

NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORP
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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14A

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Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Shareowner Meeting to Be Held on January 24, 2018.

NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORPORATION

Meeting Information

Meeting

Type: Annual

For holders as of: November 27, 2017

Date: January 24, 2018

Time: 9:30 AM ET
The Mansion at
Mountain Lakes

Location: 90 Route 46 East
Mountain Lakes, NJ
07046

Meeting Directions: Please refer to Proxy Statement

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the company named above.

*NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORPORATION
1415 WYCKOFF ROAD
WALL, NJ 07719*

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at www.proxyvote.com, scan the QR Barcode on the reverse side, or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.

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Before You Vote

How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:

NOTICE AND PROXY
STATEMENT ANNUAL REPORT

How to View Online:

Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow (located on the following page) and visit: www.proxyvote.com, or scan the QR Barcode below.

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Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to this e-mail address will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor. Please make the request as instructed above on or before January 10, 2018 to facilitate timely delivery.

How To Vote

Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

Vote In Person: Many shareowner meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting, you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

Vote By Internet: Go to www.proxyvote.com or from a smart phone, scan the QR Barcode above. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow (located on the following page) available and follow the instructions.

Vote By Mail: You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

Shareholder Meeting Registration: To vote and/or attend the meeting, go to the “Register for Meeting” link at www.proxyvote.com.

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Voting Items

The Board of Directors recommends
A that you vote FOR all the nominees listed:

- Election of the following Directors that were named in the proxy statement;
1. two of them for terms expiring in 2019 and four of them for terms expiring in 2021.

Nominees:

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| 01)Maureen A. Borkowski (term expiring 2019) | 04)M. William Howard (term expiring 2021) |
| 02)Thomas C. O'Connor (term expiring 2019) | 05)J. Terry Strange (term expiring 2021) |
| 03)Donald L. Correll (term expiring 2021) | 06)George R. Zoffinger (term expiring 2021) |

B The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposal:

2. To approve a non-binding advisory resolution approving the compensation of our named executive officers.

C The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposal:

3. To ratify the appointment by the Audit Committee of Deloitte & Touche LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2018.

NOTE: Such other business that may properly be brought before the meeting or any adjournments or postponements thereof.

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