FLOWERS FOODS INC Form 8-K May 24, 2012

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 24, 2012

FLOWERS FOODS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Georgia (State or other jurisdiction

1-16247 (Commission 58-2582379 (IRS Employer

 $of\ incorporation)$

File Number)

Identification No.)

1919 Flowers Circle, Thomasville, GA (Address of principal executive offices)

31757 (Zip Code)

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Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (229) 226-9110

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 24, 2012, Flowers Foods, Inc. issued a press release (i) announcing its financial condition and results of operations as of and for the first quarter ended April 21, 2012 and (ii) updating guidance for fiscal 2012. A copy of the press release is furnished with this Report as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release of Flowers Foods, Inc. dated May 24, 2012

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 hereunto duly authorized.

FLOWERS FOODS, INC.

By: /s/ R. Steve Kinsey Name: R. Steve Kinsey

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

Date: May 24, 2012

EXHIBIT INDEX

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