

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM
CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON

AGENDA TITLE:	Action on Resolution No. 486 Declaring Support for Shoreline School District Ballot Proposition No. 1 – Replacement of Expiring Levy for Educational Programs and Operations and Proposition No. 2 – Replacement of Expiring Capital Levy for Technology Improvement and Support
DEPARTMENT:	City Manager’s Office
PRESENTED BY:	Christina Arcidy, Management Analyst
ACTION:	<input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Motion <input type="checkbox"/> Discussion <input type="checkbox"/> Public Hearing

PROBLEM/ISSUE STATEMENT:

At their August 24, 2021, meeting, the Shoreline School District Board of Directors unanimously approved Resolution No. 2021-14, Proposition No. 1 – Replacement of Expiring Levy for Educational Programs and Operations and Resolution No. 2021-15, Proposition No. 2 – Replacement of Expiring Capital Levy for Technology Improvement and Support, and placed both Propositions on the February 8, 2022, special election ballot. Council heard a factual presentation on Propositions No. 1 and No. 2 during their January 10, 2022, meeting.

Tonight, Council will consider supporting these ballot propositions. As per RCW 42.17A.555, the Council must allow equal opportunity for the public to express views in support and opposition to this resolution. Providing for dedicated public comment following the presentation of the resolution by staff allows for this opportunity. If adopted by Council, proposed Resolution No. 486 will be shared with the Shoreline School Board and School District staff.

RESOURCE/FINANCIAL IMPACT:

There is no resource or financial impact to adopting Resolution No. 486 (Attachment C). Individual property owners may use the King County Assessors Tax Transparency Tool to estimate the impact of the proposed levy on their property taxes: [Tax Transparency Tool](#).

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that City Council adopt Resolution No. 486 declaring support for Shoreline School District Ballot Proposition No. 1 – Replacement of Expiring Levy for Educational Programs and Operations and Proposition No. 2 – Replacement of Expiring Capital Levy for Technology Improvement and Support.

Approved By: City Manager **DT** City Attorney **MK**

BACKGROUND

At their August 24, 2021, meeting, the Shoreline School District Board of Directors unanimously approved Resolution No. 2021-14, Proposition No. 1 – Replacement of Expiring Levy for Educational Programs and Operations (Attachment A) and Resolution No. 2021-15, Proposition No. 2 – Replacement of Expiring Capital Levy for Technology Improvement and Support (Attachment B), and placed both Propositions on the February 8, 2022, special election ballot.

Proposition No. 1, the Replacement of Expiring Levy for Educational Programs and Operations, would generate approximately \$108,750,000 over four years. It would continue funding for education programs not fully supported by state and federal funding, including special education staff and instructional programs, highly capable programs and academic support for students; nurses, family advocates, librarians, and counselors; building maintenance, utilities and transportation; extra-curricular student activities, including music, drama and athletics; and professional development and all Time Responsibility and Incentive (TRI) compensation for teachers and staff.

The average estimated tax rate over four years for Proposition No. 1 would be \$1.41 per \$1,000 of assessed property value annually. For a median valued home (\$534,000 in 2020), this would equal \$790 per year or \$65 per month.

Proposition No. 2, the Replacement of Expiring Capital Levy for Technology Improvement and Support, would generate \$14,000,000 over four years. This replacement levy funds instructional technology and internet access for students and staff across the district. These funds help pay for student and staff computers and technology access; software, online subscriptions, resources and classroom curriculum; annual maintenance and licensing; equipment upgrades and replacement; staffing, professional development and training; network servers and wireless infrastructure; and email and website services for families, students, and staff.

The average estimated tax rate over four years for Proposition No. 2 would be \$0.18 per \$1,000 of assessed property value annually. For a median valued home (\$534,000 in 2020), this would equal \$96 per year or \$8 per month.

