

PUBLIC NOTICE
Tri-County CSD • School Budget Summary

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Proposed TRI-COUNTY School Budget Summary
Fiscal Year 2025 - 2026

Location of Public Hearing: Board room-Tri-County Community School District-3003 Hwy 22, Thornburg, IA	Date of Hearing: 04/16/2025	Time of Hearing: 05:30 PM
The Board of Directors will conduct a public hearing on the proposed 25/26 school budget at the above noted location and time. At the hearing, any resident or taxpayer may present objections to, or arguments in favor of, any part of the proposed budget. This notice represents a summary of the supporting detail of the revenues and expenditures on file with the district secretary. A copy of the details will be furnished upon request.		

		Budget 2026	Re-est. 2025	Actual 2024	Avg % 24-26
Taxes Levied on Property	1	1,836,922	1,638,874	1,618,552	% 6.5
Utility Replacement Excise Tax	2	38,866	37,743	39,762	% -1.1
Income Surtaxes	3	27,668	27,204	29,688	% -3.5
Tuition/Transportation Received	4	162,092	162,092	162,092	
Earnings on Investments	5	8,842	8,842	8,842	
Nutrition Program Sales	6	45,030	45,030	45,030	
Student Activities and Sales	7	80,603	80,603	80,603	
Other Revenues from Local Sources	8	39,955	39,955	39,965	
Revenue from Intermediary Sources	9	0	98,254	0	
State Foundation Aid	10	1,845,625	2,011,868	1,904,211	
Instructional Support State Aid	11	5,078	0	0	
Other State Sources	12	451,048	451,048	451,048	
Two Tier Assessment Limitation Replacement	13	18,801	18,801	19,321	
Title I Grants	14	98,254	98,254	98,254	
IDEA and Other Federal Sources	15	145,191	145,191	145,191	
Total Revenues	16	4,803,975	4,863,759	4,642,559	
General Long-Term Debt Proceeds	17	0	0	0	
Transfers In	18	0	0	0	
Proceeds of Fixed Asset Dispositions	19	0	0	0	
Special Items/Upward Adjustments	20	142,774	137,774	136,631	
Total Revenues & Other Sources	21	4,946,749	5,001,533	4,779,190	
Beginning Fund Balance	22	3,762,538	3,892,381	4,164,450	
Total Resources	23	8,709,287	8,893,914	8,943,640	
*Instruction	24	3,456,000	3,424,000	3,378,192	% 1.1
Student Support Services	25	6,300	6,000	5,801	
Instructional Staff Support Services	26	49,000	44,000	38,640	
General Administration	27	122,000	116,700	110,066	
School Administration	28	165,000	160,000	151,408	
Business & Central Administration	29	38,000	33,000	28,715	
Plant Operation and Maintenance	30	753,500	733,400	714,222	
Student Transportation	31	322,000	316,000	312,934	
*Total Support Services (lines 25-31)	31A	1,455,800	1,409,100	1,361,786	% 3.4
*Noninstructional Programs	32	193,800	188,500	184,776	% 2.4
Facilities Acquisition and Construction	33	0	0	0	
Debt Service (Principal, interest, fiscal charges)	34	0	0	0	
AEA Support - Direct to AEA	35	95,497	105,676	122,597	
*Total Other Expenditures (lines 33-35)	35A	95,497	105,676	122,597	% -11.7
Total Expenditures	36	5,201,097	5,127,276	5,047,351	
Transfers Out	37	0	0	0	
Other Uses	38	4,300	4,100	3,908	
Total Expenditures, Transfers Out & Other Uses	39	5,205,397	5,131,376	5,051,259	
Ending Fund Balance	40	3,503,890	3,762,538	3,892,381	
Total Requirements	41	8,709,287	8,893,914	8,943,640	
Proposed Property Tax Rate (per \$1,000 taxable valuation)		12.21451			

