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): February 7, 2019



NEWPARK RESOURCES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

001-02960

(Commission File Number)

72-1123385

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

	9320 Lakeside Boulevard, Suite 100 The Woodlands, TX	77381
	(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)
	Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (281) 362-6800	
	Not Applicable	
	(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)	
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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 7, 2019, Newpark Resources, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing financial information for the three months and twelve months ended December 31, 2018. The press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information in Item 2.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K and the information in the exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Information

To help understand the Company's financial performance, the Company has supplemented its financial results that it provides in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") with non-GAAP financial measures. Such financial measures include earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization ("EBITDA"), EBITDA Margin, Net Debt, and the Ratio of Net Debt to Capital.

We believe these non-GAAP financial measures are frequently used by investors, securities analysts and other parties in the evaluation of our performance and/or that of other companies in our industry. In addition, management uses these measures to evaluate operating performance, and our incentive compensation plan measures performance based on our consolidated EBITDA, along with other factors. The methods we use to produce these non-GAAP financial measures may differ from methods used by other companies. These measures should be considered in addition to, not as a substitute for, financial measures prepared in accordance with GAAP. Applicable reconciliations to the nearest GAAP financial measure of each non-GAAP financial measure are included in the attached Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release issued by Newpark Resources, Inc. on February 7, 2019.

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.

NEWPARK RESOURCES, INC. (Registrant)

Date: February 7, 2019

By: /s/ Gregg S. Piontek

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NEWS RELEASE

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NEWPARK RESOURCES REPORTS FOURTH QUARTER 2018 RESULTS

Mats and Integrated Services posts record quarter; Fluids Systems receives new award in Kuwait

THE WOODLANDS, TX – February 7, 2019 – Newpark Resources, Inc. (NYSE: NR) today announced results for its fourth quarter ended December 31, 2018. Total revenues for the fourth quarter of 2018 were \$247.7 million compared to \$235.3 million for the third quarter of 2018 and \$204.4 million for the fourth quarter of 2017. Income from continuing operations for the fourth quarter of 2018 was \$10.6 million, or \$0.11 per diluted share, compared to \$3.6 million, or \$0.04 per diluted share, for the third quarter of 2018, and \$7.9 million, or \$0.09 per diluted share, for the fourth quarter of 2017. Fourth quarter 2018 results include the impact of the following:

- \$2.0 million of pre-tax charges in the U.S. Fluids Systems business (\$1.6 million after-tax) consisting primarily of severance and related charges associated with cost optimization efforts;
- \$0.5 million of non-capitalizable expenses in the U.S. Fluids Systems business (\$0.4 million after-tax) related to the continuation of the completion fluids facility conversion in the Port of Fourchon. With the conclusion of Phase I of this project, the facility is now operational, enabling us to provide both drilling and completion fluids to the deepwater Gulf of Mexico market.

Combined, the impact of the above items resulted in a \$2.5 million reduction in operating income for the quarter and a \$2.0 million reduction in income from continuing operations (\$0.02 per diluted share).

Paul Howes, Newpark's President and Chief Executive Officer, stated, "We're extremely pleased with the performance of our Mats segment in the quarter, and in Fluids, we are seeing meaningful progress in the execution of our long-term strategy, which we believe is setting the course for improvements going forward.

"The Mats & Integrated Services segment achieved a quarterly record of \$70 million in revenues in the fourth quarter. The strong fourth quarter results benefited from elevated year-end demand from the utility sector, which contributed to a quarterly record of \$24 million of revenues from direct sales. In addition, we experienced strong rental and service demand across industries, benefiting in part from heavy rainfalls in the southern U.S., which contributed to a quarterly record of \$46 million of revenues from rental and services," added Howes. "With the exceptionally strong top line performance, segment operating margin improved to 30%.

"In Fluids Systems, fourth quarter revenues for the segment came in at \$178 million, a 2% sequential decrease, driven primarily by the slowdown in Canada and a delay in the start of projects in the deepwater Gulf of Mexico, as planned projects were pushed from the fourth quarter to the first quarter. Internationally,

revenues were relatively in-line sequentially, as the anticipated declines in Kuwait, Albania, and Brazil were substantially offset by broad-based improvements across other markets," added Howes. "Despite the modestly softer Fluids Systems revenues, segment operating income remained in line with the prior quarter. As highlighted, the fourth quarter included the impact of \$2.5 million of charges, primarily attributable to severance and other charges related to our ongoing cost optimization efforts.

