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**NuVasive, Inc. Notice of Annual Meeting**

**Meeting Type:** Annual Meeting of Stockholders  
**Date:** Tuesday, May 18, 2021  
**Time:** 08:00 AM, PDT  
**Place:** Annual Meeting to be held via the Internet  
Please visit [www.proxydocs.com/NUVA](http://www.proxydocs.com/NUVA) for more details

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# NuVasive, Inc.

## Annual Meeting of Stockholders

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following Director nominees for election to the Company's Board of Directors:

1: Election of Class II Directors

Nominees:

1.01 Vickie L. Capps

1.02 John A. DeFord, Ph.D.

1.03 R. Scott Huennekens

1.04 Siddhartha C. Kadia, Ph.D.

**The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposals:**

- 2: Ratification of the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2021.
- 3: Approval of a non-binding advisory resolution regarding the compensation of the Company's named executive officers for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020.