AMERICAN CAMPUS COMMUNITIES INC Form 8-K February 24, 2014

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): February 20, 2014

AMERICAN CAMPUS COMMUNITIES, INC.

AMERICAN CAMPUS COMMUNITIES OPERATING PARTNERSHIP LP

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)

Maryland 001-32265 76-0753089
Maryland 333-181102-01 56-2473181
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) (Commission file number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

12700 Hill County Blvd., Suite T-200, Austin, Texas 78738 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (512) 732-1000

Not applicable (Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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

Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On February 20, 2014, American Campus Communities, Inc. adopted the amendment to its Bylaws to require that directors be reelected by a majority, rather than plurality, of the votes cast at a stockholder meeting. The description herein of such amendment is qualified in its entirety, and the terms therein are incorporated herein, by reference to the Amendment filed as Exhibit 3.1 hereto.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

The Exhibits to this Report are listed on the Exhibit Index attached hereto.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: February 24, 2014 AMERICAN CAMPUS COMMUNITIES, INC.

By: /s/ Jonathan A. Graf

Jonathan A. Graf

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial

Officer, Secretary and Treasurer

AMERICAN CAMPUS COMMUNITIES OPERATING PARTNERSHIP LP

By: American Campus Communities Holdings

LLC, its general partner

By: American Campus Communities,

Inc., its sole member

By: /s/ Jonathan A. Graf

Jonathan A. Graf

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer, Secretary and Treasurer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

Number Title

3.1 Amendment to the Bylaws of American Campus Communities, Inc.