2024-2025
STATE OF NEBRASKA
SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET FORM

County-District #: 59-0005 **Class #: 3**

Battle Creek Public Schools

TO THE COUNTY BOARD AND COUNTY CLERK OF

Madison County

This budget is for the Period SEPTEMBER 1, 2024 through AUGUST 31, 2025

Upon Filing, The School Certifies the Information Submitted on this Form to be Correct

AMOUNT OF PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAX REQUIRED FOR:	Principal and Interest on Bonds	All Other Purposes	TOTAL
General Fund	$ -	$ 5,280,379.00	$ 5,280,379.00
Bond Fund(s) *[If More Than 1 Bond Fund - Total All Together]*	$ 792,929.00		$ 792,929.00
Special Building Fund	$ -	$ 101,010.00	$ 101,010.00
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund	$ -	$ -	$ -
Total All Funds	$ 792,929.00	$ 5,381,389.00	$ 6,174,318.00

Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness as of September 1, 2024
(Include Bond Fund(s) and Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund)

$ 10,280,000.00	Principal
$ 3,689,944.25	Interest
$ 13,969,944.25	**Total Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness**

Total Certified Valuation (All Counties) $ 850,128,087

*(Certification of Valuation(s) from County Assessor **MUST** be attached)*

Report of Joint Public Agency & Interlocal Agreements

Was this Subdivision involved in any Interlocal Agreements or Joint Public Agencies for the reporting period of July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024?

[X] YES [ ] NO

*If **YES**, Please submit Interlocal Agreement Report by September 30th.*

County Clerk's Use Only

Report of Trade Names, Corporate Names & Business Names

Did the subdivision operate under a separate Trade Name, Corporate Name, or other Business Name during the period of July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024?

[ ] YES [X] NO

*If **YES**, Please submit Trade Name Report by September 30th.*

Has your School District held a successful election to override the levy limits provided in Statute 77-3442, which is in effect for 2024-2025 school fiscal year?

[ ] YES [X] NO

APA Contact Information

Auditor of Public Accounts
PO Box 98917
Lincoln, NE 68509

Telephone: (402) 471-2111 **FAX:** (402) 471-3301

Website: auditors.nebraska.gov

Questions - E-Mail: Jeff.Schreier@nebraska.gov

Submission Information

Budget Due by 9-30-2024

Submit budget to:

1. Auditor of Public Accounts -Electronically on Website or Mail
2. County Board (SEC. 13-508), C/O County Clerk
3. Nebraska Dept. of Education -Upload to NDE Portal only

BUDGET STATEMENT AND CERTIFICATION OF TAX

County-District # 59-0005
Battle Creek Public Schools

2024-2025 BUDGET ADOPTED									
	TOTAL BEGINNING BALANCE (Column 1)	**TOTAL AVAILABLE RESOURCES BEFORE PROPERTY TAXES** (Including Beginning Balances) (Column 2)	**PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAXES** (Column 3)	**TOTAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE** (Col 2 + Col 3) (Column 4)	**TOTAL BUDGET OF DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS - SPECIAL EDUCATION** (Column 5)	**TOTAL BUDGET OF DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS - NON-SPECIAL EDUCATION** (Column 6)	**TOTAL BUDGET OF DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS** (Col 5 + Col 6) (Column 7)	**NECESSARY CASH RESERVE** (Column 8)	**TOTAL REQUIREMENTS** (Col 7 + Col 8) (Column 9)
General	3,085,539.00	6,214,544.00	5,227,575.00	11,442,119.00	987,000.00	8,111,662.00	9,098,662.00	2,343,457.00	11,442,119.00
Depreciation	841,075.00	841,075.00		841,075.00			841,075.00		841,075.00
Employee Benefit	30,606.00	40,606.00		40,606.00			40,606.00	-	40,606.00
Contingency	-	-		-			-		-
Activities	180,880.00	400,000.00		400,000.00			400,000.00	-	400,000.00
School Nutrition	177,736.00	600,000.00		600,000.00			600,000.00	-	600,000.00
Bond	461,881.00	464,421.00	785,000.00	1,249,421.00			1,000,000.00	249,421.00	1,249,421.00
Special Building	1,463,737.00	1,563,837.00	100,000.00	1,663,837.00			1,663,837.00		1,663,837.00
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking	-	-	-	-			-	-	-
Cooperative	-	-		-			-	-	-
Student Fee	52,599.00	56,799.00		56,799.00			56,799.00	-	56,799.00
				-					-
TOTAL ALL FUNDS	6,294,053.00	10,181,282.00	6,112,575.00	16,293,857.00	987,000.00	8,111,662.00	13,700,979.00	2,592,878.00	16,293,857.00

PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAX RECAP	**General Fund**	**Bond Fund(s)** [Total Of All Bond Funds]	**Special Building Fund**	**Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund**
PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAXES FROM COLUMN 3 (Line A)	5,227,575.00	785,000.00	100,000.00	-
COUNTY TREASURER'S COMMISSION 1% OF TAXES COLLECTED (Line B)	52,804.00	7,929.00	1,010.00	-
TOTAL PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAXES (Line A + Line B) (Line C)	5,280,379.00	792,929.00	101,010.00	-

CERTIFIED STATE AID	**MOTOR VEHICLE TAXES**
$ 1,565,237.00	**$ 250,000.00**

COUNTY TREASURER'S BALANCE, 9-1-2024			
530,608.00	61,881.00	63,737.00	-

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2023-2024 ACTUAL/ESTIMATED								
	TOTAL BEGINNING BALANCE (Column 1)	**TOTAL AVAILABLE RESOURCES BEFORE PROPERTY TAXES** (Including Beginning Balances) (Column 2)	**PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAXES** (Column 3)	**TOTAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE** (Col 2 + Col 3) (Column 4)	**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS - SPECIAL EDUCATION** (Column 5)	**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS - NON-SPECIAL EDUCATION** (Column 6)	**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS** (Col 5 + Col 6) (Column 7)	**TOTAL ENDING BALANCE** (Col 4 - Col 7) (Column 8)
General	2,901,742.00	6,221,363.00	4,519,897.00	10,741,260.00	735,741.00	6,919,980.00	7,655,721.00	3,085,539.00
Depreciation	987,978.00	1,025,575.00		1,025,575.00			184,500.00	841,075.00
Employee Benefit	30,606.00	60,606.00		60,606.00			30,000.00	30,606.00
Contingency	-	-		-			-	-
Activities	284,723.00	609,896.00		609,896.00			429,016.00	180,880.00
School Nutrition	261,313.00	614,137.00		614,137.00			436,401.00	177,736.00
Bond	605,070.00	740,288.00	639,908.00	1,380,196.00			918,315.00	461,881.00
Special Building	5,672,387.00	5,820,437.00	259,803.00	6,080,240.00			4,616,503.00	1,463,737.00
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking	-	-	-	-			-	-
Cooperative	-	-		-			-	-
Student Fee	48,399.00	52,599.00		52,599.00			-	52,599.00
				-				-
TOTAL ALL FUNDS	10,792,218.00	15,144,901.00	5,419,608.00	20,564,509.00	735,741.00	6,919,980.00	14,270,456.00	6,294,053.00

