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IDERA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

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Stockholder Meeting Notice

Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Idera Pharmaceuticals Inc. 2022 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be Held on June 23, 2022 at 8:00 a.m. Eastern Time.

Under Securities and Exchange Commission rules, you are receiving this notice that the proxy materials for the annual stockholders' meeting are available on the Internet. Follow the instructions below to view the materials and vote online or request a copy. The items to be voted on for the annual meeting are on the reverse side. Your vote is important!

This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting. The proxy materials, including the 2022 proxy statement and 2021 annual report, are available at:

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Stockholder Meeting Notice

Idera Pharmaceuticals Inc.'s 2022 Annual Meeting of Stockholders will be held on Thursday, June 23, 2022 at 8:00 a.m. Eastern Time at 505 Eagleview Boulevard, Suite 212 Exton, Pennsylvania 19341.

Proposals to be voted on at the meeting are listed below along with the Board of Directors' recommendations.

The Board of Directors recommend a vote FOR each of the Class III director nominees listed below and FOR Proposals 2, 3, 4, and 5:

- 1. Election of Directors:
 - 01 Mark Goldberg, M.D.
 - 02 Carol A. Schafer
- 2. Approval of the advisory vote on the compensation of the Company's named executive officers for 2021.
- 3. Ratification of the selection of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2022.
- 4. Approval of an Amendment to the Company's 2013 Stock Incentive Plan to increase the number of authorized shares.
- 5. Approval of an Amendment to the Company's 2017 Employee Stock Purchase Plan to increase the number of authorized shares.

PLEASE NOTE - YOU CANNOT VOTE BY RETURNING THIS NOTICE. To vote your shares you must go online or request a paper copy of the proxy materials to receive a proxy card. If you wish to attend and vote at the meeting, please bring this notice with you.

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- Internet Go to http://www.investorvote.com/IDRA.
- Phone Call us free of charge at 1-866-641-4276.
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