Minutes of Tax Levy Meeting

The Board of Education
Waunakee Community School District

A Tax Levy Meeting of the Board of Education of Waunakee Community School District was held Monday, October 26, 2026, beginning at 7:00 PM in the Waunakee Community School District, 905 Bethel Circle, Waunakee, WI 53597.

I. **CALL TO ORDER**
President Ensign called the meeting to order at 7:00pm

II. **ROLL CALL**
Present: Eaton, Ensign, Frey, Hetzel, Murray, Sonne, Thornberg
Also present: Brown, Newton, Summers, Schell

III. **APPROVE AGENDA**
A motion was made by Murray, seconded by Sonne, to approve the agenda as posted. Motion carried 7-0.

IV. **PUBLIC COMMENTS**
There were no public comments for this meeting.

V. **RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF APPROXIMATELY $5,425,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2026**
Summers presented and answered questions regarding the resolution. The updated resolution was included in Boardbook.
A motion was made by Hetzel, seconded by Sonne, to approve the resolution authorizing the issuance and sale of $5,310,000.00 general obligation refunding bonds, series 2026. Motion carried 7-0.

VI. **2026-2027 BUDGET & TAX LEVY APPROVAL**
The purpose of this agenda item is to review the final steps of the 26-27 budget process, and to request School Board approval of the budget and tax levy. Newton provided an overview of the final steps in the budget process and additional budget and tax levy documents.

A. Budget Changes
Newton presented and answered questions regarding the 26-27 budget process.
A motion was made by Sonne, second by Frey to approve the budget as presented. Motion carried 7-0.

B. Tax Levy Changes and Certification
Newton presented and answered questions regarding the Tax Levy Changes and certification.
A motion was made by Hetzel, seconded by Eaton, to approve the tax levy as proposed. Motion carried 7-0.

VII. **ADJOURN**
A motion was made by Sonne, second by Eaton, to adjourn the meeting at 7:36pm. Motion carried 7-0.