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

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**SCHEDULE 14A**

**Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

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**FLOWERVE CORPORATION**



(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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FLOWERVE CORPORATION  
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# Your **Vote** Counts!

**FLOWERVE CORPORATION**

2021 Annual Meeting

Vote by May 19, 2021

11:59 PM ET



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## You invested in FLOWERVE 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 material for the shareholder meeting to be held on May 20, 2021.**

### Get informed before you vote

View the Notice, Proxy Statement and Annual Report online at [www.proxyvote.com](http://www.proxyvote.com) OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the proxy material(s) by requesting prior to May 6, 2021. If you would like to request a paper or email copy of the proxy material(s) for this and/or future shareholder meetings, you may (1) visit [www.ProxyVote.com](http://www.ProxyVote.com), (2) call 1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to [sendmaterial@proxyvote.com](mailto: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](http://www.ProxyVote.com)\*

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#### Vote Virtually at the Meeting\*

May 20, 2021  
11:30 A.M. CDT

Virtually at:  
[www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/FLS2021](http://www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/FLS2021)

\*You can also vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the proxy materials, which will include a proxy card. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance.

## 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 online at [www.ProxyVote.com](http://www.ProxyVote.com) or easily 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   | Board<br>Recommendations |
|--|--------------------------|
| 1. Election of Directors<br><b>Nominees:</b>   |                          |
| 1a. R. Scott Rowe  | ✔ For                    |
| 1b. Sujeet Chand   | ✔ For                    |
| 1c. Ruby R. Chandy   | ✔ For                    |
| 1d. Gayla J. Delly   | ✔ For                    |
| 1e. Roger L. Fix   | ✔ For                    |
| 1f. John R. Friedery   | ✔ For                    |
| 1g. John L. Garrison   | ✔ For                    |
| 1h. Michael C. McMurray  | ✔ For                    |
| 1i. David E. Roberts   | ✔ For                    |
| 1j. Carlyn R. Taylor   | ✔ For                    |
| 2. Advisory vote to approve named executive officer compensation.  | ✔ For                    |
| 3. Ratification of the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP to serve as the Company's independent auditor for 2021.   | ✔ For                    |
| 4. Management proposal to amend the Company's Restated Certificate of Incorporation to delete Article Tenth regarding supermajority approval of business combinations with certain interested parties. | ✔ For                    |

**NOTE:** The shares represented by this proxy, when properly executed, will be voted in the manner directed herein by the undersigned shareholder(s). If no direction is made, this proxy will be voted "FOR" proposals 1, 2, 3, and 4. If any other matters properly come before the meeting, the persons named in this proxy will vote in their discretion.

### \*IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING MEETING ATTENDANCE AND LOCATION

The Governor of the State of New York has issued several temporary executive orders permitting New York corporations to hold virtual only shareholder meetings in light of the COVID-19 pandemic. In addition, on March 17, 2021, the New York State Legislature approved amendments to New York law that, if signed by the Governor, would permit New York corporations to hold virtual-only shareholder meetings this year. As such, we intend to hold the Annual Meeting solely by means of remote communications with no in-person location if permitted by New York law or executive order as of the date of the Annual Meeting. In the event a solely virtual meeting is not permitted as of such date, we will also hold the annual meeting in person at the Flowserve Global Technology and Training Center, 4343 West Royal Lane, Irving, TX 75063, in addition to virtually. In that case, we will notify our shareholders in advance on our website ([ir.flowserve.com](http://ir.flowserve.com)) and by issuing a press release, filing it as additional proxy materials with the Securities and Exchange Commission and on [www.proxyvote.com](http://www.proxyvote.com).

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