VALERO L P Form 8-K December 07, 2004

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): December 7, 2004

VALERO L.P.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-16417Commission File Number

74-2956831 (IRS Employee Identification No.)

One Valero Way San Antonio, Texas

78249

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (210) 345-2000

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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[] 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))

Item 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

The Partnership is furnishing herewith certain information being presented to analysts and investors at the Wachovia Pipeline Conference and Symposium on December 7, 2004. The presentation is set forth in Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

The information in this report is being furnished, not filed, pursuant to Item 7.01 of Form 8-K. Accordingly, the information in this report, including the exhibit, will not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement filed by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, unless specifically identified therein as being incorporated therein by reference.

Item 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Presentation by Valero L.P. (the "Partnership") December 7, 2004.

SIGNATURE

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.

VALERO L.P.

By: Riverwalk Logistics, L.P.

its general partner

By: Valero GP, LLC its general partner

Date: December 7, 2004 By: <u>/s/Bradley C. Barron</u>

Name: Bradley C. Barron Title: Corporate Secretary

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SIGNATURE 3

EXHIBIT INDEX

Number	Exhibit
99.1	Presentation by Valero L.P. (the "Partnership") on December 7, 2004.

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Exhibit 99.1

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