NOTE: Total Disbursements and Transfers (Column 7) is the sum of Column 5 and Column 6 for the General Fund only. For all other funds, numbers will pull automatically from the Worksheet

MOTOR VEHICLE TAXES	
$	265,038.00

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2022-2023 ACTUAL								
	TOTAL BEGINNING BALANCE (Column 1)	**TOTAL AVAILABLE RESOURCES BEFORE PROPERTY TAXES** (Including Beginning Balances) (Column 2)	**PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAXES** (Column 3)	**TOTAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE** (Col 2 + Col 3) (Column 4)	**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS - SPECIAL EDUCATION** (Column 5)	**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS - NON-SPECIAL EDUCATION** (Column 6)	**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS & TRANSFERS** (Col 5 + Col 6) (Column 7)	**TOTAL ENDING BALANCE** (Col 4 - Col 7) (Column 8)
General	3,299,690.00	5,677,085.00	4,350,021.00	10,027,106.00	765,438.00	6,359,926.00	7,125,364.00	2,901,742.00
Depreciation	1,000,953.00	1,026,749.00		1,026,749.00			38,771.00	987,978.00
Employee Benefit	28,367.00	53,851.00		53,851.00			23,245.00	30,606.00
Contingency	-	-		-			-	-
Activities	261,117.00	575,198.00		575,198.00			290,475.00	284,723.00
School Lunch	276,663.00	649,537.00		649,537.00			388,224.00	261,313.00
Bond	658,851.00	742,911.00	659,658.00	1,402,569.00			797,499.00	605,070.00
Special Building	8,931,575.00	9,148,978.00	467,124.00	9,616,102.00			3,943,715.00	5,672,387.00
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking	-	-	-	-			-	-
Cooperative	-	-		-			-	-
Student Fee	46,567.00	51,258.00		51,258.00			2,859.00	48,399.00
				-				-
TOTAL ALL FUNDS	$ 14,503,783.00	17,925,567.00	5,476,803.00	23,402,370.00	765,438.00	6,359,926.00	12,610,152.00	10,792,218.00

NOTE: Total Disbursements and Transfers (Column 7) is the sum of Column 5 and Column 6 for the General Fund only. For all other funds, numbers will pull automatically from the Worksheet

MOTOR VEHICLE TAXES	
$	**310,530.00**

CORRESPONDENCE INFORMATION

ENTITY OFFICIAL ADDRESS

If no official address, please provide address where correspondence should be sent

NAME	**Jason Luhr**
ADDRESS	**P.O. Box 100**
CITY & ZIP CODE	**Battle Creek 68715**
TELEPHONE	**402-675-6905**
WEBSITE	**www.battlecreekschools.net/**

	BOARD CHAIRPERSON	CLERK/TREASURER/SUPERINTENDENT/OTHER	PREPARER
NAME	Jeremy Pochop	Abbie Freudenburg	Jason Luhr
TITLE /FIRM NAME	Chairperson	Business Manager	Superintendent
TELEPHONE	402-750-1866	402-675-6905	402-675-6905
EMAIL ADDRESS		afreudenburg@bcpsne.info	jluhr@bcpsne.info

For Questions on this form, who should we contact (please √ one): Contact will be via email if supplied.

- [ ] Board Chairperson
- [ ] Clerk / Treasurer / Superintendent / Other
- [X] Preparer

Battle Creek Public Schools

2024-2025 ALLOWABLE GROWTH PERCENTAGE COMPUTATION FORM

CALCULATION OF ALLOWABLE GROWTH PERCENTAGE

Prior Year Non-Bond Property Tax Request (1) $ 5,259,383.00
*(Total Personal and Real Property Tax Required for All Other Purposes from **prior year** budget - Cover Page)*

Base Limitation Percentage Increase (2%) 2.00 % (2)

Real Growth Percentage Increase

2,277,641.00	/	722,162,266.00 ~~709,971,051.00~~	=	0.32 % (3)
2024 Real Growth Value per Assessor		Prior Year Total Real Property Valuation per Assessor		

Total Allowable Growth Percentage Increase (Line 2 + Line 3) (4) 2.32 %

Allowable Dollar Amount of Increase to Property Tax Request (Line 1 x Line 4) (5) $ 122,017.69

TOTAL PROPERTY TAX REQUEST (Line 1 + Line 5) (6) **$ 5,381,400.69**
(Without needing to attend Joint Public Hearing, or be included on postcard notification)

ACTUAL PROPERTY TAX REQUEST

2024-2025 ACTUAL Non-Bond Property Tax Request (7) $ 5,381,389.00
(Total Personal and Real Property Tax Required for All Other Purposes from Cover Page)

Property Tax Request is within allowable growth percentage. Political subdivision is NOT required to complete postcard notification requirements, or participate in the joint public hearing.

If line (7) is **greater than** line (6), your political subdivision **is required** to participate in the joint public hearing, and complete the postcard notification requirements of §77-1633. You must provide the required information to the County Assessor electronically by September 4th. You are not required to hold the Special Hearing to Set the Final Tax Request outlined in §77-1632. The joint public hearing is completed in lieu of this hearing.

If line (7) is **less than** line (6), your political subdivision **is not required** to participate in the joint public hearing, or complete the postcard notification requirements of §77-1633. You are required to hold the Special Hearing to Set the Final Tax Request outlined in §77-1632.

SCHEDULE A GENERAL FUND LID EXCLUSIONS

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Line No.		2024-2025 Amount Budgeted To Spend
1	Repairs to Infrastructure Damaged by a Natural Disaster: (List repair)	
2		
3		
4		
5		
6		
7		
8		
9	**Total Repairs to Infrastructure Damaged by a Natural Disaster** (Lines 1 through 8)	$ -
10	**Judgments:** (List the types of judgments obtained against your School District to the extent such judgment is not paid by liability insurance)	
11		
12		
13		
14		
15		
16		
17	**Total Judgments** (Lines 11 through 16)	$ -
18	**Distance Education Courses**	
19	**Amounts eligible as exclusion for Voluntary Termination Agreements**	
20	**Retirement Contribution Increase**	$ 109,871.00
21	**Native American Impact Aid**	
22	**Total General Fund Lid Exclusions - To LC-2 Form** (Line 9 + Line 17 to 21)	$ 109,871.00

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Schedule B - Levies

Levy Limit Compliance

NOTE: The Schedule portion below is to determine if the School District has met the levy limitations.

Line No.		General Fund (Column A)	Bond Funds (Column B)	Special Building Funds (Column C)	Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Funds (Column D)
1	Total Personal and Real Property Taxes -Cover Page	5,280,379.00	792,929.00	101,010.00	-
2	**Exclusions:**				
3	Bonded indebtedness secured by a levy on property (Includes Co. Treasurer Comm.)	-	792,929.00		-
4	Judgments not paid by liability insurance	-			
5	Voluntary termination agreements with certificated staff / employees occurring prior to 9/1/17	-			
6	Voluntary termination agreements with certificated Teachers 9/1/17 and after	-			
7					
8					
9					
10					
11					
12	**Total Exclusions (Line 3 + Line 11)**	-	792,929.00	-	-
13	Total Personal and Real Property Tax Requirement Subject to the Levy Limitation (Line 1 minus Line 12)	5,280,379.00	-	101,010.00	-
14	Assessed Valuation	850,128,087	850,128,087	850,128,087	850,128,087
15	Levy Subject to Limitation ((Line 13 / Line 14) x 100)	0.621127	0.000000	0.011882	0.000000
16	Total Levy for Compliance	0.633009			

Property Tax Request MUST also be within the School District's Property Tax Request Authority.

