General Comment

I've commented before about how the financial industry is complex for the average investor. The thought that there are fund managers, organizations and groups who believe they should use my money and others as well to push special causes is wrong. It is imperative that the companies and people I have trusted to manage my investments for my future retirement do so without any type of political agenda or goal. Proxy votes should be made in the best interests of investors and not allow for third parties the ability to push their own interests with my money. When these votes occur through robo-voting, it jeopardizes my financial interests, which runs counter to fiduciary responsibility.

Please take into consideration that hard working people like me are not the ones who are able to sit at the table and have our voices heard when it comes to proxy votes. Individuals like me need to be protected from possible political agendas that could potentially harm our retirement future.