

**OLDHAM COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
MEETING MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 24, 2020**

TAX HEARING

The Oldham County Board of Education met in Special Called session at the Arvin Education Center in La Grange, KY, on Thursday, September 24, 2020, with the following members present: Joyce Fletcher, Board Chairperson; Kevin Woosley, Board Vice Chair, Suzanne Hundley, Board Member; Larry Dodson, Board Member; Patrick Kehoe, Board Member; and Greg Schultz, Superintendent and Secretary to the Board. Oldham County Schools Administrators present included: Stephanie Anderson, Brent Deaves, Dr. Dylan Smith, Brent Bohannon, Eric Davis, Michael Williams and Lori McDowell.

I. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Chairperson Fletcher called the meeting of the Oldham County Board of Education to order at 6:30 p.m.

II. AGENDA APPROVAL

With no changes to the agenda, chairperson Fletcher, called for a motion and a second to approve. On a motion by Suzanne Hundley, seconded by Patrick Kehoe, and unanimously carried, the Board approved the September 24, 2020, special called board meeting agenda. (5-0).

III. SUPERINTENDENT REPORTS

The Board took the following reports under advisement:

1. Consider Report of Available Property Tax Rates for FY21 (July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021).

IV. MONTHLY PUBLIC EXPRESSION

Chairperson Fletcher stated it was time for public expression and called upon the public expression registrar Mr. Michael Williams. With four individuals signed in to make public comment, Chairperson Fletcher asked Vice Chairperson Kevin Woosley to read the Board's guidelines for addressing the Board, and with the consensus of the Board, provided the public four minutes to speak. Chairperson Fletcher called on the following people who had registered to speak to the board concerning the proposed tax increase: Robin Vessels, Shawn Tapp, Rhonda Sewell, Jessica Armstead.

After all registered speakers addressed the board, Chairperson Fletcher asked Superintendent Schultz to address the audience's additional questions and concerns. Stephanie Anderson went over additional budget items that were expected in FY21.

V. ACTION ITEM

Chairperson Fletcher, on the superintendent's recommendation to approve the proposed FY21 Tax Rates called for a motion to approve. On a motion by Larry Dodson, seconded by Kevin Woosley, the board approved the FY21 tax rates as follows: (4-1)

1. Approve the tax rate of 80.0 cents per \$100 assessed value for both Real Property and Tangible Personal Property with the allocation of such tax rate being:
General Fund 57.6
Building Fund 22.4
2. Motor Vehicle Tax Rate of 64.3 cents per \$100 of assessed value
3. Utility Tax Rate of 3.0%

VI. ADJOURN

Chairperson Fletcher, acting on the Superintendent's recommendation to adjourn, called for a motion and a second to adjourn. On a motion by Kevin Woosley, seconded by Larry Dodson, and unanimously carried, the Board adjourned the September 24, 2020, meeting at 7:14 p.m. (5-0).



Joyce Fletcher, Board Chairperson



Greg Schultz, Ed.S., Superintendent/Secretary