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, 2024

001-15663

American Realty Investors, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada	001-15663			75-2847135
(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation or organization)	(Commission File Number)			(IRS Employer Identification Number)
1603 LBJ Freeway,	Suite 800	Dallas	TX	75234
(Address of principal exe	ecutive offices)			(Zip Code)
Registrar	(469) 5 nt's Telephone N	22-4200 umber, inclu	ding area co	ode
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Section 2 – Financial Information

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On November 7, 2024, American Realty Investors, Inc. ("ARL" or the "Company") announced its operational results for the quarter ended September 30, 2024. A copy of the announcement is attached as Exhibit "99.1."

The information furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 in this Form 8-K, including Exhibit "99.1" attached hereto, shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, unless we specifically incorporate it by reference in a document filed under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. We undertake no duty or obligation to publicly update or revise the information furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Section 9 – Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is furnished with this Report:

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1*	Press release dated November 7, 2024

^{*} Furnished herewith

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

AMERICAN REALTY INVESTORS, INC.

Dated: November 7, 2024 By: /s/ ERIK L. JOHNSON

Erik L. Johnson

President and Chief Executive Officer

NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

American Realty Investors, Inc. reports Earnings for Q3 2024

DALLAS (November 7, 2024) -- American Realty Investors, Inc. (NYSE:ARL) is reporting its results of operations for the three months ended September 30, 2024. For the three months ended September 30, 2024, we reported net income attributable to common shares of \$17.5 million or \$1.08 per diluted share, compared to net income attributable to common shares of \$3.0 million or \$0.18 per diluted share for the same period in 2023.

Financial Highlights

- Total occupancy was 79% at September 30, 2024, which includes 95% at our multifamily properties and 48% at our commercial properties.
- On July 10, 2024, we replaced the existing loan on Forest Grove with a \$6.6 million loan that bears interest at SOFR plus 1.85% and matures on August 1, 2031.
- On October 18, 2024, we completed a 45,000 square foot lease at Stanford Center. This is the first new lease at the property following our major renovation of the property. The new lease provides a 14% increase in occupancy to the property and a 20% increase in rent per square foot over recent expired leases at the property. The lease is expected to commence in April 2025.
- On October 21, 2024, we obtained a \$27.5 million construction loan to finance the development of a 234 unit multifamily property in Dallas, Texas ("Mountain Creek") that is expected to be completed in 2026 for a total cost of approximately \$49.8 million. The construction loan on Mountain Creek bears interest at SOFR plus 3.45% and matures on October 20, 2026.
- On October 31, 2024, we paid \$23.4 million to resolve all claims litigation with David Clapper and related entities related (collectively, the "Clapper") that had been ongoing since 1999. The matter originally involved a transaction in 1998 in which we were to acquire eight multifamily properties from the Clapper. As a result of the settlement, we accrued a loss on real estate transactions of \$23.4 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024.

Financial Results

Rental revenues decreased \$0.8 million from \$11.8 million for the three months ended September 30, 2023 to \$11.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2024. The decrease in rental revenue is primarily due to a decrease in occupancy at our commercial properties. We expect occupancy to improve in the fourth quarter due to our recently completed 45,000 square foot lease at Stanford Center.

Net operating loss was \$2.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2023 and September 30, 2024. Our decrease in revenue was offset by a decrease in operating expenses, including a decrease in general and administrative expenses.

Net income attributable to common shares decreased \$20.4 million from net income of \$3.0 million for the three months ended September 30, 2023 to a net loss of \$17.5 million for the three months ended September 30, 2024. The decrease in net income is primarily attributed to our accrual of the \$23.4 million Clapper Settlement in 2024.

About American Realty Investors, Inc.

American Realty Investors, Inc., a Dallas-based real estate investment company, holds a diverse portfolio of equity real estate located across the U.S., including office buildings, apartments, shopping centers, and developed and undeveloped land. The Company invests in real estate through direct ownership, leases and partnerships and invests in mortgage loans on real estate. The Company also holds mortgage receivables. The Company's primary asset and source of its operating results is its investment in Transcontinental Realty Investors, Inc. (NYSE:TCI). For more information, visit the Company's website at www.americanrealtyinvest.com.

AMERICAN REALTY INVESTORS, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts) (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended September 30,				Nine Months Ended September 30,				
	2024			2023		2024		2023	
Revenues:									
Rental revenues	\$	11,074	\$	11,838	\$	33,541	\$	34,236	
Other income		533		688		1,738		2,217	
Total revenue		11,607		12,526		35,279		36,453	
Expenses:									
Property operating expenses		6,989		7,443		20,247		20,580	
Depreciation and amortization		3,120		3,313		9,429		9,615	
General and administrative		1,590		1,579		4,550		8,424	
Advisory fee to related party		1,971		2,295		5,910		6,883	
Total operating expenses		13,670		14,630		40,136		45,502	
Net operating loss		(2,063)		(2,104)		(4,857)		(9,049)	
Interest income		5,506		9,008		16,033		25,201	
Interest expense		(2,123)		(1,954)		(5,958)		(7,574)	
Gain on foreign currency transactions		_		_		_		993	
Loss on early extinguishment of debt		_		_		_		(1,710)	
Equity in income from unconsolidated joint ventures		423		234		1,407		2,946	
(Loss) gain on real estate transactions		(23,400)		(32)		(23,400)		156	
Income tax provision		4,641		(1,127)		3,552		(2,416)	
Net (loss) income		(17,016)		4,025		(13,223)		8,547	
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest		(444)		(1,037)		(1,319)		(2,456)	
Net (loss) income attributable to common shares	\$	(17,460)	\$	2,988	\$	(14,542)	\$	6,091	
Earnings per share									
Basic and diluted	\$	(1.08)	\$	0.18	\$	(0.90)	\$	0.38	
Weighted average common shares used in computing earnings per share									
Basic and diluted	16	,152,043	16	5,152,043	16	5,152,043	16	,152,043	