NOVAGOLD RESOURCES INC Form 6-K July 11, 2012

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 6-K

#### REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of July, 2012

Commission File Number: 001-31913

## **NOVAGOLD RESOURCES INC.**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Suite 2300 – 200 Granville Street, PO Box 24 <u>Vancouver, BC Canada V6C 1S4</u> (Address of principal executive offices)

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### SUBMITTED HEREWITH

**Exhibits** 

<u>99.1</u>

News Release dated July 11, 2012

### **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, thereunto duly authorized.

**NovaGold Resources Inc.** (Registrant)

Date: July 11, 2012

By: /s/ Elaine Sanders Elaine Sanders

Title: Officer