

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

SCHEDULE 14A  
INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROXY STATEMENT

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

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Preliminary Proxy Statement

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Definitive Proxy Statement

Definitive Additional Materials

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## Delta Apparel, Inc.

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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DELTA APPAREL, INC.  
322 S. MAIN ST.  
GREENVILLE, SC 29601

# Your **Vote** Counts!

**DELTA APPAREL, INC.**

2022 Annual Meeting  
Vote by February 9, 2022  
11:59 PM ET



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## You invested in DELTA APPAREL, INC. 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 February 10, 2022.**

### Get informed before you vote

View the Notice and Proxy Statement and Annual Report with Form 10-K online OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the material(s) by requesting prior to January 27, 2022. 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](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.



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#### Vote in Person at the Meeting\*

February 10, 2022  
8:30 AM ET

2750 Premier Pkwy., Suite 100  
Duluth, GA 30079

\*Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting, you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

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## 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. To elect seven directors to serve until the next Annual Meeting of Shareholders, until their successors are duly elected and qualified, or until their earlier resignation:  <b>Nominees:</b> 01) Anita D. Britt                      04) Glenda E. Hood                      07) David G. Whalen 02) J. Bradley Campbell              05) Robert W. Humphreys 03) Dr. G. Jay Gogue                  06) A. Alexander Taylor, II	✔ For
2. To approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation of our named executive officers (as defined in the proxy statement).	✔ For
3. To ratify the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending October 1, 2022.	✔ For
<b>NOTE:</b> To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.	

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