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*** Exercise Your Right to Vote ***
Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Shareholder Meeting to Be Held on July 16, 2014.

Meeting Information

Meeting Type: Annual For holders as of: May 19, 2014

Date: July 16, 2014 Time: 11:00 a.m., EDT

Location: Meeting live via the Internet - please visit www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/scs2014.

The company will be hosting the meeting live via the Internet this year. To attend the meeting via the Internet please visit www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/scs2014 and be sure to have the information that is printed on the box marked by the arrow ax (located on the following page). You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the company named above.

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 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.

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| — | Before | You | Vote — | |
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How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:

NOTICE AND PROXY STATEMENT ANNUAL REPORT

How to View Online:

Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow ax (located on the following page) and visit: www.proxyvote.com.

How to Request and Receive a PAPER or E-MAIL Copy:

If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of these documents, you must request one. There is NO charge for requesting a copy. Please choose one of the following methods to make your request:

1) BY INTERNET: www.proxyvote.com 2) BY TELEPHONE: 1-800-579-1639

3) BY E-MAIL*: sendmaterial@proxyvote.com

Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to this e-mail address will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor. Please make the request as instructed above on or before July 2, 2014 to facilitate timely delivery.

— How To Vote —

Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

Vote By Internet:

Before The Meeting:

Go to www.proxyvote.com. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow ax (located on the following page) available and follow the instructions.

During The Meeting:

Go to www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/scs2014. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow ax (located on the following page) available and follow the instructions.

Vote By Mail: You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

^{*} If requesting materials by e-mail, please send a blank e-mail with the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow à x (located on the following page) in the subject line.

Voting Items

The Steelcase Inc. Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR each of the nominees for director in Proposal 1.

1. Election of thirteen nominees to the Board of Directors

Nominees:

| 01) | Lawrence J. Blanford | 08) | Elizabeth Valk Long |
|-----|----------------------|-----|---------------------|
| 02) | William P. Crawford | 09) | Robert C. Pew III |
| 03) | Connie K. Duckworth | 10) | Cathy D. Ross |
| 04) | James P. Hackett | 11) | Peter M. Wege II |
| 05) | R. David Hoover | 12) | P. Craig Welch, Jr. |
| 06) | David W. Joos | 13) | Kate Pew Wolters |
| 07) | James P. Keane | | |

The Steelcase Inc. Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR Proposals 2 and 3.

- 2. Advisory vote to approve named executive officer compensation
- 3. Ratification of independent registered public accounting firm