

Friday, August 29, 2014

The Pierce Public Schools Board of Education met for a special meeting at 7:30 a.m. in the High School Conference Room. Members present were Dan Unseld, Jacque Collison, Ted Krienke, Dave Lienemann, Robert Hoffmann, and Kent Hanlin. Also present were Superintendent Kendall Steffensen and five guests.

A welcome was extended to the guests and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Krienke pointed out the Open Meeting's Act. During public correspondence, Al Collison urged the board to vote for a 95 cents levy.

Mr. Steffensen talked about the need to not drop the levy below 95 cents in order to keep \$81,000.00 of allocated income tax receipts from the state. He also reminded the board that our school district is going to lose all of approximately \$857,000.00 of state equalization aid next year due to increased valuations.

Unseld moved and Hanlin seconded a motion to have Mr. Steffensen use a preliminary total general fund levy of 95 cents with no special building fund allocations. Voting unanimous, motion carried.

Lienemann moved and Hanlin seconded a motion to adjourn. Voting unanimous, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:53 a.m.

The next meetings will be a budget hearing at 6:00 p.m., a tax request hearing at 6:15 p.m., and a regular meeting at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, September 8, 2014 in the High School Conference Room. These meetings are open to the public. A current agenda is available in the Superintendent's Office at the High School.

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