LITHIA MOTORS INC Form 8-K June 22, 2011

### 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: June 21, 2011 (Date of earliest event reported)

Lithia Motors, Inc.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)
OR
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation) 001-14733
(Commission File Number) 93-0572810
(IRS Employer
Identification Number)
360 E. Jackson Street, Medford, OR
(Address of principal executive offices) 97501
(Zip Code)
541-776-6401
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)
Not Applicable
(Former Name or Former Address, if changed since last report)

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

# Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

On June 21, 2011, Lithia Motors, Inc., an Oregon corporation, announced that senior management will present at the Jefferies Global Consumer Conference on June 23, 2011 in Nantucket, Massachusetts. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(a) Financial statements:

None

(b) Pro forma financial information:

None

(c) Shell company transactions:

None

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release of Lithia Motors, Inc. dated June 21, 2011

# **SIGNATURE**

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.

Dated: June 21, 2011 **LITHIA MOTORS, INC.** 

By: <u>/s/ Chris Holzshu</u>

Chris Holzshu

Chief Financial Officer

Exhibit Index Exhibit No. Description 99.1 Press Release of Lithia Motors, Inc. dated June 21, 2011