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**TRI-COUNTY CSD
BOARD OF EDUCATION
MEETING**
March 19, 2025 - 5:30 pm
Board Room
3003 Hwy 22
Thornburg, IA 50255
MEETING MINUTES
Board President Chad McKain called the regular meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. Beckie Appleget, Board Secretary acknowledged a quorum of the board by roll call.
Board members present: Chad McKain, Derek Hall, Jacob Edmundson, Ben Molyneux, and Heather Schmidt.
Board members absent: none.
Also Present: Superintendent, Chad Straight; Principal, Jennifer Berg; Athletic Director, Scott Edmundson; and Board Secretary, Beckie Appleget.
Reading of the Mission Statement by Derek Hall.
Approval of Consent Agenda
Hall moved, seconded by Molyneux to approve the consent agenda items. Motion carried 5/0.

Amend/Approve Agenda: Move new business G & H up be discussed after new business A. Minutes: The minutes from February 19, 2025 regular meeting. Financial Reports: SBO Stacey Kolars provided financial reports to the board for review. Summary List of Bills: General/PPEL/SAVE/Nutrition Funds bills totaling: \$230,234.49, and Activity Fund bills totaling \$6,393.10. Resignations: The following resignations were approved for the 2025-2026 school year. Scott Edmundson, Athletic Director, HS Boys Wrestling coach, and HS Girls Wrestling coach; Penny Krumm, HS Science teacher; Mrs. Garcia, HS Spanish teacher; Mr. Martinez, Associate; and Raegan Rozenboom, Cheer coach.
Communications and Reports
Student Reports/Programs/Celebrations: Ms. Berg recognized the students of the month recipients. Elementary: 3 year old Preschool: Justine Brackelsberg. 4 year old Preschool: Harrison Leer. Kindergarten: Casen Morrow. 1st Grade:

Wendy Luevano. 2nd Grade: Ellenor Winkleman. 3rd Grade: Willow Roorda. 4th Grade: Teresa Luevano. 5th Grade: Emmett Wear. 6th Grade: Brayden McCulloch. Secondary: Lily McDonald, Marley VanPatten, and Natalie Triplett.
Staff of the Month: Jody Prell, HS Art teacher. Community/Public Request: None. Board Report: The board discussed valedictorian and salutatorian recognition at graduation. Superintendent Report: None. Principals Report: Ms. Berg reported that the SIAC Free Family Movie Day Sunday, March 16th was a success. Prom will be held on Saturday, April 5th. Bob Kittell will be our inspirational guest speaker on March 21st for the secondary students, thank you to Dan Schuster with Osky Dental for bringing him to Tri-County again. State FFA contest is April 13th-15th. Activity Director Report: Coaching Positions; resignations, HS Boy's and Girl's Wrestling coach, Athletic Director, and Cheer coach; recommendations, Kylie McDonald for

JH Softball coach. Mr. Edmundson attended the SICL AD meeting virtually due to snow day. They voted on Bound as being the official designated program for contracts, officials, and schedules replacing Rschool. The conference discussed online ticketing. Congrats to these student athletes who made All Conference honors: 1st team Ayla Hall and Peyton Roth, Second Team Emery Hall, Honorable Mention Lilliann Randall, Ema Roberts, Levi Molyneux, and Tucker Donaldson. Layla Shilling placed 3rd at SICL Wrestling. For the Individual Speech Contest TC had 1 state qualifier, Nathan McDonald.
Old Business
Action/Discussion on PPEL and SAVE Projects: Mr. Straight shared the concrete bids with the board. The board reviewed and discussed the bids received. Molyneux moved, seconded by Schmidt to approve the bid from Shipley Masonry for the HS and elementary concrete. Motion carried 5/0.
New Business

