

Centura School Board Special Meeting
Wednesday, September 16, 2026 Immediately following the
Joint Public Hearing scheduled for 6:05pm.
Centura Public Schools: District Board Room
201 N. Hwy 11
Cairo, NE 68824

Agenda

1. Opening The Meeting:
 - 1.1. Call to order: The Special Meeting of the Centura Public Schools' Board of Education is called to order on Wednesday, September 16, 2026, immediately following the Joint Public Hearing scheduled to start at 6:05 pm. in the Board Room 201 Highway 11, Cairo, NE 68824. The meeting was called to order at _____. The public notice for this meeting was published on the Centura Public Schools district website (www.centuraps.org) as per Centura Board of Education Policy #2008.
 - 1.2. Pledge of Allegiance and Recognition of Nebraska Open Meetings Act.
 - 1.3. Roll Call of Board Members:
 - 1.3.1. Motion to excuse or not excuse Board Members not in attendance.
 - 1.4. Centura Vision Statement: A Community About Students, Excellence and Innovation!
 - 1.5. Centura Mission Statement: Centura and its collaborative partners are an innovative community empowering all students to be successful today and in the future.
2. Approval of the Agenda.
3. Recognition of visitors and public comment per Centura Public Schools Policy No. 2009.
4. Special Meeting Discussion/Information Items:
 - 4.1. Discuss, consider, and take all necessary action regarding the 2026-2027 District Property Tax Request.
 - 4.2. Discuss, consider, and take all necessary action on the proposed 2026-2027 Centura Public Schools Budget.
5. Meeting Adjournment.

Notice of Special Hearing To Set Final Tax Request

Centura Public Schools (47-0100) in Howard 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 16th day of, September 2026 at 6:05 PM o'clock pm, at Centura Public Schools Board Room for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to setting the final tax request.

	2025-2026	2026-2027	Change
Property Valuations	759,143,911	820,379,157	8%

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	2026-2027 Operating Budget	2026-2027 Proposed Property Tax Request	Proposed 2026 Tax Rate	Change in Tax Rate	Change in Operating Budget
General Fund	10,681,789.00	6,373,132.00	0.839516	0.776852	10,900,625.00	6,647,595.00	0.810308	-3%	2%
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	1,062,222.00	256,080.00	0.033733	0.031215	1,745,192.00	760,480.00	0.092699	175%	64%
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	11,744,011.00	6,629,212.00	0.873248	0.808067	12,645,817.00	7,408,075.00	0.903007	3%	8%

BUDGET STATEMENT AND CERTIFICATION OF TAX

2026-2027 BUDGET (Proposed)									
	TOTAL BEGINNING BALANCE (Column 1)	TOTAL AVAILABLE RESOURCES BEFORE PROPERTY TAXES (Including Beginning Balances) (Column 2)	PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAXES (Column 3)	TOTAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE (Col 2 + Col 3) (Column 4)	TOTAL BUDGET OF DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS - SPECIAL EDUCATION (Column 5)	TOTAL BUDGET OF DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS - NON-SPECIAL EDUCATION (Column 6)	TOTAL BUDGET OF DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS (Col 5 + Col 6) (Column 7)	NECESSARY CASH RESERVE (Column 8)	TOTAL REQUIREMENTS (Col 7 + Col 8) (Column 9)
General	1,930,614.00	4,319,506.00	6,581,119.00	10,900,625.00	1,591,860.00	9,308,765.00	10,900,625.00	-	10,900,625.00
Depreciation	473,832.00	473,832.00		473,832.00			473,832.00		473,832.00
Employee Benefit	15,622.00	15,622.00		15,622.00			15,622.00		15,622.00
Contingency	-	-		-			-		-
Activities	108,140.00	623,000.00		623,000.00			623,000.00		623,000.00
School Nutrition	35,858.00	472,858.00		472,858.00			472,858.00		472,858.00
Bond	-	-		-			-		-
Special Building	983,417.00	992,317.00	752,875.00	1,745,192.00			1,745,192.00		1,745,192.00
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking	-	-		-			-		-
Cooperative	-	-		-			-		-
Student Fee	-	-		-			-		-
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TOTAL ALL FUNDS	3,547,483.00	6,897,135.00	7,333,994.00	14,231,129.00	1,591,860.00	9,308,765.00	14,231,129.00	-	14,231,129.00

PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAX RECAP	General Fund	Bond Fund(s) [Total Of All Bond Funds]	Special Building Fund	Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund
PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAXES FROM COLUMN 3 (Line A)	6,581,119.00		752,875.00	
COUNTY TREASURER'S COMMISSION 1% OF TAXES COLLECTED (Line B)	66,476.00	-	7,605.00	-
TOTAL PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAXES (Line A + Line B) (Line C)	6,647,595.00	-	760,480.00	-

CERTIFIED STATE AID	MOTOR VEHICLE TAXES
\$ 879,381.00	\$ 260,000.00

COUNTY TREASURER'S BALANCE, 9-1-2026			
930,614.00		83,417.00	