FOSTER L B CO Form 8-K July 28, 2005

# 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) July 27, 2005

## L. B. Foster Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania 000-10436 25-1324733

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission file Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

415 Holiday Drive, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15220

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (412) 928-3417

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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

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#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On July 27, 2005, L.B. Foster Company (the Company ) issued a press release announcing the Company s results of operations for the second quarter ended June 30, 2005. A copy of that press release is furnished with this report as Exhibit 99.1.

The information contained in this Current Report shall not be deemed to be filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act ), as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release issued by **L.B. Foster Company**, July 27, 2005.

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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.

L.B. Foster Company

(Registrant)

Date July 27, 2005

/s/David J. Russo
David J. Russo
Senior Vice President,
Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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#### EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release dated July 27, 2005, of L. B. Foster Company.