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#### ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS OF

## AKOYA BIOSCIENCES, INC.

June 1, 2022

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To elect two directors to serve as Class I directors for a three-year term.      NOMINEES:	To consider and vote upon the ratification of the appointment of RSM US LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the year ending December 31, 2022.
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Note: Please sign exactly as your name or names appear on this Proxy. When shares are held jointly, each holder should sign. When signing as executor, administrator, attorney, trustee or guardian, please title as such. If the signer is a partnership, please sign in partnership name by authorized per