If the **total** levy on Line 16 is $1.05, or less, the levy limitation per State Statute Section 77-3442 has been met.

If Total of Line 16 is greater than $1.05 and you **did not** hold a successful election to override the levy, you are in violation of the levy lid. The school district **must reduce property taxes** to meet the levy limitation.

If Total of Line 16 is greater than $1.05 and you **held** a successful election to override the levy, which is in effect for the you must **attach a copy of the election ballot and the certified election returns** to your budget.

Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund levy. A district may only exceed the maximum levy of five and one-fifth cents per one hundred dollars of taxable valuation in any year if (i) the taxable valuation of the district is lower than the taxable valuation in the year in which the district last issued capital purpose undertaking bonds or (ii) such maximum levy is insufficient to meet the annual principal and interest obligations for all capital purpose undertaking bonds. Projects beginning after April 19, 2016 can only have a maximum levy of three cents per one hundred dollars of taxable valuation in any year. (Statute 79-10,110 & 79-10,110.02).

Special Building Fund levy. Limit on Building Fund levy of 14 cents (Statute 79-10,120)

REMINDER: School districts that have combined levies greater than $1.20 or the combined levies that exceeded the maximum levy approved at a special election may be subject to petitions for the free holding of territory. Combined levies do not include levies for bonded indebtedness approved by the voters of a school district or levies for the refinancing of such bonded indebtedness.

Voluntary Termination Exclusions

Line 5 Amounts to pay for current and future sums agreed to be paid by a school district to certificated employees in exchange for a voluntary termination of employment occurring prior to 9/1/17

Line 6 Amount levied by school district at maximum levy to pay for current and future qualified voluntary termination incentives for certificated teachers pursuant to statute. Payments cannot exceed $35,000, must be paid within 5 years, will result in savings to the school, were not included in a collective bargaining agreement

Line 7 Amounts levied by school district at maximum levy to pay for 50% of the current and future sums agreed to be paid to certificated employees in exchange for voluntary termination between 9/1/18 to 8/31/19 as a result of collective bargaining agreement in force on 9/1/17

Levies Expected to be Set by County

NOTE: The Schedule portion below is to assist with the Levy setting process.

Fund	Property Taxes	Valuation	Expected Levy
General Fund	$ 5,280,379.00	$ 850,128,087	0.621127
Special Building Fund	$ 101,010.00	$ 850,128,087	0.011882
Bond Fund(22)	$ 292,929.00	$ 671,246,153	0.043640
Bond Fund K-8	$ 165,000.00	$ 736,253,271	0.022411
Bond Fund 9-12	$ 335,000.00	$ 798,645,865	0.041946
QCPUF Fund	$ -	$ 850,128,087	0.000000
QCPUF Fund	$ -	$ 850,128,087	0.000000
	$ -	$ 850,128,087	0.000000
	$ -	$ 850,128,087	0.000000
	$ -	$ 850,128,087	0.000000
	$ -	$ 850,128,087	0.000000
	$ -	$ 850,128,087	0.000000
	$ -	$ 850,128,087	0.000000
Total	$ 6,174,318.00		$ 0.741006

Must agree to Cover

Superintendent Pay Transparency Notice—Proposed Contract (*Name of current or new superintendent)*

Notice is hereby given that Battle Creek Public Schools has approval of a proposed superintendent employment contract/contract amendment on its agenda for the board meeting to be held on January 8, 2024 at 6:00 pm at the Battle Creek High School Board Room in Battle Creek, Nebraska.

After the 2024/25 school year, how many years remain on the contract: (Column F must be completed if additional years remain on contract.)	1

The estimated costs to the district for the 2024/25 year and future years are listed below:

	2024/25 Base Pay, Additional Compensation & Benefits	**Future Base Pay, Additional Compensation & Benefits per Contract**	**TOTAL CONTRACT COST**
Base Pay for the Total FTE	$ 156,105.00	$ 156,105.00	**$ 312,210.00**
Compensation for activities outside of the regular salary:			
• *Extended contracts / Activities outside of regular salary*			$ -
• *Bonus/Incentive/Performance Pay*			$ -
• *Stipends*			$ -
• *All other costs not mentioned above*			**$ -**
Benefits and Payroll Costs Paid by district:			
• *Insurances (Health, Dental, Life, Long Term Disability)*	$ 28,704.00	$ 28,704.00	$ 57,408.00
• *Cafeteria Plan Stipend*			$ -
• *Cash in lieu of insurance*			$ -
• *Employee's share of retirement, deferred compensation, FICA and Medicare* ***if paid by the district***			
• *District's share of retirement, FICA and Medicare*	$ 28,880.00	$ 28,880.00	$ 57,760.00
• *IRS value of housing allowance*			$ -
• *IRS value of vehicle allowance*			$ -
• *Additional leave days*			$ -
• *Annuities*			$ -
• *Service credit purchase*			$ -
• *Association / Membership dues*	$ 785.00	$ 785.00	$ 1,570.00
• *Cell Phone/Internet reimbursement*			$ -
• *Relocation reimbursement*			$ -
• *Travel allowance/reimbursement*			$ -
• *Mileage Allowance*			$ -
• *Educational tuition assistance*			$ -
• *All other benefit costs not mentioned above*			$ -
Totals:	**$ 214,474.00**	**$ 214,474.00**	**$ 428,948.00**

Schedule D

NEBRASKA POLITICAL SUBDIVISION TAX REQUEST ACT FORM

This form must be completed and returned to the
County Assessor and County Clerk on or before September 4th.

POLITICAL SUBDIVISION CONTACT INFORMATION

Political Subdivision Name	Battle Creek Public Schools
Contact Name	Jake Luhr
Contact Phone Number	402.675.6905
Contact Email	jluhr@bcpsne.info
County Where Headquartered	Madison
Location and Address of Joint Public Hearing	Life Long Learning CenterNortheast Community Colleg
Date	September 17, 2024
Time	6:00 PM
Phone Number for Publication and Postcard	402.675.6905

VALUATION

Please refer to the *Basic Data Input* tab in the budget worksheet for the Prior and Current Year Valuation.

Current Valuation	850,128,087
Prior Valuation	756,462,399

TAXATION

Please refer to the *PT Request Act* tab in the budget worksheet for the Prior Year and Actual Property Tax Request. For schools, do not include bonds in the prior and actual property tax request.

Prior Year Property Tax Request (Line 1)	5,259,383
2024-2025 ACTUAL Property Tax Request (Line 7)	5,381,389

☐ We are required to participate in the joint public hearing.

☑ We are not required to participate in the joint public hearing.

Signature Jake Luhr Date 8/26/2024

The information requested is intended solely to assist the County with the
creation of postcards, websites, and publication notice.

