

NOTICE OF TAX FOR SCHOOL CAPITAL OUTLAY

The Okeechobee County School Board will soon consider a measure to continue to impose a 1.500 mill property tax for the capital outlay projects listed herein.

This tax is in addition to the school board's proposed tax of 5.702 mills for operating expenses and is proposed solely at the discretion of the school board.

The capital outlay tax will generate approximately \$2,427,354 to be used for the following projects:

CONSTRUCTION AND REMODELING

One (1) new high school

MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, AND REPAIR

State Requirements for Educational Facilities (SREF) compliance

District-Wide HVAC Projects

District Wide Asphalt Projects

District-Wide Fire Suppression Inspection

District-Wide Roof Repair

District-Wide maintenance, renovation, and repair of existing facilities

District-Wide Flooring

District-Wide Painting Projects

Data Wiring Projects

District-Wide Electrical Projects

Generator Project

Bus Garage Fire Detection

District-Wide Tree Trimming

District Wide School Radios

Phone Systems

District Wide Security Cameras

Mower

Trailer

OHS Ag Welding Booth Exhaust

OHS Track

Reimbursement (as permitted by Florida Statutes) of maintenance, renovation and repair expenses incurred by the General Fund

Bus Radios

MOTOR VEHICLE PURCHASES

Purchase of (3) school buses

Warehouse Truck

NEW AND REPLACEMENT EQUIPMENT, COMPUTERS, ENTERPRISE RESOURCE SOFTWARE, AND S.1011.72(2), F.S., ELIGIBLE EXPENDITURES IN SUPPORT OF DIGITAL CLASSROOM PLANS PURSUANT TO S. 1011.62(12), F.S.

District-Wide computer hardware

District-Wide furniture and equipment

PAYMENT OF PREMIUMS FOR PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE NECESSARY TO INSURE THE EDUCATIONAL AND ANCILLARY PLANTS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

All concerned citizens are invited to a public hearing to be held on July 30, 2015 at 6:00 P.M., at the Okeechobee County School Board office building, Room 303, 700 SW Second Avenue, Okeechobee, Florida 34974.

A DECISION on the proposed CAPITAL OUTLAY TAXES will be made at this hearing.