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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): April 5, 2011
LAMAR ADVERTISING COMPANY

**CURRENT REPORT** 

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware0-3024272-1449411(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)(Commission File Number)(IRS Employer Identification No.)

5321 Corporate Boulevard, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70808

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(225) 926-1000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

In a meeting with analysts and stockholders on April 5, 2011, Lamar Advertising Company (the Company ) inadvertently disclosed that local advertising sales in the first quarter of 2011 increased approximately 3% over the first quarter of 2010.

This Form 8-K is being furnished solely to satisfy the requirements of Regulation FD in light of the disclosure. The Company does not intend to update this disclosure or release similar information in the future. The furnishing of the information in this Item 7.01 is not intended to, and does not, constitute a representation that such furnishing is required by Regulation FD or that the information in this Item 7.01 is material information that is not otherwise publicly available.

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#### **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.

Date: April 5, 2011 LAMAR ADVERTISING COMPANY

By: /s/ Keith A. Istre Keith A. Istre

Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer