UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14A

(Rule 14a-101) INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROXY STATEMENT SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Filed by the Registrant \boxtimes Filed by a party other than the Registrant \square

Check the appropriate box:

Preliminary Proxy Statement

□ Confidential, for Use of the Commission Only (as permitted by Rule 14a-6(e)(2))

Definitive Proxy Statement

Definitive Additional Materials

□ Soliciting Material Pursuant to §240.14a-12

MEDICAL PROPERTIES TRUST, INC.

(Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Not applicable.

(Name of Person(s) Filing Proxy Statement, if other than the Registrant)

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☑ No fee required.

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Fee computed on table in exhibit required by Item 25 (b) per Exchange Act Rules 14a-6 (i) (1) and D-11.

MEDICAL PROPERTIES TRUST, INC.

May 26, 2022

PROXY VOTING INSTRUCTIONS

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INTERNET - Access "www.voteproxy.com" and follow the on-screen instructions or scan the QR code with your smartphone. Have your proxy card available when you access the web page.

TELEPHONE - Call toll-free 1-800-PROXIES (1-800-776-9437) in the United States or 1-718-921-8500 from foreign countries from any touch-tone telephone and follow the instructions. Have your proxy card available when you call.

Vote online/phone until 11:59 PM EST the day before the meeting.

MAIL - Sign, date and mail your proxy card in the envelope provided as soon as possible.

IN PERSON - You may vote your shares in person by attending the Annual Meeting on May 26, 2022 at 10:30 a.m. Central Time at The UAB Collat School of Business, 710 13th Street South, Brimingham, Alabama 35233.

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COMPANY NUMBER	
ACCOUNT NUMBER	

Important Notice Regarding Internet Availability of Proxy Materials for the Annual Meeting:

The Notice and Proxy Statement, Annual Report and 2021 Form 10-K

are available at www.medicalpropertiestrust.com

🕴 Please detach along perforated line and mail in the envelope provided IE you are not voting via telephone or the Internet. 🖠

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMENDS THAT YOU VOTE "FOR" ALL NOMINEES AND "FOR" PROPOSALS 2. 3 AND 4.

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PLEASE SIGN, DATE AND RETURN PROMPTLY IN THE ENCLOSED ENVELOPE. PLEASE MARK YOUR VOTE IN BLUE OR BLACK INK AS SHOWN HERE 🗵				
	1.	To elect nine directors	FOR AGAINST ABSTAIN	
THIS PROXY IS SOLICITED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COMPANY AND WILL BE VOTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE UNDERSIGNED'S INSTRUCTIONS SET FORTH HEREIN. UNLESS DIRECTION IS GIVEN TO THE CONTRARY, THIS PROXY WILL BE VOTED "FOR" ALL NOMINEES AND "FOR" EACH OF PROPOSALS 2, 3 AND 4.		Edward K. Aldag, Jr.		
		G. Steven Dawson		
		R. Steven Hamner		
		Caterina A. Mozingo		
		Emily W. Murphy		
		Elizabeth N. Pitman		
		D. Paul Sparks, Jr.		
		Michael G. Stewart		
		C. Reynolds Thompson, III		
	2.	To ratify the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2022.		
	3.	To approve the compensation of the Company's executive officers, on a non-binding basis.	° 🗆 🗆 🗆	
	4.	To approve the Medical Properties Trust, Inc. Amended and Restated 2019 Equity Investment Plan.		
To change the address on your account, please check the box at right and indicate your new address in the address space above. Please note that changes to the registered name(s) on the account may not be submitted via this method.		With respect to any other item of business that properly comes meeting and at any adjournments or postponements thereof, are authorized to vote the undersigned's shares in their discreti	the proxy holders	
Signature of Stockholder Date:		Signature of Stockholder Date		

Note: Please sign exactly as your name or names appear on this Proxy. When shares are held jointy, each holder should sign. When signing as executor, administrator, attorney, bustee or guardian, please give full title as such. If the signer is a corporation, please sign full corporate name by duly authorized officer, giving full title as such. If signer is a partnership, please sign in partnership name by authorized person.