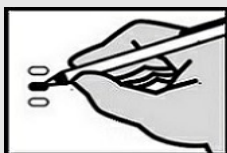
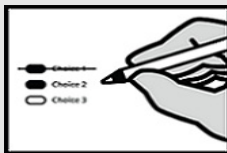


**Sample Ballot
Spokane County Washington
February 13, 2024 Special Election**



Completely fill in the oval to the left of your choice. Use a dark blue or black pen.

Unless specifically allowed by law, more than one vote for a contest will be an overvote and no votes for that ballot contest will be counted.



If you make a correction or miscalculate your ballot, draw a line through the entire response. You then have the option of making another choice.

In order for your ballot to be counted, it must either be postmarked no later than election day or deposited at a ballot drop box no later than 8:00 p.m. on election day, February 13, 2024.

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Town of Fairfield

Only registered voters in **the Town of Fairfield** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Town of Fairfield
Annexation of the Town of Fairfield into Spokane County Fire Protection District No. 2

Shall the Town of Fairfield be annexed to and be a part of Spokane County Fire Protection District No. 2?

- Yes
- No

City of Spokane

Only registered voters in **the City of Spokane** are eligible to vote on the following:

Measure No. 1
City of Spokane
Library Operations Levy

The City of Spokane adopted Resolution No. 2023-0094 providing for an increase in the regular property tax levy in excess of state law beginning in 2025 in which the funding would be allocated one hundred percent for library operations. This measure replaces an expiring levy and authorizes an increase in the regular property tax levy for 2025 by \$0.07 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for a levy rate not to exceed \$3.60. The increase in the property tax levy would remain in effect for a period of three years.

Should this measure be approved?

- Yes
- No

Measure No. 2
City of Spokane
Amendment to the City Charter Regarding City Council Redistricting Process

Shall the Spokane City Charter be amended to implement a new City Council redistricting process requiring stricter qualifications for districting commissioners while altering their number and appointments by City Council and Mayor, altering the criteria for redistricting maps, and mandating an increase in the number of public hearings, in addition to prohibiting any modifications to redistricting maps by the City Council, and introducing an option for citizen-led redistricting, as set forth in Ordinance No. C-36480?

- Yes
- No

Central Valley School District

Only registered voters in **Central Valley School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Central Valley School District No. 356
Replacement of Expiring Educational Programs and Operations Levy

The Board of Directors of Central Valley School District No. 356 adopted Resolution No. 23-10, concerning a proposition to fund educational programs and operations expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for educational programs and operations expenses not funded by the State (including teacher and classified staff compensation, special education, nurses, counselors, safety staff, music, athletics, advanced courses, extracurricular activities):

Collection Year	Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2025	\$2.40	\$43,893,000
2026	\$2.40	\$45,648,000
2027	\$2.40	\$47,500,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 23-10. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Proposition No. 2
Central Valley School District No. 356
Capital Levy for Safety, Facility and Technology Improvements

The Board of Directors of Central Valley School District No. 356 adopted Resolution No. 23-11, concerning a proposition to fund capital improvements to support learning environments. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, on all taxable property within the District, to make District-wide safety, facility and technology improvements (including creating secure entrances, repairing roofs, improving heating/cooling and playgrounds, upgrading technology devices and infrastructure):

Collection Year	Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2025	\$0.39	\$7,150,000
2026	\$0.39	\$7,400,000
2027	\$0.39	\$7,700,000
2028	\$0.39	\$8,100,000
2029	\$0.39	\$8,450,000
2030	\$0.39	\$8,700,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 23-11. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Cheney School District

Only registered voters in **Cheney School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Cheney School District No. 360
Replacement Educational Programs and Operation Levy

The Board of Directors of Cheney School District No. 360 adopted Resolution No. 10-23-24, concerning a replacement levy for education. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State (including school safety, athletics, extracurricular activities, art, music, special education and staffing above the State allocation):

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$1.97	\$16,125,000
2026	\$1.97	\$17,100,000
2027	\$1.97	\$17,950,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 10-23-24. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Proposition No. 2
Cheney School District No. 360
Bonds to Construct and Improve Schools and Acquire Land

The Board of Directors of Cheney School District No. 360 adopted Resolution No. 11-23-24, concerning a proposition to relieve overcrowding and provide safe, modern facilities. This proposition would authorize the District to: construct one additional elementary school in Airway Heights; make District-wide health and facility improvements (expanding kitchens and improving bus loops at Salnave and Windsor; upgrading HVAC; connecting old sections of buildings into new sections at CHS, Betz, Sunset, Windsor); acquire land; issue no more than \$72,000,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within 21 years; and levy annual excess property taxes to repay the bonds, all as provided in Resolution No. 11-23-24. Should this proposition be:

- Approved
- Rejected

Proposition No. 3
Cheney School District No. 360
Replacement Capital Levy for Technology, Security and Infrastructure Improvements

The Board of Directors of Cheney School District No. 360 adopted Resolution No. 12-23-24, concerning a replacement levy for capital improvements. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, to make technology, security and infrastructure improvements (including acquiring and installing instructional technology equipment, security cameras and entry controls; and upgrading other infrastructure for safety):

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$0.09	\$740,000
2026	\$0.09	\$780,000
2027	\$0.09	\$820,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 12-23-24. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Deer Park School District

Only registered voters in **Deer Park School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Deer Park School District No. 414-200-61
Educational Programs and Operations Replacement Levy

The Board of Directors of Deer Park School District No. 414-200-61 adopted Resolution No. 1-2023-24, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operations expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's educational programs and operations expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$1.50	\$3,517,590
2026	\$1.50	\$3,737,439
2027	\$1.50	\$3,924,311

all as provided in Resolution No. 1-2023-24. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Proposition No. 2
Deer Park School District No. 414-200-61
Bonds To Construct and Renovate School Facilities

The Board of Directors of Deer Park School District No. 414-200-61 adopted Resolution No. 2-2023-24, concerning a proposition to relieve overcrowding and provide safe, modern facilities. This proposition would authorize the District to: construct a new elementary school (Grades 2-5) and transportation facility on a site to be acquired by the District located on East D Street; renovate Arcadia Elementary School to accommodate Home Link; renovate Deer Park Middle School; issue no more than \$62,000,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within 21 years; and levy annual excess property taxes to repay the bonds, all as provided in Resolution No. 2-2023-24. Should this proposition be:

- Approved
- Rejected

East Valley School District

Only registered voters in **East Valley School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
East Valley School District No. 361
Replacement Educational Programs and Operation Levy

The Board of Directors of East Valley School District No. 361 adopted Resolution No. 2819, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, upon all taxable property within the District, for educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State (including teachers, staff, class size, athletics, after school programs, transportation, technology, special education and maintenance):

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$2.06	\$13,600,000
2026	\$1.99	\$13,900,000
2027	\$1.95	\$14,500,000
2028	\$1.89	\$14,900,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 2819. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Freeman School District

Only registered voters in **Freeman School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Freeman School District No. 358
Replacement Educational Programs and Operation Levy

The Board of Directors of Freeman School District No. 358 adopted Resolution No. 3-2023/2024, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$1.50	\$1,924,698
2026	\$1.50	\$2,020,770
2027	\$1.50	\$2,121,644

all as provided in Resolution No. 3-2023/2024. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Proposition No. 2
Freeman School District No. 358
Replacement Capital Levy for Safety, Security, Technology and Infrastructure Improvements

The Board of Directors of Freeman School District No. 358 adopted Resolution No. 4-2023/2024, concerning a proposition to finance capital improvements to support learning environments. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, to make District-wide safety, security, technology and infrastructure improvements (upgrading security cameras, entry controls, computers, technology equipment; improving ADA accessibility, parking/traffic circulation, other infrastructure at facilities and fields):

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$1.25	\$1,606,645
2026	\$1.25	\$1,686,704
2027	\$1.25	\$1,770,766

all as provided in Resolution No. 4-2023/2024. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Great Northern School District

Only registered voters in **Great Northern School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Great Northern School District No. 312
Replacement Educational Programs and Operation Levy

The Board of Directors of Great Northern School District No. 312 adopted Resolution No. 2023-10, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$1.03	\$275,000
2026	\$1.03	\$280,000
2027	\$1.03	\$285,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 2023-10. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Liberty School District

Only registered voters in **Liberty School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Liberty School District No. 362
Replacement Educational Programs and Operation Levy

The Board of Directors of Liberty School District No. 362 adopted Resolution No. 23-24/02, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$1.52	\$1,751,942
2026	\$1.52	\$1,852,678
2027	\$1.52	\$1,952,723

all as provided in Resolution No. 23-24/02. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Proposition No. 2
Liberty School District No. 362
Replacement Capital Levy for Technology, Safety and Security Improvements

The Board of Directors of Liberty School District No. 362 adopted Resolution No. 23-24/03, concerning a proposition to finance technology, safety and security improvements. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, to make technology, safety and security improvements throughout existing school facilities (including continuing funding technology equipment to improve student learning and acquiring and installing security cameras and entry controls):