Shoreline School District staff presented factual information about Propositions No. 1 and No. 2 to the Shoreline City Council during the Council's January 10, 2022, Council meeting. The Council discussed the Propositions and had an opportunity to ask the Shoreline School District staff questions. The staff report for that discussion may be found here: [Discussion of Shoreline School District Ballot Proposition No. 1 – Replacement of Expiring Levy for Educational Programs and Operations and Proposition No. 2 – Replacement of Expiring Capital Levy for Technology Improvement and Support.](#)

DISCUSSION

Tonight, Council will consider passing Resolution No. 486 (Attachment C) declaring support for Shoreline School District Ballot Proposition No. 1 – Replacement of Expiring Levy for Educational Programs and Operations and Proposition No. 2 – Replacement of

Expiring Capital Levy for Technology Improvement and Support. The Council has voted to support ballot propositions if it determines the proposition will have a direct impact on the Shoreline community. These have included propositions supporting the Shoreline Fire District, the Shoreline School District, and Sound Transit. Past support of Shoreline School District ballot measures includes support for a maintenance and operations levy, technology improvement levy, and a bond measure for the modernization and replacement of Shorecrest and Shorewood High Schools, all in 2010; support for a supplemental levy for reduced class size in 2011; support for replacement of the expiring maintenance and operations levy and technology improvement levy in 2014; and a bond measure to support rebuilding schools and building an early learning center in 2016.

As per RCW 42.17A.555, the Council must allow equal opportunity for the public to express views in support and opposition to this resolution. Providing for dedicated public comment following the presentation of the resolution by staff allows for this opportunity. If adopted by Council, proposed Resolution No. 486 will be shared with the Shoreline School Board and School District staff.

RESOURCE/FINANCIAL IMPACT

There is no resource or financial impact to adopting Resolution No. 486. Individual property owners may use the King County Assessors Tax Transparency Tool to estimate the impact of the proposed levy on their property taxes: [Tax Transparency Tool](#).

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that City Council adopt Resolution No. 486 declaring support for Shoreline School District Ballot Proposition No. 1 – Replacement of Expiring Levy for Educational Programs and Operations and Proposition No. 2 – Replacement of Expiring Capital Levy for Technology Improvement and Support.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Shoreline School District Resolution No. 2021-14
Attachment B: Shoreline School District Resolution No. 2021-15
Attachment C: Proposed Resolution No. 486

**SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-14

**PROPOSITION NO. 1 - REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING LEVY FOR
EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS AND OPERATIONS**

A RESOLUTION of the Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 412, King County, Washington, providing for the submission to the voters of the District at a special election to be held on February 8, 2022, of a proposition authorizing an excess tax levy to be made annually for four years commencing in 2022 for collection in 2023 of \$26,000,000, in 2023 for collection in 2024 of \$26,500,000, in 2024 for collection in 2025 of \$27,500,000, and in 2025 for collection in 2026 of \$28,750,000, for the District's General Fund to pay expenses of educational programs and operations; designating the District's Deputy Superintendent and special counsel to receive notice of the ballot title from the Director of Elections of King County, Washington; and providing for related matters.

ADOPTED: AUGUST 24, 2021

This document prepared by:

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SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-14

A RESOLUTION of the Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 402, King County, Washington, providing for the submission to the voters of the District at a special election to be held on February 8, 2022, of a proposition authorizing an excess tax levy to be made annually for four years commencing in 2022 for collection in 2023 of \$26,000,000, in 2023 for collection in 2024 of \$26,500,000, in 2024 for collection in 2025 of \$27,500,000, and in 2025 for collection in 2026 of \$28,750,000, for the District's General Fund to pay expenses of educational programs and operations; designating the District's Deputy Superintendent and special counsel to receive notice of the ballot title from the Director of Elections of King County, Washington; and providing for related matters.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412, KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON, as follows:

Section 1. Findings and Determinations. The Board of Directors (the "Board") of Shoreline School District No. 412, King County, Washington (the "District"), takes note of the following facts and makes the following findings and determinations:

(a) Calendar year 2022 is the last year of collection of the District's current four-year General Fund educational programs and operations tax levy, which was authorized pursuant to Resolution No. 2017-24, adopted by the Board on November 6, 2017, and approved by the voters at a special election held and conducted within the District on February 13, 2018.

