



WEISER SCHOOL DIST NO. 431
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Weiser, Idaho 83672
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Election Date:

Tuesday,
 March 13, 2012

Poll Hours:

8:00 AM to 8:00 PM

Where:

Vote at your regular
 precinct polling place
 Call 414-2092 for directions

Eligible Voters:

U.S. Citizen,
 Resident of Weiser School District,
 and 18 years or older

How to Register to Vote:

Voter can register
 the day of the election. Must bring
 photo ID,
 such as a Driver's
 License and a bill
 verifying address.

Absentee Voting:

Written application for
 absentee ballot is available
 beginning February 10th

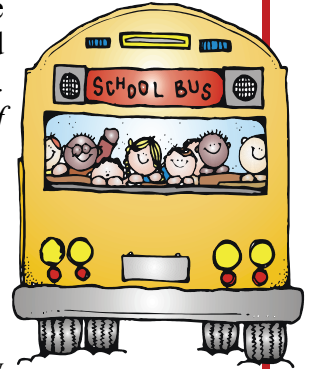
Send requests to:
 Washington County
 Clerk 's Office
 256 Court Street
 Weiser, Idaho 83672
 or log onto

[http://www.co.washington.id.us/
 clerk/elections/absentee.pdf](http://www.co.washington.id.us/clerk/elections/absentee.pdf)

Weiser School District No. 431 Supplemental Levy Election \$350,000 for Two Years

FOR CONSIDERATION

Weiser School District is asking patrons to support the same Supplemental Levy amount passed in March 2010. This supplemental levy will be for an additional two years: \$350,000. Some properties may see an increase in the amount of property tax they pay from tax year 2011 to tax year 2012 due to a reduction in the maximum home owner's exemption, and with a decrease in the total school district market value. *Please refer to the home/property examples on the back of this brochure.*



THE FACTS

- 93% of the revenue to operate the Weiser School District General Fund comes from the allocations from the State Legislature.
- The Weiser School District (WSD) taxes on local property are the 91st lowest school taxes of all public school districts in the State of Idaho (115 public school districts)
- The WSD tax revenue per pupil is \$424. (Other area school districts' tax revenue per pupil: Payette-\$483; Homedale-\$619; Fruitland-\$684)

HOW THIS LEVY WILL BE USED

- Replacement of the 44-year-old roof top furnaces used for heating classrooms at Weiser High School. (3 units at \$120,000 each)
- Maintain five staff positions currently being paid from Federal Jobs Bill funding which expire September, 2012. (\$164,456)
- Fund transportation costs for students at Weiser High School to attend co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. (\$30,000)

WSD HAS ALREADY CUT OR REDUCED THE FOLLOWING:

- Personnel reductions:**
 - 1.0 administrative position
 - 6.5 certified teaching positions
 - 11.0 classified staff positions
- Programs and Material reductions:**

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Gifted & Talented program Reduction in wages and benefits for all staff Reduction in work days Reduction in coaching positions Reduction in sporting events General Fund support of elementary summer school Reduction in textbook purchases Reduction in technology purchases 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Funding of School Resource Officer position Elimination of B-90 column for teacher advancement Reduction in utility costs Maintenance of heating and cooling systems reduced Maintenance of asphalt surfaces for buildings reduced Reduction in spending for all building supply and equipment purchase
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Illustrations of Impact on Homes and Properties

2011 School District Net Value	\$ 417,946,968
2012 Estimated School District Net Value	\$ 403,634,816
2012 Estimated School District Net Value Reduction	\$ 14,312,152
2012 Estimated School District Net Value Reduction Percentage	3.42%

Tax Year	Current cost of Supplemental Levy	Estimated cost if Supplemental Levy passes
School District Single Year Supplemental Levy Amount	\$ 350,000	\$ 350,000.00
Estimated Levy Rate for Supplemental Amount	0.000837427	0.00086712
I. Home Market Value	\$ 184,080.00	\$ 184,080.00
H/O Exemption	\$ 92,040.00	\$ 83,974.00
Estimated Taxable Value	\$ 92,040.00	\$ 100,106.00
Estimated Amount Homeowner would pay per year for Suppl.	\$ 77.08	\$ 86.80
Amount of Increase per Year for \$350,000 Supplemental Levy		\$ 9.73
Amount of Increase per month for \$350,000 Supplemental Levy		\$ 0.81
II. Home Market Value	\$ 125,000.00	\$ 125,000.00
H/O Exemption	\$ 62,500.00	\$ 62,500.00
Estimated Taxable Value	\$ 62,500.00	\$ 62,500.00
Estimated Amount Homeowner would pay per year for Suppl.	\$ 52.34	\$ 54.20
Amount of Increase per Year for \$350,000 Supplemental Levy		\$ 1.86
Amount of Increase per month for \$350,000 Supplemental Levy		\$ 0.15
III. Home Market Value	\$ 90,000.00	\$ 90,000.00
H/O Exemption	\$ 45,000.00	\$ 45,000.00
Estimated Taxable Value	\$ 45,000.00	\$ 45,000.00
Estimated Amount Homeowner would pay per year for Suppl.	\$ 37.68	\$ 39.02
Amount of Increase per Year for \$350,000 Supplemental Levy		\$ 1.34
Amount of Increase per month for \$350,000 Supplemental Levy		\$ 0.11
IV. Farm/Ranch est. Market Value, Home and 4,000 acres	\$ 1,100,000.00	\$1,100,000.00
Home Owners Exemption	\$ 83,974.00	\$ 83,974.00
County Estimated Taxable Value	\$ 501,885.00	\$ 501,885.00
Estimated Amount Farm/Ranch owner would pay per yr. for Suppl.	\$ 420.29	\$ 435.19
Amount of Increase per Year for \$350,000 Supplemental Levy		\$ 14.90
Amount of Increase per month for \$350,000 Supplemental Levy		\$ 1.24
V. Weiser Restaurant	\$ 65,385.00	\$65,385.00
Estimated Amount Business Owner would pay per yr. for Suppl.	\$ 54.76	\$ 56.70
Amount of Increase per Year for \$350,000 Supplemental Levy		\$ 1.94
Amount of Increase per month for \$350,000 Supplemental Levy		\$ 0.16

**** NOTE: For calculation purposes figure approximately \$0.00087 per \$1,000 of the taxable property value per year. Please refer to your Washington County Tax Statement for tax year 2011 for your Total Taxable value.**