



**FOREST LAKE AREA SCHOOLS
FOREST LAKE, MN 55025**

September 5, 2013

AGENDA ITEM: 9.2

TOPIC: SET TRUTH IN TAXATION HEARING DATE

BACKGROUND: The School Board annually determines the Truth in Taxation Hearing date at the August or September school board meeting.

PROCESS: Minnesota law requires that school districts hold a Truth in Taxation Hearing at which the current budget and proposed levy will be discussed. At that meeting, the public must be allowed to speak. The meeting must occur between November 25 and December 30 and be held at 6:00 p.m. or later. This meeting may be part of a regularly scheduled meeting.

RECOMMENDATION: The administration recommends conducting the Truth in Taxation Hearing in conjunction with the Regular School Board Meeting on December 5, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. in the School Board Meeting Room at the district office.