

XCEL ENERGY INC
Form 8-K
June 19, 2006

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) **June 19, 2006**

Xcel Energy Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Minnesota

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-3034
(Commission File Number)

414 Nicollet Mall, Minneapolis, MN
(Address of principal executive offices)

41-0448030
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

55401
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **612-330-5500**

(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 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On June 20-22, 2006, Xcel Energy plans to host a series of meetings with investors in Minneapolis and on the West Coast. At these meetings, Xcel Energy will reaffirm 2006 earnings from continuing operations guidance of \$1.25 to \$1.35 per share. For more information, see the attached investor presentations.

See additional information in the presentation furnished as an exhibit in Item 9.01.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibit

| Exhibit No. | Description |
|--------------------|---|
| 99.01 | West Coast Investor Meeting Presentation. |
| 99.02 | Environmental Leadership Strategy |
| 99.03 | CapX 2020 Transmission Plan: Realizing the Vision |

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.

Xcel Energy Inc.
(a Minnesota Corporation)

/s/ BENJAMIN G.S. FOWKE III
Benjamin G.S. Fowke III
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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