

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS
ASCERTAINING AND DECLARING RESULTS OF ELECTION

We, the undersigned members of the County Board of Election Commissioners of Pope County, Arkansas, hereby certify that:

Returns of the votes of the special school election held February 14, 2023, in Pottsville School District No. 61 of Pope County, Arkansas have been certified and filed with us by the election officials at each polling place or at the place of central tabulation and we have filed the certification of election with the County Clerk;

The returns show the number of votes for each candidate and measure.

We ascertain and declare the results of the election to be:

On the question of the 45.2 mill school tax:

FOR tax

451 votes

AGAINST tax

337 votes

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POPE COUNTY CLERK

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WITNESS our hands this 21 day of February 2023.

Zedden Harris

Carrie Stephens

Larry Rasmussen

Summary Results Report
Special Election
February 14, 2023

OFFICIAL RESULTS

Pope County

Statistics

	TOTAL	Election Day	Absentee	Early Vote
Registered Voters - Total	4,018			
Ballots Cast - Total	788	438	4	346
Voter Turnout - Total	19.61%			

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45.2 Mill School Tax
Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Absentee	Early Vote
FOR tax	451	57.23%		283	2	166
AGAINST tax	337	42.77%		155	2	180
Total Votes Cast	788	100.00%		438	4	346
Overvotes	0	0.00%		0	0	0
Undervotes	0	0.00%		0	0	0
Contest Totals	788	100.00%		438	4	346

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CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY CLERK
WITH CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS
AND BALLOT ATTACHED

I, the undersigned County Clerk of Pope County, Arkansas, certify that at the close of the special school election in Pottsville School District No. 61 of Pope County, Arkansas, on February 14, 2023, the election officials at each polling site made a return of the votes, certified the return and filed the certification with the County Board of Election Commissioners (the "Board"), and that the Board delivered the certifications to me.

I further certify that the attached Certificate of County Board of Election Commissioners Ascertain and Declaring Results of Election is a true copy of such certificate filed in my office, together with one of the ballots, by the County Board of Election Commissioners. The printed ballot attached hereto is a true copy of the ballot used in said special school election and one of said printed ballots has been filed in my office as a permanent record.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 21st day of February, 2023.

Pam Ennis
County Clerk



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Official Ballot
For Special School Election In
POTTSVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61
Pope County, Arkansas - February 14, 2023
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INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER

1. Vote by blackening the oval (●) beside the candidate's name. Vote on amendments, acts, and measures by placing an appropriate mark below the amendment (or act or measure) either FOR or AGAINST.
2. If you vote for more than one candidate in a race, your vote in that race will not count. If you make a mistake on your ballot, return it to an election official for a replacement ballot. You may replace up to two ballots in an election.

SCHOOL

45.2 Mill School Tax

Vote on measure by placing an appropriate mark below the measure either for or against.

45.2 Mill School Tax

The total rate proposed above includes the uniform rate of tax of 25.0 mills (the "Statewide Uniform Rate") to be collected on all taxable property in the State and remitted to the State Treasurer pursuant to Amendment No. 74 to the Arkansas Constitution to be used solely for maintenance and operation of schools in the State. As provided in Amendment No. 74, the Statewide Uniform Rate replaces a portion of the existing rate of tax levied by this School District and available for maintenance and operation of schools in this District. The total proposed school tax levy of 45.2 mills includes 25.0 mills specifically voted for general maintenance and operation and 20.2 mills voted for debt service previously voted as a continuing levy pledged for the retirement of existing bonded indebtedness. The 20.2 existing debt service mills now pledged for the retirement of existing bonded indebtedness, which debt service mills will continue after retirement of the bonds to which now pledged, will be a continuing debt service tax until the retirement of proposed bonds to be issued in the principal amount of \$13,100,000, and which will mature over a period of 30 years and will be issued for the purpose of refunding certain outstanding bonded indebtedness; and for erecting and equipping new school facilities and making additions and improvements to existing facilities. The surplus revenues produced each year by the debt service millage may be used by the District for other school purposes.

The total proposed school tax levy of 45.2 mills represents the same tax rate currently being collected.

- ☐ FOR tax
- ☐ AGAINST tax

VOID

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