FLOWERS FOODS INC Form 8-K February 14, 2017

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 14, 2017 (February 13, 2017)

FLOWERS FOODS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Georgia 1-16247 58-2582379 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification Number)

1919 Flowers Circle, Thomasville, GA 31757 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (229) 226-9110

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

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 13, 2017, Flowers Foods, Inc. issued a press release announcing (i) its financial condition and results of operations as of and for the 12 and 52 weeks ended December 31, 2016 and (ii) guidance for fiscal 2017. A copy of the press release is furnished with this Report as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press Release of Flowers Foods, Inc. dated February 13, 2017

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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.

FLOWERS FOODS, INC.

By: /s/ R. Steve Kinsey Name: R. Steve Kinsey

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial

Title: Officer

Dated: February 14, 2017

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