# ECURITIES 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): October 30, 2019



# A-MARK PRECIOUS METALS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

11-2464169

(I.R.S. employer identification no.)

001-36347

(Commission file number)

**Delaware**(State or other jurisdiction of

| inco  | orporation or organization)  |  |  |                               |  |  |  |  |
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|   | 2121 Rosecrans Avenue<br>Suite 6300<br>El Segundo, CA  |  | 90245  |                               |  |  |  |  |
| (Address of principal executive offices)  |  |  | (Zip code)   |                               |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | Registrant's telephone number, including ar    | ea code: (310) 587-1477                            |                               |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | Not Applicable                                 |  |                               |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | (Former Name or Former Address, if Cha         | nged Since Last Report)                            |                               |  |  |  |  |
|   | propriate box below if the Form 8-K instruction A.2. below):   | iling is intended to simultaneously satisfy th | e filing obligation of the registrant under any of | f the following provisions    |  |  |  |  |
|   | Written communications pursuant  | to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFF   | 2 230.425)   |                               |  |  |  |  |
|   | Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)                 |  |  |                               |  |  |  |  |
|   | Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) |  |  |                               |  |  |  |  |
|   | Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) |  |  |                               |  |  |  |  |
| Securities reg  | istered pursuant to Section 12(b) of th  | e Act:   |  |                               |  |  |  |  |
|   | Title of each class  | Trading symbol(s)                              | Name of exchange on which is a                     | egistered                     |  |  |  |  |
| Com   | mon Stock, par value \$0.01  | AMRK   | NASDAQ Global Select Ma                            | arket                         |  |  |  |  |
|   | heck mark whether the registrant is an 2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 19 Emerging growth company  |  | defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 193   | 33 (§230.405 of this chapter) |  |  |  |  |
| If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. $\Box$ |  |  |  |                               |  |  |  |  |
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#### Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

#### Results of Annual Meeting

On October 30, 2019, A-Mark Precious Metals, Inc. (the "Company") held its Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the "Meeting") in El Segundo, California. Of the 7,031,450 shares of common stock outstanding and entitled to vote as of the record date, 5,993,040 shares, or approximately 85.23%, were present in person or represented by proxy at the Meeting. At the Meeting, the Company's stockholders (1) approved the election of all of the nominees as directors to hold office until the 2020 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and until their respective successors are elected and qualified or until their earlier resignation or removal, (2) on an advisory basis, approved the fiscal year 2019 compensation of the named executive officers of the Company, (3) ratified the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020, and (4) approved an amendment to the Company's 2014 Stock Award and Incentive Plan.

The final results of the voting on the matters submitted to the stockholders were as follows:

# 1) Election of Directors

| Nominee                | FOR       | Withheld | Broker<br>Non-Vote | % Votes For (Based on Total Shares) | % Votes For (Based on Total Shares Voted) |
|------------------------|-----------|----------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| 1. Jeffrey D. Benjamin | 4,006,271 | 145,556  | 1,841,213          | 56.98%                              | 66.85%                                    |
| 2. Ellis Landau        | 4,006,271 | 145,556  | 1,841,213          | 56.98%                              | 66.85%                                    |
| 3 Beverley Lepine      | 4,004,883 | 146,944  | 1,841,213          | 56.96%                              | 66.83%                                    |
| 4. William Montgomery  | 3,991,252 | 160,575  | 1,841,213          | 56.76%                              | 66.60%                                    |
| 5. John U. Moorhead    | 3,991,240 | 160,587  | 1,841,213          | 56.76%                              | 66.60%                                    |
| 6. Jess M. Ravich      | 3,957,917 | 193,910  | 1,841,213          | 56.29%                              | 66.04%                                    |
| 7. Gregory N. Roberts  | 4,006,283 | 145,544  | 1,841,213          | 56.98%                              | 66.85%                                    |

2) Advisory Vote on Fiscal Year 2019 Compensation of the Named Executive Officers

|           |         |         | Broker    | % Votes For             | % Votes For                   |
|-----------|---------|---------|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| FOR       | Against | Abstain | Non-Vote  | (Based on Total Shares) | (Based on Total Shares Voted) |
| 4,059,879 | 85,095  | 6,853   | 1,841,213 | 57.74%                  | 67.74%                        |

3) Ratification of the Appointment of Grant Thornton, LLP as the Company's Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2020

|           |         |         | Broker   | % Votes For             | % Votes For                   |
|-----------|---------|---------|----------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| FOR       | Against | Abstain | Non-Vote | (Based on Total Shares) | (Based on Total Shares Voted) |
| 5,990,899 | 1,079   | 1,062   | _        | 85.2%                   | 99.96%                        |

4) Approval on an Amendment to the 2014 Stock Award and Incentive Plan

|           |         |         | Broker    | % Votes For             | % Votes For                   |
|-----------|---------|---------|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| FOR       | Against | Abstain | Non-Vote  | (Based on Total Shares) | (Based on Total Shares Voted) |
| 4,014,734 | 128,576 | 8,517   | 1,841,213 | 57.1%                   | 66.99%                        |
|           |         |         |           |                         |                               |

#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

# Appointment of Committee Members and Officers

At the Company's Board of Directors meeting held on October 30, 2019, the Board of Directors appointed the following persons to the committees of the Board of Directors:

#### **Audit Committee**

Ellis Landau, Chairman Beverley Lepine William Montgomery John U. Moorhead

# Compensation Committee

John U. Moorhead, Chairman Ellis Landau Jess M. Ravich

#### Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee

Jess M. Ravich, Chairman William Montgomery John U. Moorhead

The Board of Directors also appointed the following officers to the positions set forth below opposite their respective names:

Chairman of the Board Jeffrey D. Benjamin

Chief Executive Officer Greg Roberts

President Thor Gjerdrum

Chief Financial Officer, Kathleen Simpson-Taylor

Executive Vice President and Assistant Secretary

General Counsel, Executive Carol Meltzer

Vice President and Secretary

# **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.

Date: November 4, 2019

A-MARK PRECIOUS METALS, INC.

By: <u>/s/ Carol Meltzer</u> Name: Carol Meltzer

Title: General Counsel and Secretary