

CLOUD PEAK ENERGY INC.

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AN IMPORTANT REMINDER TO SUBMIT YOUR PROXY TO VOTE AT OUR ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS ON MAY 9, 2018 Dear Fellow Stockholder: Your vote is missing. Please join your fellow stockholders and take an active role. Your vote is important to the success of our annual stockholders meeting, which will be held on May 9, 2018. On behalf of the Cloud Peak Energy Inc. management and Board of Directors, I am urging you to vote your shares today. Every vote counts. If sufficient votes are not cast in advance of our meeting, it may be necessary to adjourn and reschedule, incurring additional costs. If you have any questions or need assistance in submitting your proxy to vote your shares, please (1) contact your financial advisor, or (2) call our proxy solicitor, MacKenzie Partners, Inc., at (800) 322-2885. Thank you for your support. **THREE WAYS TO VOTE BEFORE THE MEETING PROXY QUESTIONS?** Call (800) 322-2885 **Phone WITHOUT A BALLOT** Call (800) 322-2885 Monday to Friday to speak with a proxy specialist. **WITH A BALLOT** Call (800) 690-6903 with a touch-tone phone to vote using an automated system. **Online** WWW.PROXYVOTE.COM Please have your ballot in hand when accessing the website. There are easy-to-follow directions to help you complete the electronic voting instruction form. **Mail VOTE PROCESSING** Mark, sign and date your ballot and return it in the postage-paid envelope provided.
