RESOLUTION CANVASSING RETURNS OF SPECIAL ELECTION CERTIFICATION OF MINUTES RELATING TO SPECIAL ELECTION

Issuer: Independent School District No. 2689 (Pipestone Area Schools), Minnesota

Governing Body: School Board

Kind, date, time and place of meeting: A special meeting held on November 9, 2026 at 6:00 p.m. in the Conference Room 1148, Pipestone Area Schools.

Members present: Wiese, Fruechte, Likness, Taubert, and DeBates

Members absent: Carson, Hiniker

Documents attached:

Minutes of said meeting (including):

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I, the undersigned, being the duly qualified and acting recording officer of the public corporation referred to in the title of this certificate, certify that the documents attached hereto, as described above, have been carefully compared with the original records of said corporation in my legal custody, from which they have been transcribed; that said documents are a correct and complete transcript of the minutes of a meeting of the governing body of said corporation, and correct and complete copies of all resolutions and other actions taken and of all documents approved by the governing body at said meeting; and that said meeting was duly held by the governing body at the time and place and was attended throughout by the members indicated above, pursuant to call and notice of such meeting given as required by law.

WITNESS my hand officially as such recording officer on _____, 2026.

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School District Clerk

The Clerk presented affidavits showing filing, mailing, publishing and posting of notice, in accordance with the resolution adopted July 27, 2026, of the special election held November 3, 2026, to vote on the question on approval of revoking an existing referendum revenue authorization and replacing it with a new referendum revenue authorization of the District. The Clerk also presented the Official Returns and Summary Statements of Judges. The affidavits and the Official Returns and Summary Statements of Judges were duly examined, approved and ordered placed on file in the office of the Clerk.

Member _____ introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption, which motion was seconded by Member _____:

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BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of Independent School District No. 2689 (Pipestone Area Schools), Minnesota that the special election held in and for the School District on November 3, 2026, was in all respects duly and legally called and held, the returns thereof have been duly canvassed, and the votes cast at the special election for and against the question submitted to the electors was as follows:

School District Question
Revoking Existing Referendum Revenue Authorization;
Approving New Authorization

The board of Independent School District No. 2689 (Pipestone Area Schools), Minnesota has proposed to revoke the School District's existing referendum revenue authorization of $474.26 per pupil and to replace that authorization with a new authorization of $1,500 per pupil, subject to an annual increase at the rate of inflation. The proposed referendum revenue authorization would be first levied in 2026 for taxes payable in 2027 and applicable for ten (10) years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law.

○	**YES**	Shall the revocation of the existing referendum authorization and the approval of the new authorization proposed by the board of Independent School District No. 2689 (Pipestone Area Schools), Minnesota be approved?
○	**NO**	

BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING FOR A PROPERTY TAX INCREASE

The ballot question, having [not] received the approval of a majority of the votes cast, is hereby declared [not] to have carried.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 205A.07, subdivision 3a, the Clerk is hereby instructed to notify the Commissioner of Education of the results of the special election and to provide the certified vote totals for each ballot question in written form within 15 days after the results have been certified by the Board.

Upon vote being taken thereon, the following voted in favor thereof:

and the following voted against the same:

whereupon the resolution was declared duly passed and adopted and was signed by the Chairperson and attested by the Clerk.

_____
Chairperson

Attest: _____
School District Clerk