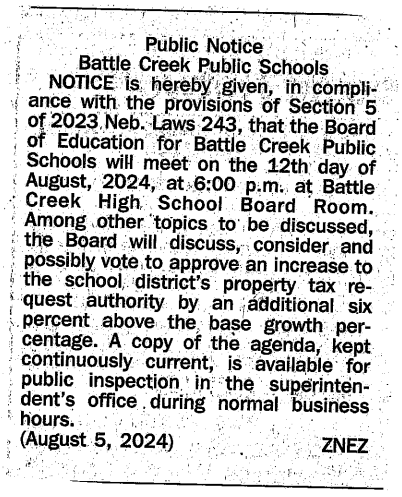
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Public Notice
Battle Creek Public Schools
NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of Section 5 of 2023 Neb. Laws 243, that the Board of Education for Battle Creek Public Schools will meet on the 12th day of August, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. at Battle Creek High School Board Room. Among other topics to be discussed, the Board will discuss, consider and possibly vote to approve an increase to the school district's property tax request authority by an additional six percent above the base growth percentage. A copy of the agenda, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the superintendent's office during normal business hours.
(August 5, 2024) ZNEZ

Notice of Meeting – Board of Education – August 12, 2024 of which, as printed in said paper, is hereto attached and made a part hereof, was published in the issue of said paper for **one time**, the publication being **August 5, 2024**; that said newspaper was published daily in the City of Norfolk within said County for more than 52 consecutive weeks immediately prior to the commencement of the publication of said notice and every week consecutively since that time; and during all of said time said newspaper had a bona fide circulation of more than 300 copies daily and was printed wholly in the English language and in whole or in part in an office maintained by the publisher at said place of publication.

Debbie Warneke

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of August, 2024

Joyce E Miller
Notary Public

21 lines	$	12.00
Clip Fee	$	
Proof of Publication	$	
Prepayment	$	
Balance Due	**$**	**12.00**

GENERAL NOTARY - State of Nebraska
JOYCE E MILLER
My Comm. Exp. October 19, 2027

MINUTES BOARD OF EDUCATION REPORT AUGUST 12, 2024

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held on August 13th. This meeting was advertised in the August 7th edition of the Battle Creek Enterprise. President Jeremy Pochop called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M. Members present were Toby Thompson, Tammy Bierman, Sean Lindgren, Tom Leathers, and Paul Kuchar. Also, present were Principals Jeff Heimes, Curtis Childers, Superintendent Luhr, staff members Jenni Frey and Ryan Stusse and ten visitors. The new open meeting law poster was discussed and posted and will be followed at every Board meeting. To start the Board meeting, the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Toby Thompson made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda, which included the August general fund bills that totaled $166,255.93. Sean Lindgren seconded the motion. On roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr updated the Board on the construction projects at the elementary and the high school.

Mr. Luhr discussed the parking lot expansion and First Student Bus parking. The Board decided to table the discussion on First Student bus parking until the September meeting where they will have more specific options to be reviewed.

Mr. Luhr presented to the Board the Return to Learn Plan. Sean Lindgren made a motion to approve the Return to Learn Plan. Paul Kuchar seconded the motion. On a roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr presented to the Board information on LB 243 Property tax authority. Mr. Luhr recommended the Board approve access to the additional 6% of budget authority by resolution. President Pochop read a resolution allowing access to the additional 6% of budget authority. Toby Thompson made a motion to approve the resolution. Sean Lindgren seconded the motion. On a roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr presented to the Board the Classified Handbook for the 2024-25 school year. Tom Leathers made a motion to approve the Classified Handbook for the 2024-25 school year. Sean Lindgren seconded the motion. On a roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

Paul Kuchar made a motion to approve Mr. Luhr as the CEO for spending the federal, state, and local funds for projects as needed for the 2024-25 school year. Toby Thompson seconded the motion. On a roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr discussed the budget timeline for the 2024-25 budget. The Finance Committee will meet on Tuesday, August 20th, 2024 at 5:30pm. The Finance/Budget committee members are Sean Lindgren, Toby Thompson, and Tom Leathers.

Mr. Luhr presented a purchase order for custodial supplies for the 2024-25 school year for $17,889.81. Sean Lindgren made a motion to approve the purchase order of custodial supplies for the 2024-25 school year in the amount of $17,889.81. Tom Leathers seconded the motion. On a roll call vote, the motion carried with five ayes. Toby Thompson abstained.

Mr. Luhr presented a bid from Daikin for $10,035.00 to repair/replace parts in the chiller at the high school. Toby Thompson made a motion to approve the use of Depreciation funds in the amount of $10,035.00 to repair/replace parts for the chiller at the high school. Sean Lindgren seconded the motion. On a roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr recommended to the board to allow General Fund expenditures not to exceed $100,000.00 for purchases covered by the reVISION grant for Ag Education that was awarded to the district. These expenditures will be reimbursed by the grant. Tammy Bierman made a motion to approve General Fund expenditures not to exceed $100,000.00 for purchases outlined in the reVISION grant. Toby Thompson seconded the motion. On a roll call vote, motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr presented to the Board the BCHS Agriculture Education Standards. Tammy Bierman made a motion to approve the BCHS Agriculture Education Standards. Paul Kuchar seconded the motion. On a roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr presented to the Board a price quote for K-5 Science Dimensions subscription. The 5-year renewal cost is $28,968.70, which is $5,793.74 per year. Toby Thompson made a motion to approve the purchase of the 5-year subscription to K-5 Science Dimensions for $28,968.70. Sean Lindgren seconded the motion. On a roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr reported no receipt of a Building Fund invoice from CWP Architects this month.

Mr. Luhr reported no receipt of a Building Fund invoice from Hausmann Construction for this month.

Comments were heard from the Principals, Superintendent, and Board members.

With no further business, Board President Jeremy Pochop adjourned the meeting at 7:20 P.M.

Submitted by,

Jake Luhr, Secretary Board of Education

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Nebraska Legislature enacted several measures this past legislative session, including LB 243, to adjust public school district revenue and finances; and,

WHEREAS, LB 243 generally limits a public school district's property tax request authority, subject to limited exceptions; and

WHEREAS, LB 243 includes an exception to generally allow a school district to otherwise exceed the default property tax request authority if at least seventy percent of the Board of Education votes in favor of the increased request; and

WHEREAS, a Board of Education of a school district with an average daily membership of more than four hundred seventy-one students but no more than three thousand forty-four students may increase its tax request by an additional six percent above the base growth percentage; and

WHEREAS, the average daily membership of Madison County School District Number 59-005, a/k/a Battle Creek Public Schools (the "School District") is more than four hundred seventy-one students but no more than three thousand forty-four students; and

WHEREAS, due to rising enrollment, student and staffing needs, and the need to maintain its budgetary obligations, the Board of Education of the School District hereby desires to increase its base growth percentage by an additional six percent or other maximum amount as permitted by law; and

WHEREAS, public notice of this possible increase was published in a legal newspaper of general circulation in the School District at least one week prior to this Board meeting.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that, pursuant to Section 5 of 2023 Neb. Laws 243, at least seventy percent of the Board of Education of this School District affirmatively votes to increase to the School District's overall property tax request authority by an additional six percent above the base growth percentage, or other maximum amount as permitted by law. The Superintendent or designee is hereby authorized and directed to take any action consistent with this Resolution to ensure that the School District's overall property tax request complies with this Resolution.

