SAFEWAY INC Form 11-K June 26, 2009

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 11-K

(Mark One)

x ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008

OR

" TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from

to

Commission file number 1-00041

A. Full title of the plan and the address of the plan, if different from that of the issuer named below:

DOMINICK S FINER FOODS, LLC 401(k)

RETIREMENT PLAN FOR UNION EMPLOYEES

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B. Name of issuer of the securities held pursuant to the plan and the address of its principal executive office: SAFEWAY INC.

5918 Stoneridge Mall Road, Pleasanton, California, 94588-3229

DOMINICK S FINER FOODS, LLC 401(k) RETIREMENT PLAN

FOR UNION EMPLOYEES

REQUIRED INFORMATION

- 1. Not required to be furnished by the plan.
- 2. Not required to be furnished by the plan.
- 3. Not applicable.
- 4. Plan financial statements and schedules prepared in accordance with the financial reporting requirements of ERISA are attached hereto as Exhibit A.

EXHIBITS

Exhibit A. Plan financial statements and schedules.

Exhibit B. Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm.

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DOMINICK S FINER FOODS, LLC 401(k) RETIREMENT PLAN

FOR UNION EMPLOYEES

SIGNATURES

The Plan. Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Benefit Plans Committee has duly caused this annual report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: June 26, 2009 By: /s/ David F. Bond

David F. Bond

Benefit Plans Committee Member

June 26, 2009 /s/ Russell M. Jackson

Russell M. Jackson

Benefit Plans Committee Member