ANTERO RESOURCES Corp Form 8-K February 26, 2018

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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): February 26, 2018

ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 001-36120 (Commission File Number) 80-0162034 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

1615 Wynkoop Street

Denver, Colorado 80202

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s Telephone Number, including area code (303) 357-7310

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: Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter). Emerging growth company O 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. O

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Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On February 26, 2018, Antero Resources Corporation (the Company) issued a press release, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein, announcing that its Board of Directors has formed a special committee comprised solely of independent directors to explore, review and evaluate potential measures to address the discount in the Company s trading value. Antero Midstream Partners LP and Antero Midstream GP LP issued press releases announcing that the boards of directors of their respective general partners have also formed special committees comprised solely of independent directors in conjunction with the formation of the special committee at the Company. Copies of those press releases were furnished as exhibits to Current Reports on Form 8-K furnished by each company on February 26, 2018.

The information in this Current Report, including Exhibit 99.1, is being furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 of Form 8-K and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act), or otherwise subject to liabilities of that section, and is not incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act unless specifically identified therein as being incorporated therein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number 99.1

Description

Antero Resources Corporation press release dated February 26, 2018.

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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.

ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION

By: /s/ Glen C. Warren, Jr.

Glen C. Warren, Jr.

President and Chief Financial Officer

Dated: February 26, 2018

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