Employment of Personnel: Hall moved seconded by Schmidt to approve Kylie McDonald for JH Softball coach. Motion carried 5/0. Action/Discussion on Students for Graduation: Schmidt moved, seconded by Edmundson to approve the 2025 graduates as presented, pending they meet all the graduation requirements. Motion carried 5/0. Action/Discussion on Mowing Bids: Hall moved, seconded by Molyneux to approve the mowing bid from Keith Molyneux as presented. Motion carried 5/0. Action/Discussion TLC Positions for Next Year: Molyneux moved, seconded by Edmundson to offer the same TLC positions for next year, requiring teachers to re-apply for the positions. Motion carried 5/0. Action/Discussion on Summer School: Edmundson moved, seconded by Schmidt to offer summer school to all TC students. Motion carried 5/0. Discussion of Legislative Updates: Mr. Straight reviewed the recent legislative changes with the board. Tri-County Education Association

Initial Proposal to Tri-County Board of Education: Mr. Hrasky presented the TCEA initial proposal to the board. Tri-County Board of Education Initial Proposal to Tri-County Education Association: Mr. Straight shared the board's initial proposal. Board Talking Points: None. Item/Topics for Next Board Meeting: Mr. Straight reported that there will be a special board meeting Thursday, March 27, 2025 at 5:30 pm to hold a public hearing on the proposed property tax levy for the Tri-County CSD FY26 levy and to then approve the proposed property tax levy rate for the district and to set a hearing date for the FY26 budget.
Adjournment: Edmundson moved, seconded by Molyneux to adjourn the meeting at 6:27 p.m. Motion carried 5/0.
President, Chad McKain
Board Secretary, Beckie Appleget
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Keokuk Co BOS • Minutes and Claims 3.17.2025

**KEOKUK COUNTY BOARD
PROCEEDINGS
MARCH 17, 2025**
The Keokuk County Board of Supervisors met in regular session, Monday, March 17, 2025, in the Board Room of the Courthouse. Present were: Michael C. Hadley, Daryl Wood, Kevin Weber and Christy Bates, County Auditor.
Wood moved, Weber seconded to approve the agenda. All ayes and motion carried. Casey Jarmes, News Review, was present.
Weber moved, Wood seconded to approve the minutes of March 10, 2025, as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.
Met with County Engineer Assistant Clarahan regarding Keokuk County Highway Department.
Wood moved, Weber second to table action to set the date, time and location for the public hearing to vacate a portion of County Road V45 (200th Avenue) located in Section 15, Township 76N, Range 12W until next week. All ayes and motion carried. Clarahan shared research of history of said area and informed of new landowners plan to use the old berm driveway.
Weber moved, Wood seconded approval of March 17, 2025 claims listing as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.
Manual Checks: March 10, 2025
MAILING SERVICES.....5,000.00
VISA (ASSESSOR).....163.27
VISA (JAIL).....16.40
VISA (KEOKUK CO EM MGMT).....485.54

VISA (PH).....2,018.00
WEX BANK.....110.40
TOTAL.....\$7,793.61
CLAIM DATE: March 17, 2025
ABEL, LINDA.....50.00
ABEL, RICK.....50.00
ACE ELECTRIC.....839.67
ACTERRA GROUP.....132.93
AHLERS & COONEY.....800.00
ALL AM PEST CONTROL.....170.00
ALLIANT ENERGY.....3,692.77
ALTORFER MACHINERY.....4,521.04
ARNOLD MOTOR SUPPLY.....1,947.00
AT&T MOBILITY.....50.01
BAILEY OFFICE.....459.55
BAIN ELECTRIC.....449.45
BENTON TWP.....576.00
BRAIN, DONALD.....154.50
BRETHREN CHURCH.....280.00
BROTHERS MARKET.....1,303.56
CAPPS, JOHN.....22.00
CCL SUPPLY.....510.47
CLUBB, BONNIE.....405.08
CLUBB, MARCIA.....172.64
COAST TO COAST COMP.....2,893.00
COX SANITATION & RECY.....7,012.00
CUNNINGHAM.....2,209.55
DESIGN HOUSE PLUS.....292.00
DOBBINS, ALLEN.....50.00
DOUDS STONE.....44,451.93
DUMONT, CARLA.....50.00
DUMONT, JOHN.....50.00
EAST LANCASTER TWP.....96.00
ELLIOTT OIL CO.....88.57
ENGLISH RIVER TWP CLERK.....616.00
FARMERS COOP ASSOC.....456.33
FORTNEY, RICHARD.....89.44