"Benefiting from the stronger operational performance and reductions in working capital, we generated \$43 million of cash from operating activities in the fourth quarter, which facilitated a \$27 million reduction in outstanding debt in the quarter," concluded Howes.

Fluids Systems International Contract Award

Following a recent tender process with Kuwait Oil Company, the Company has received notification of two new contract awards to provide drilling and completion fluids, along with related services, covering a five-year term. The initial revenue value of the combined awards is approximately \$165 million and expands the Company's presence to include a second base of operations in Northern Kuwait. The awards remain subject to contract execution, which is expected to be completed in the first quarter of 2019.

Segment Results

The Fluids Systems segment generated revenues of \$177.7 million for the fourth quarter of 2018 compared to \$181.0 million for the third quarter of 2018 and \$162.4 million for the fourth quarter of 2017. Segment operating income was \$8.2 million for the fourth quarter of 2018 compared to \$8.3 million for the third quarter of 2018 and \$7.4 million for the fourth quarter of 2017. Operating income for the fourth quarter of 2018 includes \$2.0 million of charges, consisting primarily of severance and related costs and \$0.5 million of non-capitalizable expenses related to the conversion of a drilling fluids facility into a completion fluids facility.

The Mats and Integrated Services segment generated revenues of \$69.9 million for the fourth quarter of 2018 compared to \$54.4 million for the third quarter of 2018 and \$42.0 million for the fourth quarter of 2017. Segment operating income was \$20.7 million for the fourth quarter of 2018 compared to \$12.9 million for the third quarter of 2018 and \$11.7 million for the fourth quarter of 2017.

Conference Call

Newpark has scheduled a conference call to discuss fourth quarter 2018 results and its near-term operational outlook, which will be broadcast live over the Internet, on Friday, February 8, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time / 9:00 a.m. Central Time. To participate in the call, dial 412-902-0030 and ask for the Newpark Resources call at least 10 minutes prior to the start time, or access it live over the Internet at www.newpark.com. For those who cannot listen to the live call, a replay will be available through February 22, 2019 and may be accessed by dialing 201-612-7415 and using pass code 13686231#. Also, an archive of the webcast will be available shortly after the call at www.newpark.com for 90 days.

Newpark Resources, Inc. is a worldwide provider of value-added fluids and chemistry solutions in the oilfield, and engineered worksite and access solutions used in various commercial markets. For more information, visit our website at www.newpark.com.

This news release contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, as amended. All statements that address expectations or projections about the future, including Newpark's strategy for growth, product development, market position, expected expenditures and future financial results are forward-looking statements. Words such as "will," "may," "could," "would," "should," "anticipates," "believes," "estimates," "expects," "plans," "intends," and similar expressions are intended to identify these forward-looking statements but are not the exclusive means of identifying them. These statements are not guarantees of future performance and involve a number of risks, uncertainties and assumptions. Many factors, including those discussed more fully elsewhere in this release and in documents filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by Newpark, particularly its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, as well as others, could cause results to differ materially from those expressed in, or implied by, these statements. These

risk factors include, but are not limited to, risks related to the worldwide oil and natural gas industry, our customer concentration and reliance on the U.S. exploration and production market, risks related to our international operations, our ability to replace existing contracts, the cost and continued availability of borrowed funds including noncompliance with debt covenants, operating hazards present in the oil and natural gas industry, our ability to execute our business strategy and make successful business acquisitions and capital investments, the availability of raw materials or the impact of tariffs on the cost of such raw materials, the availability of skilled personnel, our market competition, our ability to expand our product and service offerings and enter new customer markets with our existing products, compliance with legal and regulatory matters, including environmental regulations, the availability of insurance and the risks and limitations of our insurance coverage, the ongoing impact of the U.S. Tax Cuts and Jobs Act, potential impairments of long-lived intangible assets, technological developments in our industry, risks related to severe weather, particularly in the U.S. Gulf Coast, cybersecurity breaches or business system disruptions and risks related to the fluctuations in the market value of our common stock. Newpark's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission can be obtained at no charge at www.newpark.com. We assume no obligation to update, amend or clarify publicly any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by securities laws. In light of these risks, uncertainties and assumptions, the forward-looking events discussed in this news release might not occur.

