



# **Kahlotus School District No. 056**

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## **RESOLUTION 26-02**

**WHEREAS**, THE FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR Kahlotus School District No. 056 through presently scheduled sources are insufficient to meet the needs of the District, and

**WHEREAS**, school districts are authorized for special levies by a vote of the resident electors of the District, and

**WHEREAS**, The District has determined that necessary funds for educational and other operations not funded by the State are not available to the District absent the resources of the special levy:

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Board of Directors of the Kahlotus School District No. 056, Franklin County, Washington that it is found and declared to be in the best interest of the Kahlotus School District for a special school election be held in the aforesaid school district on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2026, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said school district for their approval or rejection the following proposition:

### **BALLOT**

#### **PROPOSITION NO. 1**

#### **SUBMITTED BY KAHLOTUS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 56**

#### **REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS AND OPERATION LEVY**

**The Board of Directors of Kahlotus School District #56 adopted Resolution #26-02, proposing replacement of the expiring educational funding levy. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, upon all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's General Fund educational programs and operations expenses not funded by the State:**

<u>Levy Collection Year</u>	<u>Approximate Levy Rate</u> <u>/ \$1000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2027	\$ 1.47	\$ 140,000
2028	\$ 1.43	\$ 140,000

Should the proposition be approved?

LEVY YES  X

LEVY NO \_\_\_\_\_

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The exact levy rate shall be adjusted based upon the actual assessed value of the property within the District at the time of the levy, not to exceed the State mandated maximums as defined in RCW 84.52.0531, as may hereafter be amended.

The Business Manager of the aforesaid school district is hereby directed to immediately transmit to the Franklin county Auditor a copy of this resolution, duly signed and attested by which the Franklin county Auditor is hereby required to take all procedural steps necessary and/or required by law to the end that this proposition shall be submitted to the voters of said school district. The Business Manager should work with County Officials, including the Prosecuting Attorney to ensure an appropriate ballot title is prepared for the election.

The foregoing resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the previously mentioned school district on the 20th day of November 2025, the undersigned directors being present and voting.

ATTEST:



Secretary to the Board

BOARD OF DIRECTORS



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December 2, 2025

To: Franklin County Auditors Office  
From: Dr. Andie Webb, Superintendent

Re: Explanatory Statement for voters pamphlet, February 2026

Proposition No. 1  
Kahlotus School District No 56  
Replacement of Expiring Educational Programs and Operations Levy

This Proposition would allow Kahlotus School District to replace an existing educational programs and operation levy that will expire after calendar year 2026. The proposed two-year replacement of expiring educational programs and operation levy would authorize collection of taxes to provide \$140,000 in 2027 and \$140,000 in 2028. The tax levy rate required to produce these levy amounts is estimated to be approximately \$1.47 per \$1,000 of assessed value. Taxes collected by the proposed levy will provide approximately 3% of the District's General Fund budget.

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