## **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

**WASHINGTON, DC 20509** 

### 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) December 6, 2024

# Tejon Ranch Co. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-07183 (Commission File Number)

77-0196136 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

P. O. Box 1000, Lebec, California (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

93243 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code 661-248-3000

Not applicable

	(Former Nam	ie or Former Address, if Changed Since Last R	eport)
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	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)		
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Seci	urities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:		
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# Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On December 6, 2024, Allen E. Lyda, Executive Vice President, Chief Operating Officer, Assistant Secretary and Assistant Treasurer, notified Tejon Ranch Co. (the "Company") that he will retire effective March 1, 2025. Mr. Lyda has served the Company in numerous leadership roles for nearly 35 years, since first being hired in April 1990, including as Chief Financial Officer between 1999 and 2023.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

For the exhibits that are filed herewith, see the Index to Exhibits immediately following.

### INDEX TO EXHIBITS

- (99.1) Letter from Allen E. Lyda, dated December 6, 2024.
- 104 Cover Page Interactive Data File (formatted as Inline XBRL and contained in Exhibit 101).

### **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.

Date: December 12, 2024 TEJON RANCH CO.

By: /S/ Michael R.W. Houston

Name: Michael R.W. Houston

Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary

December 6, 2024

Greg Bielli Chief Executive Officer and President Tejon Ranch Co. 4436 Lebec Road Tejon Ranch, CA 93243

Dear Greg,

For over 34 years, it has been a great experience to work at Tejon Ranch. It has been a wonderful opportunity to learn and be a part of a team setting the foundation for the company to continue to grow. I have enjoyed working with you, prior CEOs, and all of our team over these years.

It has been a very tough decision that my family and I have made that I will be retiring effective March 1, 2025.

I will miss working with the team but in life there is a season for everything and now it is time for me to move forward and discover new opportunities.

I want to thank the Board of Directors and you for the opportunity I have had these last several years and I wish everyone continued success.

Sincerely,

/s/Allen E. Lyda Allen E. Lyda