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$0.14	\$175,000
2026	\$0.14	\$175,000
2027	\$0.14	\$175,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 23-24/03. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Mead School District

Only registered voters in **Mead School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Mead School District No. 354
Replacement of Expiring Educational Programs and Operations Levy

The Board of Directors of Mead School District No. 354 adopted Resolution No. 23-14, concerning a proposition to fund educational programs and operations. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for programs, services, and staff not funded by the State (including elective and advanced courses, special education, nurses, counselors, technology support, safety, security, performing arts, athletics, and extracurricular activities):

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$2.50	\$29,340,000
2026	\$2.50	\$30,510,000
2027	\$2.50	\$31,730,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 23-14. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Medical Lake School District

Only registered voters in **Medical Lake School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Medical Lake School District No. 326
Replacement Educational Programs and Operation Levy

The Board of Directors of Medical Lake School District No. 326 adopted Resolution No. 23-24.01, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$1.55	\$1,983,826
2026	\$1.55	\$2,132,613
2027	\$1.55	\$2,292,559

all as provided in Resolution No. 23-24.01. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Medical Lake School District

Only registered voters in **Medical Lake School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 2
Medical Lake School District No. 326
Replacement Capital Levy for Safety, Security, Technology and Infrastructure Improvements

The Board of Directors of Medical Lake School District No. 326 adopted Resolution No. 23-24.02, concerning a proposition to finance safety, security, technology and infrastructure improvements. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, to make safety, security, technology and infrastructure improvements (including upgrading security cameras, entry controls and security systems; upgrading roofs and HVAC; acquiring computers and technology equipment for student learning):

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$0.45	\$575,949
2026	\$0.45	\$619,146
2027	\$0.45	\$665,582

all as provided in Resolution No. 23-24.02. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Nine Mile Falls School District

Only registered voters in **Nine Mile Falls School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Nine Mile Falls School District No. 325-179
Replacement Educational Programs and Operations Levy

The Board of Directors of Nine Mile Falls School District No. 325-179 adopted Resolution No. 18-23, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operations expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of educational programs and operations expenses not funded by the State:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$2.15	\$4,308,998
2026	\$2.15	\$4,524,298
2027	\$2.15	\$4,750,363

all as provided in Resolution No. 18-23 and subject to legal limits on levy rates and amounts at the time of levy. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Reardan-Edwall School District

Only registered voters in **Reardan-Edwall School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Reardan-Edwall School District No. 9
Replacement Educational Programs and Operation Levy

The Board of Directors of Reardan-Edwall School District No. 9 adopted Resolution No. 02-2023/24, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to meet the educational needs of its students by levying the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$2.00	\$1,918,071
2026	\$2.00	\$2,013,974
2027	\$2.00	\$2,114,673

all as provided in Resolution No. 02-2023/24. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Riverside School District

Only registered voters in **Riverside School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Riverside School District No. 416-62
Replacement Educational Programs and Operation Levy

The Board of Directors of Riverside School District No. 416-62 adopted Resolution No. 10-23-09, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$1.50	\$3,357,835
2026	\$1.50	\$3,609,673
2027	\$1.50	\$3,880,399

all as provided in Resolution No. 10-23-09. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Proposition No. 2
Riverside School District No. 416-62
Bonds to Construct, Renovate and Improve School Facilities

The Board of Directors of Riverside School District No. 416-62 adopted Resolution No. 11-23-11, concerning a proposition to provide safe, updated facilities to improve learning. This proposition would authorize the District to: renovate Chattaroy Elementary, Riverside Elementary, ISP, Early Learning Center (security, classrooms, cafeterias, heating/cooling, parking/traffic safety); renovate Riverside High (cafeteria, performing arts, vocational areas, classrooms, second gym, heating/cooling, parking/traffic safety); complete renovation of Riverside Middle (vocational areas, classrooms, heating/cooling, kitchen); issue \$73,000,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within 25 years; and levy annual excess property taxes to repay the bonds, all as provided in Resolution No. 11-23-11. Should this proposition be:

- Approved
- Rejected

Rosalia School District

Only registered voters in **Rosalia School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Rosalia School District No. 320
Replacement Educational Programs and Operation Levy

The Board of Directors of Rosalia School District No. 320 adopted Resolution No. 2023-17, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for essential educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$2.50	\$473,943
2026	\$2.50	\$492,901

all as provided in Resolution No. 2023-17 and subject to legal limits on levy rates and amounts at the time of levy. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Proposition No. 2
Rosalia School District No. 320
Replacement Capital Levy for Technology, Safety and Security Improvements

