TENNANT CO Form 8-K October 23, 2008

#### 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)

October 23, 2008

#### TENNANT COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Minnesota 1-16191
(State or other (Commission jurisdiction File Number)
of incorporation)

41-0572550 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

701 North Lilac Drive, P.O. Box 1452 Minneapolis, Minnesota (Address of principal executive offices)

55440 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (763) 540-1200

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. below):

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 23, 2008, Tennant Company (the "Company") issued the news release that is attached hereto as Exhibit 99 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01.

- (d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is furnished herewith:
- 99 News Release dated October 23, 2008.

#### **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, thereunto duly authorized.

### **Tennant Company**

Date: October 23, 2008 By: /s/ Heidi M. Hoard

Heidi M. Hoard

Vice President, General Counsel and

Secretary

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