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

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): June 8, 2016

DIAMONDBACK ENERGY, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

45-4502447 Delaware 001-35700 (I.R.S. Employer (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) Identification Number)

500 West Texas

Suite 1200

79701 Midland, Texas (Zip code) (Address of principal

executive offices)

(432) 221-7400

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

On June 8, 2016, Diamondback Energy, Inc. (the "Company") held its 2016 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the "Annual Meeting") at One Park Avenue, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. At the Annual Meeting, the Company's stockholders voted on four proposals, each of which is described in more detail in the Company's definitive proxy statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on April 29, 2016, as supplemented by additional proxy materials filed with the SEC on May 25, 2016. The following is a brief description of each matter voted upon and the results of such voting, including the number of votes cast for each matter and the number of votes cast against, votes withheld, abstentions and broker non-votes, if applicable, with respect to each matter.

Proposal 1

Steven E. West, Travis D. Stice, Michael P. Cross, David L. Houston and Mark L. Plaumann were elected to continue to serve as the Company's directors until the 2017 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and until their respective successors are elected. The results of the vote on Proposal 1 are as follows:

Name of Nominee	For	Withheld	Non-Votes
Steven E. West	60,198,365	6,879,148	1,846,044
Travis D. Stice	65,964,338	1,113,175	1,846,044
Michael P. Cross	65,804,524	1,272,989	1,846,044
David L. Houston	65,735,998	1,341,515	1,846,044
Mark L. Plaumann	65,804,544	1,272,969	1,846,044

Proposal 2

The Company's 2016 Amended and Restated Equity Incentive Plan was approved. The results of the vote on Proposal 2 are as follows:

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For Against Abstain Non-Votes 63,216,671 3,844,528 16,314 1,846,044
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Proposal 3

The Company's stockholders approved, on an advisory basis, the compensation paid to the Company's named executive officers. The results of the vote on Proposal 3 are as follows:

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For Against Abstain Non-Votes 65,249,085 1,795,074 33,354 1,846,044
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Proposal 4

The appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as the Company's independent auditors for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2016 was ratified. The results of the vote on Proposal 4 are as follows:

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For Against Abstain Non-Votes 68,886,432 25,207 11,918 —
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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

DIAMONDBACK ENERGY, INC.

Date: June 13, 2016

By: /s/ Teresa L. Dick Name: Teresa L. Dick

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer