

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

**SCHEDULE 14A**

**Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of the Securities  
Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. )**

Filed by the Registrant

Filed by a Party other than the Registrant

<b>Check the appropriate box:</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Preliminary Proxy Statement
<input type="checkbox"/>	CONFIDENTIAL, FOR USE OF THE COMMISSION ONLY (AS PERMITTED BY RULE 14a-6(e)(2))
<input type="checkbox"/>	Definitive Proxy Statement
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Definitive Additional Materials
<input type="checkbox"/>	Soliciting Material Under Rule 14a-12

**ESSENTIAL UTILITIES, INC.**

*(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)*

*(Name of Person(s) Filing Proxy Statement, if Other than the Registrant)*

<b>Payment of Filing Fee (Check the appropriate box):</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>No fee required.</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Fee paid previously with preliminary materials.</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Fee computed on table in exhibit required by Item 25(b) per Exchange Act Rules 14a-6(i)(1) and 0-11.</b>

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# Your **Vote** Counts!

**ESSENTIAL UTILITIES, INC.**

2023 Annual Meeting

Vote by May 02, 2023 11:59 PM ET. For shares held in a Plan, vote by April 30, 2023 11:59 PM ET.



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## You invested in ESSENTIAL UTILITIES, 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 shareholder meeting to be held on May 03, 2023.**

### Get informed before you vote

View the Notice & Proxy Statement, Annual Report, Supplement online OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the material(s) by requesting prior to April 19, 2023. If you would like to request a copy of the material(s) for this and/or future shareholder meetings, you may (1) visit [www.ProxyVote.com](http://www.ProxyVote.com), (2) call 1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to [sendmaterial@proxyvote.com](mailto: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.



For complete information and to vote, visit [www.ProxyVote.com](http://www.ProxyVote.com)

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#### Smartphone users

Point your camera here and vote without entering a control number



#### Vote Virtually at the Meeting\*

May 03, 2023  
8:00 AM EDT

Virtually at:  
[www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/WTRG2023](http://www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/WTRG2023)

\*Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance.

## THIS IS NOT A VOTABLE BALLOT

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

### SHARE CLASSES REPRESENTED FOR VOTING

THE COMPANY NAME INC. - COMMON A SDFGHJKL	123456789.1234
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS A	123456789.1234
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS B	123456789.1234
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS C	123456789.1234
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS D	123456789.1234
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS E	123456789.1234
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS F	123456789.1234
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - 401 K	123456789.1234

Voting Items	Board Recommendations
1. To elect eight nominees as directors: <b>Nominees:</b> 01) Elizabeth B. Amato                      04) Daniel J. Hilferty                      07) Ellen T. Ruff 02) David A. Ciesinski                      05) Edwina Kelly                      08) Lee C. Stewart 03) Christopher H. Franklin                      06) W. Bryan Lewis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For
2. To approve an advisory vote on the compensation paid to the Company's named executive officers for 2022.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For
3. To ratify the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the independent registered public accounting firm for the Company for the 2023 fiscal year.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For
4. To approve an advisory vote on whether the frequency of the advisory vote on compensation paid to the Company's named executive officers should be every 1, 2 or 3 years.	<input type="radio"/> 1 Year

**NOTE:** To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournments or postponements thereof.

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