

**NOTICE OF JOINT PUBLIC HEARING ON
PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX INCREASES**

Public notice is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat. § 77-1633, that a representative of the following political subdivisions will meet on the 18th day of September 2024 at 7:00 P.M. CST at Stapleton Public School Library located at 702 6th Street, Stapleton, NE for the purpose of conducting a joint public hearing to obtain public input on property tax increases proposed by the following subdivisions:

Stapleton Public Schools, (308) 636-2252, property tax requested: \$2,956,579

Public notice is also hereby given, that a representative of the following political subdivision will meet on the 19th day of September 2024, at 6:00 P.M. CST at the Frontier County Fairgrounds located at 102 Front Street in Stockville, NE for the purpose of conducting a joint public hearing to obtain public input on property tax increases proposed by the following subdivision:

Medicine Valley Public Schools, (308) 367-4106, property tax requested: \$3,683,333

Maywood Public Schools, (308) 362-4223, property tax request: \$3,335,289

Eustis-Farnam Public Schools, (308) 367-8641, property tax request: \$3,900,000

Public notice is also hereby given, that a representative of the following political subdivision will meet on the 19th day of September 2024, at 6:00 P.M. (Mountain Time) at the Ogallala High School Performing Arts Center, located at 602 East G Street, Ogallala, Nebraska, for the purpose of conducting a joint public hearing to obtain public input on property tax increases proposed by the following subdivision:

Paxton Consolidated Schools, (308) 239-4283, property tax requested: \$3,186,161

Public notice is also hereby given, that a representative of the following political subdivision will meet on the 17th day of September 2024, at 6:30 P.M. CST at the Central Community College located at 1501 Plum Creek Parkway in Lexington Nebraska, for the purpose of conducting a joint public hearing to obtain public input on property tax increases proposed by the following subdivision:

Gothenburg Public Schools, (308) 537-3651, property tax requested: \$10,116,833

Public notice is also hereby given, that a representative of the following political subdivision will meet on the 18th day of September 2024, at 6:00 P.M. CST at the Perkins County High School Library located at 740 Sherman Avenue in Grant, Nebraska, for the purpose of conducting a joint public hearing to obtain public input on property tax increases proposed by the following subdivision:

Perkins County Schools, (308) 352-4735, property tax requested: \$7,410,400

Public notice is also hereby given, that a representative of the following political subdivision will meet on the 18th day of September 2024, at 6:00 P.M. CST at the McPherson County Courthouse located at 500 N Anderson Street in Tryon, Nebraska, for the purpose of conducting a joint public hearing to obtain public input on property tax increases proposed by the following subdivision:

McPherson County Schools, (308) 587-2363, property tax requested: \$2,552,129

Said meetings are open to the public. Accommodations for the disabled are available upon request. Please contact the appropriate County Clerk at least 48 hours prior to the meeting if accommodations are required for the joint public budget hearing.

There are no items on the agendas for the joint public meetings other than discussion of each political subdivision's intent to increase its property tax request by a percentage greater than the "allowable growth percentage" defined in § 77-1633. The political subdivisions shall make their presentations.