

LEGAL NOTICE OF SPECIAL DISTRICT MEETING AND REGISTRATION OF VOTERS, Warwick Valley Central School District, Orange County, New York

The Board of Education of Warwick Valley Central School District, Orange County, New York, HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that a Special District Meeting of the qualified voters of said School District will be held at the places in each school election district hereinafter set forth, on the 10th day of December, 2024, at 7:00 P.M., Prevailing Time, for the purpose of voting by voting machine upon the proposition hereinafter set forth. Polls for the purpose of voting will be kept open between the hours of 7:00 A.M. and 9:00 P.M. Prevailing Time.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Board of Education of the Warwick Valley Central School District, Orange County, New York, will hold a Public Hearing of the qualified voters of the School District at the Dorothy C. Wilson Education Center, West Street Extension, Warwick, New York, on Monday, December 2, 2024, at 7:00 P.M., for the purpose of presenting the Capital Project budget and information.

PROPOSITION: Shall the following resolution be adopted, to-wit:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of Warwick Valley Central School District, Orange County, New York, is hereby authorized to reconstruct and construct improvements to various School District buildings and facilities, including, site work, original furnishings, equipment, machinery, apparatus, appurtenances, and incidental improvements and expenses in connection therewith, at a maximum estimated cost of \$19,544,469, that \$6,698,198 shall be expended from the 2021 Capital Reserve fund and \$1,041,159 to be expended from the 2014 and 2018 Repair Reserve Funds therefor, and that the remaining \$11,805,112 or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be raised by the levy of a tax upon the taxable property of said School District and collected in annual installments as provided by Section 416 of the Education Law, and in anticipation of such tax, obligations of said School District shall be issued.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to Section 2014 of the Education Law, personal registration of voters is required, and no person shall be entitled to vote at said meeting whose name does not appear on the register of said School District or who does not register as hereinafter provided, except a person who is otherwise qualified to vote and is registered under the provisions of Article 5 of the Election Law. The Board of Registration shall prepare a register for said Special District Meeting, except that the registered prepared at the last annual meeting or election shall be used as the basis therefor and shall include all persons who shall have presented themselves personally for registration thereat and also all persons who shall have been previously registered hereunder for any annual or special district meeting or election and who shall have voted at any annual or special district meeting or election held or conducted at any time within four years prior to the preparation of said register.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the School District has been divided into three election districts and descriptions of the boundaries of the School Election Districts into which the School District is divided are on file and may be inspected at the office of the District Clerk located at the Dorothy C. Wilson Education Center, West Street Extension, in Warwick, New York. The place in each election district where said Special District Meeting will be held is as follows:

<u>District No.</u>	<u>Polling Place</u>
1	Pine Island School Building (20 School House Rd, in Pine Island)
2	Dorothy C. Wilson Education Center (in the Middle School addition located at 225 West Street Extension, in Warwick)
3	Kings Elementary School (199 Kings Highway, in Warwick)

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that any qualified voter may register to vote at the Special District Meeting during regular business hours, from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. on any day when school is in session at the District Office, Dorothy C. Wilson Education Center, West Street Extension, in Warwick, New York, until [December 3, 2024](#).

The register prepared pursuant to Section 2014 of the Education Law shall be filed in the office of the School District Clerk and will be open for inspection by any qualified voter of the District on [December 3, 4, 5, 6 and 9, 2024](#) between the hours of 9:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. and [December 7, 2024](#) by appointment only. Said Register will be open for inspection at each of the polling places during the Special District Meeting.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that applications for absentee ballots may be applied for at the office of the School District Clerk. Any such application must be received by the District Clerk at least seven days before the date of the aforesaid Special District Meeting if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before such Special District Meeting, if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter. A list of all persons to whom absentee ballots shall have been issued shall be available for public inspection in the office of the School District Clerk not less than five days prior to the date of the Special District Meeting (excluding Saturdays and Sundays) during regular office hours until the date of the aforesaid Special District Meeting. In addition, such list shall also be posted conspicuously at the places of voting during the hours of such Special District Meeting. Military Voters who are not currently registered to vote may obtain an application to register as a qualified voter of the District for the Annual Meeting on [December 10, 2024](#) by contacting the District Clerk at P. O. Box 595, Warwick, NY 10990; Telephone: (845) 987-3000, Ext. 10511; email: slaroe@wvcsd.org by no later than [November 14, 2024](#). Military Voters who are registered voters of the District may obtain an application for a military ballot from the District Clerk at P.O. Box 595, Warwick, NY 10990; Telephone: (845) 987-3000, Ext. 10511; email: slaroe@wvcsd.org by no later than 5:00 P.M. on [November 14, 2024](#). The Military Voter may indicate their preference for receiving the application and/or military ballot by mail, by facsimile or electronic mail. The completed application to register and/or for the military ballot must be received by the District Clerk no later than 5:00 P.M. on [November 14, 2024](#). Military ballots will be mailed or otherwise distributed no later than 25 days before the election. Military ballots must be returned by mail or in person, and received by the District Clerk by 5:00 P.M. on Election Day.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that applications for early mail ballots will be obtainable during school business hours from the District Clerk, applications will be accepted by the District Clerk beginning November 12, 2024; completed applications must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days before the election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter. Early mail ballots

must be received by the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, on December 10, 2024.

A list of persons to whom early mail ballots are issued will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the District in the office of the District Clerk during each of the five days prior to the day of the election, except Sunday, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the School District Clerk is hereby authorized to amend the Legal Notice of Public Hearing, Annual Meeting, School District Election and Vote, from time to time, as in her discretion, such amendment may be required;

That the School District Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause notice to be given of said Special District Meeting in substantially the form set forth herein by publishing the same four times within the seven weeks next preceding such district meeting, the first publication to be at least forty-five days before said meeting, in The Warwick Valley Dispatch and in The Warwick Advertiser Photo News, The Photo News, and The Chronicle, such newspapers having a general circulation in said School District.

This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Dated: October 24, 2024. BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF WARWICK VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK