

# PRESENTATION OF THE TAX LEVY 2025

November 3, 2025



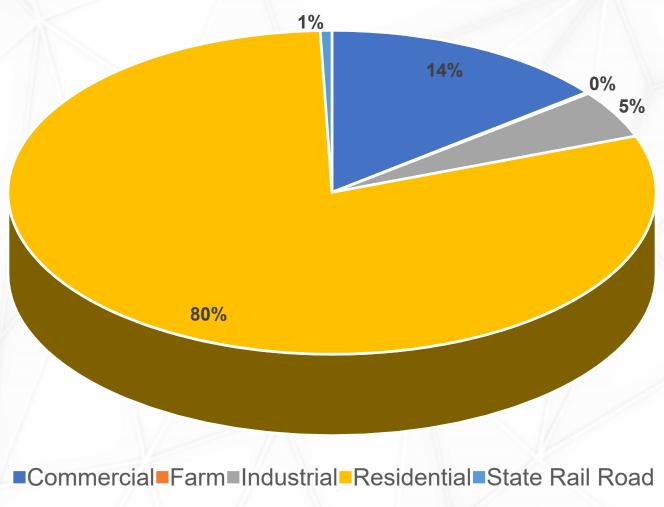
## **Timetable for Tax Levy Adoption**

- October 6, 2025
  - Tax Levy Timeline at the Finance & Personnel Committee Meeting
  - Presentation of the 2025 Tax Levy
  - Alternate Bond Levy Abatement
  - Recommendation to Approve the Estimated Tax Levy
- November 3, 2025
  - Recommendation to Adopt 2025 Tax Levy
- December 31, 2025
  - Deadline to file Levy with the County Clerk
- Spring 2026
  - Final Property Values are released
  - Abatements are finalized
  - Taxes are billed to taxpayers
- June 2026
  - 1<sup>st</sup> installment on tax bills is due to the County Clerk
- September 2026
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> installment on tax bills is due to the County Clerk





## **Property Values by Type**

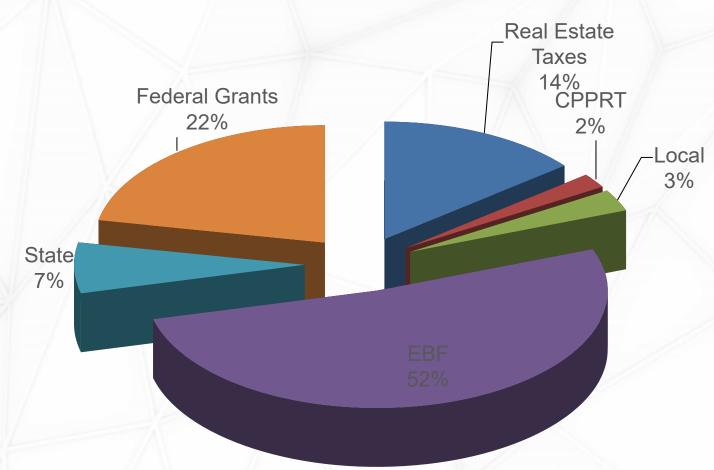






## **Breakdown of Revenues** (FY2025) Non-Audited







### What Factors are used to calculate the Levy?



#### Known Factors

- 2024 total Equalized Assessed Valuation (EAV) = \$1,244,788,710
- 2024 tax extension (not including bonds) = \$37,799,751.88
- Consumer Price Index (CPI) = 2.9% (capped to 5%)
- Maximum levy extension (existing property) for 2025 = \$38,895,994.69

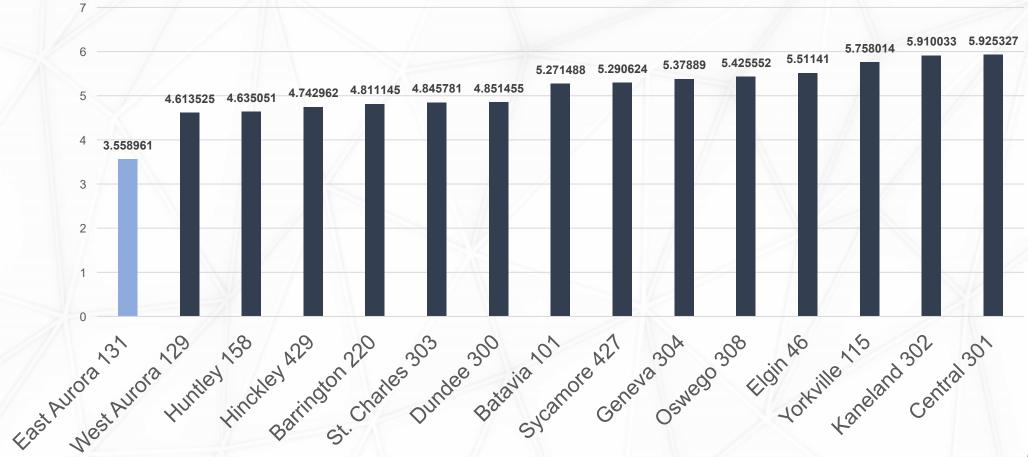
#### Unknown Factors

- New Equalized Assessed Valuation (EAV) for 2025 (Estimate of \$1,388,043,182, up 11.51%)
- New Limiting Rate for 2025
- New Property for 2025 (Estimate of \$3,584,467)



#### How do we compare to other school districts?

Levy Year 2024 Tax Rate







## **Breakdown of Levy Request**



<u>Fund</u>	Descri	<u>ption</u>

Operations & Maintenance Fund

**Transportation Fund** 

Working Cash

**Education Fund** 

Municipal Retirement

**Social Security** 

**Special Education** 

**Total Capped Levy** 

Bond & Interest Levy

Less Abatement

**Total Tax Levy** 

#### **Levy Amount**

\$19,000,000

\$7,350,000

\$5,600,000

\$485,000

\$1,000,000

\$3,900,000

\$2,350,000

\$39,685,000

\$6,562,358

\$350,000

\$45,897,358



## East Aurora School District 131 2025 Tax Levy



- The District is requesting a 4.99% levy.
- The Board of Education will further reduce the extension through a tax abatement so there will be a <u>reduced tax burden of \$350,000</u> to existing property owners.







#### **Expenses**

AFR	Fund 10	Fund 20	Fund 40	Total
FY23	\$ 195,617,837.00	\$ 16,337,557.00	\$ 12,014,839.00	\$ 223,970,233.00
FY24	\$ 198,466,311.00	\$ 18,347,138.00	\$ 18,166,908.00	\$ 234,980,357.00
FY25*	\$ 197,662,229.00	\$ 20,123,375.00	\$ 19,744,742.00	\$ 237,530,346.00
Average	\$ 197,248,792.33	\$ 18,269,356.67	\$ 16,642,163.00	\$ 232,160,312.00

#### \*Fund Balances as of 6/30/2025

	Fund 10	Fund 20	Fund 40
FY25*	\$ 79,457,672.26	\$ 41,714,591.06	\$ 25,390,312.32
Ratio	40.28%	228.33%	152.57%

#### **Total**

\$ 146,562,575.64 63.13%

EAST AURORA SCHOOL DISTRICT 131

<sup>\*</sup>Non-audited as of yet

## Questions





