

Putnam Premier Income Trust

Shareholder meeting results (Unaudited)

April 29, 2016 special meeting

At the meeting, a proposal to fix the number of Trustees at 13 was approved as follows:

	Votes for	Votes against	Abstentions
	91,141,015	7,839,170	1,101,837

At the meeting, each of the nominees for Trustees was elected, with all funds of the Trust voting together as a single class, as follows:

	Votes for	Votes withheld
Liaquat Ahamed	84,948,893	15,133,139
Ravi Akhoury	84,877,334	15,204,698
Barbara M. Baumann	85,154,836	14,927,196
Jameson A. Baxter	90,663,862	9,418,169
Robert J. Darretta	85,049,714	15,032,317
Katinka Domotorffy	85,064,831	15,017,201
John A. Hill	90,745,063	9,336,969
Paul L. Joskow	90,883,441	9,198,591
Kenneth R. Leibler	85,066,523	15,015,509
Robert E. Patterson	90,791,253	9,290,778
George Putnam, III	90,945,637	9,136,394
Robert L. Reynolds	84,994,539	15,087,493
W. Thomas Stephens	84,863,842	15,218,189

Approval of the conversion of your fund from closed-end to open-end status was defeated as follows:

	Votes for	Votes against	Abstentions
	18,794,713	42,828,212	1,258,720

All tabulations are rounded to the nearest whole number.