	Three Months Ended					Twelve Months Ended				
(In thousands, except per share data)		December 31, 2018		September 30, 2018		December 31, 2017		cember 31, 2018	De	cember 31, 2017
Revenues	\$	247,664	\$	235,329	\$	204,389	\$	946,548	\$	747,763
Cost of revenues		197,310		194,730		165,291		766,975		607,899
Selling, general and administrative expenses		29,645		29,820		29,541		115,127		108,838
Other operating (income) loss, net		186		725		(283)		888		(410)
Operating income		20,523		10,054		9,840		63,558		31,436
Foreign currency exchange (gain) loss		822		(89)		951		1,416		2,051
Interest expense, net		4,205		3,668		3,028		14,864		13,273
Income from continuing operations before income taxes		15,496		6,475		5,861		47,278		16,112
Provision (benefit) for income taxes		4,927		2,831		(2,056)		14,997		4,893
Income from continuing operations		10,569		3,644	-	7,917		32,281		11,219
Loss from disposal of discontinued operations, net of tax		_		_		(17,367)		_		(17,367)
Net income (loss)	\$	10,569	\$	3,644	\$	(9,450)	\$	32,281	\$	(6,148)
Calculation of EPS: Income from continuing operations - basic and diluted	\$	10,569	\$	3,644	\$	7,917	\$	32,281	\$	11,219
Weighted average common shares outstanding - basic Dilutive effect of stock options and restricted stock		90,640		90,526		87,414		89,996		85,421
awards		1,938		2,151		2,580		2,385		2,554
Dilutive effect of 2021 Convertible Notes		_		905		_		544		_
Weighted average common shares outstanding - diluted		92,578		93,582		89,994		92,925		87,975
Income per common share - diluted:										
Income from continuing operations	\$	0.11	\$	0.04	\$	0.09	\$	0.35	\$	0.13
Loss from discontinued operations						(0.20)		_		(0.20)
Net income (loss)	\$	0.11	\$	0.04	\$	(0.11)	\$	0.35	\$	(0.07)

Newpark Resources, Inc. Operating Segment Results (Unaudited)

			Three	Months Ende	d			Twelve Mo	onths l	Ended
(In thousands)	De	cember 31, 2018	Se	ptember 30, 2018	De	cember 31, 2017	De	cember 31, 2018	De	cember 31, 2017
Revenues										
Fluids systems	\$	177,726	\$	180,970	\$	162,404	\$	715,813	\$	615,803
Mats and integrated services		69,938		54,359		41,985		230,735		131,960
Total revenues	\$	247,664	\$	235,329	\$	204,389	\$	946,548	\$	747,763
Operating income (loss)										
Fluids systems	\$	8,245	\$	8,288	\$	7,435	\$	40,337	\$	27,580
Mats and integrated services		20,740		12,925		11,729		60,604		40,491
Corporate office		(8,462)		(11,159)		(9,324)		(37,383)		(36,635)
Operating income	\$	20,523	\$	10,054	\$	9,840	\$	63,558	\$	31,436
Segment operating margin										
Fluids systems		4.6%		4.6%		4.6%		5.6%		4.5%
Mats and integrated services		29.7%		23.8%		27.9%		26.3%		30.7%

thousands, except share data)		cember 31, 2018]	December 31, 2017
ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	56,118	\$	56,352
Receivables, net		254,394		265,866
Inventories		196,896		165,336
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		15,904		17,483
Total current assets		523,312		505,037
Property, plant and equipment, net		316,293		315,320
Goodwill		43,832		43,620
Other intangible assets, net		25,160		30,004
Deferred tax assets		4,516		4,753
Other assets		2,741		3,982
Total assets	\$	915,854	\$	902,716
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Current debt	\$	2,522	\$	1,518
Accounts payable		90,607		88,648
Accrued liabilities		48,797		68,248
Total current liabilities		141,926		158,414
Long-term debt, less current portion		159,225		158,957
Deferred tax liabilities		37,486		31,580
Other noncurrent liabilities		7,536		6,285
Total liabilities		346,173		355,236
Common stock, \$0.01 par value (200,000,000 shares authorized and 106,362,991 and 104,571,839		1.064		1.046
shares issued, respectively)		1,064		1,046
Paid-in capital		617,276		603,849
Accumulated other comprehensive loss Retained earnings		(67,673)		(53,219)
-		148,802		123,375
Treasury stock, at cost (15,530,952 and 15,366,504 shares, respectively)		(129,788)		(127,571)
Total stockholders' equity	Φ.	569,681	Φ.	547,480
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	915,854	\$	902,716

