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BORGWARNER INC.

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BORGWARNER INC.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

Auburn Hills, Michigan  
March 23, 2007

Dear Stockholder:

BorgWarner Inc. will hold its Annual Meeting of Stockholders at the Company's headquarters located at 3850 Hamlin Road, Auburn Hills, Michigan, 48326, on April 25, 2007, at 9:00 a.m., local time, for the following purposes:

1. To elect the nominees for Class II Directors to serve for the next three years;  
**(Item 1 on the Proxy Card);**
2. To vote upon a stockholder proposal concerning director elections;  
**(Item 2 on the Proxy Card);**
3. To ratify the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as the independent registered public accounting firm for the Company for 2007; and  
**(Item 3 on the Proxy Card);** and
4. To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.

**Your Board of Directors recommend that you vote "FOR" Item 1, "FOR" Item 3 and "AGAINST" Item 2.** These proposals are described in the proxy statement that already has been sent to you. Our proxy statement and our 2006 annual report to stockholders are available online by going to [www.borgwarner.com](http://www.borgwarner.com)>investor information. You also may contact John Gasparovic, Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary, or Laurene Horiszny, Chief Compliance Officer, at (248) 754-9200 to obtain copies of our annual report and proxy statement.

Only BorgWarner stockholders of record at the close of business on March 2, 2007 are entitled to vote at the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof. **YOU MAY VOTE BY:**

- Signing and returning the accompanying proxy card
- OR
- Voting by telephone or by the Internet (see the enclosed proxy card for instructions)
- OR
- Voting in person at the meeting (if you are a stockholder of record)

Thank you for your cooperation and continued support.

BorgWarner Inc.

**This Proxy is Solicited by the Board of Directors in Connection  
With the Annual Meeting of Stockholders**

**9:00 A.M. (local time)**

**April 25, 2007**

**PLACE: BorgWarner Inc.**

**3850 Hamlin Road  
Auburn Hills, Michigan  
48326**

**PROXY:** JOHN J. GASPAROVIC and LAURENE H. HORISZNY and each of them, are hereby appointed by the undersigned as attorneys and proxies with full power of substitution, to vote all the shares of Common Stock held of record by the undersigned on March 2, 2007 at the Annual Meeting of Stockholders of BorgWarner Inc. or at any adjournment(s) of the meeting, on each of the items on the reverse side and in accordance with the directions given therein.

**THIS PROXY IS CONTINUED ON THE REVERSE SIDE  
PLEASE SIGN ON THE REVERSE SIDE AND RETURN PROMPTLY  
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IF NO CHOICE IS SPECIFIED, this Proxy will be voted "FOR" the election of all listed nominees, "AGAINST" Proposal 2 and "FOR" Proposal 3, all in accordance with the recommendations of a majority of the Board of Directors.

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| 1. Election of three Class II Directors: | <b>for</b> all nominees<br>listed (except as indicated) | <b>withhold authority</b><br>to vote for all nominees listed |
| 01 Jere A. Drummond                      | o   | o  |
| 02 Timothy M. Manganello                 |   |  |
| 03 Ernest J. Novak, Jr.                  |   |  |

(INSTRUCTION: To withhold authority to vote for any individual nominee, write that nominee's name on the space provided below.)

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| 2. To vote upon a stockholder proposal concerning director elections.  | FOR<br>o | AGAINST<br>o | ABSTAIN<br>o |
| 3. To ratify the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm for the Company for 2007. | FOR<br>o | AGAINST<br>o | ABSTAIN<br>o |
| 4. To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.           |          |              |              |

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_ 2007

Signature  
Signature if held jointly

Please sign exactly as your name appears hereon. When shares are held by joint tenants, both should sign. When signing as attorney, executor, administrator, trustee, or guardian, please give full title as such. If a corporation, please sign in full corporate name by President or other authorized officer. If a partnership, please sign in partnership name by authorized person.

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BOTH ARE AVAILABLE 24 HOURS A DAY, 7 DAYS A WEEK.**  
**Internet and telephone voting is available through 11:59 PM Eastern Time  
the day prior to annual meeting day.**

**Your Internet or telephone vote authorizes the named proxies to vote your shares in the same manner  
as if you marked, signed and returned your proxy card.**

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you access the web site.

**Telephone**

**1-866-540-5760**

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telephone to  
vote your proxy. Have your  
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**OR** card in hand when you call.

If you vote your proxy by Internet or by telephone, you do NOT need to mail back your proxy card.  
To vote by mail, mark, sign and date your proxy card and return it in the enclosed postage-paid envelope.

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**You can view the Annual Report and Proxy Statement on the internet at [www.borgwarner.com](http://www.borgwarner.com)**