

STEEL DYNAMICS INC
Form 8-K
May 22, 2012

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): **May 22, 2012 (May 17, 2012)**

STEEL DYNAMICS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Indiana
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

0-21719
(Commission File Number)

35-1929476
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

7575 West Jefferson Blvd, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46804

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **260-969-3500**

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Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

Steel Dynamics, Inc. held its Annual Meeting of Stockholders on May 17, 2012. Of the 219,066,330 shares of common stock issued and outstanding as of the record date on March 19, 2012, 193,686,393 shares were present, in person or by proxy, thus constituting a quorum of 88.41% of the total shares outstanding and entitled to vote. At the meeting, stockholders elected all ten of the directors nominated by the Board of Directors; approved the Amended and Restated Steel Dynamics, Inc. 2006 Equity Incentive Plan, including an increase in the number of authorized shares; ratified the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP independent registered public accounting firm as Steel Dynamics, Inc. s auditors for the year ending December 31, 2012; and approved, by an advisory vote, executive compensation for 2011.

Set forth below is the final share voting results for each of the proposals.

- (1) Election of ten (10) director nominees for a one-year term.

| Director | Votes For | Votes Withheld | Broker Non-Votes |
|-----------------------|-------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mark D. Millett | 150,869,515 | 18,085,717 | 24,731,161 |
| Richard P. Teets, Jr. | 147,570,722 | 21,384,510 | 24,731,161 |
| John C. Bates | 118,642,220 | 50,313,012 | 24,731,161 |
| Keith E. Busse | 138,390,934 | 30,564,298 | 24,731,161 |
| Frank D. Byrne, M.D. | 149,747,536 | 19,207,696 | 24,731,161 |
| Paul B. Edgerley | 165,766,076 | 3,189,156 | 24,731,161 |
| Richard J. Freeland | 144,662,201 | 24,293,031 | 24,731,161 |
| Dr. Jürgen Kolb | 163,353,796 | 5,601,436 | 24,731,161 |
| James C. Marcuccilli | 156,865,172 | 12,090,060 | 24,731,161 |
| Gabriel L. Shaheen | 148,715,007 | 20,240,225 | 24,731,161 |

- (2) Proposal to approve the Amended and Restated Steel Dynamics, Inc. 2006 Equity Incentive Plan, including an increase in the number of authorized shares.

| Votes For | Votes Against | Abstentions | Broker Non-Votes |
|-------------|---------------|-------------|------------------|
| 153,234,771 | 14,533,497 | 1,186,964 | 24,731,161 |

- (3) Proposal to ratify the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP independent registered accounting firm as Steel Dynamics, Inc. s auditors for the year ending December 31, 2012.

| Votes For | Votes Against | Abstentions | Broker Non-Votes |
|-------------|---------------|-------------|------------------|
| 187,538,470 | 6,063,418 | 84,505 | |

- (4) Proposal to approve, by an advisory vote, named executive officer compensation for 2011.

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| Votes For | Votes Against | Abstentions | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| 127,582,364 | 39,449,119 | 1,923,749 | 24,731,161 |

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereto duly authorized.

STEEL DYNAMICS, INC.

/s/Theresa E. Wagler

By: Theresa E. Wagler

Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 22, 2012