

**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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<b>Check the appropriate box:</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Preliminary Proxy Statement
<input type="checkbox"/>	CONFIDENTIAL, FOR USE OF THE COMMISSION ONLY (AS PERMITTED BY RULE 14a-6(e)(2))
<input type="checkbox"/>	Definitive Proxy Statement
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Definitive Additional Materials
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**Progress Software Corporation**

*(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)*

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No fee required.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee paid previously with preliminary materials.
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# Your **Vote** Counts!

PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION

2026 Annual Meeting

Vote by May 6, 2026

11:59 PM Eastern Time

PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION  
15 WAYSIDE ROAD, SUITE 400  
BURLINGTON, MA 01803



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## You invested in PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION and it's time to vote!

You have the right to vote on proposals being presented at the Annual Meeting. **This is an important notice regarding the availability of proxy materials for the stockholder meeting to be held on May 7, 2026.**

### Get informed before you vote

View the Proxy Statement and Form 10-K online OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the material(s) by requesting prior to April 23, 2026. If you would like to request a copy of the material(s) for this and/or future stockholder meetings, you may (1) visit [www.ProxyVote.com](http://www.ProxyVote.com), (2) call 1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to [sendmaterial@proxyvote.com](mailto:sendmaterial@proxyvote.com). If sending an email, please include your control number (indicated below) in the subject line. Unless requested, you will not otherwise receive a paper or email copy.



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Point your camera here and vote without entering a control number



#### Vote Virtually at the Meeting\*

May 7, 2026  
10:00 AM Eastern Time

Virtually at:

[www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/PRGS2026](http://www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/PRGS2026)

\*Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance.

## THIS IS NOT A VOTABLE BALLOT

This is an overview of the proposals being presented at the upcoming stockholder meeting. Please follow the instructions on the reverse side to vote these important matters.

Voting Items	Board Recommends
1. Election of Directors <b>Nominees:</b> 01) Paul T. Dacier      04) Yogesh K. Gupta      07) David A. Krall 02) John R. Egan      05) Charles F. Kane      08) Angela T. Tucci 03) Rainer Gawlick      06) Samskriti Y. King      09) Vivian M. Vitale	 For
2. To approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation of Progress Software Corporation's named executive officers.	 For
3. To approve an increase in the number of shares authorized for issuance under the Progress Software Corporation 2008 Stock Option and Incentive Plan, as Amended and Restated.	 For
4. To approve an increase in the number of shares authorized for issuance under the Progress Software Corporation 1991 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, as Amended and Restated.	 For
5. To ratify the selection of Deloitte & Touche LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for fiscal year 2026.	 For

**NOTE:** The named proxies are authorized to vote upon such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

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