

SONOSITE INC  
Form 8-K  
June 11, 2010

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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

June 11, 2010  
Date of Report  
(Date of Earliest Event Reported)

SONOSITE, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

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| Washington<br>(State or Other<br>Jurisdiction of Incorporation) | 0-23791<br>(Commission<br>File No.) | 91-1405022<br>(IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |
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21919 30th Drive S.E., Bothell, Washington 98021-3904  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(425) 951-1200  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

None  
(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:

- Written communication pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e4(c))
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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On June 11, 2011, SonoSite, Inc. issued a press release announcing a stock repurchase program under which the company may purchase up to \$50 million of its common stock over the next twelve months. A copy of this press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated into this current report by reference.

SIGNATURE

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

SONOSITE, INC.

Dated: June 11, 2010

By: /s/ MICHAEL J. SCHUH  
Michael J. Schuh  
Chief Financial Officer