

SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY ELECTION RESOLUTION

**JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT #331
MINIDOKA, CASSIA, JEROME AND LINCOLN COUNTIES**

A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY ELECTION

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 33-802 (3), Idaho Code, as amended, the Board of Trustees of Joint School District No. 331, Minidoka, Cassia, Jerome and Lincoln Counties, State of Idaho (the "District") has determined there is a need for a Supplemental Levy in the amount of \$2,250,000 per year for two (2) years, for the purpose of paying all lawful expenses of maintaining and operating the District for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2020, and ending June 30, 2022.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the District as follows:

- SECTION 1. That a supplemental levy election be and the same is hereby called to be held in the District on Tuesday, November 5, 2019 for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the District the question set out in the form of the ballot appearing in Section 3 hereof.
- SECTION 2. That on November 5, 2019 said election will be administered by the Minidoka County Elections Department, in conjunction with election clerks of Cassia, Jerome and Lincoln Counties (collectively, the "Counties"), pursuant to and in accordance with Title 34, Idaho Code.
- SECTION 3. That voting at said election shall be by secret and separate ballot, and the ballot shall be forwarded to the election clerks of each of the Counties for election preparation, in substantially the following form:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY ELECTION

**JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 331,
MINIDOKA, CASSIA, JEROME AND LINCOLN COUNTIES, STATE OF IDAHO**

November 5, 2019

QUESTION: Shall the Board of Trustees of Joint School District No. 331, Minidoka, Cassia, Jerome and Lincoln Counties, State of Idaho, be authorized and empowered to levy a Supplemental Levy in the amount of Two Million two hundred fifty thousand and no/ dollars (\$2,250,000) per year for two (2) years, commencing with the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2020 and ending June 30, 2022, for the purpose of financing any lawful expenses of maintaining and operating the District; all as provided in the Resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees on August 19, 2019?

The estimated average annual cost to the taxpayer on the proposed levy is a tax of \$148.47 per \$100,000 of taxable assessed value. Currently, the District collects a supplemental levy authorized in the same amount of \$2,250,000 which will expire when the proposed levy goes into effect, so the proposed levy will not increase the current average annual cost to the taxpayer.

IN FAVOR OF AUTHORIZING A SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,250,000 PER YEAR FOR TWO (2) YEARS	<input type="checkbox"/>
AGAINST AUTHORIZING A SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,250,000 PER YEAR FOR TWO (2) YEARS	<input type="checkbox"/>

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS: To vote on the preceding question, place an “X” in the square to the right of the words “IN FAVOR OF SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY OF \$2,250,000” or “AGAINST SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY OF \$2,250,000” according to the way you desire to vote on the question. All marks otherwise made are forbidden. All distinguishing marks are forbidden and make the ballot void. If you, by mistake or accident, mark, tear, deface, or otherwise mutilate this Ballot, return it to the Election Judges and obtain another Ballot.

(End Form of Official Ballot for Supplemental Levy Election)

SECTION 4. That the Clerk of the Board of Trustees shall convey to the Counties the Official Ballot, set forth in Section 3, above, and the Notice of Election, appearing in Section 6 hereto, for publication pursuant to and in accordance with Title 34, Idaho Code.

SECTION 5. That the County Commissioners of each of the Counties shall act as the canvassing board pursuant to and in accordance with Title 34, Idaho Code and will convey the result to the Board of Trustees of the District as set forth therein.

SECTION 6. That the Notice of Election shall be prepared by the Clerk of the Board of Trustees and shall be provided to the Counties in substantially the following form:

NOTICE OF SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the laws of the State of Idaho and the Levy Election Resolution of the Board of Trustees of Joint School District No. 331, Minidoka, Cassia, Jerome and Lincoln Counties, State of Idaho, adopted on August 19, 2019, a Supplemental Levy Election will be held on November 5, 2019, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of voting upon the following question and proposition of authorizing a levy:

QUESTION: Shall the Board of Trustees of Joint School District No. 331, Minidoka, Cassia, Jerome and Lincoln Counties, State of Idaho be authorized and empowered to levy a Supplemental Levy in the amount of Two million two hundred fifty thousand and no/dollars (\$2,250,000) per year for two (2) years, commencing with the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2020, and ending June 30, 2022, for the purpose of financing any lawful expenses of maintaining and operating the District; all as provided in the Resolution by the Board of Trustees on August 19, 2019?

The estimated average annual cost to the taxpayer on the proposed levy is a tax of \$148.47 per \$100,000 of taxable assessed value based on current conditions and the data above.

Said election shall be held at the following polling places:

Minidoka County Polling Place Locations

1 – Acequia	Acequia Elementary School 360 N 350 E (Acequia), Rupert
2 – Emerson	Burley Inn (Rear Entrance) 800 N. Overland, Burley
3 – Heyburn 1	Minidoka County Fire Protection District Fire Station 1120 21 st St, Heyburn
4 – Heyburn 2	Heyburn City Office 941 18 th St, Heyburn
5 – Paul	Paul City Office 152 S 600 W, Paul
6 – Pioneer	Rupert Elementary School, 202 18 th St, Rupert
7 – Rupert 1	Rupert Civic Building, 624 F St, Rupert
8 – Rupert 2	Rupert Civic Building 624 F St, Rupert
9 – Rupert 3	Rupert Civic Building 624 F St, Rupert
10 – Rupert 4	Rupert Civic Building 624 F St, Rupert
11 – Rupert 5	Rupert Elementary School, 202 18 th St, Rupert
12 – Absentee	Minidoka County Courthouse 715 G St, Rupert

Cassia County Polling Places:

Jackson Precinct	Leo Robbins' Residence, 1199 E 600 N, Jackson
Absentee	Cassia County Courthouse, 1459 Overland Ave., Burley

Jerome County Polling Places:

Hazelton Precinct	Hazelton City Hall 246 Main St. Hazelton, ID 83335
Absentee	Jerome County Courthouse 300 N Lincoln, Rm. 301, Jerome

Lincoln County Polling Place:

Kimama	Mail ballot only
Absentee	Lincoln County Courthouse 111W B St, Suite C, Shoshone

Notice is further given that only qualified electors of the District, eighteen (18) years of age or older, who have resided in the District for thirty (30) days preceding the Levy Election, who are registered or who register at the polls on the day of the Levy Election, as provided by law, are entitled to vote at said election.

Any registered elector of the District may make written application to the clerks of the respective Counties in accordance with law for an absentee ballot, provided that an absentee ballot must be received by the respective County Clerk no later than 8:00 p.m. on the day of the election in order to be counted.

If at said Supplemental Levy Election a simple majority of the qualified registered electors of the District eighteen (18) years of age or older voting at such election assent to the Supplemental Levy for the purpose of financing all lawful expenses of maintaining and operating the schools and facilities of the District, such levy shall be certified and shall become effective, as provided by the Idaho Code.

(End Form of Official Notice of Levy Election)

SECTION 7. That no person shall vote at such Supplemental Levy Election who is not at the time a Qualified Elector as set forth in Titles 33 and 34 Idaho Code.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 19th day of August, 2019.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF JOINT SCHOOL
DISTRICT NO. 331, MINIDOKA, CASSIA,
JEROME AND LINCOLN COUNTIES, STATE
OF IDAHO

By _____
Bonnie Heins, Chair

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

By _____
Kerri Tibbitts, Board Clerk