

OFFICIAL BALLOT PRECINCT _____
2022 SPECIAL ELECTION
GARLAND COUNTY, ARKANSAS - FEBRUARY 08, 2022

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER

1. 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 more than once in a contest, your vote in that contest 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 a contest.

GARLAND COUNTY

COUNTY-WIDE 0.625% SALES AND USE TAX

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Adoption of a 0.625% local sales and use tax within Garland County for a period of five (5) years (the "Tax"), the net collections of which remaining after deduction of the administrative expenses of the State of Arkansas (the "State") and required rebates will be distributed to the County and the municipalities thereof on a per capita basis in accordance with applicable State law and used to acquire, construct, improve, maintain and Road Improvements, "Road Improvements" include improvements to and replacement of existing roads, streets, and related structures, including particularly, without limitation, overpasses, underpasses, bridges and sidewalks, and any necessary land, easements, rights of way and related intersection improvements, drainage and traffic control services, and equipment therefor. The levy of the Tax shall commence on July 1, 2022 and expire on June 30, 2027.

- FOR TAX RATE
 AGAINST TAX RATE

SCHOOL DISTRICT

UNION COUNTY MOUNTAIN LAKE

39.8 MILL SCHOOL TAX

The total rate proposed above includes the Uniform Rate of tax (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 the maintenance and operation of schools in the State. As provided in Amendment No. 74, the Statewide Uniform Rate replaces the existing rate of tax levied by this School District and available for maintenance and operation of schools in the District. The total proposed school tax levy of 39.8 mills includes 27.05 mills specifically voted for the maintenance and operation, 7.75 mills voted for debt service previously voted as a continuing debt service pledged for the retirement of existing bonded indebtedness, and 5.0 new debt service mills. The 5.0 new debt service mills plus the existing 7.75 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 \$44,250,000, which will mature over a period of 30 years and will be issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a new Elementary School and a new Workforce/Multi-purpose Facility; paving and site development; and constructing, refurbishing, remodeling and equipping other school 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 39.8 mills represents an increase of 5.0 mills from the rate presently being levied.

- FOR TAX RATE
 AGAINST TAX RATE