

FRANKLIN STREET PROPERTIES CORP /MA/  
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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14A

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FRANKLIN STREET PROPERTIES CORP.

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\*\*\* Exercise Your Right to Vote \*\*\*

Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the  
Stockholder Meeting to Be Held on May 12, 2016.

Meeting Information

FRANKLIN STREET PROPERTIES CORP.

Meeting Annual Meeting  
Type:

For March 4, 2016  
holders as  
of:

Date: May 12, 2016  
Time: 11:00 a.m., EDT

Location: Four Points by Sheraton  
Wakefield Boston Hotel  
& Conference Center  
1 Audubon Road  
Wakefield, MA 01880

FRANKLIN STREET PROPERTIES CORP.

401 EDGEWATER PLACE

SUITE 200

WAKEFIELD, MA 01880

You are receiving this  
communication because you hold  
shares in the company named  
above.

This is not a ballot. You cannot  
use this notice to vote these  
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presents only an overview of the  
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are available to you on the Internet.  
You may view the proxy materials  
online at [www.proxyvote.com](http://www.proxyvote.com) or  
easily request a paper copy (see  
reverse side).

We encourage you to access and  
review all of the important  
information contained in the proxy  
materials before voting.

See the reverse side of this notice  
to obtain proxy materials and

voting instructions.

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## Before You Vote

### How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:

NOTICE AND PROXY STATEMENT      2015 ANNUAL REPORT TO STOCKHOLDERS

### How to View Online:

Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow    XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX (located on the following page) and visit: [www.proxyvote.com](http://www.proxyvote.com).

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Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to this e-mail address will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor. Please make the request as instructed above on or before April 28, 2016 to facilitate timely delivery.

## How To Vote

### Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

**Vote In Person:** Many stockholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting, you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

**Vote By Internet:** To vote now by Internet, go to [www.proxyvote.com](http://www.proxyvote.com). Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow    XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX (located on the following page) available and follow the instructions.

**Vote By Mail:** You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

Voting Items

The Board of Directors recommends that you vote FOR the following:

1. To elect two Class I Directors, each to serve for a term expiring at the 2019 annual meeting of stockholders:

Nominees:

- 01) Brian N. Hansen
- 02) Dennis J. McGillicuddy

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

2. To ratify the Audit Committee's appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2016.
3. To approve, by non-binding vote, our executive compensation.

In their discretion, the named Proxies are authorized to vote upon such other matters as may properly come before the meeting, or any adjournment thereof.

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