

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14A

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NRG ENERGY, INC.

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NRG ENERGY, INC.

2021 Annual Meeting
Vote by April 28, 2021
11:59 PM ET



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You invested in NRG ENERGY, INC. and it's time to vote!

You have the right to vote on proposals being presented at the Annual Meeting. **This is an important notice regarding the availability of proxy material for the stockholder meeting to be held on April 29, 2021.**

Get informed before you vote

View the Notice and Proxy Statement and Annual Report online OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the materials by requesting prior to April 15, 2021. If you would like to request a copy of the materials for this and/or future stockholder meetings, you may (1) visit www.ProxyVote.com, (2) call 1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to sendmaterial@proxyvote.com. If sending an email, please include your control number (indicated below) in the subject line. Unless requested, you will not otherwise receive a paper or email copy.



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April 29, 2021
9:00 AM ET

Virtually at:
www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/NRG2021

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This is an overview of the proposals being presented at the upcoming stockholder meeting. Please follow the instructions on the reverse side to vote these important matters.

Voting Items	Board Recommends
1. Election of Directors Nominees:	
1a. E. Spencer Abraham	✔ For
1b. Antonio Carrillo	✔ For
1c. Matthew Carter, Jr.	✔ For
1d. Lawrence S. Coben	✔ For
1e. Heather Cox	✔ For
1f. Elisabeth B. Donohue	✔ For
1g. Mauricio Gutierrez	✔ For
1h. Paul W. Hobby	✔ For
1i. Alexandra Pruner	✔ For
1j. Anne C. Schaumburg	✔ For
1k. Thomas H. Weidemeyer	✔ For
2. To approve, on a non-binding advisory basis, the compensation of the Company's named executive officers.	✔ For
3. To ratify the appointment of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for fiscal year 2021.	✔ For

NOTE: Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

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