META FINANCIAL GROUP INC Form 8-K August 27, 2012

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): August 27, 2012

Meta Financial Group, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0 - 2214042-1406262 (State or other jurisdiction of

incorporation or organization)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

5501 South Broadband Lane, Sioux Falls, South Dakota 57108 (Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (712) 732-4117

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligations of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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Section 8 – Other Events

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On August 27, 2012, the Registrant issued the attached press release announcing declaration of a cash dividend for the fourth quarter of its fiscal year 2012.

Section 9 – Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following Exhibits are being furnished herewith:

99.1 Registrant's Press Release dated August 27, 2012.

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 hereunto duly authorized.

META FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.

By:/s/ David W Leedom
David W. Leedom
Executive Vice President, Secretary,
Treasurer,
and Chief Financial Officer

Dated: August 27, 2012

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Number Description of Exhibit

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