The foregoing Resolution having been read in its entirety, Member Thompson moved for their passage and adoption. Member LINDGREN seconded same. After discussion and on roll call vote the following members voted in favor of passage and adoption of the above Resolution: BIERMAN, LINDGREN, LEATHERS, THOMPSON, KUCHAR, POCH.

The following members voted against the same: _____.

The following members were absent or not voting: _____.

The above Resolution having been consented to by at least seventy percent of the Members of the Board of Education, it was declared as passed and adopted by the President at a duly held and lawfully convened meeting in full compliance with the Nebraska Open Meetings law.

DATED this 12th day of August, 2024.

BATTLE CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOLS

BY: _____
President

ATTEST:

_____
Secretary

BATTLE CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOLS

ELEMENTARY: 305 S. 4th ST. P.O. BOX 190 BATTLE CREEK, NE 68715-0190 FAX: 402: 675-5020
JR./SR. HIGH SCHOOL: 605 W. MARTIN ST. P.O. BOX 100 BATTLE CREEK, NE 68715-0100 FAX: 402-675-1038

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Nebraska Department of Education
School Finance & Organization Services
PO Box 9487
Lincoln, NE 68509

RE: 2024/25 Retirement Contribution Increase
Battle Creek Public Schools 59-0005-000

The school district is seeking approval from the State Board of Education for the Retirement Contribution Increase Expenditure Exclusion. The estimated increase in expenditures for the 2024/25 school fiscal year is shown below.

I understand if the State Board of Education approves the request, the school district will report the amount on Schedule A of the 2024/25 School District Budget Form. I also understand the approved amount will be part of the total amount from Schedule A that will be reported by the school district on Lin B-130 of the 2024/25 LC-2.

Round to the Nearest Dollar		
2024/25 Staff Salaries Subject to Retirement	1.10	4342746
Retirement Contribution Increase at 9.88% [Multiply amount on Line 1.10 by .0988)	1.20	429,063
Retirement Contribution Increase at 7.35% ** [Multiply amount on Line 1.10 by .0735]	1.30	319,192
Requested Retirement Contribution Increase Expenditure Exclusion [Subtract amount on Line 1.30 from amount on Line 1.20]	1.40	**109,871**

** This percentage is stated in state statute §79-958.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions related to this request.

Sincerely,

Jake Luhr, Superintendent, Battle Creek Public Schools

Jake Luhr
SUPERINTENDENT
(402)675-6905

Jeff Heimes
SECONDARY PRINCIPAL
(402)-675-2235

Curtis Childers
ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL
(402) 675-8085

Recommendation 4 (Continued)
Retirement Contribution Increase [Section 79-1028.01(1)(e)&(f)]

County-District Number	School District Name	Amount to be Approved
45-0239	West Holt Public Schools	$159,390
48-0300	Tri County Public Schools	$138,929
54-0505	Isanti Community School	$82,740
56-0001	North Platte Public Schools	$729,386
56-0037	Hershey Public Schools	$118,013
59-0001	Madison Public Schools	$130,667
59-0005	Battle Creek Public Schools	$109,871
61-0049	Palmer Public School	$79,268
63-0030	Twin River Public Schools	$91,294
66-0111	Nebraska City Public Schools	$371,446
71-0005	Lakeview Community Schools	$165,921
71-0067	Humphrey Public Schools	$82,881
77-0046	Springfield Platteview Comm Schools	$281,126
85-2001	Bruning-Davenport USD	$70,317
89-0001	Blair Community Schools	$416,610
90-0595	Winside Public Schools	$73,370
93-0096	Heartland Community Schools	$91,641

Recommendation 5
Short-Term Borrowings [Section 79-1003(38)]

County-District Number	School District Name	Amount to be Approved
77-0046	Springfield Platteview Comm Schools	$1,000,000

Recommendation 6
Special Supplementary Grant [Section 79-1003(38)]

County-District Number	School District Name	Amount to be Approved	Source
01-0018	Hastings Public Schools	$500,000	Hastings Public Schools Foundation
04-0001	Banner County Pub Schools	$13,200	Safety and Security Grant
10-0007	Kearney Public Schools	$131,154	Safety and Security Grant
10-0069	Ravenna Public Schools	$30,000	Safety and Security Grant
28-0001	Omaha Public Schools	$535,731	Buffett Early Childhood Fund
		$440,000	Education Quest
		$140,000	Common Sense Media
		$25,500	Knowledge Network
		$88,479	Lozier Foundation
		$51,608	Omaha Public Schools Foundation
		$1,250,000	KIOS Radio Station Donations/Corp for Public Broadcasting
		$10,518,682	Sherwood Foundation

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General	$ 7,125,364.00	$ 7,655,721.00	$ 9,098,662.00	$ 2,343,457.00	$ 6,214,544.00	$ 5,280,379.00
Depreciation	$ 38,771.00	$ 184,500.00	$ 841,075.00		$ 841,075.00	
Employee Benefit	$ 23,245.00	$ 30,000.00	$ 40,606.00	$ -	$ 40,606.00	
Contingency	$ -	$ -	$ -		$ -	
Activities	$ 290,475.00	$ 429,016.00	$ 400,000.00	$ -	$ 400,000.00	
School Nutrition	$ 388,224.00	$ 436,401.00	$ 600,000.00	$ -	$ 600,000.00	
Bond	$ 797,499.00	$ 918,315.00	$ 1,000,000.00	$ 249,421.00	$ 464,421.00	$ 792,929.00
Special Building	$ 3,943,715.00	$ 4,616,503.00	$ 1,663,837.00		$ 1,563,837.00	$ 101,010.00
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
Cooperative	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	
Student Fee	$ 2,859.00	$ -	$ 56,799.00	$ -	$ 56,799.00	
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TOTALS	$ 12,610,152.00	$ 14,270,456.00	$ 13,700,979.00	$ 2,592,878.00	$ 10,181,282.00	$ 6,174,318.00

	Bond Purposes	Non-Bond Purposes	Total
Breakdown of Property Tax	$ 792,929.00	$ 5,381,389.00	$ 6,174,318.00

Proof Of Publication

The State of Nebraska, } ss.
Madison County, }

Mary Stahl, being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and says that he is the Editor of The Battle Creek Enterprise, a legal newspaper of general circulation in said county, and that a Notice entitled, Notice of Budget Hearing & Budget Summary & Special Hearing & Set Final Tax Request

a true copy of which, as printed in said paper, is hereto attached and made a part hereof, was published in said paper 1 consecutive weeks commencing on the 4 day of September 2024, and ending on the 4 day of September 2024, that said newspaper was published weekly in the City of Battle Creek within said county for more than 52 consecutive weeks immediately prior to the commencement of the publication of said notice and every week consecutively since that time; that during all of said times said newspaper had a bona fide circulation of more than 300 copies weekly and was printed wholly in the English Language and in whole or in part in office maintained by the Publishers at said place of publication. Affiant has personal knowledge of the facts stated herein.

Mary Stahl
Editor - Publisher.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of September 2024

Mitzi S. Bredehoft
Notary Public.

