# **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

# August 6, 2020

|   | Date o  | of report (date of earliest ev   | vent reported)   |                    |
|---|---|--|--|--------------------|
| Commission  | Name of Registrant, State of Incorporation, Address                       |  | orporation, Address  | IRS Employer       |
| File No.  | of Principal  | <b>Executive Offices,</b>  | and Telephone No.  | Identification No  |
| 000-49965   |   | MGE Energy,  | Inc  | 39-2040501         |
|   |   | a Wisconsin Corpor   |  |                    |
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| <ul><li>☐ Soliciting material p</li><li>☐ Pre-commencemen</li></ul> | ations pursuant to Rule<br>oursuant to Rule 14a-1<br>t communications pur | e 425 under the Secur<br>2 under the Exchange<br>suant to Rule 14d-2(k | rities Act (17 CFR 230.425)<br>Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)<br>O) under the Exchange Act (17<br>C) under the Exchange Act (17 |                    |
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|   | nplying with any new  | •  | trant has elected not to use the counting standards provided   |                    |
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| Securities registered pur   | suant to Section 12(b   | ) of the Act:  |  |                    |
| Title of each cla   | ISS   | Trading symbol(s)  | Name of each exchange o  | n which registered |
| Common Stock, \$1 Par Va  |   | MGEE   | The NASDAQ Sto   | •                  |

## Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 6, 2020, MGE Energy, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing its second quarter 2020 earnings. The Company is furnishing a copy of that press release as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

This combined Form 8-K is being furnished separately by the Company and Madison Gas and Electric Company. Information contained herein relating to any individual registrant has been furnished by such registrant on its own behalf. Neither registrant makes any representation as to information relating to the other registrant.

## Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (a) Financial statements of businesses acquired: None
- (b) Pro forma financial information: None
- (c) Shell company transactions: None
- (d) Exhibits.

| Exhibit No. | Description  |
|-------------|--|
| 99.1        | Press release of MGE Energy, Inc., issued on August 6, 2020.   |
|             | Cover Page Interactive Data File (the cover page XBRL tags are |
| 104         | embedded in the Inline XBRL document).                         |

## **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrants have duly caused this report to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MGE Energy, Inc.
Madison Gas and Electric Company
(Registrants)

Date: August 6, 2020 /s/ Jeffrey C. Newman

Jeffrey C. Newman Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer, Secretary and Treasurer

#### **EXHIBIT 99.1**

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## News

## **MGE Energy Reports Second-Quarter Earnings**

Madison, Wis., Aug. 6, 2020—MGE Energy, Inc. (Nasdaq: MGEE) today reported financial results for the second quarter of 2020.

MGE Energy's earnings for the second quarter of 2020 were \$18.8 million, or 53 cents per share, compared to \$15.5 million, or 45 cents per share, for the same period in the prior year.

During the second quarter of 2020, electric net income increased \$2.3 million compared to the second quarter of 2019 primarily due to Allowance for funds used during construction (AFUDC) earned from the construction of Two Creeks and Badger Hollow I and II solar generation projects and savings in operating and maintenance costs. AFUDC equity for the Two Creeks and Badger Hollow I and II solar projects increased \$1.0 million compared to the same period in the prior year.

A reduction of retail sales driven by the impacts of COVID-19 and associated governmental regulations negatively impacted electric earnings in the second quarter of 2020. Electric commercial retail sales dropped approximately 10% in the second quarter of 2020 compared to the same period in the prior year. However, some businesses shifted their workforce to a remote work environment which led to higher residential sales. Warmer weather primarily in June of 2020 also contributed to increased electric residential sales and mitigated the impact of COVID-19. Second quarter electric residential sales increased by approximately 20% compared to the second quarter of 2019.

Gas net income in the second quarter of 2020 remained relatively flat compared to the second quarter of 2019.

The situation around the COVID-19 pandemic remains fluid. We have been subject to, and are following, local, state and federal public health and safety regulations and guidance to address the pandemic. We have operated continuously throughout the pandemic and have not suffered any material disruptions in service or employment. We continue to monitor the situation and manage our response.

## MGE Energy, Inc.

(In thousands, except per share amounts)
(Unaudited)

| Three Months Ended June 30,                             | 2020      | 2019      |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| Operating revenue                                       | \$117,040 | \$122,147 |
| Operating income  | \$21,520  | \$19,783  |
| Net income  | \$18,791  | \$15,548  |
| Earnings per share (basic and diluted)                  | \$0.53    | \$0.45    |
| Weighted average shares outstanding (basic and diluted) | 35,441    | 34,668    |
| Six Months Ended June 30,                               | 2020      | 2019      |
| Operating revenue                                       | \$266,913 | \$289,716 |
| Operating income  | \$52,960  | \$50,293  |
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| Net income  | \$44,828  | \$39,554  |
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## **About MGE Energy**

MGE Energy is a public utility holding company. Its principal subsidiary, Madison Gas and Electric, generates and distributes electricity to 155,000 customers in Dane County, Wis., and purchases and distributes natural gas to 163,000 customers in seven south-central and western Wisconsin counties. MGE's roots in the Madison area date back more than 150 years.

## **Forward-looking Statements**

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, as amended. Such statements include the risks and uncertainties related to the COVID-19 pandemic. Such forward-looking statements are based on MGE Energy's current expectations, estimates and assumptions regarding future events, which are inherently uncertain. We caution you not to place undue reliance on any forward-looking statements, which are made as of the date of this press release. We undertake no obligation to revise or update publicly any such forward-looking statements to reflect any change in expectations or in events, conditions or circumstances on which any such statements may be based. For a further description of the risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ from those expressed in these forward-looking statements, as well as risks relating to our business in general, please refer to the "Risk Factors" sections in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2019 and our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q during the three and six months ended June 30, 2020, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.