WESCO FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K November 07, 2008

# 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): November 7, 2008 WESCO FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

DELAWARE 1-4720 95-2109453

(State or Other Jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer)
Identification No.)

301 East Colorado Boulevard, Suite 300, Pasadena, California 91101-1901

(Address of Principal Executives Offices) (Zip Code)

#### 626/585-6700

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- 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 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On November 7, 2008, registrant issued a press release containing earnings information for the quarter ended September 30, 2008. A copy of the release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The information in this report and the attached exhibit is being furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 of this Form 8-K and shall not be deemed filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933.

#### ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

99.1 Earnings release of Wesco Financial Corporation for the quarter ended September 30, 2008, dated November 7, 2008.

## **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.

## WESCO FINANCIAL CORPORATION

November 7, 2008

Date

/s/ Jeffrey L. Jacobson By: Jeffrey L. Jacobson

Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

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