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Voting Items 1k. Eric K. Yeaman 1d. Phyllis J. Campbell 1e. Raymond L. Conner 1a. Patricia M. Bedient 1b. James A. Beer 1f. Dhiren R. Fonseca 1c. Marion C. Blakey 1g. Susan J. Li 1i. J. Kenneth Thompson 1h. Helvi K. Sandvik 1j. Bradley D. Tilden 2. Approve (on an advisory basis) the compensation of the Company's Named Executive Officers. 3. Ratification of the appointment of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accountants for the fiscal year 2019. 4. Approve the Amendment of the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan. 5. Stockholder Proposal regarding the Company's disclosure of political spending. 6. Stockholder Proposal regarding changes to the Company's proxy access bylaw. NOTE: Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof. 1. Election of Directors to One-Year Terms Nominees: The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR all the nominees listed, a vote FOR Proposals 2, 3 and 4, and a vote AGAINST Proposals 5 and 6. E63546-P17129

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