#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

#### **SCHEDULE 14A**

(Rule 14a-101)

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROXY STATEMENT SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

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

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Check the appropriate box:

- Preliminary Proxy Statement
- Confidential, for Use of the Commission Only (as permitted by Rule 14a-6(e)(2))
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- X Definitive Additional Materials Soliciting Material Pursuant to §240.14a-12

# Pliant Therapeutics, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

(Name of Person(s) Filing Proxy Statement, if other than the Registrant)

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- X No fee required.
- Fee computed on table in exhibit required by Item 25(b) per Exchange Act Rules 14a-6(i)(1) and 0-11.
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## Your Vote Counts!

#### PLIANT THERAPEUTICS, INC.

2023 Annual Meeting Vote by June 6, 2023 11:59 PM ET



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#### You invested in PLIANT THERAPEUTICS, INC. 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 stockholder meeting to be held on June 7, 2023.

#### Get informed before you vote

View the Proxy Statement and our 2022 Annual Report to Stockholders on Form 10-K online OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the material(s) by requesting prior to May 24, 2023. If you would like to request a copy of the material(s) for this and/or future stockholder meetings, you may (1) visit www.ProxyVote.com, (2) call 1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to 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.



\*Please check the meeting materials for instructions on attending the virtual annual meeting.

### THIS IS NOT A VOTABLE BALLOT

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

Voting Items		Board Recommends
1.	To elect three class III directors named in the proxy statement to our Board of Directors:	
	Nominees:	
1a.	Bernard Coulie, M.D., Ph.D.	Ser For
1b	Gayle Crowell	Ser Ser
1c.	Suzanne Bruhn, Ph.D.	Ser For
2.	To approve, by non-binding advisory vote, the resolution approving named executive officer compensation.	Ser For
3.	To ratify the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2023.	S For
	TE: In their discretion, the proxies are authorized to vote upon such other business as may properly come before the eting.	

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