GENERAL NOTARY - State of Nebraska
MITZI S. BREDEHOFT
My Comm. Exp. May 23, 2025

Notice of Special Hearing To Set Final Tax Request

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Property Valuations	756,462,399	850,128,087	12%

	2023-2024 Budget Information				*2024-2025 Budget Information*				
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Bond Fund(s) 22	295,000.00	292,929.00	0.048642	0.043640	295,000.00	292,929.00	0.043640	-10%	0%
Bond Fund(s) K-8	199,650.00	165,000.00	0.025358	0.022411	199,650.00	165,000.00	0.022411	-12%	0%
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Special Building Fund	5,704,655.00	208,878.00	0.027612	0.024570	1,663,837.00	101,010.00	0.011882	-57%	-71%
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund K-12			0.000000	0.000000			0.000000		0
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund K-8			0.000000	0.000000			0.000000		0
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RESOLUTION SETTING THE PROPERTY TAX REQUEST

RESOLUTION NO. 2425

WHEREAS, Nebraska Revised Statute 77-1632 and 77-1633 provides that the Governing Body of Battle Creek Public Schools passes by a majority vote a resolution or ordinance setting the tax request; and

WHEREAS, a special public hearing was held as required by law to hear and consider comments concerning the property tax request;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Governing Body of Battle Creek Public Schools resolves that:

1. The 2024-2025 property tax request be set at:

General Fund:	$	5,280,379.00
Bond Fund:	$	792,929.00
Special Building Fund:	$	101,010.00
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund:	$	-

2. The total assessed value of property differs from last year's total assessed value by 12.38 percent.

3. The tax rate which would levy the same amount of property taxes as last year, when multiplied by the new total assessed value of property would be 0.726655 per $100 of assessed value.

4. Battle Creek Public Schools proposes to adopt a property tax request that will cause its tax rate to be 0.741006 per $100 of assessed value.

5. Based on the proposed property tax request and changes in other revenue, the total operating budget of Battle Creek Public Schools will increase (or decrease) last year's budget by -24.54 percent.

6. A copy of this resolution be certified and forwarded to the County Clerk on or before October 15, 2024.

Motion by Tom, seconded by Toby to adopt Resolution #2425.

Voting yes were:	Voting no were:
Tammy Bierman	
Sean Lindgren	
Tom Weathers	
Toby Thompson	
Paul Kuchar	
Jeremy Pochop	

Dated this 9th day of September, 2024

MINUTES BOARD OF EDUCATION REPORT SEPTEMBER 9, 2024

President Jeremy Pochop called the Annual Budget Hearing to order on Monday, September 9th at 5:45 P.M. to review and discuss the 2024-25 fiscal year budget for Battle Creek Public Schools. This hearing was advertised in the September 4th edition of the Battle Creek Enterprise. Members present were Toby Thompson, Paul Kuchar, Tammy Bierman, Sean Lindgren and Tom Leathers. Also present were Superintendent Jake Luhr, Principals Jeff Heimes and Curtis Childers and a visitor. Superintendent Jake Luhr presented an overview of the 2024-25 budget. No comments were made by the public. President Pochop closed the public hearing at 5:53 P.M.

President Jeremy Pochop called the Special Tax Request Hearing to order on Monday, September 9th at 5:53 P.M. to review and discuss the proposed tax requests for the 2024-25 fiscal year. This hearing was advertised in the September 4th edition of the Battle Creek Enterprise. Members present were Toby Thompson, Paul Kuchar, Tammy Bierman, Sean Lindgren and Tom Leathers. Also present were Superintendent Jake Luhr, Principals Jeff Heimes and Curtis Childers and a visitor. Superintendent Jake Luhr presented an overview of the dollars that are being requested for the school's general fund, bond fund and special building fund. No comments were made by the public. President Pochop closed the public hearing at 5:59 P.M.

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held on September 9th. This meeting was advertised in the September 4th edition of the Battle Creek Enterprise. President Jeremy Pochop called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M. Members present were Toby Thompson, Tammy Bierman, Sean Lindgren, Tom Leathers, and Paul Kuchar. Also, present were Superintendent Jake Luhr, Principals Jeff Heimes, Curtis Childers, and a visitor. The new open meeting law poster was discussed and posted and will be followed at every Board meeting. To start the Board meeting, the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Comments were heard from visitor Bill McAllister about the upcoming State Board of Education election.

Toby Thompson made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda, which included the September general fund bills that totaled $$163,494.92. Tammy Bierman seconded the motion. On roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr updated the Board on the construction projects at the elementary and the high school.

Toby Thompson made a motion to approve the proposed 2024-25 budget for Madison County School District #5, Battle Creek Public Schools, as published in the September 4th edition of the Battle Creek Enterprise, which included the General Fund budget of $9,098,662.00; a Depreciation Fund budget of $841,075.00; an Employee Fund Budget of $40,606.00; an Activities Fund budget of $400,000.00; a School Nutrition budget of $600,000.00; a Bond Fund budget of $1,000,000.00; a Special Building fund budget of $1,663,837.00; and a Student Fee Fund budget of $56,799.00. Sean Lindgren seconded the motion. On roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

President Jeremy Pochop read the Property Tax Request Resolution No. 2425. Tom Leathers made a motion to approve the 2024-25 Tax Request Resolution No. 2425 for the General Fund in the amount of $5,280,379.00, the Bond Fund in the amount of $792,929.00, and the Special Building Fund in the amount of $101,010.00. Toby Thompson seconded the motion. On roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr presented to the Board an invoice from ALICAP insurance for coverage for the 2024-25 school year in the amount of $122,578.00. Paul Kuchar made a motion to approve the invoice from ALICAP insurance for coverage for the 2024-25 school year in the amount of $122,578.00. Tom Leathers seconded the motion. On roll call vote, motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr discussed with the Board the need for an additional paraeducator at the elementary to cover student needs. Sean Lindgren made a motion to approve an additional paraeducator position at the elementary school. Paul Kuchar seconded the motion. On roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

Mr. Luhr presented to the Board a building fund invoice from Hausmann Construction for $32,500.00. Toby Thompson made a motion to approve the invoice from Hausmann Construction in the amount of $32,500.00 to be paid from the building fund. Tom Leathers seconded the motion. On roll call vote, the motion carried with six ayes.

No invoice from CWP Architects was received for this month.

Comments were heard from the Principals and Superintendent.

With no further business, Board President Jeremy Pochop adjourned the meeting at 6:48 P.M.

Submitted by,



Jake Luhr, Secretary Board of Education

District Number: 59-0005-000
District Name: BATTLE CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOLS
District Phone: (402)675-6905

Instructions (https://cdn.education.ne.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/2122_LC2Instructions.pdf)

Checklist (/Budget_Document_Checklist.pdf)

2024/25 Section A: Calculation of Total Allowable Budget Authority

Certified Budget Authority	A-101	7,558,869
Access to Prior Year's Unused Budget Authority [Maximum Amount: $0]	**A-355**	0
Total Adjusted Budget Authority	A-361	7,558,869
Total Allowable Budget Authority	A-780	7,558,869

The School District Budget Spreadsheet provided by the Auditor of Public Accounts is uploaded here.

MAKE SURE THE SPREADSHEET IS CLOSED BEFORE YOU UPLOAD.

Choose File No file chosen

Upload Budget Data

Excel file ONLY - 20MB limit

Update the budget data any time a change is made to the Budget Spreadsheet.

