## 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): August 31, 2024

# GALERA THERAPEUTICS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 001-39114 (Commission File Number) 46-1454898 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

45 Liberty Blvd #230 Malvern, PA 19355

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(610) 725-1500

(Registrant's telephone number, include area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

□ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

□ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	GRTX	OTC Pink Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

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If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

#### Item 3.01 Notice of Delisting or Failure to Satisfy a Continued Listing Rule or Standard; Transfer of Listing..

On August 31, 2024, Galera Therapeutics, Inc. (the "Company") was notified that The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC ("Nasdaq") will delist the Company's common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Common Stock"), by filing a Form 25 with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on September 4, 2024 in accordance with Rule 12d2-2 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The delisting is expected to become effective ten days after the filing of the Form 25.

As previously disclosed, the Common Stock was suspended from trading on The Nasdaq Global Market effective at the open of trading on June 4, 2024, as a result of the Company's failure to regain compliance with the requirements to maintain a minimum average market value of listed securities, as set forth in Nasdaq Listing Rule 5450(b)(2)(A), the minimum bid price requirement, as set forth in Nasdaq Listing Rule 5450(a)(1), and the minimum market value of publicly held shares, as set forth in Listing Rule 5450(b)(2)(C). The Company has since been quoted on the OTC Pink Market under the symbol "GRTX."

#### CAUTIONARY NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This Current Report on Form 8-K ("Form 8-K") contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. All statements contained in this Form 8-K that do not relate to matters of historical fact should be considered forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to, statements regarding the timing of the delisting of the Company's Common Stockt. Actual results and the timing of events could differ materially from those anticipated in such forward-looking statements as a result of risks, uncertainties and other important factors, including those factors discussed under the caption "Risk Factors" in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2023, as updated by the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2024, in each case as filed with the SEC, could cause actual results to differ materially from those indicated by the forward-looking statements made in this Form 8-K. Any forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of this Form 8-K and are based on information available to the Company as of the date of this Form 8-K, and the Company assumes no obligation to, and does not intend to, update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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.

Date: September 4, 2024

### GALERA THERAPEUTICS, INC.

By: /s/ J. Mel Sorensen, M.D.

J. Mel Sorensen, M.D. President and Chief Executive Officer