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): January 19, 2022

Farmer Bros. Co.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

001-34249

(Commission File Number)

76262

of Incorporation) **1912 Farmer Brothers Drive**

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction

> Texas (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

> > 682 549-6600

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

None

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))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

| Title of Each Class | Trading Symbol(s) | Name of Each Exchange on Which Registered |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Common Stock, \$1.00 par value | FARM | Nasdag Global Select Market |

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter). Emerging growth company 🗆

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. \Box

95-0725980

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

Northlake

(Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On December 23, 2021, Scott Lyon, Vice President, Controller and Treasurer of Farmer Bros. Co. (the "Company"), who served as the Company's principal accounting officer, notified the Company of his resignation, effective January 14, 2022, to pursue another opportunity. Following Mr. Lyon's resignation, Scott R. Drake, Chief Financial Officer of the Company, will serve as the Company's principal accounting officer in the interim.

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.

Dated: January 19, 2022

FARMER BROS. CO.

By:

/s/ Scott R. Drake

Scott R. Drake Chief Financial Officer (principal financial officer)