WPX ENERGY, INC. Form 8-K May 20, 2016

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): May 19, 2016

WPX Energy, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

1-35322 (Commission 45-1836028 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

3500 One Williams Center, Tulsa, Oklahoma (Address of principal executive offices)

74172-0172 (Zip Code)

855-979-2012

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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

At the annual meeting of stockholders of WPX Energy, Inc. (the *Company*) held on May 19, 2016, the following actions took place.

1. Election of Directors. The Company s stockholders reelected Ms. Lubel and Messrs. Carrig, Granberry, Kindick, Kurz, Lentz, Lowrie, and Work as directors of the Company for a one-year term based on the following votes.

| Nominee | <u>For</u> | Against | Abstain | Broker Non-Votes |
|----------------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| | | | | |
| John A. Carrig | 200,976,980 | 1,099,045 | 581,813 | 36,644,786 |
| William R. Granberry | 199,699,632 | 2,379,255 | 578,951 | 36,644,786 |
| Kelt Kindick | 200,955,968 | 1,113,426 | 588,444 | 36,644,786 |
| Karl F. Kurz | 200,921,784 | 1,144,601 | 591,453 | 36,644,786 |
| Henry E. Lentz | 199,708,584 | 2,361,441 | 587,813 | 36,644,786 |
| William G. Lowrie | 200,697,136 | 1,367,905 | 592,797 | 36,644,786 |
| Kimberly S. Lubel | 195,521,509 | 6,547,033 | 589,296 | 36,644,786 |
| David F. Work | 199,701,422 | 2,362,865 | 593,551 | 36,644,786 |

2. Say on Pay. The Company s stockholders approved, on a non-binding advisory basis, the Company s executive compensation based on the following votes.

| <u>For</u> | Against | <u>Abstain</u> | Broker Non-Votes |
|-------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| | | | |
| 194,769,565 | 7,181,141 | 707,132 | 36,644,786 |

3. Ratification of Appointment of Auditors. The Company s stockholders approved the ratification of the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the independent public accounting firm for the Company for the year ending December 31, 2016, based on the following votes.

| <u>For</u> | <u>Against</u> | <u>Abstain</u> | Broker Non-Votes |
|-------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| | | | |
| 237,684,857 | 918,684 | 699,083 | 0 |

4. Stockholder Proposal. The Company s stockholders did not approve the stockholder proposal regarding reporting of the Company s efforts to monitor and manage methane emissions based on the following votes.

| <u>For</u> | <u>Against</u> | <u>Abstain</u> | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| | | | |
| 85,748,456 | 82,990,109 | 33,919,273 | 36,644,786 |

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

WPX Energy, Inc.

Date: May 20, 2016 By: /s/ Stephen E. Brilz

Name: Stephen E. Brilz

Title: Vice President and Corporate Secretary