

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

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Notice is hereby given to taxpayers of **MERRILLVILLE SCHOOL CORPORATION, Lake County, Indiana** that the proper officers of **Merrillville Community School Corporation** will conduct a public hearing on the year **2023** budget. Following this meeting, any ten or more taxpayers may object to a budget, tax rate, or tax levy by filing an objection petition with the proper officers of **Merrillville Community School Corporation** not more than seven days after the hearing. The objection petition must identify the provisions of the budget, tax rate, or tax levy to which taxpayers object. If a petition is filed, **Merrillville Community School Corporation** shall adopt with the budget a finding concerning the objections in the petition and testimony presented. Following the aforementioned hearing, the proper officers of **Merrillville Community School Corporation** will meet to adopt the following budget:

Public Hearing Date	Wednesday, October 5, 2022	Adoption Meeting Date	Tuesday, October 18, 2022
Public Hearing Time	6:00 PM	Adoption Meeting Time	6:00 PM
Public Hearing Location	Administration Bldg., 6701 Delaware Street, Merrillville, IN 46410	Adoption Meeting Location	Administration Bldg., 6701 Delaware Street, Merrillville, IN 46410
Est. School Operations Max Levy	\$15,705,165		
Property Tax Cap Credit Estimate	\$1,235,100		

1 Fund Name	2 Budget Estimate	3 Maximum Estimated Funds to be Raised (including appeals and levies exempt from maximum levy limitations)	4 Excessive Levy Appeals	5 Current Tax Levy	6 Levy Percentage Difference (Column 3 / Column 5)
0180-DEBT SERVICE	\$19,073,800	\$23,718,014	\$0	\$15,616,550	51.88%
0186-SCHOOL PENSION DEBT	\$449,516	\$452,263	\$0	\$433,191	4.40%
3101-EDUCATION	\$48,220,697	\$0	\$0	\$0	
3300-OPERATIONS	\$23,370,097	\$15,710,920	\$0	\$14,521,195	8.19%
Totals	\$91,114,110	\$39,881,197	\$0	\$30,570,936	