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

## **SCHEDULE 14A**

Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. )

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## **Nektar Therapeutics**

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# Your Vote Counts!

#### **NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS**

2024 Annual Meeting Vote by June 4, 2024 11:59 PM Eastern Time



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NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS ATTN: SECRETARY 455 MISSION BAY BOULEVARD SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94158

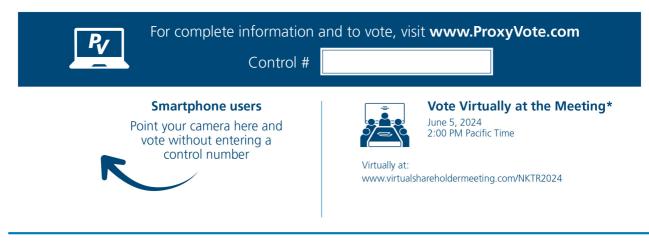
**NEKTAR** 

#### You invested in NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS 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 stockholder meeting to be held on June 5, 2024.

### Get informed before you vote

View the Notice and Proxy Statement and Form 10-K Wrap online OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the material(s) by requesting prior to May 22, 2024. If you would like to request a copy of the material(s) for this and/or future stockholder meetings, you may (1) visit www.ProxyVote.com, (2) call 1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to 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.



\*Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance.

# THIS IS NOT A VOTABLE BALLOT

This is an overview of the proposals being presented at the upcoming stockholder meeting. Please follow the instructions on the reverse side to vote these important matters.

Voting Items		Board Recommends
1.	Election of Directors	
	Nominees:	
1a.	Jeff Ajer	Ser Ser
1b.	Robert B. Chess	Ser For
1c.	Roy A. Whitfield	Ser 🕑 For
2.	To approve an amendment to our Amended and Restated 2017 Performance Incentive Plan to increase the aggregate number of shares of common stock authorized for issuance under the plan by 8,000,000 shares.	Ser For
3.	To ratify the selection of Ernst & Young LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2024.	Sor For
4.	To approve a non-binding advisory resolution regarding our executive compensation (a "say-on-pay" vote).	Ser For

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