(b) With the expiration of the District's current four-year General Fund educational programs and operations tax levy, it appears certain that the money in the District's General Fund for the school years 2022-2023, 2023-2024, 2024-2025, 2025-2026 and 2026-2027 will be insufficient to permit the District to meet the educational needs of its students and pay expenses of educational programs and operations support not funded by the State of Washington, all as more particularly set forth in Section 3 of this resolution, during such school years, and that it is necessary that a replacement excess tax levy of \$26,000,000 be made in 2022 for collection in 2023, \$26,500,000 be made in 2023 for collection in 2024, \$27,500,000 be made in 2024 for collection in 2025, and \$28,750,000 be made in 2025 for collection in 2026 for the District's General Fund to provide the money required to meet those expenses.

(c) The District's proposed four-year General Fund educational programs and operations tax levy authorized in this resolution provides for approximately the same educational programs and operations purposes as the District's expiring four-year General Fund educational programs and operations tax levy.

(d) Pursuant to Article VII, Section 2(a) of the Washington Constitution and Revised Code of Washington ("RCW") 84.52.053, the District may submit to its voters at a special election,

for their approval or rejection, a proposition authorizing the District to levy annual excess property taxes for support of the District's educational programs and operations expenses.

(e) The District has received or, prior to the time the ballot proposition authorized in this resolution is submitted to the voters, the District will have received approval of its educational programs and operations tax levy expenditure plan from the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction under RCW 28A.505.240 as required by RCW 84.52.053(4), a copy of which is or will be on file with the District.

Section 2. Calling of Election. The Director of Elections of King County, Washington, as *ex officio* Supervisor of Elections (the "Auditor"), is requested to call and conduct a special election in the manner provided by law to be held in the District on February 8, 2022, for the purpose of submitting to the District's voters, for their approval or rejection, the proposition authorizing a replacement General Fund educational programs and operations tax levy on all of the taxable property within the District (the assessed value of such representing 100% of true and fair value unless specifically provided otherwise by law) to be made annually for four years commencing in 2022 for collection in 2023 of \$26,000,000, the estimated dollar rate of tax levy required to produce such an amount being \$1.48 per \$1,000 of assessed value, in 2023 for collection in 2024 of \$26,500,000, the estimated dollar rate of tax levy required to produce such an amount being \$1.44 per \$1,000 of assessed value, in 2024 for collection in 2025 of \$27,500,000, the estimated dollar rate of tax levy required to produce such an amount being \$1.38 per \$1,000 of assessed value, and in 2025 for collection in 2026 of \$28,750,000, the estimated dollar rate of tax levy required to produce such an amount being \$1.33 per \$1,000 of assessed value, all in excess of the maximum tax levy specified by law for school districts without voter approval. The exact tax levy rate and amount to be collected may be adjusted based upon the actual assessed value of the taxable property within the District and the limitations imposed by law at the time of the tax levy.

Section 3. Use of Taxes. If the proposition authorized by this resolution is approved by the requisite number of voters, the District will be authorized to levy the excess property taxes up to the amounts provided in this resolution to meet the educational needs of its students and pay expenses of educational programs and operations support not funded by the State of Washington, during the school years 2022-2023, 2023-2024, 2024-2025, 2025-2026 and 2026-2027, all as may be authorized by law and determined necessary by the Board. Pending the receipt of those taxes, the District may issue short-term obligations pursuant to chapter 39.50 RCW or contract indebtedness pursuant to RCW 28A.530.080. Upon receipt, the District may use those taxes to repay such short-term obligations or indebtedness, all as may be authorized by law and determined necessary and advisable by the Board.

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Section 4. Form of Ballot Title. Pursuant to RCW 29A.36.071, the King County Prosecuting Attorney is requested to prepare the concise description of the aforesaid proposition for the ballot title in substantially the following form:

PROPOSITION NO. 1

SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412

REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING LEVY FOR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS
AND OPERATIONS

The Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 412 adopted Resolution No. 2021-14, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operations expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to meet educational needs of its students by levying the following excess taxes, in place of the expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's educational programs and operations expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2023	\$1.48	\$26,000,000
2024	\$1.44	\$26,500,000
2025	\$1.38	\$27,500,000
2026	\$1.33	\$28,750,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 2021-14. Should this proposition be approved?

