

CONAGRA FOODS INC /DE/  
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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, DC 20549**

**SCHEDULE 14A**

**(Rule 14a-101)**

**SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION**

**Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

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Preliminary Proxy Statement

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Definitive Proxy Statement

Definitive Additional Materials

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**ConAgra Foods, Inc.**

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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**Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the  
Shareholder Meeting to Be Held on September 23, 2016.**

**Meeting Information**

**CONAGRA FOODS, INC.**

*222 WEST MERCHANDISE MART PLAZA  
SUITE 1300  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60654*

**Meeting Type:** Annual Meeting  
**For holders as of:** July 29, 2016  
**Date:** September 23, 2016      **Time:** 8:30 a.m. CDT  
**Location:** Hyatt Regency Chicago  
West Tower, Crystal Ballroom A  
151 East Wacker Drive  
Chicago, Illinois 60601  
**Directions:** Information on how to obtain directions to attend the meeting and vote in person is available by writing to us at Corporate Secretary, ConAgra Foods, Inc., 222 West Merchandise Mart Plaza, Suite 1300, Chicago, Illinois 60654

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the company named above.

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](http://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.**

## Before You Vote

### How to Access the Proxy Materials

#### **Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:**

ANNUAL REPORT

NOTICE & PROXY STATEMENT

#### **How to View Online:**

Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow (located on the following page) and visit: [www.proxyvote.com](http://www.proxyvote.com).

#### **How to Request and Receive a PAPER or E-MAIL Copy:**

If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of these documents, you must request one. There is NO charge for requesting a copy. You may also request paper or e-mail copies of the proxy materials for all future meetings.

Please choose one of the following methods to make your request:

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| 1) <i>BY INTERNET:</i>  | <a href="http://www.proxyvote.com">www.proxyvote.com</a>                   |
| 2) <i>BY TELEPHONE:</i> | 1-800-579-1639   |
| 3) <i>BY E-MAIL*:</i>   | <a href="mailto:sendmaterial@proxyvote.com">sendmaterial@proxyvote.com</a> |

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Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to this e-mail address will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor. Please make the request as instructed above on or before September 9, 2016 to facilitate timely delivery.

## How To Vote

Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

**Vote In Person:** Many shareholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting

materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting, you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

**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**

**COMPANY PROPOSALS**

**The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR the**

**following nominees for director:**

1. Election of Directors

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 01) Bradley A. Alford   | 07) Rajive Johri        |
| 02) Thomas K. Brown     | 08) W.G. Jurgensen      |
| 03) Stephen G. Butler   | 09) Richard H. Lenny    |
| 04) Sean M. Connolly    | 10) Ruth Ann Marshall   |
| 05) Steven F. Goldstone | 11) Timothy R. McLevish |
| 06) Joie A. Gregor      |                         |

**The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR the following proposal:**

2. Ratification of the appointment of Independent Auditor

**The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR the following proposal:**

3. Advisory vote to approve compensation of the Company's named executive officers

