

AUTHORIZATION TO LEVY ADDITIONAL TAX TO FUND CURRENT OPERATING EXPENSES

Vote for One (1)

To support District current operating expenses, the Indian River School District is seeking authority to levy and collect the following additional tax effective July 1, 2025, to fund operating expenses:

Year 1 (and not increasing thereafter pursuant to this referendum).

\$1.2105

Per \$100 of assessed property value

The purpose of this proposed tax increase is to:

- Allocate resources for the continued retention and recruitment of talented educators and support staff.
- Ensure adequate resources to manage increased operating costs in utilities, personnel, maintenance costs, transportation, instructional materials and supplies, technology, and special education services.
- Continue to support increased safety and security costs to safeguard our schools and ensure a secure environment.
- Continue to maintain curricular and other instructional programming.
- Continue to maintain extra-curricular programming including, but not limited to, Visual and Performing Arts, Athletics and Clubs.

If approved, the annual current tax shall increase on average by \$289.23 for an Indian River School District property with the average district assessment of \$23,893.

For additional tax to fund current operating expenses

Against additional tax to fund current operating expenses