



Example Endorsement Vote format for PTAs

On February 10, 2022 the Issaquah School Board approved the following three (3) levies to put forward to voters on April 26, 2022. The levies are as follows:

(you may decide to read the entire following information or edit for your group)

(1) A four-year Educational Programs and Operations (EP&O) Levy renewal in the amounts of
\$61,000,000 for collection in 2023 \$64,000,000 for collection in 2024
\$67,000,000 for collection in 2025 \$70,000,000 for collection in 2026

(2) A four-year Capital Levy renewal (with educational technology and critical repairs components) in the amounts of
\$31,472,000 for collection in 2023 \$35,957,000 for collection in 2024
\$36,561,000 for collection in 2025 \$37,320,000 for collection in 2026

(3) A one-year School Bus Levy in the amount of \$3,000,000 for collection in 2023.

You can ask if your membership would like to vote on an endorsement as a block of three or on each levy item individually. There are two examples here for either case.

“In order for our PTA to advocate for a yes vote for the replacement levies, we’ll need to have an endorsement vote.”

(President can ask if there’s a motion if one has not already being made)

Sample motion language:

“I move that the _____ PTA/PTSA endorse the Issaquah School District’s three (3) 2022 levies, the four-year EP&O renewal levy, the four-year Capital renewal levy and the one-year Bus levy, being put before the voters on April 26, 2022.”

After a motion, a 2nd, ask if there is any discussion; Discussion points can be found on separate document (see attached ISD levy fact sheet & information)

If no discussion, or after discussion, call for the vote

“All those in favor?”

Any opposed?

Any abstentions?”

Endorsing as a block of three (3)

Thank you for your support of the 2022 Levies!



Endorsing individually will require that each levy have a motion, second and vote

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(President can ask if there’s a motion if one has not already being made) Sample motion language:

“I move that the _____ PTA/PTSA endorse the Issaquah School District’s 2022 four-year EP&O renewal levy being put before the voters on April 26, 2022.”

After a motion, a 2nd, ask if there is any discussion; Discussion points can be found on separate document (see attached ISD levy fact sheet & information)

If no discussion, or after discussion, call for the vote

“All those in favor? Any opposed? Any abstentions?”

“I move that the _____ PTA/PTSA endorse the Issaquah School District’s 2022 four-year Capital renewal levy being put before the voters on April 26, 2022.”

After a motion, a 2nd, ask if there is any discussion; Discussion points can be found on separate document (see attached ISD levy fact sheet & information)

If no discussion, or after discussion, call for the vote

“All those in favor? Any opposed? Any abstentions?”

“I move that the _____ PTA/PTSA endorse the Issaquah School District’s 2022 one-year Bus levy being put before the voters on April 26, 2022.”

After a motion, a 2nd, ask if there is any discussion; Discussion points can be found on separate document (see attached ISD levy fact sheet & information)

If no discussion, or after discussion, call for the vote

“All those in favor? Any opposed? Any abstentions?”

If your PTA/PTSA has voted to endorse the 2022 Levies, please send an email to Dawn Peschek at volunteersforissaquahschools@gmail.com letting us know so we can add your PTA to our VIS endorsement page. Endorse online here <https://visvote.org/endorse-renewal-levies/>

Thank you for your support of the 2022 Levies!