NEW AUBURN SCHOOL DISTRICT RESOLUTION

Resolution Under Wis. Stat. § 121.91(3)(a) to Exceed Revenue Limit and to Cause Submittal of this Resolution to the Electors on a Referendum Basis for Their Approval or Rejection

WHEREAS, the School Board of the New Auburn School District has determined that it is in the best interests of the students of the District to exceed the revenue cap to meet certain facility, equipment, and programming needs of the School District; and

WHEREAS, the State Legislature has generally imposed a revenue limit upon the amount of monies available from state aid and the local property tax levy; and

WHEREAS, it is deemed by the School Board to be in the best interest of the taxpayers of the District to take advantage of the revenue limit exceedance authority under Wis. Stat. § 121.91, placed in local school districts under that statute; and

WHEREAS, revenue exceedances may either be for a non-recurring or a recurring purpose; and

WHEREAS, the New Auburn School District has the need for a non-recurring exceedance commencing with the 2022-2023 school year and continuing through the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years; and

WHEREAS, the need for the School Board and the electors of the School District to authorize a revenue limit exceedance is the decline in state aid, increasing operational costs, and the need to finance the provision of ongoing services; and

WHEREAS, it is deemed to be appropriate for the School District to submit to electors at the next regular spring election to be held on April 5, 2022, the question of whether or not commencing with the 2022-2023 school year the revenue limit for the school should be exceeded by the sum of \$400,000 and continue through the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years in order to meet operational expenses of the School District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of the New Auburn School District that it shall include revenue in its budget for the 2022-2023 school year and through the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years a sum not to exceed \$400,000 in excess of the revenue limits set forth in Wis. Stat. § 121.91 for the purpose of meeting operational expenses.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that for this purpose the School Board shall add a non-recurring sum for the 2022-2023 school year and the subsequent 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years which shall result in total revenue for each school year in an amount not to exceed the sum

of \$400,000 over and above the revenue cap for each school year, as calculated in accord with the formula under Wis. Stat. § 121.91(2m).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the amount of excess revenue designated hereinabove, subject to approval of the electors, shall be added to the 2022-2023, 2023-2024, and 2024-2025 school year budgets for purposes of calculating the School District revenue limit.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 121.91(3), this Resolution shall be submitted to the electors of the School District for approval or rejection at the spring primary election to be held April 5, 2022.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said referendum question shall be placed on the ballot in accord with the law and that the School District Clerk shall perform all required duties in relationship thereto.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall not be effective until ratified by the electors upon the referendum election called for in this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in accord with Wis. Stat. § 121.91(3)(a), within 10 days after the adoption hereof, the School District Clerk shall notify the Department of Public Instruction of the scheduled date of the referendum and submit a copy of this Resolution to the Department.

Dated this \(\frac{1}{2} \) day of \(\frac{1

NEW AUBURN SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHOOL BOARD

Lindy Reimer, President

By: Jui Cocky Louise Cody, Clerk Type "A" Notice §10.01(2)(a), Wis. Stats.

NOTICE OF ELECTION (Sec. 121.91, Wis. Stats.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at a referendum election to be held in the New Auburn School District on April 5, 2022, the following question will be on the ballot:

Shall the New Auburn School District be allowed to exceed the revenue limit specified in § 121.91, Wis. Stats., by up to \$400,000 per year commencing with the 2022-2023 school year and continuing through the 2023-24 and 2024-25 school years on a nonrecurring basis for the purpose of sustaining facilities, equipment, and programming.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that an elector desiring a copy of the School Board resolution directing submission of the question to the electors and information concerning District boundaries may be picked up in person at the New Auburn School District located at 704 North East Street, New Auburn, Wisconsin, during normal business hours.

Dated this 18 day of January, 2022

Louise Cody, Clerk

New Auburn School District

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FACSIMILE BALLOT NOTICE OF REFERENDUM ELECTION

Office of the New Auburn School District.

To the Electors of the New Auburn School District:

Notice is hereby given of a referendum election to be held in the New Auburn School District on the 5th day of April, 2022, at which the referendum question set forth in the sample ballot below shall be submitted to a vote.

INFORMATION TO ELECTORS

Upon entering the polling place, an elector shall give his or her name and address before being permitted to vote. Where ballots are distributed to electors, the initials of two inspectors must appear on the ballot. Upon being permitted to vote, the elector shall retire alone to a voting booth or machine and cast his or her ballot, except that an elector who is a parent or guardian may be accompanied by the elector's minor child or minor ward. An election official may inform the elector of the proper manner for casting a vote, but the official may not in any manner advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

On referenda questions where paper ballots are used, the elector shall make a cross (X) in the square at the left of the answer which he or she intends to give. If in favor of the question, the elector shall make a cross (X) in the square at the left of "YES". If opposed to the question, the elector shall make a cross (X) in the square to the left of "NO". On referenda questions when voting by voting machines, the elector shall depress the button or lever next to "YES" if in favor of the questions, or the elector shall depress the button or lever next to "NO" if opposed to the question.

The vote should not be cast in any other manner. If the elector spoils the ballot, he or she shall return it to an election official who shall issue another ballot in its place, but not more than three ballots shall be issued to any one elector. If the ballot has not been initialed by two inspectors or is defective in any other way, the elector shall return it to the election official, who shall issue a proper ballot in its place. Not more than 5 minutes' time shall be allowed inside a voting booth. Unofficial ballots or a memorandum to assist the elector in marking his or her ballot may be taken into the booth and copied. The sample ballot shall not be shown to anyone so as to reveal how the ballot was marked.