GAMMACK, J CHRIS.....8.00
GIBSON, FORREST.....600.00
GREATAMERICA FIN SERV.....212.75
H & M FARM & HOME.....840.86
HADLEY, MICHAEL C.....408.00
HELMUTH, ALLIE.....69.68
HELMUTH, CLINTON.....343.95
HENRY COUNTY EM MGMT.....50.00
HICKENBOTTOM.....713.07
HOLY TRINITY CEM.....908.00
INTOXIMETERS INC.....125.00
IA CO SHERIFF.....197.30
IA DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION.....120.00
IA SEC OF STATE.....30.00
ISACA/SEAT.....380.00
JACK'S CORNER DRUG.....33.98
JACKSON TWP CLERK.....724.00
JONES, DAVID L.....152.50
KASEYA US.....4,047.38
KEOKUK CO HLTH CTR.....585.00
KEOKUK CO HWY DEPT.....225.21
KEOKUK CO EXPO.....5,000.00
KEOTA, CITY OF.....1,208.00
KLEIN, DAVID.....50.00
LEE, BRYAN.....8.00
LIGHTEDGE SOLUTIONS.....4,919.00
LISCO/LTDS.....526.37
LONG, ANDREW.....101.00
LONG, STEPHANIE.....89.99
MAHASKA CO AUDITOR.....2,219.83
MAHASKA CO SHERIFF.....41.40
MAIL SERVICES.....462.47
MCFARLAN CEM.....296.00
MCKESSON MED SURG.....190.15
MENARDS.....671.23
MESSERSCHMITT, LAVADA.....66.04

MID-AMERICA PUBLISHING.....9,948.63
US CELLULAR.....297.97
VAN BUREN TWP CLERK.....40.00
VERIZON WIRELESS.....695.19
VISA (SEC RD).....59.54
VISA (CONSERV).....35.88
VISA (CRTHSE).....100.31
VISA (IT).....3,061.48
WAPELLO RURAL WATER.....144.98
WARNER PLASTICS/LINERS.....165.00
WARREN TWP CLERK.....160.00
WASHINGTON CO TREAS.....4,500.00
WASHINGTON TWP.....1,088.00
WASTE MANAGEMENT.....1,199.41
WELLINGTON TOOL SALES.....176.55
WEST LANCASTER TWP CLERK.....580.00
WINDSTREAM.....86.85
WOOD, DARYL K.....141.00
TOTAL.....\$151,610.39
Wood moved, Weber seconded approval of Iowa Governmental Health Care Plan (IGHCP) 3% partial self-funding (PSF) insurance option. All ayes and motion carried. If these dollars are unused, they remain in the health fund.
Discussion regarding Mental Health Advocate transition was held. As per the Iowa Department of Health & Human Services (HHS) Division of Behavioral Health & Disability Services guidance, mental health advocates continue to be appointed by the county board of supervisors. Bates is requesting approval to reach out to the current advocate to inquire of interest

in continuing service on behalf of Keokuk County. Board consensus was to proceed with the inquiry and process thereof.
Various Board and Committee reports were held. Wood attended a RUSS meeting. Weber participated in a Decat meeting. Hadley had no meeting last week.
Discussion of old/new business and public comment was held. Conservation Director Reighard was present to inform a sizeable dock project will be starting soon at Belva Deer. Lucas Meier reviewed Conference Board meeting discussion. Proposed property tax notices were inadvertently sent out by the mailer for 2024-2025 followed by correct notices for 2025-2026 prior to the mandated legislative deadline of March 15, 2025.
On vote and motion Hadley adjourned the meeting at 9:30 a.m.
The above and foregoing information is a summary of the minutes taken at the above indicated meeting. The full and complete set of minutes is available at the Keokuk County Auditor's Office and www.keokukcounty.iowa.gov.
Approved _____
Disapproved _____
Michael C. Hadley, Daryl Wood, Kevin Weber
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