

CAST AN INFORMED VOTE

ELECTION DAY: 11/5/2024

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School District of Niagara Community Members,

We take pride in being a district of choice in Northeast Wisconsin, offering a wide range of activities to help students achieve lifelong success. Thanks to the dedication of our staff and community, our focus remains on the well-being of our students in these challenging times.

As we celebrate our successes, we also face challenges. Like many districts, we are confronting a budget deficit. Wisconsin's revenue limit, tied to enrollment and state-approved adjustments, caps funding from state aid and local taxes. Unfortunately, these limits haven't kept pace with inflation, and districts across the state are navigating funding issues. As a result, more districts are turning to voters for support.

For these reasons, the Board of Education has approved a referendum question that will be placed on the November ballot to maintain our district's operations.

Please visit our website for more details, and feel free to contact the district with any questions.

Nathaniel Burklund, Superintendent



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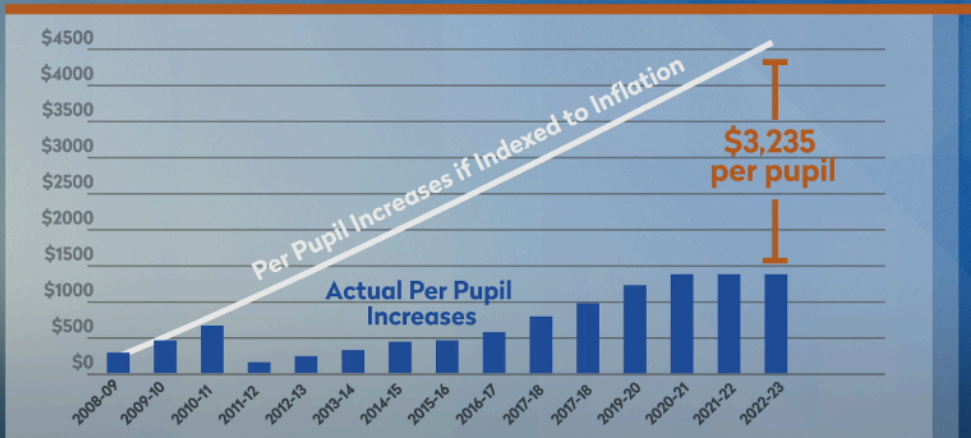


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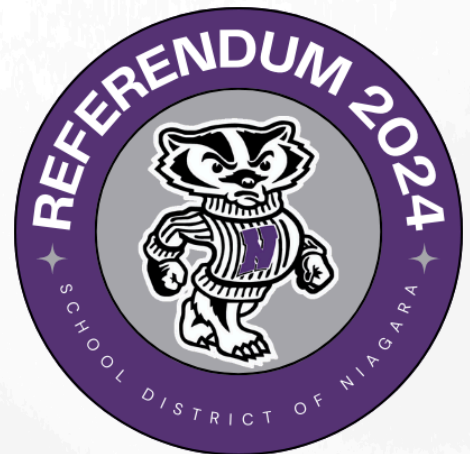
What is the question on the ballot?

The question asks voters to authorize the district to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$600,000 for the 2024-2025 school year, by \$700,000 for the 2025-2026 school year, by \$800,000 for the 2026-2027 school year and by \$900,000 for the 2027-2028 school year, for non-recurring purposes consisting of expenses for educational programming, student opportunities and operations?

INCREASES IN PER PUPIL REVENUE LAG INFLATION



Source: Kava, Russ (January 9, 2023) Legislative Fiscal Bureau Memo
re: Revenue Limit Per Pupil Adjustment Indexed to Inflation; WASBO Calculations



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The funds would be utilized to pay for educational opportunities and programming to maintain:



CURRENT CLASS SIZES



**CO-CURRICULAR
ACTIVITIES & ATHLETICS**



STAFFING LEVEL



**TECHNOLOGY TO MEET
MODERN DEMAND**



STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES TO EARN COLLEGE CREDITS



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