LEVY . . . YES

LEVY . . . NO

Section 5. Authorization to Deliver Resolution to Auditor and Perform Other Necessary Duties. The Secretary to the Board (the "Secretary") or the Secretary's designee is directed to: (a) present a certified copy of this resolution to the Auditor no later than December 10, 2021; and (b) perform such other duties as are necessary or required by law to submit to the District's voters at the aforesaid special election, for their approval or rejection, the proposition authorizing the District to levy excess property taxes for support of the District's educational programs and operations expenses.

Section 6. Notices Relating to Ballot Title. For purposes of receiving notice of the exact language of the ballot title required by RCW 29A.36.080, the Board hereby designates (a) the District's Deputy Superintendent (Marla S. Miller), telephone: (206) 393.4514; email: marla.miller@shorelineschools.org and (b) special counsel, Foster Garvey P.C. (Jim McNeill), telephone: 206.447.5339; email: jim.mcneill@foster.com, as the individuals to whom the Auditor shall provide such notice. The Secretary is authorized to approve changes to the ballot title, if any, determined necessary by the Auditor or the King County Prosecuting Attorney.

Section 7. Execution; General Authorization and Ratification. This resolution may be executed by the Directors being present and voting in favor of the resolution, or only the President of the Board (the “President”), and attested by the Secretary, in tangible medium, manual, facsimile or electronic form under any security procedure or platform, and notwithstanding any other District resolution, rule, policy or procedure, or in any other manner evidencing its adoption. The Secretary, the District’s Deputy Superintendent, the President, and the District’s Special Counsel, Foster Garvey P.C., are hereby further severally authorized and directed to take such actions and to create, accept, execute, send, use and rely upon such tangible medium, manual, facsimile or electronic documents, records and signatures under any security procedure or platform, and notwithstanding any other District resolution, rule, policy or procedure, as in their judgment may be necessary or desirable to effectuate the provisions of this resolution. All actions taken prior to the effective date of this resolution in furtherance of and not inconsistent with the provisions of this resolution are ratified and confirmed in all respects.

Section 8. Severability. If any provision of this resolution is declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, then such provision shall be null and void and shall be separable from the remaining provisions of this resolution and shall in no way affect the validity of the other provisions of this resolution, or of the levy or collection of excess property taxes authorized herein.

Section 9. Effective Date. This resolution takes effect from and after its adoption.

ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 412, King County, Washington, at a regular open public meeting held this 24th day of August, 2021.

SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Dissented:

Meghan Jernigan, President

Rebeca Rivera, Vice President

Sara Betnel, Director

Emily Williams, Director

Sarah Cohen, Director

Attest: August __, 2021

Dr. Susana Reyes, Secretary
Shoreline Board of Directors

CERTIFICATION

I, Dr. Susana Reyes, Secretary to the Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 412, King County, Washington (the “District”), hereby certify as follows:

1. The foregoing Resolution No. 2021-14 (the “Resolution”) is a full, true and correct copy of the Resolution duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the District (the “Board”) held on August 24, 2021 (the “Meeting”), as that Resolution appears on the minute book of the District, and the Resolution is now in full force and effect;

2. Pursuant to various proclamations and orders issued by the Governor of the State of Washington, options were provided for the public to attend the Meeting remotely, including by telephonic access and, as available, internet access, which options provided the ability for all persons attending the Meeting remotely to hear each other at the same time; and

3. The Meeting was duly convened and held in all respects in accordance with law, the public was notified of the access options for remote attendance, a quorum of the members of the Board was present throughout the meeting, and a sufficient number of members of the Board present voted in the proper manner for the adoption of the Resolution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 24th day of August, 2021.

SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Dr. Susana Reyes
Secretary to the Board of Directors

**SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-15

**PROPOSITION NO. 2 – REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING CAPITAL
LEVY FOR TECHNOLOGY IMPROVEMENTS AND SUPPORT**

A RESOLUTION of the Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 412, King County, Washington, providing for the submission to the voters of the District at a special election to be held on February 8, 2022, of a proposition authorizing an excess tax levy to be made annually for four years commencing in 2022 for collection in the years 2023 through 2026 in the aggregate total amount of \$14,000,000 for the District's Capital Projects Fund to support the modernization of School District facilities by making certain technology improvements; designating the District's Deputy Superintendent and special counsel to receive notice of the ballot title from the Director of Elections of King County, Washington; and providing for related matters.

