# 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): June 14, 2018

## Rexahn Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

| <b>DELAWARE</b> (State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation)   | <b>001-34079</b> (Commission File Number)                                | 11-3516358<br>(I.R.S. Employer Identific | cation No.)  |  |
|--|--|--|--------------|--|
| 15245 Shady Grove Road, Suite 45.  | ,  | 20850                                    | ,            |  |
| Rockville, MD (Address of principal executive office   | s)   | (Zip Code)                               |              |  |
| Registrant's telepl  | hone number, including area code: (                                      | (240) 268-5300                           |              |  |
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#### Section 5 - Corporate Governance and Management

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

Rexahn Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the "Company") held its 2018 Annual Meeting of Shareholders (the "Annual Meeting") on June 14, 2018. Set forth below are the three proposals that were voted on at the Annual Meeting and the shareholder votes on each such proposal, as certified by the inspector of elections for the Annual Meeting. These proposals are described in further detail in the Company's Definitive Proxy Statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 23, 2018.

On the record date for the Annual Meeting, there were 31,744,439 shares of Company common stock issued, outstanding and entitled to vote. Shareholders holding 23,977,553 shares of Company common stock were present at the Annual Meeting, in person or represented by proxy.

*Proposal 1* – The five nominees named in the Definitive Proxy Statement were elected to serve as directors for a one-year term expiring at the Company's 2019 Annual Meeting of Shareholders. The voting results with respect to each nominee were as follows:

| Director           | For        | Withheld  | Broker Non-Votes |
|--------------------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| Charles Beever     | 10,355,603 | 1,155,792 | 12,466,158       |
| Peter Brandt       | 10,301,351 | 1,210,044 | 12,466,158       |
| Kwang Soo Cheong   | 10,342,253 | 1,169,142 | 12,466,158       |
| Richard J. Rodgers | 10,368,271 | 1,143,124 | 12,466,158       |
| Peter Suzdak       | 10,256,835 | 1,254,560 | 12,466,158       |

*Proposal 2* – The appointment of Baker Tilly Virchow Krause, LLP as the independent registered public accounting firm of the Company for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2018 was ratified by a majority of the votes cast. The voting results are as follows:

| For        | Against   | Abstain |
|------------|-----------|---------|
| 21,780,643 | 1,721,662 | 475,247 |

There were no broker non-votes for *Proposal 2*.

*Proposal 4* – The proposal to approve an adjournment of the Annual Meeting, if necessary, if a quorum is present, to solicit additional proxies if there were not sufficient votes to approval Proposal 3, was approved by a majority of the votes cast. The voting results were as follows:

| For        | Against   | Abstain |
|------------|-----------|---------|
| 17,268,785 | 6,341,591 | 367,175 |

There were no broker non-votes for Proposal 4.

The Annual Meeting was adjourned with respect to Proposal 3, the approval of an amendment to the Company's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation to increase the number of authorized shares of common stock from 50,000,000 to 100,000,000, to solicit additional proxies. The Annual Meeting will reconvene with respect to this proposal at 8:00a.m EDT on Wednesday, June 27, 2018 at the Radisson Hotel, 3 Research Court, Rockville, Maryland 20850.

#### **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.

Date: June 18, 2018

#### REXAHN PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

/s/ Douglas J. Swirsky

Douglas J. Swirsky President and Chief Financial Officer

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