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COOPER COMPANIES INC Form 8-K March 16, 2017

### **UNITED STATES**

### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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): March 13, 2017

## THE COOPER COMPANIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-8597 94-2657368 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.) 6140 Stoneridge Mall Road, Suite 590, Pleasanton, California 94588

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(925) 460-3600

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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## ITEM 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

On March 13, 2017, The Cooper Companies, Inc. ( Cooper ) held its Annual Meeting of Stockholders. The matters listed below were submitted to a vote of the stockholders through the solicitation of proxies, and the proposals are described in detail in Cooper s definitive Proxy Statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ( SEC ) on January 27, 2017. Each of the proposals was approved by the stockholders as set forth below.

### Proposal 1 Election of Directors

The following individuals were elected to serve as directors of Cooper until the 2017 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and until their successors have been duly elected and qualified. The voting results were as follows:

			Broker
For	Against	Abstain	Non-Vote
43,108,443	569,656	5,235	1,551,899
43,589,732	88,920	4,685	1,551,896
42,975,227	702,513	5,598	1,551,895
43,600,456	78,185	4,694	1,551,898
43,111,195	567,456	4,685	1,551,897
43,550,811	127,738	4,786	1,551,898
41,458,321	2,220,587	4,418	1,551,907
43,377,703	300,519	5,105	1,551,906
43,043,435	634,934	4,959	1,551,905
	43,108,443 43,589,732 42,975,227 43,600,456 43,111,195 43,550,811 41,458,321 43,377,703	43,108,443       569,656         43,589,732       88,920         42,975,227       702,513         43,600,456       78,185         43,111,195       567,456         43,550,811       127,738         41,458,321       2,220,587         43,377,703       300,519	43,108,443     569,656     5,235       43,589,732     88,920     4,685       42,975,227     702,513     5,598       43,600,456     78,185     4,694       43,111,195     567,456     4,685       43,550,811     127,738     4,786       41,458,321     2,220,587     4,418       43,377,703     300,519     5,105

Proposal 2 Ratification of Appointment of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

The appointment of KPMG LLP to serve as Cooper s independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending October 31, 2017 was ratified. The voting results were as follows:

	For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Vote
44,	821,621	407,123	6,486	-0-
Proposal 3 Approval of the 2017 Executive Incentive Plan				

The 2017 Executive Incentive Plan was approved. The voting results were as follows:

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Vote
43,083,148	584,054	16,124	1,551,907

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# Proposal 4 Advisory Vote on Executive Compensation

The stockholders adopted, on an advisory basis, a resolution approving the compensation of Cooper s Named Executive Officers as presented in the Proxy Statement. The voting results were as follows:

For Against Abstain Broker Non-Vote 42,627,355 1,034,345 21,626 1,551,907

<u>Proposal 5 Advisory Vote on the Frequency With Which Compensation of Named Executive Officers Will be Subject to an Advisory Vote</u>

The stockholders approved, on an advisory basis, the annual presentation of a vote on the compensation of the Company s Named Executive Officers as presented in the Proxy Statement. The voting results were as follows:

Annual Biennial Triennial Abstain Broker Non-Vote 41,030,429 33,365 2,599,112 20,337 1,551,990

### **SIGNATURE**

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.

THE COOPER COMPANIES, INC.

By: s/ Carol R. Kaufman
Carol R. Kaufman
Executive Vice President, Secretary,
Chief Administrative Officer & Chief
Governance Officer

Dated: March 16, 2017