

AQUA AMERICA INC  
Form 8-K  
May 11, 2012

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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):

May 10, 2012

**Aqua America, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania

001-06659

23-1702594

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

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

762 West Lancaster Avenue, Bryn Mawr,  
Pennsylvania

19010-3489

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

610-527-8000

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

In accordance with Aqua America, Inc.'s Corporate Governance Guidelines, which establish age 72 as the normal retirement age for directors, on May 10, 2012, Mary C. Carroll, a member of the Board of Directors of Aqua America, Inc. (the "Company") since 1981, submitted her resignation from the Board of Directors and Committees of the Board effective June 5, 2012, the date of her 72nd birthday. In view of Ms. Carroll's long and valuable service to the Company's Board of Directors, including serving as a member of the Corporate Governance Committee since 1981, and in order to facilitate a smooth transition of her responsibilities, the Board of Directors requested, and Ms. Carroll agreed, that she continue to serve as a member of the Board of Directors and member of the Corporate Governance Committee until the Company's 2013 Annual Meeting of Shareholders.

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**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.

*May 11, 2012*

Aqua America, Inc.

By: *Christopher P. Luning*

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*Name: Christopher P. Luning*

*Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary*