GENUINE PARTS CO Form 8-K November 20, 2017

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):

November 20, 2017

Genuine Parts Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

001-05690

(Commission

File Number)

Georgia

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

2999 Wildwood Pkwy, Atlanta, Georgia

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

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:

[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

- [] 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))

58-0254510

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

30339

(Zip Code)

678.934.5000

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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 (§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 []

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. []

<u>Top of the Form</u> Item 8.01 Other Events.

On November 20, 2017, the Board of Directors of Genuine Parts Company declared a regular quarterly cash dividend of sixty-seven and one-half cents (\$0.675) per share on the Company's common stock. The dividend is payable January 2, 2018 to shareholders of record December 8, 2017.

A copy of the press release is furnished with this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated November 20, 2017

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Exhibit Index

Exhibit No.	Description	
99.1	Press Release dated November 20, 2017	

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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.

Genuine Parts Company

November 20, 2017

By: Carol B. Yancey

Name: Carol B. Yancey Title: Executive Vice President and CFO <u>Top of the Form</u>