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Form 8-K
April 07, 2003

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): APRIL 7, 2003

NATURAL RESOURCE PARTNERS L.P.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation or organization)

001-31465
(Commission File
Number)

35-216
(I.R.S. E
Identifica

601 JEFFERSON, SUITE 3600
HOUSTON, TEXAS
(Address of principal executive offices)

770
(Zip

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (713) 751-7507

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS.

On April 7, 2003, Natural Resource Partners L.P. issued a press release that is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to, and incorporated by reference in, this Form 8-K. The press release relates to the company's amendment of its existing credit facility to increase the borrowing capacity under that facility from \$100 million to \$175 million.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release issued April 7, 2003

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as

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amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

NATURAL RESOURCE PARTNERS L.P.
(Registrant)

By: NRP (GP) LP
its General Partner

By: GP Natural Resource Partners LLC
its General Partner

/s/ Charles H. Kerr

Charles H. Kerr
Secretary

Dated: April 7, 2003

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