

# WPX ENERGY, INC.

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): January 8, 2013**

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**WPX Energy, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**1-35322**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**45-1836028**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**One Williams Center, Tulsa, Oklahoma**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**74172-0172**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: 855-979-2012**

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**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure**

References in this document to “WPX Energy,” “we,” “us,” “our,” or the “Company” refer to WPX Energy, Inc.

In connection with meetings with investors and investment analysts on January 8, 2013, WPX Energy is reaffirming (1) its 2012 production goal of 1,380 million cubic feet equivalent average per day, and (2) its expectation for 2012 adjusted EBITDAX of \$1 billion to \$1.05 billion. WPX Energy expects its 2012 capital spending to approximate \$1.5 billion, including amounts for land purchases in oil-focused properties. WPX Energy has not yet closed its books for the 2012 fiscal year and directs interested parties to the forward-looking statements set forth below.

**About WPX Energy, Inc.**

WPX Energy is an exploration and production company focused on developing its significant oil and gas reserves, particularly in the liquids-rich Piceance Basin, the Bakken and Three Forks oil shales and the Marcellus Shale. WPX also has domestic operations in the San Juan and Powder River basins, as well as a 69 percent interest in Apco Oil and Gas International. Go to <http://www.wpxenergy.com/investors/subscribe-to-email/> to join our e-mail list.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

WPX ENERGY, INC.

By: /s/ Stephen E. Brilz

Stephen E. Brilz

Vice President and Secretary

DATED: January 8, 2013