2024/25 Section B: General Fund Budget of Disbursements & Transfers and Unused Budget Authority

2024/25 General Fund Budget of Disbursements & Transfers	**B-100**	9,098,662
2024/25 Special Grant Funds	B-110	442,922
2024/25 Special Education Budget of Disbursements & Transfers	**B-120**	987,000
2024/25 General Fund Lid Exclusions	**B-130**	109,871
Total Adjusted General Fund Budget of Disbursements & Transfers	B-140	7,558,869
2024/25 Unused Budget Authority	B-150	0

Update the LC2 System budget data any time a change is made to your School District Budget Spreadsheet.

Total Unused Budget Authority

2023/24 Total Unused Budget Authority	B-160	0
2024/25 General Fund Expenditure Growth	B-162	0
Adjusted Unused Budget Authority	B-165	0
2024/25 Unused Budget Authority	B-170	0

Total Unused Budget Authority (Carries forward into future school fiscal years)	B-175	0

Additional Budget Authority Approved by Patron

Did you hold a successful special election for additional **BUDGET** Authority? (Not a levy override)	**B-180**	○Yes ◉No

2024/25 Section C: Allowable Reserves and Total Reserves

2024/25 Applicable Allowable Reserve Percentage	C-170	35.00
2024/25 Total Allowable Reserves	C-180	3,184,532
2024/25 General Fund Necessary Cash Reserve	**C-300**	2,343,457
2024/25 Depreciation Fund Total Requirements	**C-310**	841,075
2024/25 Employee Benefit Fund Necessary Cash Reserve	**C-320**	0
Total Reserves	C-340	3,184,532

Levy Override Approved by Patron

Did you hold a successful election of your patrons for a levy override that applies to the current year?	**B-400**	○Yes ◉No

Certified Assessed Valuation	**B-490**	850,128,087

2024/25 Section D: Property Tax Request Authority

2024/25 Property Tax Request Authority	**D-110**	5,332,335
Did 70% of the School Board approve to exceed the Certified Property Tax Request Authority?	**D-120**	◉Yes ○No
Maximum Amount Allowed:	**D-130**	466,588
Enter the amount approved by the School Board.	**D-140**	466,588
Was a successful election of the patrons held to exceed the Property Tax Request Authority?	**D-150**	○Yes ◉No
Additional Property Tax Authority due to successful levy override (Calculation of B-420 multiplied by Certified Assessed Valuation listed above)	**D-170**	0
Total Property Tax Authority Allowed	**D-180**	5,798,923
2024/25 Property Tax Request General Fund	**D-210**	5,280,379
2024/25 Property Tax Request Special Building Fund	**D-220**	101,010
2024/25 Total Property Tax Request	**D-230**	5,381,389
2024/25 Unused Property Tax Request Authority	**D-240**	417,534
Total Property Tax Reduced as a result of increased SPED & Foundation Aid	**D-310**	1,141,000

Recalculate LC-2 after making changes to individual lines *(Form not saved)* — Recalculate LC-2

Save a copy of the LC-2 without submitting to NDE *(Save before moving to another page)* — Save LC-2

Submit completed LC-2 to NDE.
You can upload your Budget Documentation on the next screen.
Mailed or emailed budgets will not be accepted by NDE. — District Approval

District Number: 59-0005-000
District Name: BATTLE CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOLS
District Phone: (402)675-6905

Special Grant Fund List

Return to LC2

Total Special Grant Funds	3.00	442,922

Save Grants **If you made any changes to the Special Grant Fund List, click here before returning to the LC2.**

Print Grants

*** Items denoted with a * must be approved by the State Board of Education.**
Email your request for approval of these items to:
Theresa Haarberg at theresa.haarberg@nebraska.gov

Grant Description	Line	Amount
ACE/Cultural Connections	1.11	0
Adult Education - English Literacy/Civics Grants	1.115	0
Adult Education & Family Literacy Act Grants	1.12	0
Adult Education Volunteer Coordination Program	1.125	0
Annenberg Foundation Grants (Rural Challenge)	1.13	0
ARP-HCY I & II	1.135	0
Artist-in-Schools/Communities Grants	1.14	0
Beyond School Bells Grant	1.145	0
Building Safe and Responsive Schools Grants	1.15	184,500
Career and Technical Education Grants (Carl Perkins)	1.155	10,000
Career Pathway Advancement Project (CPAP)	1.16	0
Century Link/NETA Grants	1.165	0
Child Care & Development Fund	1.17	0
Clean School Bus FY22-26	1.175	0
Community 4 Kids Grant	1.18	0
Community Incentive Grants	1.185	0
Department of Justice STOP Violence Grant	1.19	0
Distance Learning Grants (Federal)	1.195	0
Early Childhood Education Endowment Program Ages Birth-3 (Sixpence) Grants	1.2	0
Early Childhood Education Program Ages 3-5 Grants	1.205	0
Early Intervention Act and IDEA Part C (Infants/Toddlers with Disabilities) Grants	1.21	0
Education Improvement Fund Grants (includes Distance Education Incentive Grants, Expanded Learning Opportunity Grants and Innovation Grants)	1.215	0

EducationQuest Foundation Community Grants	1.22	0
ESEA Title I Grants (includes Accountability, Support for Improvement, Disadvantaged, Migrant Education, and Neglected or Delinquent)	1.225	65,922
ESEA Title II Part A - Support Effective Instruction (Principal and Teacher Training and Recruiting/Class Size Reduction)	1.23	0
ESEA Title III Grants - Immigrant Education Grants	1.235	0
ESEA Title III Grants – Language Instruction for English Learners	1.24	0
ESEA Title IV Part A - Student Support & Academic Enrichment Grants	1.245	0
ESEA Title IV Part B - 21st Century Community Learning Center Grants	1.25	0
ESEA Title IX – McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act Grants	1.255	0
ESEA Title VI Grants - Rural and Low-Income (Rural Education Achievement Program (REAP) Grants)	1.26	75,000
ESEA Title VII Grants - Indian, Native Hawaiian, and Alaska Native Education	1.265	0
ESSERS III - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund (CARES, CRRSA, ARP)	1.27	0
Forest Service Grants (Conservation Education)	1.275	0
GEERS – Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund (CARES, CRRSA)	1.28	0
Great Plains Communications Grants (Commitment to the Schools)	1.285	0
Head Start Grants	1.29	0
High Ability Learner Incentive Grants (Gifted)	1.295	0
High School Equivalency Assistance Act Grants	1.3	0
IDEA Part B, C Sec 619 Flow-Through Grants (includes Base, Enrollment/Poverty, CEIS, and Non-public)	1.305	0
IDEA Special Education Discretionary Grants (includes State Improvement Grants (SpDG/PBIS), Deaf-Blind Grants, Part B Sec 611 & Sec 619 State Set-Aside Grants, and other Office of Special Education Program (OSEP) Grants	1.31	0

