GYRODYNE CO OF AMERICA INC Form 8-K July 05, 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 AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 3, 2012

GYRODYNE COMPANY OF AMERICA, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

New York 000-01684 11-1688021

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation) Number) Identification No.)

1 FLOWERFIELD, Suite 24 ST. JAMES, NEW YORK 11780

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(631) 584-5400

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

N/A

(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:

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

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On July 5, 2012, Gyrodyne Company of America, Inc. (the "Company") issued the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 announcing the receipt of \$167,501,656.95 from the State of New York in payment of the judgment of the Court of Claims entered in favor of the Company for \$125 million plus statutory interest of nine percent from the date of the taking of November 2, 2005 through the date of payment and for an additional allowance of \$1,474,940.67 for actual and necessary costs, disbursements and expenses, including attorneys' fees and expenses, resulting from the condemnation of 245.5 acres of the Company's Flowerfield property.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Document

99.1 Press Release dated July 5, 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.

GYRODYNE COMPANY OF AMERICA, INC.

By: /s/ Stephen V. Maroney Stephen V. Maroney President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: July 5, 2012