

KIMBERLY CLARK CORP  
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Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the  
Kimberly-Clark Annual Stockholder Meeting to be Held on May 10, 2018**

Under Securities and Exchange Commission rules, you are receiving this notice that the proxy materials for the annual stockholder meeting are available on the Internet. Follow the instructions below to view the materials and vote online or request a copy. The items to be voted on and location of the annual stockholder meeting are on the reverse side. Your vote is important!

**This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting. The proxy statement and annual report are available at:**

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## Annual Stockholder Meeting Notice

Kimberly-Clark's Annual Stockholder Meeting will be held on Thursday, May 10, 2018 at the Kimberly-Clark World Headquarters, 351 Phelps Drive, Irving, Texas, at 9:00 a.m., Central Time. Proposals to be voted on at the meeting are listed below along with the recommendations of the Board of Directors.

**Election of Directors – The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR the listed nominees (terms to expire at 2019 Annual Stockholder Meeting).**

1.	Nominees	John F. Bergstrom	James M. Jenness
		Abelardo E. Bru	Nancy J. Karch
		Robert W. Decherd	Christa S. Quarles
		Thomas J. Falk	Ian C. Read
		Fabian T. Garcia	Marc J. Shapiro
		Michael D. Hsu	Michael D. White
		Mae C. Jemison, M.D.	

**The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR Proposals 2 and 3.**

2. Ratification of Auditor
3. Advisory Vote to Approve Named Executive Officer Compensation

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## Directions to the Kimberly-Clark Annual Stockholder Meeting

### From DFW Airport:

Exit DFW Airport following the signs to Highway 114 East (North Airport Exit). Coming out of the airport, take Highway 114 East. Take the O'Connor exit. Turn right onto N. O'Connor Road and proceed to O'Connor Ridge Blvd. Turn right on O'Connor Ridge Blvd. and turn right onto Fuller Drive. Turn left onto Phelps Drive. Kimberly-Clark's World Headquarters is located on the right.

### From Love Field Airport:

Exit Love Field on Cedar Springs. Turn right on Mockingbird at the stoplight. Travel 2.2 miles on Mockingbird (go under I-35E bridge) and turn right on Highway 183 West. Highway 183 divides into 183 West and 114 West. Take the 114 West/ Grapevine exit. Travel on 114 West and take N. O'Connor Road exit. Turn left onto N. O'Connor Road and proceed to O'Connor Ridge Blvd. Turn right on O'Connor Ridge Blvd. and turn right onto Fuller Drive. Turn left onto Phelps Drive. Kimberly-Clark's World Headquarters is located on the right.

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