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(In thousands)		2018	2017
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Net income	\$	32,281	\$ (6,148)
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operations:		- , -	(-, -,
Depreciation and amortization		45,899	39,757
Stock-based compensation expense		10,361	10,843
Provision for deferred income taxes		236	(10,350)
Net provision for doubtful accounts		2,849	1,481
Loss on sale of a business		_	21,983
Gain on sale of assets		(1,821)	(5,478)
Gain on insurance recovery		(606)	_
Amortization of original issue discount and debt issuance costs		5,510	5,345
Change in assets and liabilities:		ŕ	•
(Increase) decrease in receivables		(7,388)	(73,722)
(Increase) decrease in inventories		(30,352)	(15,097)
(Increase) decrease in other assets		1,055	986
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		2,449	14,153
Increase (decrease) in accrued liabilities and other		2,930	54,628
Net cash provided by operating activities		63,403	38,381
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Capital expenditures		(45,141)	(31,371)
Refund of proceeds from sale of a business		(13,974)	_
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment		2,612	7,747
Proceeds from insurance property claim		1,000	_
Business acquisitions, net of cash acquired		(249)	(44,750)
Net cash used in investing activities		(55,752)	(68,374)
Cash flows from financing activities:			
Borrowings on lines of credit		347,613	176,267
Payments on lines of credit		(352,582)	(93,700)
Payment on 2017 Convertible Notes		_	(83,252)
Debt issuance costs		(149)	(955)
Proceeds from employee stock plans		3,874	2,424
Purchases of treasury stock		(3,870)	(3,239)
Other financing activities		601	165
Net cash used in financing activities		(4,513)	(2,290)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash		(4,332)	2,444
Net decrease in cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash		(1,194)	(29,839)
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash at beginning of period		65,460	95,299
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash at end of period	\$	64,266	\$ 65,460
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Newpark Resources, Inc. Non-GAAP Reconciliations (Unaudited)

To help understand the Company's financial performance, the Company has supplemented its financial results that it provides in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") with non-GAAP financial measures. Such financial measures include earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization ("EBITDA"), EBITDA Margin, Net Debt and the Ratio of Net Debt to Capital.

We believe these non-GAAP financial measures are frequently used by investors, securities analysts and other parties in the evaluation of our performance and/or that of other companies in our industry. In addition, management uses these measures to evaluate operating performance, and our incentive compensation plan measures performance based on our consolidated EBITDA, along with other factors. The methods we use to produce these non-GAAP financial measures may differ from methods used by other companies. These measures should be considered in addition to, not as a substitute for, financial measures prepared in accordance with GAAP.

Consolidated			Th	ree Months Ended	d		Twelve Mor			nths Ended		
(In thousands)	Decem	aber 31, 2018		September 30, 2018		December 31, 2017	Ι	December 31, 2018]	December 31, 2017		
Net income (loss) (GAAP) (1)	\$	10,569	\$	3,644	\$	(9,450)	\$	32,281	\$	(6,148)		
Loss from disposal of discontinued operations, net of tax		_		_		17,367		_		17,367		
Interest expense, net		4,205		3,668		3,028		14,864		13,273		
Provision (benefit) for income taxes		4,927		2,831		(2,056)		14,997		4,893		
Depreciation and amortization		11,553		11,591		10,759		45,899		39,757		
EBITDA (non-GAAP) (1)	\$	31,254	\$	21,734	\$	19,648	\$	108,041	\$	69,142		

(1) Net income and EBITDA for the three months ended December 31, 2018 include \$2.0 million of charges, consisting primarily of severance costs and \$0.5 million of non-capitalizable expenses related to the conversion of a drilling fluids facility into a completion fluids facility. Net income and EBITDA for the three months ended September 30, 2018 include a corporate office charge of \$1.8 million related to the retirement and transition of our Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Chief Administrative Officer, \$1.1 million of charges in Brazil primarily related to severance costs associated with our planned workforce reductions in the fourth quarter of 2018 in connection with the scheduled completion of the current contract with Petrobras, \$0.8 million of charges related to the July 2018 fire at our Kenedy, Texas drilling fluids facility, and \$0.6 million of non-capitalizable expenses related to the conversion of a drilling fluids facility into a completion fluids facility. The impact of these items to net income and EBITDA was \$6.8 million for the twelve months ended December 31, 2018.

