

AMGEN INC
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Dear Amgen Stockholder:

You have previously been sent proxy materials for the **2009 Annual Meeting of Stockholders** of Amgen Inc. to be held on **May 6, 2009**. Your Amgen Inc. shares are registered in the name of your broker as the holder of record.

YOUR SHARES CANNOT BE VOTED ON CERTAIN PROPOSALS UNLESS YOU GIVE SPECIFIC VOTING INSTRUCTIONS!
Please forward your voting form as soon as possible using one of the following methods:

Available 24 Hours 7 Days a Week!

| VOTE BY TELEPHONE | VOTE BY INTERNET | VOTE BY MAIL |
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| <p>Using a touch-tone telephone, call the toll-free number which appears on your enclosed voting form. <i>Just follow these three easy steps:</i></p> | <p>Go to website: WWW.PROXYVOTE.COM <i>Just follow these three easy steps:</i></p> | <p>Mark, sign and date your voting form and return in the postage-paid envelope. <i>Just follow these three easy steps:</i></p> |
| <p>1. Read the Amgen Inc. Proxy Statement and enclosed voting card.</p> <p>2. Call the toll-free number 1-800-454-8683.</p> <p>3. Please have your voting form in hand and follow the simple instructions.</p> | <p>1. Read the Amgen Inc. Proxy Statement and enclosed voting card.</p> <p>2. Go to the website www.proxyvote.com.</p> <p>3. Please have your voting form in hand and follow the simple instructions.</p> | <p>1. Read the Amgen Inc. Proxy Statement and enclosed voting card.</p> <p>2. Mark, sign and date your voting form.</p> <p>3. Return the voting form in the postage-paid envelope we have provided or return to Vote Processing, c/o Broadridge, 51 Mercedes Way, Edgewood, NY 11717.</p> |
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