

FORWARD AIR CORP  
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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14A

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(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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**Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the  
Shareholder Meeting to Be Held on May 06, 2013**

**Meeting Information**

*FORWARD AIR CORPORATION*

**Meeting Type:** Annual Meeting  
**For holders as of:** March 13, 2013  
**Date:** May 06, 2013      **Time:** 8:00 AM EDT  
**Location:** Salon C  
Atlanta Airport Marriott Gtwy.  
  
2020 Convention Center  
  
Atlanta, GA 30337

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the above named company.

*FORWARD AIR CORPORATION*

*ATTN: LEGAL DEPARTMENT*

*430 AIRPORT ROAD*

*GREENEVILLE, TN 37745*

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only 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 (see reverse side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

**See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.**



**Voting items**

**The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following:**

**1. Election of Directors**

**Nominees**

01 Bruce A. Campbell    02 C. Robert Campbell    03 C. John Langley, Jr.    04 Tracy A. Leinbach    05 Larry D. Leinweber  
06 G. Michael Lynch    07 Ray A. Mundy    08 Gary L. Paxton

**The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR proposals 2 and 3.**

- 2** To ratify the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the independent registered public accounting firm of the Company;
- 3** To approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the named executive officers.

**NOTE:** Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

