

**GOLDENDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT #404  
RESOLUTION NO. 23-24-01**

Setting of Four-Year Replacement Educational and Operations Levy  
For 2024-2025 through 2028-2029 School Years  
For Collection in 2025 through 2030

WHEREAS, the funds available for Goldendale School District No. 404 through presently scheduled programs are insufficient to meet the needs of the district, and

WHEREAS, school districts are authorized special levies by vote of the resident electors of the district, and

WHEREAS, the necessary funds are not available through any other known source;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of Goldendale School District No. 404, Klickitat County, Washington, that a special school election be held in the aforesaid school district on the 13th day of February, 2024, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said school district, for their approval or rejection, the following proposition:

1. That a special election be held in the aforesaid school district on February 13, 2024 for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said school district, for their approval or rejection, the following proposition:

REPLACEMENT EDUCATIONAL AND OPERATIONS LEVY:

The Board of Directors of Goldendale School District No. 404 Adopted Resolution No. 23-24-01, concerning a proposition to fund school educational programs and operations expenditures. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's General Fund educational maintenance and operation expenses:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Approximate Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$2.08	\$2,729,887
2026	\$2.14	\$2,808,634
2027	\$2.20	\$2,887,381
2028	\$2.26	\$2,966,127

all as provided in Resolution No. 23-24-01.

2. *That the proceeds of the aforesaid tax levy be used either with or without additional funds now available, or hereafter available, for the purposes herein stated:*
  - A. *Continue existing levels of programs, staffing*
  - B. *Continue planned program for equipment, building, grounds & maintenance repair.*
  - C. *Continue to meet the increasing cost of utilities and insurance.*


- D. *Maintain our motor pool and transportation services and planned program for bus preventive maintenance and repair.*
- E. *Maintain food services in all three buildings.*
- F. *Provide teacher staff development.*
- G. *Maintain counseling programs and services in all three buildings.*
- H. *Maintain technology/education support and communications with new equipment/upgrades, software, network/infrastructure, repair/maintenance.*
- I. *Maintain Strategic Planning recommendations:*
  - 1. *School nurse*
  - 2. *Career Pathways Specialist/materials*
  - 3. *P.E. Specialist at middle school and primary school.*

- 3. That the Klickitat County Auditor, as ex officio supervisor of elections, be, and she is hereby requested to find and to declare the existence of an emergency, and to call a special election for the purpose of submitting to the electors of the district the proposition herein above set forth, and the school district clerk is directed to transmit to the Klickitat County Auditor a certified copy of this resolution, at least forty-five (45) days prior to the proposed election date, in order that the said auditor may perform such duties as are necessary, and/or required by law, as hereinafter provided, shall be submitted to the voters of the school district at the aforesaid special school election, including the selection of necessary election officials to conduct such election and the publication of the notice of special election as required by law.
- 4. That the ballot title shall be drawn by the prosecuting attorney of Klickitat County, Washington, beneath which shall be provided:

Tax Levy - Yes   
 Tax Levy - No

Dated this 25th day of September, 2023.

  
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 Chairperson

  
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 Member

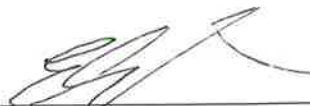
  
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Attested:

  
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 Board Secretary