ADOPTED: AUGUST 24, 2021

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SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-15

A RESOLUTION of the Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 412, King County, Washington, providing for the submission to the voters of the District at a special election to be held on February 8, 2022, of a proposition authorizing an excess tax levy to be made annually for four years commencing in 2022 for collection in the years 2023 through 2026 in the aggregate total amount of \$14,000,000 for the District's Capital Projects Fund to support the modernization of School District facilities by making certain technology improvements; designating the District's Deputy Superintendent and special counsel to receive notice of the ballot title from the Director of Elections of King County, Washington; and providing for related matters.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412, KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON, as follows:

Section 1. Findings and Determinations. The Board of Directors (the "Board") of Shoreline School District No. 412, King County, Washington (the "District"), takes note of the following facts and makes the following findings and determinations:

(a) Calendar year 2022 is the last year of collection of the District's current four-year Capital Projects Fund tax levy, which was authorized pursuant to Resolution No. 2017-25, adopted by the Board on November 6, 2017, and approved by the voters at a special election held and conducted within the District on February 13, 2018.

(b) The District's instructional programs and existing condition of technology equipment and infrastructure require the District to support modernization of School District facilities by making certain technology improvements, all as more particularly defined and described in Section 2 herein (collectively, the "Projects").

(c) With the expiration of the District's current four-year Capital Projects Fund technology tax levy, it appears certain that the money in the District's Capital Projects Fund will be insufficient to permit the District to pay costs of the Projects, and that it is necessary that a replacement excess tax levy of \$3,500,000 be made in 2022 for collection in 2023, \$3,500,000 be made in 2023 for collection in 2024, \$3,500,000 be made in 2024 for collection in 2025, and \$3,500,000 be made in 2025 for collection in 2026 for the District's Capital Projects Fund to provide the money required to pay those costs.

(d) The proposed four-year Capital Projects Fund technology tax levy authorized in this resolution will replace the District's expiring four-year Capital Projects Fund technology tax levy.

(e) Pursuant to Article VII, Section 2(a) of the Washington Constitution and Revised Code of Washington ("RCW") 84.52.053, the District may submit to its voters at a special election,

for their approval or rejection, a proposition authorizing the District to levy annual excess property taxes to pay costs of the Projects.

(f) The best interests of the District's students and other inhabitants require the District to carry out and accomplish the Projects.

Section 2. Description of the Projects. The Projects to be paid for with the excess property taxes authorized herein are more particularly defined and described as follows:

(a) Acquire and install instructional technology equipment and infrastructure throughout School District facilities to improve student learning and provide related training and support, and make other instructional technology improvements and upgrades, all as determined necessary and advisable by the Board. The foregoing instructional technology equipment, infrastructure, improvements and upgrades shall be part of the District's integrated technology systems and facilities for instruction and research.

(b) Acquire, construct and install all necessary furniture, equipment, apparatus, accessories, fixtures and appurtenances in or for the foregoing, all as determined necessary and advisable by the Board.

(c) Pay costs associated with implementing the foregoing instructional technology equipment and infrastructure, including, but not limited to, acquiring, constructing and installing hardware and licensing software, online applications and training related to the installation of the foregoing, all as determined necessary and advisable by the Board. Such costs constitute a part of the Projects and also include, but are not limited to, ongoing fees for online applications, subscriptions, or software licenses, including upgrades and incidental services, and ongoing training related to the use, installation and integration of these products and services, all as determined necessary and advisable by the Board. The hardware, software or applications shall be an integral part of the District's technology systems and facilities for instruction and research.