The Board of Directors of Rosalia School District No. 320 adopted Resolution No. 2023-18, concerning a proposition to finance technology, safety and security improvements. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, to make technology, safety and security improvements at Rosalia Schools (including acquiring and installing technology equipment and infrastructure, security cameras, entry/access controls, door locks and other safety and security systems):

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$0.45	\$85,000
2026	\$0.45	\$85,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 2023-18. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Spokane School District No. 81

Only registered voters in **Spokane School District No. 81** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Spokane School District No. 81 (Spokane Public Schools)
Replacement of Expiring Educational Programs and Operation Levy

The Board of Directors of Spokane School District No. 81 adopted Resolution No. 2023-14, concerning a proposition to fund educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State (including class size, advanced courses, special education, nurses, counselors, technology support, safety staff, music, athletics, and extracurricular activities):

Collection Year	Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2025	\$2.50	\$95,000,000
2026	\$2.50	\$99,000,000
2027	\$2.50	\$103,000,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 2023-14. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Proposition No. 2
Spokane School District No. 81 (Spokane Public Schools)
Bonds to Replace, Modernize and Improve Aging School Facilities

The Board of Directors of Spokane School District No. 81 adopted Resolution No. 2023-15, concerning a proposition to provide safe, modern facilities to enhance learning. This proposition would authorize the District to: replace Adams and Madison; modernize and expand Garry and North Central (oldest sections); improve Chase, The Community School, Spokane Public Montessori and Libby Center for program growth; design Balboa and Indian Trail replacements; acquire land; make District-wide safety, technology and smaller capital improvements; issue \$200,000,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within 20 years; and levy annual excess property taxes to repay the bonds, all as provided in Resolution No. 2023-15. Should this proposition be:

- Approved
- Rejected

St. John School District

Only registered voters in **St. John School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
St. John School District No. 322-JT 401
Educational Programs and Operation Replacement Levy

The Board of Directors of St. John School District No. 322-JT 401 adopted Resolution No. 24-02, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for essential educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

Collection Year	Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2025	\$1.60	\$430,749
2026	\$1.60	\$443,671

all as provided in Resolution No. 24-02 and subject to legal limits on levy rates and amounts at the time of levy. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

St. John School District

Only registered voters in **St. John School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 2
St. John School District No. 322-JT 401
Replacement Capital Levy for Health, Safety and Facilities Improvements

The Board of Directors of St. John School District No. 322-JT 401 adopted Resolution No. 24-03, concerning a proposition to finance health, safety and facilities improvements. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, to make health, safety and facilities improvements at St. John School (including replacing deteriorating playground equipment, adding playground underlayment and improving Preschool playground for safety, and making energy efficiency improvements):

Collection Year	Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2025	\$1.29	\$345,605
2026	\$1.29	\$354,245

all as provided in Resolution No. 24-03. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Tekoa School District

Only registered voters in **Tekoa School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Tekoa School District No. 265
Replacement Educational Programs and Operation Levy

The Board of Directors of Tekoa School District No. 265 adopted Resolution No. 02-2024, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to meet the educational needs of its students by levying the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for essential educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State of Washington:

Collection Year	Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2025	\$2.50	\$224,644
2026	\$2.50	\$231,384

all as provided in Resolution No. 02-2024. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

Tekoa School District

Only registered voters in **Tekoa School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 2
Tekoa School District No. 265
Replacement Capital Levy for Health, Safety and Technology Improvements

The Board of Directors of Tekoa School District No. 265 adopted Resolution No. 03-2024, concerning a proposition for a levy for capital improvements. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, to continue funding health, safety and technology improvements (including enhancing security, upgrading roofs, heating, electrical and flooring, and acquiring and installing technology equipment and infrastructure):

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$2.50	\$224,644
2026	\$2.50	\$231,384
2027	\$2.50	\$238,325
2028	\$2.50	\$245,475

all as provided in Resolution No. 03-2024. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

West Valley School District

Only registered voters in **West Valley School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
West Valley School District No. 363
Educational Programs and Operations Replacement Levy

The Board of Directors of West Valley School District No. 363 adopted Resolution No. 23-12, concerning a proposition to fund educational programs and operations expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for educational programs and operations expenses not funded by the State (including smaller class size, advanced courses, nurses, counselors, technology, safety, music, athletics, extracurricular activities, facility maintenance/repair, operations):

<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Estimated Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2025	\$2.44	\$9,823,477
2026	\$2.44	\$10,314,651
2027	\$2.44	\$10,830,384

all as provided in Resolution No. 23-12. Should this proposition be approved?

