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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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SCHEDULE 14A

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THE MACERICH COMPANY

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THE MACERICH COMPANY



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Meeting Information

Meeting Type: Annual
For holders of record as of: March 10, 2009
Date: June 8, 2009 **Time:** 10:00 A.M., Local Time
Location: The Fairmont Miramar Hotel
101 Wilshire Blvd.
Santa Monica, California

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the company named above.

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at www.proxyvote.com or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.

— Before You Vote —

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Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:

NOTICE AND PROXY STATEMENT 2008 ANNUAL REPORT

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— How To Vote —

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Vote In Person: Many shareholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

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Voting Items

The Board of Directors recommends you vote "FOR" each of the nominees listed in proposal 1 and "FOR" proposals 2 through 4.

1. Election of the following nominees as directors (terms expire in 2010)

Nominees:

1a. Arthur M. Coppola

1b. James S. Cownie

1c. Mason G. Ross

2. Ratification of the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as our independent accountants for the year ending December 31, 2009
3. Approval of our Amended and Restated 2003 Equity Incentive Plan
4. Approval of an amendment to our charter to increase our authorized shares of common stock to 250,000,000 and our total number of authorized shares of stock to 325,000,000
5. Proxies will be voted at the discretion of the persons named in the Proxy, on any other matter that may properly come before the meeting or any postponement(s) or adjournment(s) thereof

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