Immigrant Impact Education Grants	1.315	0
Improving Health & Education Outcomes for Young People	1.32	0
Indian Education Grants	1.325	0
Individuals with Disabilities Education Act/American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARP)	1.33	0
Innovation in Education Program Grants (includes funds from USDE)	1.335	0
Johnson-O'Malley Grants	1.34	0
JROTC	1.345	0
Kiewit Foundation Grants	1.35	0
Magnet School Grants	1.355	0
Medicaid Administrative Activities in Public Schools (MAAPS) Grants	1.36	0
Medicaid in Public Schools (MIPS)	1.365	0
Mentoring for Success Grants	1.37	0
Microsoft Settlement Agreement	1.375	0
National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP)	1.38	0
National Science Foundation Grants	1.385	0
NDEQ	1.39	0
NE Emerging Technologies Initiative-Pathways to STEM grant	1.395	0
NE Improving Student Health	1.4	0
NE Improving Student Health (CARES Act)	1.405	0
NE Youth Suicide Prevention 21	1.41	0
Nebraska Arts Council Grants	1.415	7,500
Nebraska Community Foundation/TeamMates Grants	1.42	0
Nebraska Environmental Trust Grants	1.425	0
Nebraska Game & Parks Commission Grants (Conservation Education, Outdoor Classroom)	1.43	0

Nebraska Grant for School Emergency Management	1.435	0
Nebraska Humanities Grants	1.44	0
Nebraska Natural Resources Commission Grants	1.445	0
Nebraska STOP School Violence Prevention Training Program	1.45	0
Nebraska STOP School Violence Threat Assessment Program	1.455	0
Preschool Development Grant (PDG)	1.46	0
Project AWARE (Advancing Wellness & Resiliency in Education)	1.465	0
Refugee School Impact Grant	1.47	0
reVISION Action Grant	1.475	100,000
South Omaha Scholastic Foundation (formerly known as Ritonya•Buscher•Poehling Scholarship and Teacher Grant Fund)	1.48	0
Safe Routes to Schools Grant	1.485	0
Save the Children Grant	1.49	0
School Climate Transformation Grant	1.495	0
School Health Program Grants	1.5	0
Smaller Learning Communities Program Grants	1.505	0
SPED Planning Region Team	1.51	0
Stackable, instructionally embedded, Portable Science (SIPS) Assessments.	1.515	0
Statewide Longitudinal Data System	1.52	0
State Personnel Development Grant	1.522	0
Stronger Connections Bipartisan Safer Community Grant	1.523	0
Summer Food Service Program	1.525	0
Supplemental Nutrition (CRRSA & ARP?)	1.53	0
Teaching American History (TAH) Grants	1.535	0

Technology Information Infrastructure Assistance Program Grants (U.S. Department of Commerce)	1.54	0
Textbook Loan Grants (Rule 4)	1.545	0
USDA Nutrition Service Grants	1.55	0
Vocational Rehabilitation Grants	1.555	0
Waste Reduction and Recycling Grant	1.557	0
Young Adult Tobacco Prevention	1.56	0

Exclusions listed below require State Board approval

Grant Description	Line	Amount
*Insurance Settlements	1.565	0
*Interfund Loans	1.57	0
*Reimbursements for Wards of the Court	1.575	0
*Short-Term Borrowings	1.58	0
*Special Supplementary Grants from City or County Governments	1.585	0
*Special Supplementary Grants from City or County Governments	1.59	0
*Special Supplementary Grants from Corporations, Foundations, or Other Private Interests	1.595	0
*Special Supplementary Grants from Corporations, Foundations, or Other Private Interests	1.6	0

CERTIFICATION OF TAXABLE VALUE FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS

TAX YEAR 2024

{certification required on or before August 20th of each year}

To: BATTLE CREEK 5

TAXABLE VALUE LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF MADISON COUNTY, NE

Name of School District	Class of School	Base School Code	Unified / Learning Comm Code	School District Taxable Value	School District Real Growth Value	School District Prior Year Total Real Property Valuation	Real Growth Percentage a
BATTLE CREEK 5	3	59-0005		$835,549,574	$2,277,641	$709,971,051	0.32081%
SPECIAL BLDG	3	59-0005		$835,549,574	$2,277,641	$709,971,051	0.32081%
CAPITAL PURPOSE UNDERTKG	3	59-0005		$835,549,574	$2,277,641	$709,971,051	0.32081%

* Real Growth Value is determined pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 77-1631 which includes (i) improvements to real property as a result of new construction and additions to existing buildings, (ii) any other improvements to real property which increase the value of such property, (iii) annexation of real property by the political subdivision, and (iv) a change in the use of real property; and (v) the annual increase in the excess value for any tax increment financing project located in the political subdivision, if applicable.

a) Real Growth Percentage is determined pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 77-1631 and is equal to the school district's Real Growth Value divided by the school district's total real property valuation from the prior year.

I , Madison County, NE County Assessor, hereby certify that the valuation listed herein is, to the best of my knowledge and belief,the true and accurate taxable valuation for the current year, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 13-509.

(signature of county assessor)

08/16/2024
(date)

CC: County Clerk, Madison County, NE County

CC: County Clerk where school district is headquartered, if different county, Madison County, NE County

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BATTLE CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOL

TO: **BOX 190**
BATTLE CREEK NE 68715-

TAXABLE VALUE LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF PIERCE

Name of School District	Class of School	Base School Code	Unified/ Learning Comm. Code	School District Taxable Value	School District Real Growth Value *	School District Prior Year Total Real Property Valuation	Real Growth Percentage [a]
BATTLE CREEK 5	3	59-0005		14,578,513	0	12,191,215	0.00

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Jean M Lubke — Aug 13, 2024
(signature of county assessor) *(date)*

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TAX YEAR 2024

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To: BATTLE CREEK 5 BD K-8

TAXABLE VALUE LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF MADISON COUNTY, NE

Name of Base School District Bond	Specify appropriate description of grade level applicable to the bond, e.g. elementary, high sch 9-12, or K-12	Base School Code	School BOND Taxable Value
BATTLE CREEK 5 BD K-8	No HS	59-0005	$721,674,758

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BATTLE CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOL

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TAXABLE VALUE LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF PIERCE

Name of Base School District BOND(S)	Specify appropriate description of grade level applicable to the bond, e.g. elementary, high sch 9-12, or K-12	Base School Code	School BOND Taxable Value
BC 5 BOND K-8		59-0005	14,578,513

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To: BC 5 BOND (9-12)

TAXABLE VALUE LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF MADISON COUNTY, NE

Name of Base School District Bond	Specify appropriate description of grade level applicable to the bond, e.g. elementary, high sch 9-12, or K-12	Base School Code	School BOND Taxable Value
BC AFF 5 BD 9-12	Incl. HS	59-0005	$784,067,352

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BATTLE CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOL

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BC 5 BOND 9-12		59-0005	14,578,513

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To: BC BOND 22

TAXABLE VALUE LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF MADISON COUNTY, NE

Name of Base School District Bond	Specify appropriate description of grade level applicable to the bond, e.g. elementary, high sch 9-12, or K-12	Base School Code	School BOND Taxable Value
BC BOND 22 *LB2*	Incl. HS	59-0005	$661,236,634

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BC 5 BOND K-12		59-0005	10,009,519

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REPORT OF JOINT PUBLIC AGENCY AND INTERLOCAL AGREEMENTS

REPORTING PERIOD JULY 1, 2023 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2024

Battle Creek Public Schools — SUBDIVISION NAME

Madison — COUNTY

Parties to Agreement (Column 1)	Agreement Period (Column 2)	Description (Column 3)
ESU 8	August 1, 2024-July 31, 2025	Special Education Services