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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): June 3, 2015

FEDERAL AGRICULTURAL MORTGAGE CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Federally chartered instrumentality

001-14951

52-1578738

of the United States

of Incorporation)

(State or Other Jurisdiction

(Commission

File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1999 K Street, N.W., 4th Floor, Washington D.C.

20006

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (202) 872-7700

No change

(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. below):

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On June 3, 2015, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation ("Farmer Mac") declared a quarterly dividend on each of Farmer Mac's three classes of common stock – Class A Voting Common Stock, Class B Voting Common Stock, and Class C Non-Voting Common Stock. The quarterly dividend of \$0.16 per share of common stock will be payable on June 30, 2015 to holders of record of Farmer Mac's common stock as of June 17, 2015.

Also on June 3, 2015, the Board declared a dividend on each of Farmer Mac's three classes of preferred stock – 5.875% Non-Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series A (the "Series A Preferred Stock"), 6.875% Non-Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series B (the "Series B Preferred Stock"), and 6.000% Fixed-to-Floating Rate Non-Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series C (the "Series C Preferred Stock"). The quarterly dividend of \$0.3672 per share of Series A Preferred Stock, \$0.4297 per share of Series B Preferred Stock, and \$0.375 per share of Series C Preferred Stock is for the period from but not including April 17, 2015 to and including July 17, 2015 and will be payable on July 17, 2015 to holders of record of the Series A Preferred Stock, the Series B Preferred Stock, and the Series C Preferred Stock, respectively, as of July 2, 2015. Each share of Series A Preferred Stock, Series B Preferred Stock, and Series C Preferred Stock has a par value and liquidation preference of \$25.00 per share.

Information about the dividends is also included in the press release attached to this report as Exhibit 99. All references to www.farmermac.com in Exhibit 99 are inactive textual references only and the information contained on Farmer Mac's website is not incorporated by reference into this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits
- 99 Press Release, dated June 3, 2015

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.

FEDERAL AGRICULTURAL MORTGAGE CORPORATION

By: /s/ Stephen P. Mullery Name: Stephen P. Mullery

Title: Senior Vice President – General Counsel

Dated: June 3, 2015