MARTIN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP Form 8-K October 20, 2006

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): October 20, 2006 MARTIN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS L.P.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

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(State of incorporation (Commission file number) (I.R.S. employer or organization) identification number)

4200 STONE ROAD 75662 KILGORE, TEXAS(Zip code)

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (903) 983-6200 (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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On October 20, 2006, Martin Midstream Partners L.P. (the Partnership) issued a press release announcing that on November 14, 2006 it will pay a quarterly distribution of \$0.61 per unit to its common and subordinated unitholders of record as of the close of business on October 31, 2006. A copy of the press release is furnished as an exhibit to this Current Report.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information set forth in this Item 7.01 and in the attached exhibit shall be deemed to be furnished and not be deemed to be filed for purposes of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act).

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information set forth in the attached exhibit is deemed to be furnished and not deemed to be filed for purposes of the Exchange Act.

EXHIBIT

NUMBER DESCRIPTION

99.1 Press release dated October 20, 2006.

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.

MARTIN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS L.P.

By: Martin Midstream GP LLC

Its General Partner

Date: October 20, 2006 By: /s/ Ruben S. Martin

Ruben S. Martin,

President and Chief Executive Officer

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