September 28, 2026
Hearing Meeting Board of Education
5:00 PM

The Board of Education District 54-0586, Bloomfield Community Schools, met in Hearing Session on September 28, 2026 in High School, Room 14. Dee Bratetic: Present, Brady Folck: Present, Justin Jindra: Present, Casey Schmeckpeper: Present, Deb Wragge: Present, Hally Ziegler: Present.

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

Bloomfield Community Schools (54-0586-000) in Knox County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 28th day of September, 2026 at 6:00 o'clock, PM, at Bloomfield Comm. Schools, Ag Room #14, Bloomfield, NE for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget and to consider amendments relative thereto. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk/Secretary during regular business hours. For more information on statewide receipts and expenditures, and to compare cost per pupil and performance to other school districts, go to: https://nep.education.ne.gov

FUNDS	Actual Disbursements & Transfers 2024-2025 (1)	Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers 2025-2026 (2)	Budgeted Disbursements & Transfers 2026-2027 (3)	Necessary Cash Reserve (4)	Total Available Resources Before Property Taxes (5)	Total Personal and Real Property Tax Requirement (7)
General	$ 5,673,398.00	$ 5,942,000.00	$ 7,134,954.00	$ 107,546.00	$ 1,973,007.00	$ 5,322,720.00
Depreciation	$ 81,085.00	$ 30,000.00	$ 519,470.00		$ 519,470.00	
Employee Benefit	$ -	$ -	$ 72,949.00		$ 72,949.00	
Contingency	$ -	$ -	$ -		$ -	
Activities	$ 262,766.00	$ 320,000.00	$ 518,049.00		$ 518,049.00	
School Nutrition	$ 310,970.00	$ 320,000.00	$ 434,501.00		$ 434,501.00	
Bond	$ -	$ -	$ -		$ -	$ -
Special Building	$ 69,924.00	$ 15,000.00	$ 1,603,065.00		$ 1,153,065.00	$ 454,545.00
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking	$ -	$ -	$ 235,729.00		$ 235,729.00	$ -
Cooperative	$ -	$ 37,000.00	$ 143,849.00		$ 143,849.00	
Student Fee	$ -	$ -	$ 1,624.00		$ 1,624.00	
TOTALS	$ 6,398,143.00	$ 6,664,000.00	$ 10,664,190.00	$ 107,546.00	$ 5,052,243.00	$ 5,777,265.00

	Bond Purposes	Non-Bond Purposes	Total
Breakdown of Property Tax	$ -	$ 5,777,265.00	$ 5,777,265.00

Notice of Special Hearing To Set Final Tax Request

Bloomfield Community Schools (54-0586-000) in Knox 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 21st day of, September 2026 at 6:05 o'clock P.M., at The Barn at God's Country, Center, NE 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	905,617,322	1,001,590,970	11%

	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	6,237,000.00	4,667,927.00	0.515441	0.466051	7,134,954.00	5,322,720.00	0.531427	3%	14%
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	1,118,131.00	353,535.00	0.039038	0.035297	1,603,065.00	454,545.00	0.045382	16%	43%
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund K - 12	221,238.00		0.000000	0.000000	235,729.00	-	0.000000	#DIV/0!	7%
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	7,576,369.00	5,021,462.00	0.554479	0.501348	8,973,748.00	5,777,265.00	0.576809	4%	18%

BUDGET STATEMENT AND CERTIFICATION OF TAX

	2026-2027 BUDGET ADOPTED						
	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)
General	548,979.00	1,973,007.00	5,269,493.00	7,242,500.00	902,500.00	6,232,454.00	7,134,954.00
Depreciation	269,470.00	519,470.00		519,470.00			519,470.00
Employee Benefit	72,349.00	72,949.00		72,949.00			72,949.00
Contingency	-	-		-			-
Activities	228,049.00	518,049.00		518,049.00			518,049.00
School Nutrition	98,391.00	434,501.00		434,501.00			434,501.00
Bond	-	-		-			-
Special Building	1,150,065.00	1,153,065.00	450,000.00	1,603,065.00			1,603,065.00
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking	234,629.00	235,729.00		235,729.00			235,729.00
Cooperative	142,349.00	143,849.00		143,849.00			143,849.00
Student Fee	1,624.00	1,624.00		1,624.00			1,624.00
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TOTAL ALL FUNDS	2,745,905.00	5,052,243.00	5,719,493.00	10,771,736.00	902,500.00	6,232,454.00	10,664,190.00

PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAX RECAP	**General Fund**	**Bond Fund(s)** [Total Of All Bond Funds]	**Special Building Fund**
PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAXES FROM COLUMN 3 (Line A)	5,269,493.00		450,000.00
COUNTY TREASURER'S COMMISSION 1% OF TAXES COLLECTED (Line B)	53,227.00	-	4,545.00
TOTAL PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAXES (Line A + Line B) (Line C)	5,322,720.00	-	454,545.00

CERTIFIED STATE AID **MOTOR VEHICLE TAXES** **COUNTY TREASURER'S BALANCE, S**

$ 450,428.00	**$ 200,000.00**

48,979.00		150,065.00

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NECESSARY CASH RESERVE (Column 8)	TOTAL REQUIREMENTS (Col 7 + Col 8) (Column 9)
107,546.00	7,242,500.00
	519,470.00
	72,949.00
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	518,049.00
	434,501.00
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	1,603,065.00
	235,729.00
	143,849.00
	1,624.00
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107,546.00	10,771,736.00

NOTE: Total Disbursements and Transfers (Column 7) is the sum of Column 5 and Column 6 for the General Fund only. For all oth

Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund
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Delinquent Tax Allowance: the Legislature passed LB 432 eliminating the authority to add an amount for delinquent tax to the Tax Requirement unless the Federal Prime Rate exceeds 10%.

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