# 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)

December 13, 2023

# OIL-DRI CORPORATION OF AMERICA

(Exact name of the registrant as specified in its charter)

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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

Commission File Number

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

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	o, Illinois (Zip Code)		
(Ad	dress of principal executive offices)		
	Registrant's telephone number, including area code (	(312) 321-1515	
		Not applicable	
	(Former nam	e or former address, if ch	anged since last report.)
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Securit	ies registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:		
	Title of each class Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share	Trading Symbol(s) ODC	Name of each exchange on which registered New York Stock Exchange

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

The Company held its annual meeting of stockholders on December 13, 2023. See the Company's 2023 Proxy Statement for more information on the proposals presented at the meeting, the relevant portions of which are incorporated herein by reference.

## PROPOSAL 1: ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The stockholders elected all of the nominees for director recommended by the Company's Board of Directors (the "Board"). The voting results were as follows:

Director	For	Withheld	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
Ellen-Blair Chube	22,878,476	1,745,334	574,854
Paul M. Hindsley	21,786,063	2,837,747	574,854
Daniel S. Jaffee	23,319,672	1,304,138	574,854
Michael A. Nemeroff	22,609,684	2,014,126	574,854
George C. Roeth	23,449,202	1,174,608	574,854
Amy L Ryan	21,776,443	2,847,367	574,854
Patricia J. Schmeda	24,553,031	70,779	574,854
Allan H. Selig	23,307,978	1,315,832	574,854
Lawrence E. Washow	23,114,099	1,509,711	574,854

#### PROPOSAL 2: RATIFICATION OF THE APPOINTMENT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITOR

The stockholders ratified the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as independent auditor for the fiscal year ending July 31, 2024. The voting results were as follows:

For	25,108,509
Against	83,823
Abstain	6,332

#### PROPOSAL 3: ADVISORY VOTE ON EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

The stockholders voted to approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the named executive officers disclosed in the Proxy Statement. The voting results were as follows:

For	24,036,678
Against	564,589
Abstain	22,543
Broker Non-Votes	574.854

# PROPOSAL 4: ADVISORY VOTE ON THE FREQUENCY OF FUTURE ADVISORY VOTES ON EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

The stockholders voted to select, on an advisory basis, the frequency of future advisory votes on the compensation of the named executive officers. The voting results were as follows:

3 Years	22,357,461
2 Years	9,687
1 Year	2,253,011
Abstain	3,651
Broker Non-Votes	574,854

# PROPOSAL 5: APPROVAL OF THE AMENDED AND RESTATED OIL-DRI CORPORATION OF AMERICA 2006 LONG TERM INCENTIVE PLAN

The stockholders voted to approve the Amended and Restated Oil-Dri Corporation of America 2006 Long Term Incentive Plan. The voting results were as follows:

For	22,629,721
Against	1,984,053
Abstain	10,036
Broker Non-Votes	574,854

#### **Item 8.01** Other Events.

At its regular meeting on December 13, 2023, the Board declared quarterly cash dividends of \$0.29 per share of the Company's Common Stock and \$0.218 per share of the Company's Class B Stock. The dividends will be payable on March 8, 2024, to stockholders of record at the close of business on February 23, 2024. A copy of the Company's press release announcing these matters is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and the information contained therein is incorporated herein by reference.

The information in this Item 8.01 and Exhibit 99.1 shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. This information shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference to such disclosure in this Form 8-K in such a filing.

#### **Item 9.01** Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number		Description of Exhibits
99.1	Press Release dated December 14, 2023	

# **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

## OIL-DRI CORPORATION OF AMERICA

/s/ Laura G. Scheland

Laura G. Scheland

Vice President, Strategic Partnerships and General Counsel & Secretary

Date: December 14, 2023

# **News Announcement**For Immediate Release

Exhibit 99.1

# Oil-Dri Board of Directors Declares Quarterly Dividends

CHICAGO—(December 14, 2023)— The Board of Directors of Oil-Dri Corporation of America (NYSE: ODC) yesterday declared quarterly cash dividends of \$0.29 per share of the Company's Common Stock and \$0.218 per share of the Company's Class B Stock.

The dividends declared will be payable on March 8, 2024 to stockholders of record at the close of business on February 23, 2024. The Company has paid cash dividends continuously since 1974 and has increased dividends annually for twenty consecutive years.

The Company expects to release earnings for its second quarter of fiscal 2024 after the close of the U.S. stock market on Thursday, March 7, 2024 and to host an earnings discussion via webcast on Friday, March 8, 2024. Participation details will be posted on the Events page of the Company's website approximately one week prior to the call.

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Oil-Dri Corporation of America is a leading manufacturer and supplier of specialty sorbent products for the pet care, animal health and nutrition, fluids purification, agricultural ingredients, sports field, industrial and automotive markets. Oil-Dri is vertically integrated which enables the Company to efficiently oversee every step of the process from research and development to supply chain to marketing and sales. With over 80 years of experience, the Company continues to fulfill its mission to Create Value from Sorbent Minerals. To learn more about the Company, visit oildri.com.

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