**School District of Belleville**

**2024-2025 Budget Hearing and Annual Meeting Minutes Belleville Middle School/High School Library**

**6 p.m., Monday, October 14, 2024**

Board President Katie Woehrle called the Budget Hearing to order at 6:01 p.m. School board members present included Meg Anthony, Alan Charles, Ryan Kubly, Tony Schmit, Marian Viney, Katie Woehrle and Beth Yurs.

These electors signed in: Jean Tretow, Joel S. Jacobs, Jo Tourdot, David Edge, Kelly Schulz, Betty Wolff, Ken Roberts, Glenda Salmela, Melissa Knudson, Kim Allen, Kathryn Fox, Mike Cryderman, Anne Colville, Kristin Napora, Kendra Mussehl, Benjamin Meline, Kelsey Schmit, Meredith Smith, Jerry Remy, Barry Schoenike, Mike Tretow, Mike Treder, Joshua Russow, Duane Pophal, Jon Sunderlage, Raven Haight, Yvonne Remy, Dawn Schoenike, Kellie Olson, Heather Gordon, Nicole Vesperman, Andrea Ziegler, Marsha Rear, Jannan Kosak, and Douglas Ciha.

District Administrator James Schmitt shared a presentation about the school district.

District Business Manager Erik Farrar presented the 2024-2025 budget, reviewing revenues, expenditures, tax levy, equalized aid, and various funds.

The Budget Hearing concluded at 7 p.m.

Katie Woehrle called the Annual Meeting to order at 7:01 p.m. Alan Charles nominated Katie Woehrle as meeting chairperson. Seconded by Beth Yurs.

A vote was taken: 34 yes votes, 0 no votes; the motion passed unanimously.

Katie Woehrle designated Marian Viney as recording clerk.

Alan Charles made a motion to approve a tax levy of $7,8857,803 to operate the School District of Belleville, Dane and Green counties, in the State of Wisconsin for the 2024-2025 school year as presented, all being in accordance with Section 120.10(8) Wisconsin Statutes. Seconded by Ryan Kubly.

Joshua Russow made a secondary motion to approve a tax levy of $7,357,803 to operate the

School District of Belleville, Dane and Green counties, in the State of Wisconsin for the 2024-2025 School Year all being in accordance with Section 120.10(8) Wisconsin Statutes. Seconded by Douglas Ciha.

A vote was taken on the secondary motion: 4 yes votes, 33 no votes; the motion failed.

A vote was taken on the primary motion: 34 yes votes, 3 no votes; the motion passed.

Joel Jacobs made a motion to approve that salaries be adopted for the members of the Board of Education: $1,900.00 for the president and $1,700.00 for other board members, all being in accordance with Section 120.10(3) Wisconsin Statutes. Seconded by Mike Treder.

A vote was taken: 27 yes votes, 0 no votes; the motion passed.

Joel Jacobs made a motion to approve payment of actual and necessary expenses of Board of Education members when traveling in performance of duties, all being in accordance with Section 120.10(4) Wisconsin Statutes. Seconded by Mike Treder.

A vote was taken: 27 yes votes, 0 no votes; the motion passed.

Beth Yurs made a motion to approve that the Board of Education be authorized to borrow money for the short-term operation, all being in accordance with Section 67.12(8) Wisconsin Statutes. Seconded by Alan Charles.

A vote was taken: 33 yes votes, 0 no votes; the motion passed.

Beth Yurs made a motion to approve the Board of Education be authorized to purchase and/or service school district vehicles, for the purpose of transportation, all being in accordance with Section 120.10(7) Wisconsin Statutes. Seconded by Marian Viney.

A vote was taken: 34 yes votes, 0 no votes; the motion passed.

This concludes new business.

Katie Woehrle made a motion to set the 2025 Annual Meeting for Monday, October 13, 2025; Time:
6 p.m. Seconded by Ryan Kubly.

A vote was taken: 34 yes votes, 0 no votes; the motion passed.

Kathryn Fox made a motion to adjourn the Annual Meeting at 7:20 p.m. Seconded by Beth Yurs.

A vote was taken: 35 yes votes, 0 no votes; the motion passed.

Respectfully submitted: October 16, 2024

Marian Viney

District Clerk