
UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14A
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American States Water Company

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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Your **Vote** Counts!

AMERICAN STATES WATER COMPANY

2026 Annual Meeting

Vote by May 18, 2026 11:59 PM Eastern Time. For shares held in a 401(k) Plan, vote by May 14, 2026 11:59 PM Eastern Time.

AMERICAN STATES WATER COMPANY
630 EAST FOOTHILL BOULEVARD
SAN DIMAS, CA 91773



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You invested in AMERICAN STATES WATER COMPANY 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 shareholder meeting to be held on May 19, 2026.**

Get informed before you vote

View the Notice and Proxy Statement and Annual Report online OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the material(s) by requesting prior to May 5, 2026. If you would like to request a copy of the material(s) for this and/or future shareholder 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.



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Vote Virtually at the Meeting*

May 19, 2026
11:00 AM Pacific Time

Virtually at:
www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/AWR2026

*Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance.

THIS IS NOT A VOTABLE BALLOT

This is an overview of the proposals being presented at the upcoming shareholder meeting. Please follow the instructions on the reverse side to vote these important matters.

Voting Items	Board Recommends
1. Election of Class III Directors Nominees: 01) Mr. Thomas A. Eichelberger 02) Mr. Roger M. Ervin 03) Mr. C. James Levin	✔ For
2. To approve the 2026 Stock Incentive Plan.	✔ For
3. Advisory vote to approve the compensation of our named executive officers.	✔ For
4. To ratify the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the independent registered public accounting firm.	✔ For
NOTE: To transact any other business which may properly come before the 2026 annual meeting or any adjournment thereof.	

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