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): **November 20, 2026**

BENTLEY SYSTEMS, INCORPORATED
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	**001-39548**	**95-3936623**
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
685 Stockton Drive **Exton, Pennsylvania** (Address of principal executive offices)		**19341** (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(610) 458-5000**

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)

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☐ 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:

Title of each class	**Trading Symbol**	**Name of each exchange on which registered**
Class B Common Stock, $0.01 Par Value	BSY	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC

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 8.01 Other Events.

On November 20, 2026, Bentley Systems, Incorporated (the "Company") announced that its Board of Directors (the "Board") increased by one cent the Company's regular quarterly dividend effective from the fourth quarter of 2026 and declared a $0.08 per share dividend for the fourth quarter of 2026. The cash dividend will be payable on December 10, 2026 to all stockholders of record of Class A and Class B common stock as of the close of business on December 1, 2026.

A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release dated November 20, 2026
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

SIGNATURE

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.

Bentley Systems, Incorporated

Date: November 20, 2026

By: /s/ DAVID R. SHAMAN
Name: David R. Shaman
Title: Chief Legal Officer and Secretary

Exhibit 99.1

Bentley Systems, Incorporated Declares Fourth Quarter 2026 Dividend
Increased Quarterly Cash Dividend

EXTON, PA. – November 20, 2026 – Bentley Systems, Incorporated (Nasdaq: BSY) (the "Company"), the infrastructure engineering software company, today announced that its Board of Directors (the "Board") increased by one cent the Company's regular quarterly dividend effective from the fourth quarter of 2026 and declared a $0.08 per share dividend for the fourth quarter of 2026. The cash dividend is payable on December 10, 2026, to all stockholders of record of Class A and Class B common stock as of the close of business on December 1, 2026.

About Bentley Systems

Around the world, infrastructure professionals rely on software from Bentley Systems to help them design, build, and operate better and more resilient infrastructure for transportation, water, energy, cities, and more. Founded in 1984 by engineers for engineers, Bentley is the partner of choice for engineering firms and owner-operators worldwide, with software that spans engineering disciplines, industry sectors, and all phases of the infrastructure lifecycle. Through our digital twin solutions, we help infrastructure professionals unlock the value of their data to transform project delivery and asset performance.

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This press release contains statements that are not historical in nature and that are intended to be, and are hereby identified as, "forward looking statements" as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, including statements regarding expectations as to the repurchase of Company securities and the payment of a quarterly cash dividend in the foreseeable future. Any future determination as to such transactions will depend upon the financial condition and results of operations of the Company and such other factors as are deemed relevant by the board of directors. For example, macroeconomic conditions, pandemic consequences, a change in business needs including working capital, or a change in income tax law relating to dividends, could cause the company to decide not to repurchase securities or to pay a dividend in the future. A discussion of other risks and uncertainties is included in the company's filings with the SEC, including its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2025, and subsequent filings.

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