After an official paper ballot is marked, it shall be folded so the inside marks do not show but so the printed endorsements and inspectors' initials on the outside do show. After casting his or her vote, the elector shall leave the voting machine or booth, and where paper ballots are distributed to the electors, deposit his or her folded ballot in the ballot box or deliver it to an inspector for deposit in the box, and shall leave the polling place promptly.

An elector may select an individual to assist in casting his or her vote if the elector declares to the presiding official that he or she is unable to read, has difficulty reading, writing or understanding English or that due to disability is unable to cast his or her ballot. The selected individual rendering assistance may not be the elector's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the elector.

The following is a facsimile of the official ballot:

NEW AUBURN SCHOOL DISTRICT

By: Jun Cocky
Louise Cody, Clerk

[TEXT FOR SAMPLE BALLOT FORM]

FACSIMILE BALLOT

OFFICIAL REFERENDUM BALLOT

NEW AUBURN SCHOOL DISTRICT

APRIL 5, 2022

NOTICE TO ELECTORS: THIS BALLOT MAY BE INVALID UNLESS INITIALED BY TWO (2) ELECTION INSPECTORS. IF CAST AS AN ABSENTEE BALLOT, THE BALLOT MUST BEAR THE INITIALS OF THE MUNICIPAL CLERK OR DEPUTY CLERK.

If you desire to vote for the resolution set forth below, place a cross (x) in the square beneath the question to the left of the word "YES" or if you desire to vote against said resolution, place a cross (x) in the square beneath the question to the left of the word "NO".

Question

Shall the New Auburn School District be allowed to exceed the revenue limit specified in § 121.91, Wis. Stats., by up to \$400,000 per year commencing with the 2022-2023 school year and continuing through the 2023-24 and 2024-25 school years on a nonrecurring basis for the purpose of sustaining facilities, equipment, and programming?

□ YES □ NO

Type "C" Notice §10.02(2)(c), Wis. Stats.

TYPE "C" NOTICE

NOTICE OF REFERENDUM

Notice is hereby given that at an election to be held in the New Auburn School District, on April 5, 2022, the following proposed Resolution altering the School District Budget to exceed revenue limits of the School Board will be submitted to a vote of the people:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of the New Auburn School District that it shall include revenue in its budget for the 2022-2023 school year an amount not to exceed \$400,000 per year in excess of the revenue limits set forth in §121.91, Wis. Stats., as calculated in accord with the formula under § 121.91(2m), Wis. Stats., the specific amount, subject to the maximum expressed above, to be determined annually by the School Board for use for the recurring purpose of sustaining current levels of educational programming, facilities and equipment.

The question will appear on the ballot as follows:

Shall the New Auburn School District be allowed to exceed the revenue limit specified in § 121.91, Wis. Stats., by up to \$400,000 per year commencing with the 2022-2023 school year and continuing through the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years on a nonrecurring basis for the purpose of sustaining facilities, equipment, and programming?

If you vote "yes", you are in favor of the New Auburn School District exceeding the revenue limit imposed on school districts under § 121.91(2m)(e), Wis. Stats., by an amount up to \$400,000 per year commencing with the 2022-2023 school year and continuing through the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years on a nonrecurring basis for the purpose of sustaining facilities, equipment, and programming. If you vote "no", you are not in support of the New Auburn School District exceeding the statutory revenue limits.

NEW AUBURN SCHOOL DISTRICT

By: Uni Colly
Louise Cody, Clerk

TYPE E NOTICE

NOTICE TO ELECTORS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NEW AUBURN RELATING TO A REFERENDUM ELECTION APRIL 5, 2022

VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT

Any qualified elector unable to get to the polling place on election day may request to vote an absentee ballot. A qualified elector is any U.S. citizen, who will be 18 years of age or older on election day, who has resided in the ward or municipality where he or she wishes to vote for at least 10 days before the election. If voter registration is required, the elector must also be registered.

TO OBTAIN AN ABSENTEE BALLOT YOU MUST MAKE A REQUEST IN WRITING

Contact your municipal clerk and request that an application for an absentee ballot be sent to you for the election. You may also request an absentee ballot by letter. Your written request must state that you will be unable to get to the polling place on election day. It must also list your voting address within the municipality where you wish to vote, the address where the absentee ballot should be sent, if different, and your signature.

Special absentee voting application provisions apply to electors who are indefinitely confined to home or a care facility, in the military, hospitalized, or serving as a sequestered juror. If this applies to you, contact the municipal clerk.

You can also personally go to the district office, complete a written application, and vote an absentee ballot.

Louise Cody, School District Clerk 704 North East Street New Auburn, WI 54757 (715) 237-2202 Office Hours: Mon-Fri 8am-4pm

THE DEADLINE FOR MAKING APPLICATION TO VOTE ABSENTEE BY MAIL IS 4:00 P.M., ON FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 2022.

THE DEADLINE FOR VOTING AN ABSENTEE BALLOT IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE IS 4:00 P.M., ON FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 2022.

ALL VOTED BALLOTS MUST BE RETURNED TO THE MUNICIPAL CLERK SO THE CLERK CAN DELIVER THEM TO THE PROPER POLLING PLACE BEFORE THE POLLS CLOSE ON APRIL 5, 2022.

ANY BALLOTS RECEIVED AFTER THE POLLS CLOSE WILL NOT BE COUNTED.

School District of New Auburn

Louise Cody, District Clerk

Type "E" Notice §10.01(2)(e), Wis. Stats.

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