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SCHEDULE 14A

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HANMI FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

Not Applicable

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- No fee required.
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Hanmi Financial Corporation Annual Meeting of Stockholders

Wednesday, May 27, 2026 10:30 AM, Pacific Time

Annual Meeting to be held live via the internet - please visit www.proxydocs.com/H AFC for more details.

To attend the meeting online, you must register at www.proxydocs.com/H AFC

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**THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMENDS A VOTE:
FOR ON PROPOSALS 1, 2, 3 AND 4**

PROPOSAL

1. Election of Directors
 - 1.01 John J. Ahn
 - 1.02 Christine P. Ball
 - 1.03 Christie K. Chu
 - 1.04 Harry H. Chung
 - 1.05 Bonita I. Lee
 - 1.06 Gloria J. Lee
 - 1.07 James A. Marasco
 - 1.08 Daniel J. Medici
 - 1.09 David L. Rosenblum
 - 1.10 Thomas J. Williams
 - 1.11 Gideon Yu
2. To provide a non-binding advisory vote to approve the compensation of our Named Executive Officers ("Say-on-Pay" vote).
3. To approve the Hanmi Financial Corporation 2026 Employee Stock Purchase Plan (the "ESPP").
4. To ratify the appointment of Crowe LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2026.

NOTE: To transact such other business as may properly come before the Annual Meeting and at any adjournments or postponements thereof. Management at present knows of no other business to be presented by or on behalf of Hanmi Financial Corporation or its Board of Directors at the Annual Meeting.