Fluids Systems			Thre	e Months Ende	d			Twelve Months Ended mber 31, 2018 December 31, 2017 40,337 \$ 27,580 20,922 21,566 61,259 49,146 715,813 615,803 5.6% 4.5%		
(In thousands)	Decen	nber 31, 2018	Se	eptember 30, 2018	Dece	mber 31, 2017	Dece	mber 31, 2018	Decer	mber 31, 2017
Operating income (GAAP) (1)	\$	8,245	\$	8,288	\$	7,435	\$	40,337	\$	27,580
Depreciation and amortization		5,137		5,178		5,344		20,922		21,566
EBITDA (non-GAAP) (1)		13,382		13,466		12,779		61,259		49,146
Revenues		177,726		180,970		162,404		715,813		615,803
Operating Margin (GAAP)		4.6%		4.6%		4.6%		5.6%		4.5%
EBITDA Margin (non-GAAP)		7.5%		7.4%		7.9%		8.6%		8.0%

⁽¹⁾ Operating income and EBITDA for the three months ended December 31, 2018 include \$2.0 million of charges, consisting primarily of severance costs and \$0.5 million of non-capitalizable expenses related to the conversion of a drilling fluids facility into a completion fluids facility. Operating income and EBITDA for the three months ended September 30, 2018 include \$1.1 million of charges in Brazil primarily related to severance costs associated with our planned workforce reductions in the fourth quarter of 2018 in connection with the scheduled completion of the current contract with Petrobras, \$0.8 million of charges associated with the July 2018 fire at our Kenedy, Texas drilling fluids facility, and \$0.6 million of non-capitalizable expenses related to the conversion of a drilling fluids facility into a completion fluids facility. The impact of these items to operating income and EBITDA was \$4.9 million for the twelve months ended December 31, 2018.

Newpark Resources, Inc. Non-GAAP Reconciliations (Continued) (Unaudited)

Mats and Integrated Services			Thre	e Months Ended	i			Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2018 December 31, 2017 60,604 \$ 40,491 21,321 14,991 81,925 55,482 230,735 131,960		
(In thousands)	Decer	nber 31, 2018	S	eptember 30, 2018	Decei	mber 31, 2017	Dece	mber 31, 2018	Decer	mber 31, 2017
Operating income (GAAP)	\$	20,740	\$	12,925	\$	11,729	\$	60,604	\$	40,491
Depreciation and amortization		5,533		5,427		4,578		21,321		14,991
EBITDA (non-GAAP)		26,273		18,352		16,307		81,925		55,482
Revenues		69,938		54,359		41,985		230,735		131,960
Operating Margin (GAAP)		29.7%		23.8%		27.9%		26.3%		30.7%
EBITDA Margin (non-GAAP)		37.6%		33.8%		38.8%		35.5%		42.0%

Ratio of Net Debt to Capital

The following table reconciles the Company's ratio of total debt to capital calculated in accordance with GAAP to the non-GAAP financial measure of the Company's ratio of net debt to capital:

(In thousands)	Dece	mber 31, 2018	Dece	mber 31, 2017
Current debt	\$	2,522	\$	1,518
Long-term debt, less current portion		159,225		158,957
Total Debt		161,747		160,475
Total stockholders' equity		569,681		547,480
Total Capital	\$	731,428	\$	707,955
Ratio of Total Debt to Capital		22.1%		22.7%
Total Debt	\$	161,747	\$	160,475
Less: cash and cash equivalents	5	(56,118)	Þ	(56,352)
Net Debt		105,629		104,123
Total stockholders' equity		569,681		547,480
Total Capital, Net of Cash	\$	675,310	\$	651,603
Ratio of Net Debt to Capital		15.6%		16.0%