

ACME UNITED CORP  
Form 8-K  
October 07, 2009

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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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 7, 2009

ACME UNITED CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Connecticut<br>(State or other jurisdiction of<br>incorporation or organization) | 001-07698<br>(Commission file number) | 06-0236700<br>(I.R.S. Employer<br>Identification No.) |
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| 60 Round Hill Road, Fairfield, Connecticut<br>(Address of principal executive offices) | 06824<br>(Zip Code) |
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (203) 254-6060

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:

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



ITEM 8.01. Other Events

On October 7, 2009 Acme United Corporation, issued a press release announcing the approval by its Board of Directors of a stock repurchase program. The press release is furnished as an exhibit to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

((c) Exhibits

| Exhibit Number | Description                          |
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| <u>99.1</u>    | Press release dated October 7, 2009. |

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.

ACME UNITED CORPORATION

By /s/ Walter C. Johnsen

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Walter C. Johnsen  
Chairman and  
Chief Executive Officer

Dated: October 7, 2009

By /s/ Paul G. Driscoll

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Paul G. Driscoll  
Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

Dated: October 7, 2009

