

**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): September 13, 2016

WESTELL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware
**(State of other jurisdiction
of incorporation)**

0-27266
**(Commission
File Number)**

36-3154957
**(IRS Employer
Identification No.)**

750 North Commons Drive, Aurora, Illinois
(Address of principal executive offices)

60504
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (630) 898-2500

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 5.07. SUBMISSION OF MATTERS TO A VOTE OF SECURITY HOLDERS

The Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the “Annual Meeting”) of the Company was held on September 13, 2016. At the Annual Meeting, the stockholders voted on the following three proposals and cast their votes as described below.

Proposal 1-Election of Directors:

Each person duly elected at the Annual Meeting to serve as a director until the Company’s 2017 Annual Meeting of Stockholders received the number of votes indicated beside his or her name below.

Nominee	For	Withheld	Broker Non-Vote
J. Thomas Gruenwald	68,558,617	10,227,824	18,557,932
Fared Adib	68,481,237	10,305,204	18,557,932
Jeannie H. Diefenderfer	70,183,790	8,602,651	18,557,932
Robert W. Foskett	62,250,214	16,536,227	18,557,932
Dennis O. Harris	68,190,164	10,596,277	18,557,932
Martin D. Hernandez	68,279,955	10,506,486	18,557,932
Robert C. Penny III	62,216,417	16,570,024	18,557,932

Proposal 2-Ratification of the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP, independent auditors, as auditors for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2017. This proposal was approved.

	For	Against	Abstain
Appointment of independent auditors	92,424,314	3,190,481	1,729,578

Proposal 3-Advisory Vote to approve Executive Compensation, as described in the proxy materials. This proposal was approved.

	For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Vote
Advisory Vote to approve Executive Compensation	68,488,389	10,083,406	214,646	18,557,932

Item 7.01. REGULATION FD

On September 16, 2016, Westell Technologies, Inc. responded to Cove Street Capital, LLC’s August 11, 2016 letter. A copy of the letter is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Letter to Cove Street Capital, LLC, dated September 16, 2016.

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.

WESTELL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Date: September 16, 2016

By: /s/ Thomas P. Minichiello

Thomas P. Minichiello
Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer,
Treasurer and Secretary



September 16, 2016

Mr. Jeffrey Bronchick, CFA
Cove Street Capital
2101 E. El Segundo Blvd., Suite 302
El Segundo, CA 90245

Dear Jeff:

With respect to the matters raised in your letter of August 11, 2016, Westell's Board, with the assistance of Alvarez & Marsal, a global consulting firm with expertise in business performance improvement and turnaround management services, reviewed the implementation of the comprehensive expense reduction plan that the Board approved in July.

As we noted at our Annual Meeting of Stockholders, that plan is being implemented with great speed and focus, and the Board continues to believe it is likely to be successful in achieving its objective of reducing Westell's cost structure significantly, positioning the Company to generate stockholder value.

The Board appreciates your perspectives, as we do all stockholders', expressed most recently at our Annual Meeting. We have a substantial equity stake in Westell and are committed to increasing the value of all stockholders' investments. Having reviewed the cost reduction plan's implementation, we believe its continued execution is the best way to accomplish that objective.

Very truly yours,

/s/ J. Thomas Gruenwald
J. Thomas Gruenwald
Chairman, President and CEO

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