(d) Pay incidental costs incurred in connection with carrying out and accomplishing the Projects. Such incidental costs constitute a part of the Projects and include, but are not limited to: (1) payments for fiscal and legal costs; (2) costs of establishing and funding accounts; (3) necessary and related engineering, architectural, planning, consulting, permitting, inspection and testing costs; (4) administrative and relocation costs; (5) site improvement costs; (6) demolition costs; (7) costs related to demolition and/or deconstruction of existing school facilities to recycle, reclaim and repurpose all or a portion of such facilities and/or building materials; (8) costs of on and off-site utilities and road improvements; and (9) costs of other similar activities or purposes, all as determined necessary and advisable by the Board.

The Projects, or any portion or portions thereof, shall be acquired or made insofar as is practicable with available money and in such order of time as shall be determined necessary and advisable by the Board. The Board shall determine the application of available money between the various parts of the Projects so as to accomplish, as near as may be, all of the Projects. The Board shall determine the exact order, extent and specifications for the Projects. The Projects are to be more fully described in the plans and specifications to be filed with the District.

Section 3. Calling of Election. The Director of Elections of King County, Washington, as *ex officio* Supervisor of Elections (the “Auditor”), is requested to call and conduct a special election in the manner provided by law to be held in the District on February 8, 2022, for the purpose of submitting to the District’s voters, for their approval or rejection, the proposition authorizing a replacement Capital Projects Fund excess property tax levy on all of the taxable property within the District (the assessed value of such representing 100% of true and fair value unless specifically provided otherwise by law) to be made annually for four years commencing in 2022 for collection in 2023 of \$3,500,000, the estimated dollar rate of tax levy required to produce such an amount being \$0.20 per \$1,000 of assessed value, in 2023 for collection in 2024 of \$3,500,000, the estimated dollar rate of tax levy required to produce such an amount being \$0.19 per \$1,000 of assessed value, in 2024 for collection in 2025 of \$3,500,000, the estimated dollar rate of tax levy required to produce such an amount being \$0.18 per \$1,000 of assessed value, and in 2025 for collection in 2026 of \$3,500,000, the estimated dollar rate of tax levy required to produce such an amount being \$0.16 per \$1,000 of assessed value, all in excess of the maximum tax levy specified by law for school districts without voter approval. The exact tax levy rate may be adjusted based upon the actual assessed value of the taxable property within the District at the time of the tax levy.

Section 4. Use of Taxes. If the proposition authorized by this resolution is approved by the requisite number of voters, the District will be authorized to levy the excess property taxes provided in this resolution to pay costs of the Projects, all as may be authorized by law and determined necessary and advisable by the Board. Pending the receipt of those taxes, the District may issue short-term obligations pursuant to chapter 39.50 RCW or contract indebtedness pursuant to RCW 28A.530.080. Upon receipt, the District may use those taxes to repay such short-term obligations or indebtedness, all as may be authorized by law and determined necessary and advisable by the Board.

Section 5. Sufficiency of Taxes. If the excess property taxes authorized herein are more than sufficient to carry out the Projects, or should state or local circumstances require any alteration in the Projects, the District may apply such taxes to other capital purposes, or reduce or eliminate the excess property tax levies authorized herein, all as the Board may determine by resolution and as permitted by law.

If the Board determines that it has become impractical to accomplish the Projects or any portion thereof by reason of state or local circumstances, including changed conditions or needs, regulatory considerations, incompatible development or costs substantially in excess of those estimated, or for any other reason determined by the Board, the District will not be required to accomplish such Projects and may apply the excess property taxes authorized herein or any portion thereof to other capital purposes of the District, or reduce or eliminate the excess property taxes authorized herein, all as the Board may determine by resolution and as permitted by law. In the event that the excess property taxes, plus any other money of the District legally available therefor, are insufficient to accomplish all of the Projects, the District may use the available money for paying the cost of that portion of the Projects that the Board determines most necessary and in the best interests of the District.

Notwithstanding anything in this resolution to the contrary, the excess property taxes authorized herein may be used only to support the construction, modernization or remodeling of school facilities.

