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SCHEDULE 14A

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RECRO PHARMA, INC.

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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***** Exercise Your *Right* to Vote *****
**Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the
Shareholder Meeting to Be Held on May 7, 2020.**

RECRO PHARMA, INC.

RECRO PHARMA, INC.
C/O BASKARDIDGE CORPORATE ISSUER SOLUTIONS, INC.
PO BOX 1342
BENEFWOOD, NY 11717

Meeting Information

Meeting Type: Annual Meeting
For holders as of: March 16, 2020
Date: May 7, 2020 **Time:** 9:00 AM EDT
Location: Pepper Hamilton LLP
400 Berwyn Park
899 Cassatt Road
Berwyn, PA 19312[®]

[®]Depending on concerns about the Coronavirus (COVID-19), Recro Pharma, Inc. may hold a virtual Annual Meeting of Shareholders. The determination to hold a virtual Annual Meeting of Shareholders will be announced in a press release available at www.recropharmainc.com as soon as practicable before the meeting. In that event, the Annual Meeting of Shareholders would be conducted solely virtually, on the above date and time, via live audio webcast.

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 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.

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— **Before You Vote** —
How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:

NOTICE & PROXY STATEMENT FORM 10-K

How to View Online:

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- 1) BY INTERNET: www.proxyvote.com
- 2) BY TELEPHONE: 1-800-579-1639
- 3) BY E-MAIL*: sendmaterial@proxyvote.com

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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 April 23, 2020 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 →XXXXXXXXXXXX (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.

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Voting Items

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following:

1. Election of Directors

Nominees:

- 01) William Ashton
- 02) Michael Benelowitz

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposal:

2. Approval of, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the Company's named executive officers.

The Board of Directors recommends you vote 1 YEAR on the following proposal:

3. Indication of, on an advisory basis, the preferred frequency of future shareholder advisory votes on the compensation of the Company's named executive officers.

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposal:

4. Ratification of the appointment of KPMG LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the 2020 fiscal year.

NOTE: Such other business as may properly come before the annual meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.

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