

**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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ELI LILLY AND COMPANY

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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LILLY CORPORATE CENTER
C/O GENERAL COUNSEL AND SECRETARY
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46285

Your **Vote** Counts!

ELI LILLY AND COMPANY

2026 Annual Meeting
Vote by May 3, 2026
11:59 PM EDT



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You invested in ELI LILLY AND COMPANY 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 shareholder meeting to be held on May 4, 2026.**

Get informed before you vote

View the Annual Report, Notice of 2026 Annual Meeting of Shareholders and Proxy Statement online OR you can receive a free paper or email copy of the material(s) by requesting prior to April 20, 2026. If you would like to request a copy of the material(s) for this and/or future shareholder meetings, you may (1) visit www.ProxyVote.com, (2) call 1-800-579-1639 or (3) send an email to 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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Vote Virtually at the Meeting*

May 4, 2026
9:30 a.m. EDT

Virtually at:
www.virtualshareholdermeeting.com/LLY2026

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

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THIS IS NOT A VOTABLE BALLOT

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

Voting Items	Board Recommends
1. Election of the following directors, each to serve a three-year term.	
1a. Carolyn Bertozzi	✔ For
1b. William Kaelin, Jr.	✔ For
1c. Jon Moeller	✔ For
1d. David Ricks	✔ For
2. Approval, on an advisory basis, of the compensation paid to the company's named executive officers.	✔ For
3. Ratification of the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the independent auditor for 2026.	✔ For
4. Approval of amendments to the company's articles of incorporation to eliminate the classified board structure.	✔ For
5. Approval of amendments to the company's articles of incorporation to eliminate supermajority voting provisions.	✔ For
6. Shareholder proposal to adopt a policy and amend the bylaws to require an independent board chair.	✘ Against
7. Shareholder proposal to prepare an annual lobbying report.	✘ Against

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