

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 14A

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROXY STATEMENT

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

Exchange Act of 1934

Filed by the Registrant

Filed by a Party other than the Registrant

Check the appropriate box:

Preliminary proxy statement

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Definitive proxy statement

Definitive additional materials

Soliciting material under § 240.14a-12

Sun Communities, Inc.

Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter

N/A

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

Payment of filing fee (check the appropriate box):

No fee required.

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4. Date filed:

SUN COMMUNITIES, INC.
ATTN: INVESTOR RELATIONS
27777 FRANKLIN ROAD, SUITE 200
SOUTHFIELD, MI 48034

VOTE BY INTERNET - www.proxyvote.com

Use the Internet to transmit your voting instructions and for electronic delivery of information up until 11:59 P.M. Eastern Time the day before the cut-off date or meeting date. Have your proxy card in hand when you access the web site and follow the instructions to obtain your records and to create an electronic voting instruction form.

ELECTRONIC DELIVERY OF FUTURE PROXY MATERIALS

If you would like to reduce the costs incurred by our company in mailing proxy materials, you can consent to receiving all future proxy statements, proxy cards and annual reports electronically via e-mail or the Internet. To sign up for electronic delivery, please follow the instructions above to vote using the Internet and, when prompted, indicate that you agree to receive or access proxy materials electronically in future years.

VOTE BY PHONE - 1-800-690-6903

Use any touch-tone telephone to transmit your voting instructions up until 11:59 P.M. Eastern Time the day before the cut-off date or meeting date. Have your proxy card in hand when you call and then follow the instructions.

VOTE BY MAIL

Mark, sign and date your proxy card and return it in the postage-paid envelope we have provided or return it to Vote Processing, c/o Broadridge, 51 Mercedes Way, Edgewood, NY 11717.

TO VOTE, MARK BLOCKS BELOW IN BLUE OR BLACK INK AS FOLLOWS:

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KEEP THIS PORTION FOR YOUR RECORDS
 DETACH AND RETURN THIS PORTION ONLY

THIS PROXY CARD IS VALID ONLY WHEN SIGNED AND DATED.

SUN COMMUNITIES, INC.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMENDS A VOTE "FOR" PROPOSALS 1, 2 AND 3, AND A VOTE FOR ONE-YEAR ON PROPOSAL 4.

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|----|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. | Election of Directors | For | Against | Abstain | | | | |
| | 1a. Gary A. Shiffman | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | |
| | 1b. Ronald L. Piasecki | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | |
| | | | | | For | Against | Abstain | |
| 2. | Ratify the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as the Company's independent registered accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2011. | | | | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 3. | To approve, by non-binding vote, executive compensation. | | | | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| | | | | | 1 Year | 2 Years | 3 Years | Abstain |
| 4. | To recommend, by non-binding vote, the frequency of executive compensation votes. | | | | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

NOTE: The appointed proxies are authorized to vote upon all matters incidental to the conduct of the Annual Meeting and such other business as may properly come before the Annual Meeting in accordance with their best judgment.

For address change/comments, mark here.
 (see reverse for instructions) **Yes** **No**

Please indicate if you plan to attend this meeting.

Please sign exactly as your name(s) appear(s) hereon. When signing as attorney, executor, administrator, or other fiduciary, please give full title as such. Joint owners should each sign personally. All holders must sign. If a corporation or partnership, please sign in full corporate or partnership name, by authorized officer.

 Signature [PLEASE SIGN WITHIN BOX] Date

 Signature (Joint Owners) Date

Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Annual Meeting:
The Notice and Proxy Statement and Annual Report are available at www.proxyvote.com.

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SUN COMMUNITIES, INC.
Annual Meeting of Shareholders
July 27, 2011 11:00 AM
This proxy is solicited by the Board of Directors

The undersigned hereby appoints Gary A. Shiffman and Karen J. Dearing, or either of them, as attorneys and proxies of the undersigned shareholder, with full power of substitution, to vote on behalf of the undersigned and in his or her name and stead, all shares of the common stock of Sun Communities, Inc. (the "Company") which the undersigned would be entitled to vote if personally present at the Company's Annual Meeting of Shareholders to be held at 27777 Franklin Road, Suite 100, Southfield, Michigan 48034 on Wednesday, July 27, 2011 at 11:00 a.m., and at any adjournments thereof.

This proxy, when properly executed, will be voted in the manner directed herein. If no such direction is made, this proxy will be voted in accordance with the Board of Directors' recommendations.

Address Changes/Comments: _____

(If you noted any Address Changes/Comments above, please mark corresponding box on the reverse side.)

Continued and to be signed on reverse side

