## **United States** Securities and Exchange Commission

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## **SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION**

PROXY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 14(A) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

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## **AQUA METALS, INC.** (Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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Aqua Metals, Inc. recorded a call script that encourages stockholders to vote on the proposals outlined in the proxy materials for its 2023 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. Included below is a transcript of the recording.

HELLO, THIS IS STEPHEN COTTON, PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF AQUA METALS, INC.

WE RECENTLY MAILED YOU PROXY MATERIALS FOR YOUR VOTE TO APPROVE PROPOSALS THAT ARE CRITICAL TO OUR GROWTH STRATEGY AND THE VALUE OF YOUR INVESTMENT IN AQUA METALS, INCLUDING PROTECTING THE NET OPERATING LOSS ASSET OF THE COMPANY WHICH IS SUPPORTED BY TWO MAJOR PROXY ADVISORY COMPANIES.

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION TO THIS MATTER AND FOR YOUR INVESTMENT IN AQUA METALS. HAVE A GREAT DAY.