

COVANTA HOLDING CORP  
Form 8-K  
May 10, 2010

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 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): May 6, 2010

COVANTA HOLDING CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<b>Delaware</b> (State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	<b>1-6732</b> (Commission File Number)	<b>95-6021257</b> (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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<b>40 Lane Road, Fairfield, New Jersey</b> (Address of Principal Executive Offices)	<b>07004</b> (Zip Code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(973) 882-9000**

N/A  
(Former name or former address if changed since last report.)  
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders**

On May 6, 2010, Covanta Holding Corporation held its Annual Meeting of Stockholders. At that meeting, stockholders voted on the following proposals:

1. To elect ten directors to serve a one-year term that will expire at the next Annual Meeting of Stockholders.  
The votes cast for each director were as follows:

<b>Directors</b>	<b>For</b>	<b>Withheld</b>
David M. Barse	112,945,123	3,844,725
Ronald J. Broglio	115,732,471	1,057,378
Peter C.B. Bynoe	106,431,565	10,358,284
Linda J. Fisher	115,738,490	1,051,358
Joseph M. Holsten	115,734,504	1,055,345
Anthony J. Orlando	115,479,093	1,310,756
William C. Pate	115,299,130	1,490,719
Robert S. Silberman	115,728,470	1,061,379
Jean Smith	115,737,020	1,052,829
Samuel Zell	113,760,890	3,028,959

2. To ratify the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP, the independent registered public accountants, as our independent auditors for the 2010 fiscal year.

<b>Votes For</b>	<b>Votes Against</b>	<b>Abstentions</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
130,987,761	704,505	99,615	0

3. Stockholder proposal to amend the Equity Award Plan for Employees and Officers.

<b>Votes For</b>	<b>Votes Against</b>	<b>Abstentions</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
6,063,400	110,283,256	442,686	15,002,539

**SIGNATURES**

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.

**COVANTA HOLDING CORPORATION**

Date: May 10, 2010

By: /s/ Timothy J. Simpson  
Timothy J. Simpson  
*Executive Vice President,  
General Counsel and Secretary*