

MEDIA GENERAL INC  
Form DEFA14A  
March 12, 2010

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**SCHEDULE 14A**

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**Media General, Inc.**

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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**IMPORTANT NOTICE** Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials

**MEDIA GENERAL, INC.**

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF  
STOCKHOLDERS**

**Meeting Information**

**Meeting Type:** Annual

**For holders as of:** February 26, 2010

**Date:** April 22, 2010 **Time:** 11:00 a.m. EDT

**Location:** Richmond Newspapers Production Facility

8460 Times-Dispatch Boulevard

Mechanicsville, VA

*MEDIA GENERAL, INC.*

*P.O. BOX 85333  
RICHMOND, VA 23293-0001*

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

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**Before You Vote**

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1. NOTICE AND PROXY STATEMENT      2. ANNUAL REPORT

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**Voting Items**

**THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMENDS**

**A VOTE FOR ALL NOMINEES LISTED BELOW.**

**Item 1. Election of Directors.**

**CLASS A DIRECTORS**

NOMINEES:

01) Scott D. Anthony

02) Dennis J. FitzSimons

03) Carl S. Thigpen

**Voting Items**

**THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMENDS A**

**VOTE FOR ALL NOMINEES LISTED BELOW.**

**Item 1. Election of Directors.**

**CLASS B DIRECTORS**

NOMINEES:

- 01) O. Reid Ashe, Jr.
- 02) J. Stewart Bryan III
- 03) Diana F. Cantor
- 04) Marshall N. Morton
- 05) Thompson L. Rankin
- 06) Rodney A. Smolla
- 07) Walter E. Williams
- 08) Coleman Wortham III

