

AMERISAFE INC
Form 8-K
February 27, 2019

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): **February 27, 2019**

AMERISAFE, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Texas
(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

001-12251
(Commission

File Number)
2301 Highway 190 West

75-2069407
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

DeRidder, Louisiana 70634

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(337) 463-9052**

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):

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))
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.

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 27, 2019, AMERISAFE, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing its financial results for the fourth quarter and full year ending December 31, 2018. A copy of the Company s press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

On February 27, 2019, AMERISAFE, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing an increase in its quarterly dividend. A copy of the Company s press release is attached as Exhibit 99.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

| Exhibit No. | Description |
|--------------------|---|
| 99.1 | <u>Press Release of AMERISAFE, Inc. dated February 27, 2019 (Financial Results)</u> |
| 99.2 | <u>Press Release of AMERISAFE, Inc. dated February 27, 2019 (Dividend)</u> |

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.

AMERISAFE, INC.

By: /s/ Neal A. Fuller
Neal A. Fuller, Executive Vice President
and Chief Financial Officer

Date: February 27, 2019