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AvalonBay Communities Announces 2016 Annual Meeting Details

ARLINGTON, Va.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- **AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES, INC. (NYSE: AVB)** announced today that its 2016 Annual Meeting of Stockholders will be held on Thursday, May 19, 2016 at 8:00 A.M. local time. Stockholders of record of the Company's Common Stock as of the close of business on March 7, 2016 are entitled to vote at and attend the Annual Meeting. The meeting will be held at the offices of the Company, Ballston Tower, 671 N. Glebe Road, Suite 800, Arlington, VA 22203.

About AvalonBay Communities, Inc.

As of December 31, 2015, the Company owned or held a direct or indirect ownership interest in 285 apartment communities containing 83,696 apartment homes in eleven states and the District of Columbia, of which 26 communities were under construction and nine communities were under reconstruction. The Company is an equity REIT in the business of developing, redeveloping, acquiring and managing apartment communities in the leading metropolitan areas in New England, the New York/New Jersey Metro area, the Mid-Atlantic, the Pacific Northwest, and the Northern and Southern California regions of the United States. More information may be found on the Company's website at <http://www.avalonbay.com>.

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