

## **NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on Tuesday, April 9, 2019, a special election will be held in Williston Public School District No. 1, Williams County, North Dakota, for the purpose of submitting to the voters of the School District, the question of whether the following Initial Resolution for the issuance of general obligation bonds adopted by the School Board of the School District on January 14, 2019, at a meeting of the School Board duly called and held, shall be approved:

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the School Board of Williston Public School District No. 1, Williams County, North Dakota, that it is necessary and expedient for Williston Public School District No. 1 (the "School District") to issue its general obligation school building bonds as hereafter described:

1. The maximum amount of bonds proposed to be issued is \$60,000,000.
2. The purpose for which the bonds are proposed to be issued is to provide funds, together with any other funds available, to construct one or more elementary schools; to make renovations to the existing elementary schools; to construct an addition to the high school; and generally to construct, renovate, remodel, equip and improve school buildings, school property and school facilities.
3. The assessed valuation of all taxable property in the School District, as defined in Section 21-03-01, N.D.C.C., is \$1,173,847,678 as last finally equalized for the year 2018.
4. The total amount of bonded indebtedness of the School District, all issued for school building purposes, is \$42,045,357.

### **AND YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED AS FOLLOWS:**

The School District, in compliance with Chapter 15.1-36 of the North Dakota Century Code, provides the following information:

If approved, the bond issue will result in an estimated additional millage of 37.57 mills, equal to \$37.57 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation for the first taxable year.

### **AND YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED AS FOLLOWS:**

That the School Board of the School District, by Resolution duly adopted on January 14, 2019, has resolved to submit the question of increasing the school building fund levy from 10 mills to 20 mills, at the election of which notice is hereby given; that the election of which you are hereby notified is to be held for the further purpose of submitting to the electors of Williston Public School District No. 1 of Williams County, North Dakota, the question of whether or not the School District shall be authorized to increase its school building fund levy from ten (10) mills to twenty (20) mills.

**AND YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED AS FOLLOWS:**

That the polling place for holding the election will be as follows:

Williston Area Recreation Center  
822 18<sup>th</sup> Street East  
Williston, ND 58801

And you are further notified that the polls of said election will be open at 7:00 a.m., Central Time, and will remain open continuously thereafter until 7:00 p.m., Central Time, of that day and that said election is to be held on Tuesday, April 9, 2019.

**DATED:** January 24, 2019.

**BY ORDER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF WILLISTON PUBLIC SCHOOL  
DISTRICT NO. 1, WILLIAMS COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA.**

/s/   
Business Manager

**OFFICIAL BALLOT**  
**April 9, 2019**

**WILLISTON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1**  
**OF WILLIAMS COUNTY**  
**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**

**QUESTION #1**

Shall Williston Public School District No. 1 of Williams County, North Dakota, issue its general obligation bonds in the amount not to exceed \$60,000,000, maturing within a maximum of 20 years, resulting in an estimated additional millage of 37.57 mills, equal to \$37.57 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation for the first taxable year, for the purpose of providing funds, together with any other funds available, to construct one or more elementary schools; to make renovations to the existing elementary schools; to construct an addition to the high school; and generally to construct, renovate, remodel, equip and improve school buildings, school property and school facilities.

Yes . . . . . \_\_\_\_\_

No . . . . . \_\_\_\_\_

**QUESTION #2**

Shall Williston Public School District No. 1 of Williams County, North Dakota, be authorized to increase its school building fund levy from ten (10) mills to twenty (20) mills in accordance with the provisions of Section 57-15-16 of the North Dakota Century Code.

For Increasing the Building Fund Levy (Yes) . . . . . \_\_\_\_\_

Against Increasing the Building Fund Levy (No) . . . . . \_\_\_\_\_

**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS:**

Voters desiring to vote in favor of the foregoing propositions should mark a cross (X) in the space opposite the word "Yes." Voters desiring to vote against such propositions should mark a cross (X) in the space opposite the word "No."