

Nuveen Energy MLP Total Return Fund
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August 13, 2015

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**ANNUAL REPORT OF PROXY VOTING RECORD OF
REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY**

Investment Company Act file number 811-22482

Nuveen Energy MLP Total Return Fund

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

333 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Gifford R. Zimmerman - Chief Administrative Officer

(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 312-917-7700

Date of fiscal year-end: November 30

Date of reporting period: June 30, 2015

Item 1. Proxy Voting Record

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KNOT OFFSHORE PARTNERS LP (KNOP)

Security Y48125101 Meeting Type Annual
 Ticker Symbol KNOP Meeting Date 13-Aug-2014
 ISIN MHY481251012 Agenda 934059127 - Management

Item	Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1.	Election of Directors (Majority Voting)	Management	For	For
2.	Miscellaneous Corporate Actions	Management	Against	For

GOLAR LNG PARTNERS LP

Security Y2745C102 Meeting Type Annual
 Ticker Symbol GMLP Meeting Date 19-Sep-2014
 ISIN MHY2745C1021 Agenda 934063758 - Management

Item	Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1	Election of Directors (Majority Voting)	Management	For	For

KINDER MORGAN ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.

Security 494550106 Meeting Type Special
 Ticker Symbol KMP Meeting Date 20-Nov-2014
 ISIN US4945501066 Agenda 934090969 - Management

Item	Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1.	Approve Merger Agreement	Management	For	For
2.	Approve Motion to Adjourn Meeting	Management	For	For

EL PASO PIPELINE PARTNERS, L.P.

Security 283702108 Meeting Type Special
 Ticker Symbol EPB Meeting Date 20-Nov-2014
 ISIN US2837021086 Agenda 934090971 - Management

Item	Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1.	Miscellaneous Corporate Actions	Management	For	For
2.	Approve Motion to Adjourn Meeting	Management	For	For

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KINDER MORGAN MANAGEMENT, LLC

Security 49455U100 Meeting Type Special
 Ticker Symbol KMR Meeting Date 20-Nov-2014
 ISIN US49455U1007 Agenda 934091719 - Management

Item	Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1.	Approve Merger Agreement	Management	For	For
2.	Approve Motion to Adjourn Meeting	Management	For	For
3.	Approve Merger Agreement	Management	For	For
4.	Approve Motion to Adjourn Meeting	Management	For	For

KINDER MORGAN, INC.

Security 49456B101 Meeting Type Special
 Ticker Symbol KMI Meeting Date 20-Nov-2014
 ISIN US49456B1017 Agenda 934091721 - Management

Item	Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1.	Authorize Common Stock Increase	Management	For	For
2.	Stock Issuance	Management	For	For
3.	Approve Motion to Adjourn Meeting	Management	For	For

OXFORD RESOURCE PARTNERS, LP

Security 691807101 Meeting Type Special
 Ticker Symbol OXF Meeting Date 23-Dec-2014
 ISIN US6918071019 Agenda 934107889 - Management

Item	Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1A.	Approve Charter Amendment	Management	For	For
1B.	Approve Charter Amendment	Management	For	For
1C.	Approve Charter Amendment	Management	For	For
2.	Miscellaneous Corporate Actions	Management	For	For
3.	Transact Other Business	Management	For	For

WILLIAMS PARTNERS L.P.

Security 96950F104 Meeting Type Consent
 Ticker Symbol WPZ Meeting Date 28-Jan-2015
 ISIN US96950F1049 Agenda 934116004 - Management

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Item Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1. Approve Merger Agreement OILTANKING PARTNERS L P	Management	For	

Security	678049107	Meeting Type	Special
Ticker Symbol	OILT	Meeting Date	13-Feb-2015
ISIN	US6780491071	Agenda	934117753 - Management

Item Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1. Approve Merger Agreement ATLAS PIPELINE PARTNERS, L.P.	Management	For	For

