
**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): January 27, 2012

AMERIGON INCORPORATED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Michigan
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

0-21810
(Commission
File Number)

95-4318554
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

21680 Haggerty Road, Ste. 101, Northville, MI
(Address of principal executive offices)

48167
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (248) 504-0500

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 follow provisions:

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 250.13e-4(c))
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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On January 27, 2012, Amerigon Incorporated (“Amerigon”) notified the holders of its Series C 8% Convertible Preferred Stock (the “Series C Stock”) that Amerigon was electing to convert that portion of the Series C Stock required to be converted or redeemed on March 1, 2012, comprised of 778 shares of Series C Stock, plus the amount accrued on the Series C Stock at 8% from December 1, 2011, into Amerigon Common Stock. As a result of such election, and in accordance with the terms and conditions governing the Series C Stock set forth in Amerigon’s Articles of Incorporation, Amerigon has delivered approximately 680,000 shares of Common Stock to the holders of the Series C Stock.

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.

AMERIGON INCORPORATED

Date: January 30, 2012

By: _____ /s/ BARRY G. STEELE

Barry G. Steele,
Chief Financial Officer