

CALLAWAY GOLF CO
Form 8-K
May 19, 2011

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

May 18, 2011

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

CALLAWAY GOLF COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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(State or other jurisdiction

(Commission

(IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

2180 RUTHERFORD ROAD, CARLSBAD, CALIFORNIA

(Address of principal executive offices)

(760) 931-1771

92008-7328

(Zip Code)

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.

(a) The Callaway Golf Company (the Company) 2011 Annual Meeting of Shareholders was held on May 18, 2011.

(b) A description of each matter voted upon at the 2011 Annual Meeting of Shareholders is described in detail in the Company's definitive proxy statement filed on April 8, 2011 (the Proxy Statement). The number of votes cast for and against (or withheld) and the number of abstentions and broker non-votes with respect to each matter voted upon are set forth below.

(1) The voting results for the annual election of directors were as follows:

| Director | For | Withheld | Broker Non-Votes |
|-----------------------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| Samuel H. Armacost | 45,232,662 | 4,280,656 | 8,803,474 |
| Ronald S. Beard | 45,246,207 | 4,267,111 | 8,803,474 |
| John C. Cushman, III | 41,804,376 | 7,708,942 | 8,803,474 |
| George Fellows | 46,739,139 | 2,774,179 | 8,803,474 |
| Yotaro Kobayashi | 46,685,873 | 2,827,445 | 8,803,474 |
| John F. Lundgren | 45,541,276 | 3,972,042 | 8,803,474 |
| Adebayo O. Ogunlesi | 46,825,636 | 2,687,682 | 8,803,474 |
| Richard L. Rosenfield | 45,113,958 | 4,399,360 | 8,803,474 |
| Anthony S. Thornley | 46,839,614 | 2,673,704 | 8,803,474 |

(2) The voting results for the ratification of Deloitte & Touche LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2011 were as follows:

| For | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|-----------|---------|------------------|
| 56,099,074 | 1,787,450 | 430,268 | N/A |

(3) The voting results for the advisory vote to approve the compensation of the Company's named executive officers were as follows:

| For | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|-----------|-----------|------------------|
| 38,832,143 | 7,686,789 | 2,994,386 | 8,803,474 |

(4) The voting results for the advisory vote on the frequency of future advisory votes to approve the compensation of the Company's named executive officers were as follows:

| 1 Year | 2 Years | 3 Years | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|---------|-----------|-----------|------------------|
| 40,746,695 | 38,151 | 4,703,933 | 4,024,539 | 8,803,474 |

(d) Based upon the results set forth in item (b)(4) above, the Company currently intends to hold an advisory vote on the compensation of its named executive officers every year.

SIGNATURES

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 hereunto duly authorized.

CALLAWAY GOLF COMPANY

Date: May 19, 2011

By: /s/ Brian P. Lynch
Name: Brian P. Lynch
Title: Vice President
and Corporate Secretary