

BOYD GAMING CORP  
Form 8-K  
November 12, 2002

**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: November 12, 2002

BOYD GAMING CORPORATION  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Nevada  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation or Organization)

1-12168  
(Commission File Number)

88-0242733  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

2950 Industrial Road  
Las Vegas, Nevada 89109  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(702) 792-7200  
(Registrant's telephone number,  
including area code)

**Item 5. Other Events.**

On November 11, 2002, the Registrant announced that its Board of Directors authorized the repurchase of up to 2,000,000 shares of the Company's common stock. The Registrant may repurchase its common stock from time to time in compliance with applicable corporate securities law requirements and subject to market conditions and other factors.

The information set forth in the Registrant's press release dated November 11, 2002 is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Text of Press Release dated November 11, 2002.

**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.

BOYD GAMING CORPORATION

Date: November 12, 2002

By: /s/ ELLIS LANDAU

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Ellis Landau  
Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer  
and Treasurer

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**Exhibit**

**Description**

99.1 Text of Press Release dated November 11, 2002