

CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP  
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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**SCHEDULE 14A**

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**Crown Castle International Corp.**

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The following materials are available for view:

- **Notice and Proxy Statement**

- **Annual Report on Form 10-K**

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**CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP.**

**Vote In Person**

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**Vote By Internet**

To vote *now* by Internet, go to [WWW.PROXYVOTE.COM](http://WWW.PROXYVOTE.COM). Use the Internet to transmit your voting instructions and for electronic delivery of information up until 11:59 P.M. Eastern Time the day before the cut-off date or meeting date. Have your notice in hand when you access the web site and follow the instructions.

**Vote By Mail**

To vote by mail, follow the instructions above to request a paper copy of the proxy materials which will include a proxy card to vote your shares.

**Meeting Location**

The Annual Meeting for holders as of March 24, 2008

is to be held on May 23, 2008 at 9:00 A.M. Central Time

at: Crown Castle International Corp.  
1220 Augusta Drive

Suite 500 Houston,

TX 77057

**Meeting Directions**

To obtain directions to attend the Annual

Meeting and vote in person, please call

713-570-3000.

**Voting items**

**The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR**

**Proposals 1 and 2.**

1. To elect four Class I directors for a term of three years.

**Nominees:**

- 01) David C. Abrams
- 02) Dale N. Hatfield
- 03) Lee W. Hogan
- 04) Robert F. McKenzie

2. To approve ratification of the appointment of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accountants for fiscal year 2008.

3. In their discretion, the proxies are authorized to vote upon such other matters that may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.