Section 6. Form of Ballot Title. Pursuant to RCW 29A.36.071, the King County Prosecuting Attorney is requested to prepare the concise description of the aforesaid proposition for the ballot title in substantially the following form:

PROPOSITION NO. 2

SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412

REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING CAPITAL LEVY FOR TECHNOLOGY IMPROVEMENTS AND SUPPORT

The Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 412 adopted Resolution No. 2021-15, concerning a proposition to finance technology improvements and support. This proposition would authorize the District to acquire and install instructional technology equipment and infrastructure throughout School District facilities to improve student learning and provide related training and support, and levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2023	\$0.20	\$3,500,000
2024	\$0.19	\$3,500,000
2025	\$0.18	\$3,500,000
2026	\$0.16	\$3,500,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 2021-15. Should this proposition be approved?

LEVY . . . YES

LEVY . . . NO

Section 7. Authorization to Deliver Resolution to Auditor and Perform Other Necessary Duties. The Secretary to the Board (the “Secretary”) or the Secretary’s designee is directed to: (a) present a certified copy of this resolution to the Auditor no later than December 10, 2021; and (b) perform such other duties as are necessary or required by law to submit to the District’s voters at the aforesaid special election, for their approval or rejection, the proposition authorizing the District to levy annual excess property taxes to pay costs of the Projects.

Section 8. Notices Relating to Ballot Title. For purposes of receiving notice of the exact language of the ballot title required by RCW 29A.36.080, the Board hereby designates (a) the District’s Deputy Superintendent (Marla S. Miller), telephone: (206) 393.4514; email: marla.miller@shorelineschools.org and (b) special counsel, Foster Garvey P.C. (Jim McNeill), telephone: 206.447.5339; email: jim.mcneill@foster.com, as the individuals to whom the Auditor shall provide such notice. The Secretary is authorized to approve changes to the ballot title, if any, determined necessary by the Auditor or the King County Prosecuting Attorney.

Section 9. Execution; General Authorization and Ratification. This resolution may be executed by the Directors being present and voting in favor of the resolution, or only the President of the Board (the “President”), and attested by the Secretary, in tangible medium, manual, facsimile or electronic form under any security procedure or platform, and notwithstanding any other District resolution, rule, policy or procedure, or in any other manner evidencing its adoption. The Secretary, the District’s Deputy Superintendent, the President, and the District’s Special Counsel, Foster Garvey P.C., are hereby further severally authorized and directed to take such actions and to create, accept, execute, send, use and rely upon such tangible medium, manual, facsimile or electronic documents, records and signatures under any security procedure or platform, and notwithstanding any other District resolution, rule, policy or procedure, as in their judgment may be necessary or desirable to effectuate the provisions of this resolution. All actions taken prior to the effective date of this resolution in furtherance of and not inconsistent with the provisions of this resolution are ratified and confirmed in all respects.

Section 10. Severability. If any provision of this resolution is declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, then such provision shall be null and void and shall be separable from the remaining provisions of this resolution and shall in no way affect the validity of the other provisions of this resolution or of the levy or collection of excess property taxes authorized herein.

Section 11. Effective Date. This resolution takes effect from and after its adoption.

ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 412, King County, Washington, at a regular open public meeting held this 24th day of August, 2021.

SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Dissented:

Meghan Jernigan, President

Rebeca Rivera, Vice President

Sara Betnel, Director

Emily Williams, Director

Sarah Cohen, Director

Attest: August __, 2021

Dr. Susana Reyes, Secretary
Shoreline Board of Directors

CERTIFICATION

I, Dr. Susana Reyes, Secretary to the Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 412, King County, Washington (the “District”), hereby certify as follows:

1. The foregoing Resolution No. 2021-15 (the “Resolution”) is a full, true and correct copy of the Resolution duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the District (the “Board”) held on August 24, 2021 (the “Meeting”), as that Resolution appears on the minute book of the District, and the Resolution is now in full force and effect;

2. Pursuant to various proclamations and orders issued by the Governor of the State of Washington, options were provided for the public to attend the Meeting remotely, including by telephonic access and, as available, internet access, which options provided the ability for all persons attending the Meeting remotely to hear each other at the same time; and

3. The Meeting was duly convened and held in all respects in accordance with law, the public was notified of the access options for remote attendance, a quorum of the members of the Board was present throughout the meeting, and a sufficient number of members of the Board present voted in the proper manner for the adoption of the Resolution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 24th day of August, 2021.

SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Dr. Susana Reyes
Secretary to the Board of Directors

RESOLUTION NO. 486**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON, SUPPORTING SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412 PROPOSITION 1, REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING LEVY FOR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS AND OPERATIONS, AND PROPOSITION 2, CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND TO SUPPORT THE MODERNIZATION OF SCHOOL DISTRICT FACILITIES BY MAKING CERTAIN TECHNOLOGY IMPROVEMENTS.**

WHEREAS, on August 24, 2021, by unanimous approval of Shoreline School District Resolution No. 2021-14 and Resolution No. 2021-15, the Shoreline School District Board of Directors approved the submission of two (2) propositions to a February 8, 2022, special election; and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 2021-14 authorizes Proposition 1 dealing with the expiration of the District's current four-year General Fund educational programs and operations tax levy, for which it appears certain that the money in the District's General Fund for the successive four school years will be insufficient to permit the District to meet the educational needs of its students and pay expenses of educational programs and operations support not funded by the State of Washington, and that it is necessary that a replacement excess tax levy, in place of the expiring levy, be collected on all taxable property within the District in 2023, 2024, 2025, and 2026 for the District's General Fund to provide the money required to meet those expenses; and

WHEREAS, as provided in Section 4 of Resolution No. 2021-14, the ballot title for Proposition 1 will be in substantially the following form:

**PROPOSITION NO. 1
SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412
REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING LEVY FOR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS
AND OPERATIONS**

The Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 412 adopted Resolution No. 2021-14, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operations expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to meet educational needs of its students by levying the following excess taxes, in place of the expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's educational programs and operations expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2023	\$1.48	\$26,000,000
2024	\$1.44	\$26,500,000
2025	\$1.38	\$27,500,000
2026	\$1.33	\$28,750,000

All as provided in Resolution No. 2021-14. Should this proposition be approved?
YES NO

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 2021-15 authorizes Proposition 2 dealing with the expiration of the District’s current four-year Capital Projects Fund technology tax levy, for which it appears certain that the money for the successive four school years will be insufficient to permit the District to pay costs of the technology projects as described in Section 2 of Resolution No. 2021-15, and that it is necessary that a replacement excess tax levy, in place of the expiring technology tax levy, be collected on all taxable property within the District in 2023, 2024, 2025, and 2026 for the District’s Capital Projects Fund to provide the money required to pay those costs; and

WHEREAS, as provided in Section 6 of Resolution No. 2021-15, the ballot title for Proposition 2 will be in substantially the following form:

**PROPOSITION NO. 2
SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412
REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING CAPITAL LEVY FOR TECHNOLOGY
IMPROVEMENTS AND SUPPORT**

The Board of Directors of Shoreline School District No. 412 adopted Resolution No. 2021-15, concerning a proposition to finance technology improvements and support. This proposition would authorize the District to acquire and install instructional technology equipment and infrastructure throughout School District facilities to improve student learning and provide related training and support, and levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2023	\$0.20	\$3,500,000
2024	\$0.19	\$3,500,000
2025	\$0.18	\$3,500,000
2026	\$0.16	\$3,500,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 2021-15. Should this proposition be approved?
YES NO

WHEREAS, in compliance with RCW 42.17A.555, the public meeting notice included the title and number of the Shoreline School District’s Proposition 1 measure and members of the public were given equal opportunity to express opposing views on the measure; and

WHEREAS, the City Council feels that a strong public educational system and high quality educational facilities help provide for a strong community; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

That the City Council of the City of Shoreline hereby expresses its support for the Shoreline School District No. 412 Proposition 1, authorizing the District to finance educational programs and operations expenses not funded by the State of Washington so as to meet the educational

needs of its students, and Proposition 2, authorizing the District to support the modernization of District facilities by making certain technology improvements, and encourages voters to approve both Proposition 1 and Proposition 2 at the special election to be held on February 8, 2022.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON JANUARY 24, 2022.

Keith Scully, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jessica Simulcik Smith, City Clerk