

Texas Roadhouse, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
May 18, 2012

**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 (Date of earliest event reported) **May 17, 2012**

**TEXAS ROADHOUSE, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-50972**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**20-1083890**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**6040 Dutchmans Lane, Louisville, KY**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**40205**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **(502) 426-9984**

**N/A**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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### ITEM 5.07. SUBMISSION OF MATTERS TO A VOTE OF SECURITY HOLDERS

On May 17, 2012, Texas Roadhouse, Inc. (the Company) held its Annual Meeting of Stockholders. The matters voted on by stockholders and the voting results are as follows:

A. Election of directors. All nominees for the Company's Board of Directors were elected.

| Name           | For        | Withheld  | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|----------------|------------|-----------|---------|------------------|
| Martin T. Hart | 58,816,389 | 1,315,632 |         | 4,359,318        |
| W. Kent Taylor | 58,893,088 | 1,238,933 |         | 4,359,318        |

B. Ratification of the audit committee's selection of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent auditors for the fiscal year 2012. The selection of KPMG LLP was ratified.

| For        | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|---------|---------|------------------|
| 64,159,746 | 327,047 | 4,546   |                  |

C. Advisory Vote on Executive Compensation. The compensation of the named executive officer was approved, on an advisory basis.

| For        | Against   | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|-----------|---------|------------------|
| 55,028,947 | 5,040,966 | 62,108  | 4,359,318        |

### ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS

On May 18, 2012, the Company announced its second quarter 2012 cash dividend. The public announcement was made by means of a news release, the text of which is set forth at Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

### ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) EXHIBITS

99.1

Press Release dated May 18, 2012.



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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 thereunto duly authorized.

TEXAS ROADHOUSE, INC.

Date: May 18, 2012

By:

/s/ Scott M. Colosi  
Scott M. Colosi  
President

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

**Exhibit No.**

99.1 Press Release issued by the Company on May 18, 2012