

OSHKOSH CORP  
Form DEFA14A  
January 20, 2009

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington D.C. 20549

**SCHEDULE 14A**

Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. )

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**Oshkosh Corporation**

(Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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On or about January 20, 2009, Oshkosh Corporation (the Company ) commenced mailing a letter (the Letter ) to certain shareholders whose proxy for the Company s annual meeting of shareholders to be held February 3, 2009 (the Annual Meeting ) the Company had not received requesting that such shareholders vote by telephone, via the Internet or by returning a proxy card. The Letter contains statements that may be deemed proxy soliciting materials for purposes of Regulation 14A under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in connection with the Annual Meeting. The contents of the Letter are set forth in their entirety below.

January 20, 2009

Dear Oshkosh Shareholder:

According to our latest records, we have not yet received your proxy for the Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Oshkosh Corporation, to be held on February 3, 2009. **Your Board of Directors recommends that shareholders vote FOR Proposals 1, 2 and 3, and AGAINST Proposal 4.**

Please help your company avoid the expense of further solicitation by voting **TODAY** by telephone, via the Internet, or by signing, dating and returning the enclosed proxy card or voting instruction form in the envelope provided.

If you have already voted your shares by telephone, via the Internet or by returning a proxy, then we thank you for taking the time to submit your vote and you may disregard this letter.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Robert G. Bohn

Robert G. Bohn  
*Chairman and Chief Executive Officer*

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***IMPORTANT - TIME IS SHORT!***

**You can vote your shares by telephone or via the Internet.  
Please follow the easy instructions on the enclosed proxy card or voting instruction form.**

If you have any questions, or need assistance in voting  
your shares, please call our proxy solicitor,

**INNISFREE M&A INCORPORATED  
TOLL-FREE, at 1-888-750-5834.**

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