MARATHON OIL CORP Form 8-K July 31, 2007

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 31, 2007

Marathon Oil Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

1-5153

(Commission

File Number)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

5555 San Felipe Road, Houston, Texas

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

Not Applicable

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))

25-0996816

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

77056

(Zip Code)

(713) 629-6600

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On July 31, 2007, Marathon Oil Corporation issued a press release announcing second quarter 2007 earnings. The press release is being furnished as exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits99.1 Press Release dated July 31, 2007, issued by Marathon Oil Corporation

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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.

Marathon Oil Corporation

July 31, 2007

By: Michael K. Stewart

Name: Michael K. Stewart Title: Vice President, Accounting and Controller

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Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release dated July 31, 2007, announcing Marathon Oil Corporation's financial results for the second quarter of 2007