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# 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): APRIL 27, 2004

# **COMMISSION FILE NUMBER 1-584**

#### FERRO CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

AN OHIO CORPORATION, IRS NO. 34-0217820

## 1000 LAKESIDE AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44114

(Address of principal executive offices)

REGISTRANT S TELEPHONE NUMBER INCLUDING AREA CODE: 216/641-8580

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## Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 27, 2004, Ferro Corporation issued a press release announcing our financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2004 and a conference call on April 27, 2004 at 11 a.m. eastern time. A copy of this release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1

#### **Signatures**

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

/s/ Hector R. Ortino

Signature

Hector R. Ortino

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Title

/s/ Thomas M. Gannon

Signature

Thomas M. Gannon

Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Title

April 27, 2004

Date

#### **Exhibit Index**

Exhibit No Description

99.1 Press Release of Ferro Corporation dated

April 27, 2004.

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