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

# **SCHEDULE 14A**

#### (RULE 14a-101)

#### INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROXY STATEMENT

#### SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

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

Filed by the Registrant 🛛

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Check the appropriate box:

Preliminary Proxy Statement

- □ Confidential, for Use of the Commission Only (as permitted by Rule 14a-6(e)(2))
- □ Definitive Proxy Statement
- Definitive Additional Materials
- □ Soliciting Material under §240.14a-12

#### **BANDWIDTH INC.**

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

(Name of person(s) filing proxy statement, if other than the registrant)

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 $\boxtimes$  No fee required.

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# ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF

# **BANDWIDTH INC.**

# May 21, 2020

### **PROXY VOTING INSTRUCTIONS**

INTERNET - Access "www.voteproxy.com" and follow the on-screen instructions or scan the QR code with your smartphone. Have your proxy card available when you access the web page.

Vote online until 11:59 PM EST the day before the meeting.

MAIL - Sign, date and mail your proxy card in the envelope provided as soon as possible.

IN PERSON - You may vote your shares in person by attending the Annual Meeting.

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COMPANY NUMBER	
ACCOUNT NUMBER	

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THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMENDS A VOTE "FOR THE NOMINEE" IN PROPOSAL 1, "FOR" PROPOSALS 2 AND 3, AND "ONE YEAR" IN PROPOSAL 4. PLEASE SIGN, DATE AND RETURN PROMPTLY IN THE ENCLOSED ENVELOPE. PLEASE MARK YOUR VOTE IN BLUE OR BLACK INK AS SHOWN HERE 🗵	
1. Election of Class III Director:     NOMINEE:     FOR THE NOMINEE     David A. Morken     Class III director     MITHHOLD AUTHORITY     FOR THE NOMINEE	2. RATIFICATION OF THE APPOINTMENT OF ERNST & YOUNG LLP AS INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2020. 500 AGAINST ABSTAIN 3. APPROVAL, ON ADVISORY BASIS, OF NAMED EXECUTIVE OFFICER COMPENSATION IN 2020.
	4. APPROVAL, ON ADVISORY BASIS, OF FREQUENCY
	In their discretion, the proxies are authorized to vote upon such other business as may properly come before the Annual Meeting. This proxy when properly executed will be voted as directed herein by the undersigned stockholder. If no direction is made, this proxy will be voted FOR THE NOMINEE in Proposal 1, FOR Proposals 2 and 3, and ONE YEAR in Proposal 4.
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Signature of Stockholder Date:	Signature of Stockholder Date:
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