

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

**SCHEDULE 14A**  
(Rule 14a-101)

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**SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION**

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**Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

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**Ellington Credit Company**

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ELLINGTON CREDIT COMPANY  
ATTN: SECRETARY  
53 FOREST AVENUE  
OLD GREENWICH, CT 06870

# Your **Vote** Counts!

**ELLINGTON CREDIT COMPANY**

2024 Annual Meeting  
Vote by October 29, 2024 11:59 PM ET  
or during the Annual Meeting




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## You invested in ELLINGTON CREDIT COMPANY and it's time to vote!

You have the right to vote on proposals being presented at the Annual Meeting. **This is an important notice regarding the availability of proxy materials for the shareholder meeting to be held on October 30, 2024.**

### Get informed before you vote

View the Notice and Proxy Statement and Annual Report online OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the material(s) by requesting prior to October 16, 2024. If you would like to request a copy of the material(s) for this and/or future shareholder meetings, you may (1) visit [www.ProxyVote.com](http://www.ProxyVote.com), (2) call 1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to [sendmaterial@proxyvote.com](mailto:sendmaterial@proxyvote.com). If sending an email, please include your control number (indicated below) in the subject line. Unless requested, you will not otherwise receive a paper or email copy.

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### Vote Virtually at the Meeting\*

October 30, 2024  
10:00 AM ET

Virtually at:  
[www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/EARN2024](http://www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/EARN2024)

\*Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance.

## THIS IS NOT A VOTABLE BALLOT

This is an overview of the proposals being presented at the upcoming shareholder meeting. Please follow the instructions on the reverse side to vote these important matters.

Voting Items	Board Recommends
1. Election of Trustees <b>Nominees:</b> 01) Robert B. Allardice III    04) Laurence E. Penn 02) Mary McBride            05) Ronald I. Simon, Ph.D. 03) David J. Miller           06) Michael W. Vranos	☑ For
2. The approval of a change in the Company's legal form from a Maryland real estate investment trust to a Delaware Statutory Trust.	☑ For
3. The approval of the Company's Amended and Restated Declaration of Trust.	☑ For
4. The approval of a new investment advisory agreement between the Company and Ellington Credit Company Management LLC, its external manager, which would replace the existing management agreement.	☑ For
5. The approval, on an advisory basis, of the compensation of the named executive officers.	☑ For
6. The ratification of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2024.	☑ For
<b>NOTE:</b> In their discretion, the proxies are authorized to vote on such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.	

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