

## **Helix BioMedix Announces Annual Meeting of Shareholders**

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Helix BioMedix (OTC BB: HXBM.OB) announced today the company will hold its Annual Meeting of Shareholders at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, April 30, 2004 at the Wyndham Garden Hotel, Boardroom, 19333 North Creek Parkway, Bothell, Washington. Holders of common stock of record as of close of business on March 24, 2004, are entitled to receive notice of and vote at the Annual Meeting of Shareholders. Shareholders will be asked to vote on the election of one Class I Director and to ratify the appointment of KPMG LLP as the company's independent auditor.

This event will be web cast and may be accessed on the Investor Relations portion of the Helix BioMedix web site at [www.helixbiomedix.com](http://www.helixbiomedix.com) (or by accessing [www.actioncast.acttel.com](http://www.actioncast.acttel.com) directly). Please enter event ID number 22128.

### **About Helix BioMedix:**

Helix BioMedix, Inc. is an early-stage biotechnology company whose mission is to become the industry leader in developing and commercializing bioactive peptides (small proteins). The antimicrobial and wound healing properties of these peptides qualify them for inclusion in a wide range of both pharmaceutical and consumer products. The company is currently focused on the development of selected peptides as pharmaceutical agents for use in treating cystic fibrosis, sexually-transmitted diseases, and in wound healing. Non-pharmaceutical applications being pursued include adjuvants for cosmetics/cosmeceuticals and wide-spectrum biocides. More information about the company can be found on the company's website at [www.helixbiomedix.com](http://www.helixbiomedix.com).

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