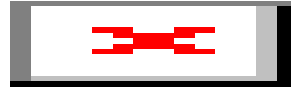


Levy Hearing
Monday, September 14, 2026 6:45 PM
High School
2710 N. North Rd
Grand Island, NE 68803



1. Hearing on Tax Request
 - 1.1. Open tax request hearing.
 - 1.2. Recognize notice of tax request hearing and posted Open Meeting Act.
 - 1.3. Tax proposal request.
2. Close tax request hearing.
3. Mission Statement

A Culture of Excellence, An Exceptional community of learners committed to continuous growth.

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Notice of Special Hearing To Set Final Tax Request

Northwest Public Schools (40-0082) in Hall County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Section 77-1632, that the governing body will meet on the 14th day of, September 2026 at 6:45 o'clock P.M., at Boardroom at the High School for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to setting the final tax request.

Property Valuations		2025-2026	2026-2027	Change
		1,358,288,747	1,448,909,122	7%

2025-2026 Budget Information					2026-2027 Budget Information				
Fund	2025-2026 Operating Budget	2025-2026 Property Tax Request	2025 Tax Rate	Property Tax Rate (2025-2026 Request Divided By 2026 Valuation)	2026-2027 Operating Budget	2026-2027 Proposed Property Tax Request	Proposed 2026 Tax Rate	Change in Tax Rate	Change in Operating Budget
General Fund	20,757,950.00	6,695,264.00	0.492919	0.462090	21,586,500.00	6,755,309.00	0.466234	-5%	4%
Bond Fund(s) K - 12			0.000000	0.000000		-	0.000000	#DIV/0!	0
Bond Fund(s) K - 8			0.000000	0.000000			0.000000	#DIV/0!	0
Bond Fund(s) 9 - 12			0.000000	0.000000			0.000000	#DIV/0!	0
Bond Fund			0.000000	0.000000			0.000000	#DIV/0!	0
Special Building Fund	1,750,000.00	257,550.00	0.018961	0.017775	1,750,000.00	454,500.00	0.031368	65%	0%
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund K - 12			0.000000	0.000000		-	0.000000	#DIV/0!	0
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund K - 8			0.000000	0.000000			0.000000	#DIV/0!	0
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund 9 - 12			0.000000	0.000000			0.000000	#DIV/0!	0
Total	22,507,950.00	6,952,814.00	0.511880	0.479865	23,336,500.00	7,209,809.00	0.497602	-3%	4%

NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
SCHOOL FINANCE & ORGANIZATION SERVICES

2026/27 PROPERTY TAX REQUEST AUTHORITY CERTIFICATION

NORTHWEST PUBLIC SCHOOLS (40-0082-000)

Total Certified Property Tax Request Authority	\$8,370,822
Additional Base Growth % Allowed with Board Approval	6 %
Additional Property Tax Request Authority Allowed with Board Approval	\$1,177,222
Maximum Certified Property Tax Request Authority Including Board Approved Amount	\$9,548,044

SECTION A TOTAL BASE REVENUE CALCULATION

2025/26 Property Tax	\$6,952,814
2023/24 Other Non-Property Tax	\$964,657
2024/25 SPED	\$1,330,162
2025/26 TEEOSA	\$10,372,730
TOTAL BASE REVENUE CALCULATION	\$19,620,363

SECTION B TOTAL BASE GROWTH PERCENTAGE

Base Growth	3.0000 %
Membership Growth	0.3397 %
LEP Growth	0.0000 %
Poverty Growth	0.1380 %
TOTAL BASE GROWTH RATE PERCENTAGE	3.4777 %

SECTION C TOTAL CALCULATED REVENUE CAP FOR 2026/27

(Section A Total x Section B Total)

TOTAL REVENUE CAP	\$20,302,702
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SECTION D TOTAL PROPERTY TAX REQUEST AUTHORITY FOR 2026/27

(Section C Total Revenue Cap minus sum of items listed in this section)

2024/25 Other Non-Property Tax (minus)	\$1,085,748
2025/26 SPED (minus)	\$1,600,361
2026/27 TEEOSA (minus)	\$11,526,606
2025/26 Unused Property Tax Authority (add)	\$2,280,836

TOTAL CERTIFIED PROPERTY TAX REQUEST AUTHORITY	\$8,370,822
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SECTIONS E - G ADDITIONAL BOARD APPROVAL INFORMATION

Additional Base Growth % Allowed with Board Approval	6 %
Additional Property Tax Authority Allowed with Board Approval	\$1,177,222

TOTAL MAXIMUM CERTIFIED PROPERTY TAX REQUEST AUTHORITY INCLUDING BOARD APPROVED	\$9,548,044
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Some numbers may be rounded for presentation. For program contacts and additional information on how data was calculated visit www.education.ne.gov/fos/budgeting-school-district/property-tax-authority

	NORTHWEST LEVY HISTORY						
YEAR	GENERAL FUND	Bond	Building	QCPUF	TOTAL	VALUATION	K-12
							ENROLLMENT
2005-06	1.038100	0.101200	0.000000	0.000000	1.139300	\$422,665,094	
2006-07	1.047400	0.382300	0.000000	0.000000	1.429700	\$430,071,075	1383
2007-08	1.008700	0.432900	0.000000	0.000000	1.441600	\$438,772,283	1395
2008-09	1.036100	0.374700	0.000000	0.000000	1.410800	\$456,706,947	1404
2009-10	1.000600	0.293700	0.049700	0.012200	1.356200	\$497,860,565	
2010-11	0.968400	0.247300	0.039100	0.005100	1.259900	\$542,744,765	1326
2011-12	1.013900	0.214300	0.030100	0.004900	1.263200	\$570,571,969	1386
2012-13	0.998200	0.230900	0.050100	0.000000	1.279200	\$605,042,993	1430
2013-14	0.952300	0.201100	0.046000	0.000000	1.199400	\$680,356,934	1453
2014-15	0.952500	0.172900	0.021400	0.030900	1.177700	\$822,872,408	1411
2015-16	0.952600	0.032300	0.021400	0.000000	1.006300	\$939,423,803	1406
2016-17	0.882100	0.029800	0.030900	0.024400	0.967200	\$1,014,479,634	1426
2017-18	0.800500	0.029600	0.040700	0.024300	0.895100	\$1,017,065,112	1477
2018-19	0.791200	0.029600	0.041300	0.024800	0.886900	\$1,003,503,567	1508
2019-20	0.785500	0.029300	0.031400	0.000000	0.846200	\$997,845,038	1539
2020-21	0.744400	0.000000	0.031900	0.000000	0.776300	\$980,584,155	1417
2021-22	0.749900	0.000000	0.030400	0.000000	0.780300	\$996,797,190	1417
2022-23	0.737286	0.000000	0.036620	0.000000	0.773906	\$1,034,265,938	1436
2023-24	0.530700	0.000000	0.099790	0.000000	0.630490	\$1,128,573,660	1402
2024-25	0.461027	0.000000	0.075673	0.000000	0.536700	\$1,244,591,435	1411
2025-26	0.492920	0.000000	0.018960	0.000000	0.511880	\$1,358,288,747	1430
2026-27	0.466230	0.000000	0.031370	0.000000	0.497600	\$1,448,972,223	1438

* Levy not split out between bond, Building or QCPUF

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