- Levy Yes
- Levy No

West Valley School District

Only registered voters in **West Valley School District** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 2
West Valley School District No. 363
Bonds to Construct and Improve School Facilities

The Board of Directors of West Valley School District No. 363 adopted Resolution No. 23-13, concerning a proposition to provide safe, modern facilities to enhance learning. This proposition would authorize the District to: construct a new middle school to replace Centennial; add kindergarten learning spaces at neighborhood schools; construct a new shared-campus building for City School and Spokane Valley HS; make District-wide critical capital improvements (improving pickup/drop off areas at Seth Woodward and Orchard Center); issue \$92,155,733 of general obligation bonds maturing within 21 years; and levy annual excess property taxes to repay the bonds, all as provided in Resolution No. 23-13. Should this proposition be:

- Approved
- Rejected

Fire Protection District No. 2

Only registered voters in **Fire Protection District No. 2** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Spokane County Fire Protection District No. 2
Annexation of the Town of Fairfield into Spokane County Fire Protection District No. 2

Shall the Town of Fairfield be annexed to and be a part of Spokane County Fire Protection District No. 2?

- Yes
- No

Fire Protection District No. 5

Only registered voters in **Fire Protection District No. 5** are eligible to vote on the following:

Proposition No. 1
Spokane County Fire Protection District No. 5
Proposition Restoring Property Tax Levy for Fire Protection and Emergency Medical Services

The Board of Spokane County Fire Protection District No. 5 adopted Resolution No. 23-02 concerning a proposition to maintain and adequately fund District operations.

This proposition authorizes the District to restore its regular property tax levy to \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed value in 2024 and authorizes adjustments by the greater of 1% or the annual U.S. City average unadjusted, all items index, west city class B/C, for the CPI-W reported each April for the five succeeding years. The maximum allowable levy in 2029 shall serve as the base for subsequent levy limitations consistent with chapter 84.55 RCW.

Should this proposition be:

- Approved
- Rejected

February 13, 2024 Special Election Information

If you have changed your residence address, you may update your address and receive an updated ballot by visiting VoteWA.gov or contacting our office until Monday, February 5, 2024. Beginning on Tuesday, February 6, 2024, you may update your registration in person and receive an updated ballot at a Voter Service Center.

Contact Information

Spokane County Elections
 Online: www.spokanecounty.org/elections
 Email: elections@spokanecounty.org
 Phone: 509-477-2320

Ballot Drop Box Locations

Ballot Drop Boxes are available starting January 25, 2024, and close promptly at 8:00 p.m. on election day - February 13, 2024:

- Airway Heights Library - 1213 S Lundstrom St
- Argonne Library - 4322 N Argonne Rd
- CenterPlace - 2426 N Discovery Pl
- Central Library - 906 W Main Ave
- Cheney Library - 610 First St
- Deer Park Library - 208 S Forest Ave
- Fairfield Library - 305 E Main St
- Elections Office - 1033 W Gardner Ave
- Hillyard Library - 4110 N Cook St
- Indian Trail Library - 4909 W Barnes Rd
- Latah Town Hall - 108 Market St
- Liberty Lake Library - 23123 E Mission Ave
- Liberty Park Library - 402 S Pittsburg St
- Medical Lake Library - 321 E Herb St
- Millwood City Hall - 9103 E Frederick Ave
- Moran Prairie Library - 6004 S Regal St
- North Spokane Library - 44 E Hawthorne Rd
- Otis Orchards Library - 22324 E Wellesley Ave
- Rockford Town Hall - 20 W Emma St
- Shadle Park Library - 2111 W Wellesley Ave
- South Hill Library - 3324 S Perry St
- Spangle Town Hall - 115 W 2nd St
- Spokane County Courthouse - 1116 W Broadway Ave
- Spokane Valley Library - 22 N Herald Rd
- STA Plaza - 701 W Riverside Ave
- The Hive - 2904 E Sprague Ave
- Waverly Town Hall - 255 N Commercial St

Voter Service Centers

Voters may register to vote, drop off ballots, get replacement ballots, use an Accessible Voting Unit, or receive other assistance as needed at:

Downtown Spokane

- Elections Office - 1033 W Gardner Ave
 Monday - Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
 Election day, February 13th: 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Spokane Valley

- CenterPlace - 2426 N Discovery Pl
 Election day, February 13th: 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

In order for your ballot to be counted, it must be either postmarked no later than election day or deposited at a ballot drop box no later than 8:00 p.m. on election day. If depositing your ballot in a US Postal Service box, Postage is Prepaid - no postage is required.

End Of Ballot