



MEMO

TO: Board of Education

FROM: Josh Viegut

DATE: October 27, 2025

RE: Final 2025-26 Levy Approval

Administration recommends a final tax levy of \$44,385,271, which is the same as the annual meeting and the same as the previous year. The result is a final gross mill rate of \$6.58 per thousand dollars of equalized valuation which is the same as the proposed mill rate from the annual meeting. The final 2025-26 tax levy information can be found on the attached document.

Subsequent to the Annual Meeting the levy was adjusted to reflect an increase in the private school voucher exemption, an increase in the declining enrollment exemption, an increase in personal private property aid, and a variety of other smaller adjustments for recently revealed student counts, along with a choice to pre-pay additional referendum debt. The result is a final gross mill rate of \$6.58 per thousand dollars of equalized valuation, which is equal to the proposed mill rate from the Annual Meeting and \$.60 less than a year ago.

The gross school tax on a \$100,000 home will decrease \$60 to \$658.

Recommendation for 2025-2026 Final Tax Levy

Action Required: Yes

Note: The final levy must be approved by a vote of two-thirds of the entire Board of Education.

2025-26 final tax levy approval

Motion to adopt a final tax levy of \$44,385,271 representing \$23,255,150 for the General Fund, \$20,038,121 for the Debt Service Funds, and \$1,092,000 for the Community Service Fund.