

04.02.24 VOTE PARKVIEW OPERATIONAL REFERENDUM

Hello Parkview Community!

On January 8, 2024, the Parkview School District's Board of Education unanimously passed an operational referendum question to be placed on the April 2, 2024 ballot.

The question asks voters for authorization to exceed the revenue limit by \$2,294,125 beginning with the 2024-2025 school year, for recurring purposes consisting of operational and maintenance expenses, including technology, educational programming, curriculum, salaries and benefits.

This would restore positions that were cut last spring; two teaching positions, an elementary counselor, and maintenance/custodian position. It would also restore a bus route that was eliminated and enhance much needed funding for student technology, building maintenance, curriculum and athletics.

what will it cost?
\$359 annually/per \$100K value

Property Value & Tax Increase*	
\$100,000	\$359/year
\$200,000	\$718/year
\$300,000	\$1,077/year

*Estimated Tax Increase per \$100,000 Value

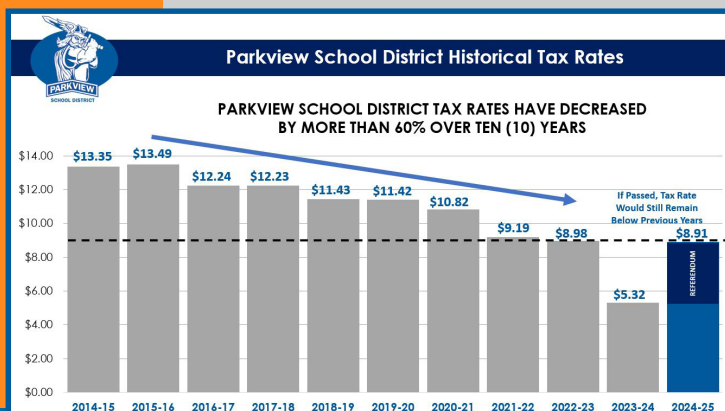
PARKVIEW SCHOOL DISTRICT

has **REDUCED** tax rates by more than 60% over the last ten (10) years.

Current estimates from the District's financial advisor, show the estimated max. tax rate in 2025-26 will **DROP** by approx. \$.65 (7%), to an estimated max. of \$8.26, and continue to **DECLINE** each year thereafter.

Why Now?

- To provide more opportunities for students to ensure career-readiness
- To achieve excellence for ALL students by supporting their academic, social and emotional well-being
- To invest in our community
- To retain and attract top-notch staff by offering competitive wages and benefits
- To make our community desirable to relocating families and prospective open-enrolled students.



Additional Staffing,
Salary + Benefits



Educational
Programming



Technology
Improvements



Facilities + Operations



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how did we get here?

- April 2023 failed referendum resulted in \$1,100,000 reduction that included loss of staff, bus routes and reduced supply, materials and equipment budgets
- District compiled list of projected needs for 2024-2025 and surveyed parent's, staff and community to understand level of support for the proposed needs
- In Nov/Dec 2023, the Board of Education discussed the proposed operational referendum items and associated costs
- In Jan 2024, the Board of Education made a decision to ask the community to support an operational referendum for \$2,294,125

IF THE REFERENDUM PASSES HOW WILL THE MONEY BE USED?

- Parkview is seeking additional funding via an operational referendum for recurring purposes consisting of operational and maintenance expenses, including technology, educational programming, curriculum, salaries and benefits.

WHAT HAPPENS IF IT DOES NOT PASS?

- The failure of the April 2023 operational referendum meant that the Districts budget had to be cut by over \$1,000,000.00 in the 2023-24 school year.
- If there is another failed referendum in April 2024 the district will be faced with making additional cuts which will have a dramatic impact on the students, staff, parents and community.

make a **PLAN** to **vote!**



APRIL 2ND
POLLS OPEN 7AM-8PM
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JOIN US. community info sessions



Town of Rock
Rock Town Hall | 7PM
5102 S County Rd D
Afton, WI 53501



Town of Magnolia
Magnolia Town Hall
14729 W. County A | 7PM
Evansville, WI 53536



Town of Newark
Newark Town Hall | 7PM
9528 W. Beloit-Newark Rd.
Beloit, WI 53511



Village of Orfordville
Orfordville Village Hall | 7PM
308 E Beloit St.
Orfordville, WI 53576



FFA Alumni Group
Parkview Jr./Sr. HS | 7PM
Commons Area



Town of Avon
Avon Town Hall | 7:30PM
16513 W Beloit Newark Rd
Brodhead, WI 53520



Town of Spring Valley
Orfordville Fire Station | 7PM
173 N Wright St.
Orfordville, WI 53576



Town of Plymouth
Plymouth Town Hall | 7PM
8219 W High Street
Hanover, WI 53576



Town of Center
Center Town Hall | 7PM
9119 W County Road A
Evansville, WI 53536

TO **SCHEDULE** AN INDIVIDUAL OR COMMUNITY MEETING **CONTACT DR. ANDERSON** AT 608.879.2717

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