

HICKORY TECH CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 07, 2003

**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): **March 7, 2003**

**HICKORY TECH CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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<b>Minnesota</b>	<b>0-13721</b>	<b>41-1524393</b>
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification Number)

<b>221 East Hickory Street, P.O. Box 3248, Mankato, MN</b>	<b>56002-3248</b>
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number including area code	<b>(800) 326-5789</b>
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ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS.

On March 7, 2003, HickoryTech Corporation mailed the following communication to shareholders, which contains the Chairman's and President's letters to the shareholders. The document is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

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, hereto duly authorized.

Date: March 7, 2003

HICKORY TECH CORPORATION

By /s/ John E. Duffy  
John E. Duffy  
Chief Executive Officer

By /s/ David A. Christensen  
David A. Christensen  
Chief Financial Officer