# EASTGROUP PROPERTIES INC Form DEFA14A April 13, 2018

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

#### **SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION**

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EastGroup Properties, Inc.

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Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Stockholder Meeting to Be Held on May 24, 2018.

EASTGROUP PROPERTIES, INC. <u>Meeting Information</u>

Meeting Type: Annual Meeting For holders as of: March 29, 2018

Date: May 24, 2018 Time: 9:00 a.m., CDT

**Butler Snow LLP** 

1020 Highland Colony Parkway,

Location: Suite 1400

Magnolia Room

Ridgeland, MS 39157

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in EastGroup Properties, Inc.

EASTGROUP PROPERTIES, INC. 400 W. PARKWAY PLACE SUITE 100 RIDGELAND, MS 39157 This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at www.proxyvote.com or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.

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 How to Access the Proxy Materials

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NOTICE AND PROXY STATEMENT FORM 10-K

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Vote In Person: You can vote in person at the Meeting by delivering your completed proxy card or by completing a ballot upon request at the Meeting. However, if you hold shares in a bank or brokerage account rather than in your own name, you must obtain a legal proxy from your bank or broker in order to vote at the Meeting.

Vote By Internet: To vote now by Internet, go to www.proxyvote.com. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow (located on the following page) available and follow the instructions.

Vote By Mail: You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

### Voting Items

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR all the nominees listed in proposal 1:

#### 1. Election of Directors

#### Nominees:

- 1a. D. Pike Aloian
- 1b. H.C. Bailey, Jr.
- 1c. H. Eric Bolton, Jr.
- 1d. Donald F. Colleran
- 1e. Hayden C. Eaves III
- 1f. Fredric H. Gould
- 1g. David H. Hoster II
- 1h. Marshall A. Loeb
- 1i. Mary E. McCormick
- 1j. Leland R. Speed

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposals:

- 2. Advisory vote to ratify the appointment of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the 2018 fiscal year.
- 3. Advisory vote on executive compensation.

NOTE: In their discretion, the Proxies are authorized to vote upon such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.