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Form 8-K

November 13, 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): November 13, 2018

O'REILLY AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Missouri 000-21318 27-4358837

(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation or (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

organization)

233 South Patterson

Springfield, Missouri 65802

(Address of principal executive offices, Zip code)

(417) 862-6708

(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 (see General Instruction A.2):

- " 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))
- " 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 Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR 230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR 240.12b-2).

" 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. "

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Section 8 – Other Events

Item 8.01 – Other Events

On November 13, 2018, O'Reilly Automotive, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that its Board of Directors approved a resolution to increase the authorization amount under its share repurchase program by an additional \$1 billion, raising the aggregate authorization under the program to \$11.75 billion. The additional \$1 billion authorization is effective for a three-year period, beginning on November 13, 2018. Stock repurchases under the program may be made from time to time, as the Company deems appropriate, solely through open market purchases effected through a broker dealer at prevailing market prices, based on a variety of factors such as price, corporate requirements and overall market conditions. There can be no assurance as to the number of shares the Company will purchase, if any. The share repurchase program may be increased or otherwise modified, renewed, suspended or terminated by the Company at any time, without prior notice. The text of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

In addition, on November 13, 2018, the Company announced that it has entered into a definitive agreement to purchase substantially all of the assets of Bennett Auto Supply, Inc. The text of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Section 9 – Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 – Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit Number Description

99.1 Press Release dated November 13, 2018

The information in Section 8 related to the definitive agreement and Section 9 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including the exhibit hereto, shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

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SIGNATURES

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

Date: November 13, 2018 O'REILLY AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

By:/s/ Thomas McFall
Thomas McFall
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
(principal financial and accounting officer)