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October 20, 2005

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 19, 2005

MISSION WEST PROPERTIES, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland ----- (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	Commission File Number: 1-8383	95-2635431 ----- (I.R.S. Employer Identification)
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10050 Bandley Drive, Cupertino, CA 95014
(Address of principal executive offices)

(408) 725-0700
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.

(a) The following information is being furnished by the Company as required for Item 2.02(a) of this report and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934:

On October 19, 2005, the Company issued a press release announcing its earnings results for the quarter ended September 30, 2005. The press release is attached to this Current Report as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference in response to Item 2.02(a) of this report.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be filed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

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MISSION WEST PROPERTIES, INC.

Date: October 20, 2005

By: /s/ Wayne N. Pham

Wayne N. Pham
Vice President of Finance and Controller

EXHIBIT 99.1

PRESS RELEASE

For Immediate News Release
October 19, 2005

MISSION WEST PROPERTIES ANNOUNCES THIRD QUARTER 2005 OPERATING RESULTS

"We build the buildings for the high tech companies that build the internet"

Cupertino, CA - Mission West Properties, Inc. (AMEX/PCX: MSW) reported today that Funds From Operations ("FFO") for the quarter ended September 30, 2005 was \$18,528,000 or \$0.18 per diluted common share (considering the potential effect of all O.P. units being exchanged for shares of the Company's common stock) as compared to \$24,519,000 or \$0.23 per diluted common share for the same period in 2004. On a sequential quarter basis, FFO per diluted common share decreased \$0.02 compared to the previous quarter ended June 30, 2005. Settlements of former tenant breach of lease and termination fees accounted for approximately \$0.02 per diluted share in the second quarter 2005. For the nine months ended September 30, 2005, FFO decreased to \$59,977,000 or \$0.57 per diluted share from FFO of \$80,338,000 or \$0.77 per diluted share for the same period in 2004.

Net income to common stockholders per diluted share was \$0.13 for the quarter ended September 30, 2005 compared to \$0.18 for the same period in 2004, a per share decrease of approximately 27.8%. For the nine months ended September 30, 2005, net income to common stockholders per diluted share was \$0.41, down from \$0.58 one year ago, a per share decrease of approximately 29.3%.

FINANCING ACTIVITY

In July 2005, the Company obtained a \$125 million secured fully amortizing 20 year mortgage loan from Allianz Life Insurance Company of North America that bears annual fixed interest rate of 5.22%. The mortgage loan is secured by eight properties. The Company paid approximately \$838,000 in loan fees and financing costs and used the proceeds to primarily pay off short-term debt and the Berg Group line of credit.

DISPOSITION ACTIVITY

In October 2005, the Company completed the sale of a 239,000 rentable square foot R&D property at 800 Embedded Way, San Jose, California. A gain of approximately \$0.8 million will be realized on the total sales price of \$15.1 million.

COMPANY PROFILE

Mission West Properties, Inc. operates as a self-managed, self-administered and

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fully integrated REIT engaged in the management, leasing, marketing, development and acquisition of commercial R&D properties, primarily located in the Silicon Valley portion of the San Francisco Bay Area. Currently, the Company manages 107 properties totaling approximately 7.8 million square feet. For additional information, please contact Investor Relations at 408-725-0700.

The matters described herein contain forward-looking statements. Such statements can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "will", "anticipate", "estimate", "expect", "intends", or similar words. Forward-looking statements involve a number of risks, uncertainties or other factors beyond the Company's control, which may cause material differences in actual results, performance or other expectations. These factors include, but are not limited to, the ability to complete acquisitions under the Berg Land Holdings Option Agreement with the Berg Group and other factors detailed in the Company's registration statements, and periodic filings with the Securities & Exchange Commission.

MISSION WEST PROPERTIES, INC. SELECTED FINANCIAL DATA

(In thousands, except share, per share and property data amounts)

	Three Months Ended Sept 30, 2005	Three Months Ended Sept 30, 2004	Nine Mon Ended Sept 30,
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REVENUES:			
Rental revenue from real estate	\$24,692 (1)	\$29,494 (1)	\$76,04
Tenant reimbursements	4,031	3,740	11,25
Other income, including lease terminations, settlements and interest	426	396	3,01
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Total revenues	29,149	33,630	90,31
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EXPENSES:			
Operating expenses	2,497	2,246	6,63
Real estate taxes	2,804	2,559	7,46
Interest	5,494	4,468	16,04
Interest (related parties)	229	256	77
General and administrative	424	395	1,54
Depreciation and amortization of real estate	5,268 (2)	5,269 (2)	16,00
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Total expenses	16,716	15,193	48,47
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Income before equity in earnings of unconsolidated joint venture and minority interests	12,433	18,437	41,84
Equity in earnings of unconsolidated joint venture	291	345	67
Minority interests	(10,551)	(15,590)	(35,17)
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Income from continuing operations	2,173	3,192	7,34
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Discontinued operations, net of minority interests:			

