against Eric L. Oliver for violations of federal securities law.

The text of the letter follows.

Dear Texas Pacific Land Trust Shareholders:

We're writing you today to provide additional context on recent developments regarding the ongoing election for TPL's next Trustee. Yesterday, the Trust filed a lawsuit in the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Texas regarding violations of federal securities laws in Eric Oliver's campaign to become TPL's next Trustee. Our lawsuit alleges that Mr. Oliver has sought to mislead shareholders by misstating certain important information and omitting other information relating to his record and potential conflicts of interest.

We have asked the Court to require that Mr. Oliver correct these misstatements and omissions as soon as possible and give shareholders sufficient time to vote on a fully-informed basis. Let us be clear: although the Trust believes that Mr. Oliver is the wrong choice to become TPL's next Trustee, in no way is it our goal to prevent shareholders from having their say. We simply believe that shareholders have the right to be fully and accurately informed before they vote – and that Mr. Oliver has misled you.

Unfortunately, the decision to file this lawsuit means that we must postpone our planned shareholder meeting, which had been scheduled to be convened today, May 22, 2019, and immediately adjourned until June 6, 2019. At this time, we do not know when the meeting will take place. Once this litigation is resolved – either in court or by Mr. Oliver providing the necessary disclosures – we will be able to reschedule the meeting.

We realize this news may be frustrating and we appreciate your continued patience. We have a responsibility to protect the interests of the Trust and all its shareholders and will continue to take the necessary steps to ensure you have all the information you need to make a fully-informed decision in this critical election about TPL's future.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely, John R. Norris III and David E. Barry, Trustees

#### Forward-Looking Statements

This release may contain statements that are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. All statements contained in this release, other than statements of historical fact, are "forward-looking statements" for purposes of these provisions, including statements regarding Texas Pacific's future operations and prospects, the markets for real estate in the areas in which Texas Pacific 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 Texas Pacific's future financial performance and other matters. Texas Pacific cautions readers that various factors could cause its actual financial and operational results to differ materially from those indicated by forward-looking statements made from time-to-time in news releases, reports, proxy statements and other written communications, as well as oral statements made from time to time by representatives of Texas Pacific. The following factors, as well as any other cautionary language included in this release, provide examples of risks, uncertainties and events beyond our control that may cause Texas Pacific's actual results to differ materially from the expectations Texas Pacific describes in such forward-looking statements: global economic conditions; market prices of oil and gas; the demand for water services by operators in the Permian Basin; the impact of government regulation; the impact of competition; the continued service of key management personnel; and other risks and uncertainties disclosed in Texas Pacific's annual reports on Form 10-K and quarterly reports on Form 10-Q. We undertake no obligation to update publicly or otherwise revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or oth

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