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## SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

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## MannKind Corporation

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**to be held on May 23, 2013 for MannKind Corporation**

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1. Proxy Statement
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### MannKind Corporation Notice of Annual Meeting

Date: May 23, 2013  
Time: 10:00 A.M. (Pacific Daylight Time)  
Place: MannKind Corporation, 28903 North Avenue Paine, Valencia, California

The purpose of the Annual Meeting is to take action on the following proposals:

**The Board of Directors recommends that you vote FOR the following.**

Proposal 1 Election of Directors. Nominees are:

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|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Alfred E. Mann   | 4. Michael Friedman   | 7. Henry L. Nordhoff |
| 2. Hakan S. Edstrom | 5. Kent Kresa         |                      |
| 3. Ronald Consiglio | 6. David H. MacCallum |                      |
- Proposal 2 To approve the MannKind Corporation 2013 Equity Incentive Plan.

Proposal 3 To approve on an advisory basis, the compensation of the named executive officers of MannKind, as disclosed in MannKind's proxy statement for the Annual Meeting.

Proposal 4 To ratify the selection by the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors of Deloitte & Touche L.L.P. as independent registered public accounting firm of MannKind for its fiscal year ending December 31, 2013.