Security	049392103	Meeting Type	Special
Ticker Symbol	APL	Meeting Date	20-Feb-2015
ISIN	US0493921037	Agenda	934121966 - Management

Item Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1. Approve Merger Agreement	Management	For	For
2. 14A Extraordinary Transaction Executive Compensation MAGELLAN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS,L.P.	Management	For	For

Security	559080106	Meeting Type	Annual
Ticker Symbol	MMP	Meeting Date	23-Apr-2015
ISIN	US5590801065	Agenda	934133086 - Management

Item Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1. Election of Directors	Management		
1 ROBERT G. CROYLE		For	For
2 STACY P. METHVIN		For	For
3 BARRY R. PEARL		For	For
2. 14A Executive Compensation	Management	For	For
3. Ratify Appointment of Independent Auditors	Management	For	For

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KINDER MORGAN, INC.

Security	49456B101	Meeting Type	Annual
Ticker Symbol	KMI	Meeting Date	07-May-2015
ISIN	US49456B1017	Agenda	934149813 - Management

Item	Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1.	Election of Directors	Management		
	1 RICHARD D. KINDER		For	For
	2 STEVEN J. KEAN		For	For
	3 TED A. GARDNER		For	For
	4 ANTHONY W. HALL, JR.		For	For
	5 GARY L. HULTQUIST		For	For
	6 RONALD L. KUEHN, JR.		For	For
	7 DEBORAH A. MACDONALD		For	For
	8 MICHAEL J. MILLER		For	For
	9 MICHAEL C. MORGAN		For	For
	10 ARTHUR C. REICHSTETTER		For	For
	11 FAYEZ SAROFIM		For	For
	12 C. PARK SHAPER		For	For
	13 WILLIAM A. SMITH		For	For
	14 JOEL V. STAFF		For	For
	15 ROBERT F. VAGT		For	For
	16 PERRY M. WAUGHTAL		For	For
2.	Amend Stock Compensation Plan	Management	For	For
3.	Amend Cash/Stock Bonus Plan	Management	For	For
4.	14A Executive Compensation	Management	For	For
5.	Ratify Appointment of Independent Auditors	Management	For	For
6.	Approve Charter Amendment	Management	For	For
7.	S/H Proposal - Environmental	Shareholder	Against	For
8.	S/H Proposal - Environmental	Shareholder	Against	For
9.	S/H Proposal - Environmental	Shareholder	Against	For

Security	118230101	Meeting Type	Annual
Ticker Symbol	BPL	Meeting Date	02-Jun-2015
ISIN	US1182301010	Agenda	934192333 - Management

Item	Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1.	Election of Directors	Management		
	1 PIETER BAKKER		For	For
	2 BARBARA M. BAUMANN		For	For
	3 MARK C. MCKINLEY		For	For
	4 DONALD W. NIEMIEC		For	For
2.	Ratify Appointment of Independent Auditors	Management	For	For

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MARKWEST ENERGY PARTNERS LP

Security	570759100	Meeting Type	Annual
Ticker Symbol	MWE	Meeting Date	03-Jun-2015
ISIN	US5707591005	Agenda	934199274 - Management

Item	Proposal	Proposed by	Vote	For/Against Management
1.	Election of Directors	Management		
	1 FRANK M. SEMPLE		For	For
	2 DONALD D. WOLF		For	For
	3 MICHAEL L. BEATTY		For	For
	4 WILLIAM A BRUCKMANN III		For	For
	5 DONALD C. HEPPERMAN		For	For
	6 RANDALL J. LARSON		For	For
	7 ANNE E. FOX MOUNSEY		For	For
	8 WILLIAM P. NICOLETTI		For	For
2.	Ratify Appointment of Independent Auditors	Management	For	For

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SIGNATURES:

Pursuant to the requirements of the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Nuveen Energy MLP Total Return Fund

By /s/ Gifford R. Zimmerman

Gifford R. Zimmerman Chief Administrative Officer

Date

August 13, 2015