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Gain from disposal of discontinued operations	291	-	30
(Loss)/income from discontinued operations	(13)	(19)	(9)
Income from discontinued operations	278	(19)	20
Net income to common stockholders	\$2,451	\$3,173	\$7,55
Net income to minority interests	\$11,541	\$15,488	\$35,82
Income per share from continuing operations:			
Basic	\$0.12	\$0.18	\$0.4
Diluted	\$0.12	\$0.18	\$0.4
Income per share from discontinued operations:			
Basic	\$0.01	-	\$0.0
Diluted	\$0.01	-	\$0.0
Net income per share to common stockholders:			
Basic	\$0.13	\$0.18	\$0.4
Diluted	\$0.13	\$0.18	\$0.4
Weighted average shares of common stock (basic)	18,356,278	18,071,484	18,242
Weighted average shares of common stock (diluted)	18,407,891	18,098,174	18,289
Weighted average O.P. units outstanding	86,169,195	86,410,402	86,254
FUNDS FROM OPERATIONS			
Funds from operations	\$18,528	\$24,519	\$59,97
Funds from operations per share (3)	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.23	\$ 0.5
Outstanding common stock	18,367,691	18,077,191	18,367
Outstanding O.P. units	86,169,195	86,404,695	86,169
Weighted average O.P. units and common stock outstanding (diluted)	104,577,086	104,508,576	104,544
FUNDS FROM OPERATIONS CALCULATION	Three Months Ended Sept 30, 2005	Three Months Ended Sept 30, 2004	Nine Months Ended Sept 30,
Net income	\$ 2,451	\$ 3,173	\$ 7,55
Add:			
Minority interests (4)	11,414	15,377	35,44
Depreciation and amortization of real estate from continuing operations	5,721	5,592	17,30
Depreciation and amortization of real estate from discontinued operations	77	159	31
Depreciation & amortization of real estate			

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held in	210	218	77
unconsolidated joint venture			
Less:			
Gain on sale of real estate	(1,345)	-	(1,40)
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Funds from operations	\$18,528	\$24,519	\$59,97
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Funds From Operations ("FFO") is a non-GAAP financial measurement used by real estate investment trusts ("REITs") to measure and compare operating performance. As defined by NAREIT, FFO represents net income (loss) before minority interest of unit holders (computed in accordance with GAAP, accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America), excluding gains (or losses) from debt restructuring and sales of property, plus real estate related depreciation and amortization (excluding amortization of deferred financing costs and depreciation of non-real estate assets) and after adjustments for unconsolidated partnerships and joint ventures. Management considers FFO to be an appropriate supplemental measure of the Company's operating and financial performance because when compared year over year, it reflects the impact to operations from trends in occupancy rates, rental rates, operating costs, general and administrative expenses and interest costs, providing a perspective not immediately apparent from net income. In addition, management believes that FFO provides useful information about the Company's financial performance when compared to other REITs since FFO is generally recognized as the industry standard for reporting the operations of REITs. FFO should not be considered as an alternative for net income as a measure of profitability or is it comparable to cash flows provided by operating activities determined in accordance with GAAP. FFO is not comparable to similarly entitled items reported by other REITs that do not define them exactly as we define FFO.

PROPERTY AND OTHER DATA:	Three Months Ended Sept 30, 2005	Three Months Ended Sept 30, 2004	Nine Mont Ended Sept 30, 2
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Total properties, end of period	107	109	
Total square feet, end of period	7,780,082	7,917,262	7,780,
Average monthly rental revenue per square foot (5)	\$1.57	\$1.81	\$1
Average occupancy	67.5%	69.2%	6
Actual occupancy	67.5%	69.0%	6
Straight-line rent	(\$ 99)	\$289	\$
Leasing commissions	\$ 37	\$216	\$3,
Capital expenditures	\$234	\$ 1	\$

BALANCE SHEET	September 30, 2005	December 31, 2004
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Assets:		
Land	\$ 273,933	\$ 273,663
Buildings and improvements	766,209	770,757
Real estate related intangible assets	17,410	18,284
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Total investments in properties	1,057,552	1,062,704

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Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	(124,670)	(110,062)
Assets held for sale, net of accumulated depreciation of \$1,770 and \$1,578 at 9/30/05 and 12/31/04, respectively	14,245	8,221
Net investments in properties	947,127	960,863
Cash and cash equivalents	40,443	1,519
Restricted cash	1,551	1,551
Deferred rent receivable	19,302	18,511
Investment in unconsolidated joint venture	3,472	3,559
Other assets	24,812	19,653
Total assets	\$1,036,707	\$1,005,656
Liabilities:		
Mortgage notes payable	\$ 359,891	\$ 292,822
Mortgage notes payable - related parties	10,146	10,420
Line of credit - related parties	-	9,560
Revolving line of credit	-	24,208
Interest payable	327	327
Security deposits	8,434	8,544
Deferred rental income	11,691	11,038
Liabilities related to assets held for sale	80	14
Dividend/distribution payable	16,727	16,718
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	10,971	6,704
Total liabilities	418,267	380,355
Minority interests	503,769	512,089
Stockholders' equity:		
Common stock, \$.001 par value	18	18
Paid in capital	137,217	134,539
Accumulated deficit	(22,564)	(21,345)
Total stockholders' equity	114,671	113,212
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$1,036,707	\$1,005,656

- (1) Includes approximately \$472 in amortization expense for the three months ended September 30, 2005 and 2004 and approximately \$1,416 in amortization expense for the nine months ended September 30, 2005 and 2004 for the amortization of the above-market lease intangible asset of the San Tomas Technology Park acquisition pursuant to Statement of Financial Accounting Standard No. 141, "Business Combinations."
- (2) Includes approximately \$321 and \$440 in amortization expense for the three months ended September 30, 2005 and 2004, respectively, and approximately \$1,122 and \$1,732 in amortization expense for the nine months ended September 30, 2005 and 2004, respectively, for the amortization of in-place lease value of the San Tomas Technology Park acquisition pursuant to Statement of Financial Accounting Standard No. 141, "Business Combinations."
- (3) Calculated on a fully diluted basis. Assumes conversion of O.P. units outstanding into the Company's common stock.

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- (4) The minority interest for third parties has been deducted from total minority interest in calculating FFO.
- (5) Average monthly rental revenue per square foot has been determined by taking the cash base rent for the period divided by the number of months in the period, and then divided by the average occupied square feet in the period.