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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, DC 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): August 12, 2019

**UNIVERSAL FOREST PRODUCTS, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Michigan**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**00-22684**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**38-1465835**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**2801 East Beltline, N.E.**  
**Grand Rapids, Michigan**  
(Address of principal executive office)

**49525**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(616) 364-6161**

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:

- ☐ 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)).

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock	UFPI	The NASDAQ Stock Market, LLC

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR§240.12b-2).

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. ☐

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**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure**

On August 12, 2019, Universal Forest Products, Inc. issued a press release announcing a new organizational structure to be effective starting January 1, 2020.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**(d) Exhibits**

<b>EXHIBIT NO.</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBIT</b>
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99.1	<a href="#"><u>Press Release, dated August 12, 2019, issued by Universal Forest Products, Inc.</u></a>
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**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, thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: August 12, 2019

UNIVERSAL FOREST PRODUCTS, INC.  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Michael R. Cole

Michael R. Cole  
Principal Financial Officer and Treasurer

**Universal Forest Products®**

# News release

-----AT THE COMPANY-----

Brandon Froysland

Director, Finance

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**Monday, August 12, 2019**

## **UFPI announces structure change to promote growth, effective Jan. 1, 2020**

*Company to change its name to better reflect its products, industries and capabilities*

Grand Rapids, Mich., August 12, 2019 -- Universal Forest Products, Inc. (Nasdaq: UFPI) today announced a new organizational structure that is designed to position the Company for accelerated sales and profit growth in the coming years and provide more opportunity for its employees.

As of Jan. 1, 2020, the Company will be known as UFP Industries, Inc. The Company will seek to ratify the name change at its April 22, 2020, shareholder meeting. Under the new structure, also effective Jan. 1, 2020, the Company will be organized around the markets it serves rather than geography. Among other benefits, this will allow for a more specialized and consistent sales approach among all Universal companies, more efficient use of resources and capital, and quicker introduction of new products and services. UFP Industries will continue to trade under the ticker symbol UFPI.

“We have the best team in the industry, and we want to position our people for the greatest success,” said CEO Matthew J. Missad. “The markets are changing quickly, and we need to not only adapt to changes, but to anticipate future changes. As the complexity in our product offering increases, our teams need to be able to focus on products and services that bring more value to our customers. The only way to lead the next era of growth is from the front.”

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Missad said that while the name Universal Forest Products is a source of pride for employees, it no longer accurately describes what the company does. "UFP Industries, Inc. is a better fit for what we do and for our new organizational structure," he said. "Our companies serve a diverse group of customers, and our products include many materials, not just wood."

The company will be organized so that each business segment aligns with the market it serves: UFP Retail, UFP Construction and UFP Industrial. These segments will each consist of multiple business units (profit centers) led by entrepreneurial members of the UFP team. Each profit center will have a general manager who will continue to operate his or her facility to enhance customer service, create manufacturing and transportation synergies and improve overall profitability.

Each of these three segments currently exceeds \$1 billion in annual revenue. The leaders of these segments will be tasked with doubling sales and profits of their segment over the next 10 years. Those leaders include:

- Allen Peters, who will become the president and COO of UFP Retail,
- Patrick Benton, who will become president of UFP Construction, and
- Scott Worthington, who will become president of UFP Industrial.

During a transition period, Pat Webster will maintain his duties as COO of UFPI and will take on COO responsibility for UFP Construction and UFP Industrial. Jonathan West will become executive vice president of Factory Built Housing in the construction segment. Chad Eastin will become executive vice president of ProWood.

"Our focus is on being the expert solution providers for our customers. This new organization enables us to accomplish that much more efficiently," Missad said. "We believe this is a wonderful opportunity for the companies and people of Universal, and we are excited about the future of UFP Industries. Our teams are up to the challenge, and we know they will continue to excel and to grow their opportunities and the company in new and exciting ways."

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