## 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): September 21, 2009

## **Tortoise Capital Resources Corporation**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

1-33292 20-3431375 Maryland (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.) 11550 Ash Street, Suite 300, Leawood, KS 66211 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code) (913) 981-1020 (Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code) Not Applicable (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: ☐ 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))

## Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On September 21, 2009, the Company announced that it expects to file its Form 10-Q for its third fiscal quarter on Friday, October 9, 2009, and that on Monday, October 12, 2009, it will issue its earnings release for the third quarter ended August 31, 2009 and will host a conference call at 4:00 p.m. CDT to discuss its third quarter financial results. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

The information in this Item 7.01 to this Current Report on Form 8-K, shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of or otherwise subject to the liabilities under Section 18 of the Exchange Act, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing of the Company under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

## Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits
- 99.1 Press Release dated September 21, 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.

CORPORATION	TORTOISE CAPITAL RESOURCES
Dated: September 24, 2009 Matlack	By: <u>/s/ Terry</u> Terry Matlack  Chief Financial Officer

## **Exhibit Index**

# Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated September 21, 2009

#### Tortoise Capital Resources Corp. Schedules Earnings Release for its Third Quarter Ended August 31, 2009

LEAWOOD, Kan. – Sept. 21, 2009 – Tortoise Capital Resources Corp. (NYSE: TTO) announced that it expects to file its Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the third quarter ended Aug. 31, 2009 on Friday, Oct. 9, 2009.

On Monday, Oct. 12, 2009, the company will issue its earnings release and will host a conference call at 4 p.m. CDT to discuss its third quarter financial results. Please dial-in approximately five to 10 minutes prior to the scheduled start time.

U.S./Canada: (866) 225-8754

The call will also be webcast in a listen-only format. A link to the webcast will be accessible at www.tortoiseadvisors.com.

A replay of the call will be available beginning at 7:00 p.m. CDT on Oct. 12, 2009 and continuing until 11:59 p.m. CDT Oct. 26, 2009, by dialing (800) 406-7325 (U.S./Canada). The replay access code is 4075823#. A replay of the webcast will also be available on the company's Web site at www.tortoiseadvisors.com through Oct. 12, 2010.

## About Tortoise Capital Resources Corp.

Tortoise Capital Resources invests primarily in privately-held and micro-cap public companies operating in the midstream and downstream segments, and to a lesser extent the upstream segment, of the U.S. energy infrastructure sector.

## About Tortoise Capital Advisors, LLC

Tortoise is an investment manager specializing in listed energy infrastructure, such as pipeline and power companies. As of Aug. 31, 2009, Tortoise had approximately \$2.3 billion of assets under management in five NYSE-listed investment companies and private accounts. For more information, visit our Web site at www.tortoiseadvisors.com.

#### Safe Harbor Statement

This press release shall not constitute an offer to sell or a solicitation to buy, nor shall there be any sale of the securities in any state or jurisdiction in which such offer or solicitation or sale would be unlawful prior to registration or qualification under the laws of such state or jurisdiction. Investors should consider the investment objective, risks, charges and expenses of the fund carefully before investing. For this and other important information, investors should refer to the closed-end fund prospectus and read it carefully before investing.

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