

**SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 271
KOOTENAI COUNTY, STATE OF IDAHO**

**A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR
INDEFINITE TERM SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY ELECTION**

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of School District No. 271, Kootenai County, State of Idaho (the "District") has certified an annual supplemental levy equal to or greater than twenty percent (20%) of the District's total general maintenance and operating fund for at least the past seven (7) consecutive years; therefore, pursuant to Section 33-802(5), Idaho Code, the District may submit to the qualified electors of the District the question of whether the Board of Trustees may certify an annual supplemental levy in a set amount for an indefinite number of years (the "Indefinite Term Supplemental Levy")

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 33-802(5), Idaho Code, as amended, the Board of Trustees of the District has determined there is a need for an Indefinite Term Supplemental Levy in the amount of \$25,000,000 per year for an indefinite number of years, for the purpose of paying all lawful expenses of maintaining and operating the District, as further described in the form of ballot question set forth in Section 3 herein, for the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2023.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the District as follows:

SECTION 1. That a supplemental levy election be and the same is hereby called to be held in the District on Tuesday, March 14, 2023, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the District the question set out in the form of the ballot appearing in Section 3 hereof.

SECTION 2. That the Clerk of Kootenai County, Idaho (the "County Clerk") shall administer and coordinate the election pursuant to and in accordance with Title 34, Idaho Code.

SECTION 3. That the form of the official ballot will be substantially as follows:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

INDEFINITE TERM SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY ELECTION

**SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 271,
KOOTENAI COUNTY, STATE OF IDAHO**

March 14, 2023

The Board of Trustees of School District No. 271, Kootenai County, State of Idaho,
is seeking authorization to levy an Indefinite Term Supplemental Levy for the

following purposes and approximate amount of levy funds to be allocated to each use:

<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Athletics and Extracurricular Activities	\$1,280,000
Textbooks, Learning Materials and Staff Training	\$1,316,000
Safety & Security: School Resource Officers, Staffing, Services and Supplies	\$1,655,000
Health: School Nurses and Mental Health Support	\$1,189,000
Classroom and School Resources such as Teacher Supplies, Libraries, Special Education Services	\$2,820,000
Elective, Enrichment and Career Technical Education Classes	\$3,350,000
Technology Staffing, Devices & Software	\$1,570,000
Maintenance and Transportation Staffing, Supplies, Equipment, Services and Vehicles	\$4,610,000
Compensation for Teachers and Staff	\$7,210,000
TOTAL ANNUAL LEVY AMOUNT:	\$25,000,000/year

QUESTION: Shall the Board of Trustees of School District No. 271, Kootenai County, State of Idaho, be authorized and empowered to levy an Indefinite Term Supplemental Levy in the amount of Twenty Five Million Dollars (\$25,000,000) per year for an indefinite number of years, commencing with the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023, for the purposes stated above; all as provided in the Resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees on November 7, 2022?

The estimated average annual cost to the taxpayer on the proposed levy is a tax of \$95.21 per \$100,000 of taxable assessed value, per year, based on current conditions. The proposed indefinite term supplemental levy replaces an existing two-year supplemental levy that expires on June 30, 2023 and that currently costs \$76.17 per \$100,000 of taxable assessed value. If the proposed indefinite term supplemental levy is approved, the tax per \$100,000 of taxable assessed value is expected to increase the tax by \$19.04 per \$100,000 of taxable assessed value for the first year of the indefinite term supplemental levy.

IN FAVOR OF AUTHORIZING A SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$25,000,000 PER YEAR FOR AN INDEFINITE NUMBER OF YEARS	_____
AGAINST AUTHORIZING A SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$25,000,000 PER YEAR FOR AN INDEFINITE NUMBER OF YEARS	_____

(End Form of Official Ballot for Supplemental Levy Election)

SECTION 4. That the form of notice of the election shall be substantially as follows:

NOTICE OF INDEFINITE TERM SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY ELECTION

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 271,
KOOTENAI COUNTY, STATE OF IDAHO

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the laws of the State of Idaho and the Resolution of the Board of Trustees of School District No. 271, Kootenai County, State of Idaho, adopted on November 7, 2022, an Indefinite Term Supplemental Levy Election will be held on March 14, 2023, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of voting upon the following question and proposition of authorizing a levy:

The Board of Trustees of School District No. 271, Kootenai County, State of Idaho, is seeking authorization to levy an Indefinite Term Supplemental Levy for the following purposes and approximate amount of levy funds to be allocated to each use:

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Said election will be conducted pursuant to Title 34, Idaho Code.

(End Form of Notice of Supplemental Levy Election)

SECTION 5. That the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the District (the "Clerk") is authorized to convey to the County Clerk the forms of the Official Ballot and the Notice of Supplemental Levy Election, appearing in Sections 3 and 4 hereof, for election preparation and publication pursuant to Title 34, Idaho Code. The Clerk shall submit these forms to the County Clerk on or prior to January 24, 2023.

SECTION 6. That the County Commissioners of Kootenai County, Idaho, shall act as the canvassing board pursuant to and in accordance with Title 34, Idaho Code, and will certify and convey the results to the Board of Trustees of the District as provided therein.

SECTION 7. That if at the election a simple majority of the qualified registered electors of the District authorize such levy, the supplemental levy shall be approved and become effective in accordance with the provisions of Section 33-802, Idaho Code.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 7th day of November, 2022.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SCHOOL DISTRICT
NO. 271, KOOTENAI COUNTY, STATE OF
IDAHO

By Rebecca Smith
Chair

ATTEST:

By Marianne Smith
Board Clerk