

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES 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): June 1, 2023

**TELA Bio, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**001-39130**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**45-5320061**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**1 Great Valley Parkway, Suite 24  
Malvern, Pennsylvania**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**19355**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (484) 320-2930

**Not Applicable**  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 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 registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:**

<u>Title of each class</u>	<u>Trading Symbol(s)</u>	<u>Name of each exchange on which registered</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	TELA	Nasdaq Global Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

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.

**Item 5.07****Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.**

On June 1, 2023, TELA Bio, Inc. (the “*Company*”) held its 2023 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the “*Annual Meeting*”). As of April 5, 2023, the record date for the Annual Meeting, there were 19,227,777 outstanding shares of the Company’s common stock. The Annual Meeting was conducted virtually, and the following is a brief description of the final voting results for each of the proposals submitted to a vote of the stockholders at the Annual Meeting, which are described in detail in the Company’s definitive proxy statement for the Annual Meeting, filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on April 17, 2023.

(a) *Proposal 1 — Election of Class I Directors.* Each of Lisa Colleran and Doug Evans were elected to the Board to serve as Class I directors until the 2026 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and until their successors, if any, are elected or appointed, or their earlier death, resignation, retirement, disqualification or removal, as follows:

<b>Name</b>	<b>For</b>	<b>Withheld</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
Lisa Colleran	14,316,642	1,055,675	1,821,457
Doug Evans	13,535,182	1,837,135	1,821,457

(b) *Proposal 2 — Ratification of Independent Registered Public Accountants.* The appointment of KPMG LLP as the Company’s independent registered public accounting firm for the 2023 fiscal year was ratified, as follows:

<b>Votes For</b>	<b>Votes Against</b>	<b>Abstentions</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
17,188,505	3,312	1,957	–

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**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.

TELA BIO, INC.

By: /s/ Antony Koblisch

Name: *Antony Koblisch*

Title: *President, Chief Executive Officer and Director*

Date: June 2, 2023

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