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): September 30, 2019

Commission File Number: 1-737

Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter:

TEXAS PACIFIC LAND TRUST

State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization: $NOT\ APPLICABLE$

IRS Employer Identification No.: 75-0279735

Address of principal executive offices:

1700 Pacific Avenue, Suite 2900 Dallas, Texas 75201

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

| 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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| | Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) | | |
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| | Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) | | |
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| Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. | | | |
| | | | Emerging growth company \square |
| If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. \Box | | | |
| 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 |
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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On September 30, 2019, Texas Pacific Land Trust issued a press release providing an update on the activities of the Conversion Exploration Committee. A copy of the press 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 September 30, 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: September 30, 2019 TEXAS PACIFIC LAND TRUST

By: /s/ Robert Packer
Name: Robert Packer

Title: Chief Financial Officer

Conversion Exploration Committee of Texas Pacific Land Trust Provides Update

Trust Retains Credit Suisse as Financial Advisor

September 30, 2019 08:30 AM Eastern Daylight Time

DALLAS--(BUSINESS WIRE)--The Conversion Exploration Committee (the "Committee") of Texas Pacific Land Trust (NYSE: TPL) (the "Trust" or "TPL") today provided the first in a series of updates on its deliberations.

The Trust, after Trust management and the Committee interviewed a number of potential financial advisors, retained Credit Suisse to assist the Trust and the Committee in developing its recommendation to the Trustees.

The Committee's deliberations to date have been productive and informative. The Committee has met three times, both in person and over the phone. Although its deliberations are confidential, the Committee will provide monthly progress reports to shareholders as required by its Charter before issuing a final recommendation by the end of year.

The Committee is chaired by John R. Norris III and David E. Barry, the incumbent Trustees of TPL. Its additional members are (in alphabetical order): Four-Star General Donald G. Cook, USAF (Retired); Craig Hodges, Chief Executive Officer of Hodges Capital; Dana McGinnis, Founder and Chief Investment Officer of Mission Advisors; Eric L. Oliver, Founder and President of SoftVest Advisors and Murray Stahl, Chairman of Horizon Kinetics.

About Texas Pacific Land Trust

Texas Pacific Land Trust is one of the largest landowners in the State of Texas with approximately 900,000 acres of land in West Texas. The Trust was organized under a Declaration of Trust to receive and hold title to extensive tracts of land in the State of Texas, previously the property of the Texas and Pacific Railway Company, and to issue transferable Certificates of Proprietary Interest pro rata to the holders of certain debt securities of the Texas and Pacific Railway Company. Texas Pacific Land Trust's trustees are empowered under the Declaration of Trust to manage the lands with all the powers of an absolute owner.

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