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Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

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| | Preliminary Proxy Statement. | | |
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| | Definitive Proxy Statement. | | |
| ~ | Definitive Additional Materials. | | |
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COLFAX CORPORATION



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Your Vote Counts!

COLFAX CORPORATION

2021 Annual Meeting Vote by May 11, 2021 11:59 PM ET

COLFAX CORPORATION 420 NATIONAL BUSINESS PARKWAY 5TH FLOOR ANNAPOLIS JUNCTION, IMD 20701



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You invested in COLFAX CORPORATION 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 materials for the stockholder meeting to be held on May 12, 2021.

Get informed before you vote

View the Notice of 2021 Annual Meeting and Proxy Statement and Annual Report on Form 10-K online OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the material(s) by requesting prior to April 28, 2021. If you would like to request a paper or email copy of the proxy material(s) for this and/or future stockholder meetings, you may (1) visit www.ProxyVote.com, (2) call 1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to 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

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Vote Virtually at the Meeting*

May 12, 2021 3:00 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time

Virtually at: www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/CFX2021

Smartphone users

Point your camera here and vote without entering a control number



^{*}The company will be hosting the meeting live via the Internet this year at the website address above. Please check the proxy materials for instructions on how to access the meeting.

THIS IS NOT A VOTABLE BALLOT

This is an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials at www.ProxyVote.com or request a paper copy. We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

| Voting Items | | |
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| 1. Election of Directors | | |
| Nominees: | | |
| 1a. Mitchell P. Rales | ⊘ For | |
| 1b. Matthew L. Trerotola | ⊘ For | |
| 1c. Patrick W. Allender | ⊘ For | |
| 1d. Thomas S. Gayner | ⊘ For | |
| 1e. Rhonda L. Jordan | ⊘ For | |
| 1f. Liam J. Kelly | ⊘ For | |
| 1g. Philip A. Okala | ⊘ For | |
| 1h. A. Clayton Perfall | ⊘ For | |
| 1i. Didier Teirlinck | ⊘ For | |
| 1j. Rajiv Vinnakota | ⊘ For | |
| 1k. Sharon Wienbar | ⊘ For | |
| To ratify the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fis ending December 31, 2021. | cal year For | |
| 3. To approve on an advisory basis the compensation of our named executive officers. | ⊘ For | |
| NOTE: I authorize the proxies to vote according to their discretion on such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof. | | |
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