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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: <u>November 23, 2015</u> (Date of earliest event reported)

THE YORK WATER COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

PENNSYLVANIA 001-34245 23-1242500 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

130 EAST MARKET STREET
YORK, PENNSYLVANIA
(Address of principal executive offices)

17401
(Zip Code)

(717) 845-3601

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

THE YORK WATER COMPANY DECLARES A DIVIDEND FOR THE 200TH CONSECUTIVE YEAR ANNOUNCES AN INCREASED 580th DIVIDEND CONTINUES THE AMERICAN DIVIDEND RECORD

York, Pennsylvania, November 24, 2015: The York Water Company's (NASDAQ:YORW) President and CEO, Jeffrey R. Hines, announced today that the Board of Directors at their November 23rd meeting declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.1555 per share, an increase of 4.0%. The dividend is payable January 15, 2016 to shareholders as of record date December 31, 2015.

According to President Hines: "The York Water Company has now declared dividends for 200 consecutive years which is a remarkable feat in this great nation founded on the principles of free enterprise. When a group of local business leaders gathered to issue the first shares of stock in 1816, and then paid dividends every year since then, they started a record that is unsurpassed for a publicly traded company in America. Even in 1863, when the City of York was occupied by an invading army, York Water's Board of Directors maintained its dividend record intact."

This is the 580th consecutive dividend to be paid by The York Water Company and is the nineteenth consecutive year that the Company has increased its dividend. York Water is believed to have the longest record of consecutive dividends in America.

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

THE YORK WATER COMPANY

/s/Kathleen M. Miller

Date: November 24, 2015 Kathleen M. Miller Chief Financial Officer