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### **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): December 6, 2005

Corning Natural Gas Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York 0-64 16-0397420

(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer

of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

330 West William Street, PO Box 58, Corning, NY 14830

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (607)936-3755

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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

On November 28, 2005, the Board of Directors appointed Robert J. Pollock as a Director and member of the Company's Audit and Nominating Committees, effective as of January 1, 2006 (to replace Donald R. Patnode, who passed away September 9, 2005). Since 2002, Mr. Pollock has worked for R.P. Valois Real Estate, Inc. in real estate sales and was previously Vice President of NE Sales (1978-1996) and a Consultant for Sales & Marketing (1996-2002) for First Marketing Company. In addition, Mr. Pollock served as the Clerk (1986-2000) for the Fall River Gas Company and a Director (1986-2000) of the Fall River Gas Appliance Company.

### **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.

Corning Natural Gas Corporation

Date: December 15, 2005 By: /s/ Thomas K. Barry

Thomas K. Barry

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

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Date: December 15, 2005 By: /s/ K. James Robinson

K. James Robinson

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer