



**Ashland-Greenwood Public Schools
Board of Education Meeting
October 4, 2011
5:00 PM
Conference Room, High School
1842 Furnas Street
Ashland, NE 68003**

1. Call to Order. Roll Call.
2. Acknowledgement of Open Meetings Law posting.
3. Receiving Public Input and Testimony on Property Tax Request.
4. Adjournment

**Regular Meeting
Following Public Hearing**

1. Call to Order. Roll Call.
2. Acknowledgement of Open Meetings Law posting.
3. Recognition of public participation.
4. Visitors and Communication from the public.
5. Approval of changes in the mailed agenda and/or changes in the agenda order.
6. Administrators' and Practitioners' reports
 - A. Mr. Jacobsen
 - B. Dr. Kassebaum
7. Old Business
 - a. Consideration and action on the Property Tax Resolution. (pgs. 1-2)

8. Informational items

- a. NASB State Convention: November 16, 17, and 18.

November 16th: 3 – 5 pm

November 17th: 7am – 4pm

November 18th: 7:30am – 11:00 am

9. The next meeting is set for Monday, October 17th, 2011 at 7:30 PM in the conference room at the Ashland-Greenwood High School; 1842 Furnas Street; Ashland, NE 68003. An agenda for the meeting shall be kept continuously current in the Office of the Superintendent of Schools at 1225 Clay Street in Ashland, NE 68003.

**2011 Tax Request Resolution
for
Saunders County School District 0001
A/K/A Ashland-Greenwood Public Schools**

WHEREAS, public notice was given at least five days in advance of a Special Public Hearing called for the purpose of discussing and approving or modifying the District's Tax Requests for 2011-12 school fiscal year for the General Fund, Bond Fund, and Special Building Fund of Saunders County School District 0001; and,

WHEREAS, such Special Public Hearing was held before the Board of Education (hereinafter "the Board") of Saunders County School District 0001 (hereinafter "the District") at the time, date, and place announced in the notice published in a newspaper of general circulation, a copy of which notice and proof of publication of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, all as required by law; and,

WHEREAS, the Board provided an opportunity to receive comment, information and evidence from persons in attendance at such Special Hearing; and,

WHEREAS, the Board, after having reviewed the District's Tax Requests for each said fund, and after public consideration of the matter, has determined that the Final Tax Requests as listed below are necessary in order to carry out the functions of the District, as determined by the Board for the 2011-12 school fiscal year.

NOW BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that (1) the Tax Request for the **General Fund** should be, and hereby is set at **\$4,789,194.90** for the 2011-12 school fiscal year; (2) the Tax Request for the **Bond Fund** should be, and hereby is set at **\$190,908.90** for the **ELM K-8 Bond** and **\$75,757.50** for the **Affiliated Bond AFF 9-12** and **\$322,222.48** for the **Bond Fund 2009** for the 2011-12 fiscal year; (3) the Tax Request for the **Special Building Fund and Qualified Capital Purpose Fund** should be, and hereby is set at **\$0** for the 2011-12 fiscal year.

The motion having been read in its entirety, Member _____ moved and Member _____ seconded to adopt the resolution as presented. Upon roll call vote members _____
_____ voted in favor of the resolution, members _____ voted in opposition to the motion and members _____ were absent or did not vote.

The undersigned herewith certifies, as Secretary of the Board of Education of Saunders County School District 0001, that the above Resolution was duly adopted by a majority of said Board at a duly constituted public meeting of said Board.

_____, Secretary

Notice of Special Hearing To Set Final Tax Request

Ashland-Greenwood Public Schools (78-0001) in Saunders County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Section 77-1601.02, that the governing body will meet on the 4 day of October 2011 at 5:00 o'clock P.M., at Conference Room; Ashland-Greenwood High School; 1842 Furnas St; Ashland, NE for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to setting the final tax request at a different amount than the prior year tax request.

2011/12 Budget Information

2010/11 Budget Information

Fund	2010-2011 Property Tax Request	2010 Tax Rate	Property Tax Rate (2010-2011 Request Divided By 2011 Valuation)	2011-2012 Proposed Property Tax Request	Proposed 2011 Tax Rate
General Fund	4,531,189.26	0.962955	0.907860	4,789,194.90	0.959553
Bond Fund(s) K - 12 #194ELM					
Bond Fund(s) K - 8 #194AFF	190,890.00	0.042187	0.039899	190,908.90	0.039903
Bond Fund(s) 9 - 12	73,730.00	0.015669	0.014772	75,757.50	0.015179
Bond Fund #12009	322,190.00	0.068471	0.064553	322,222.48	0.064560
Special Building Fund				-	
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund K - 12				-	
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund K - 8					
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund 9 - 12					

Board of Education Approval- National FFA Convention Trip

A) Itinerary- See Attachment A

B) Summary of cost and funding source

- a. Cost- See Attachment B
- b. Funding- Attachment C

C) Mode of Transportation

- a. Transportation will be by charter bus. Most Nebraska FFA chapters are traveling by charter buses; this is set up with Rick Crosier. Rick does an excellent job of arranging the several charter buses for Nebraska. We travel as a group to Indianapolis and back. While we are in Indianapolis, the buses will also be a mode of transportation for use. The convention site will also have shuttles around the city. Our chapter will be using the charter buses or walking while we are in Indiana.

D) List of students traveling- See Attachment D

E) Sponsors-

- a. Sponsors will be myself (Ms. Estrela).

F) Plan for supervision-

- a. General-The sponsor will have a complete list of all students' cell phone numbers. During the day, all students will have a sponsor with them. While at the hotel, students will need to use the buddy system to complete simple tasks such as going to get ice, swimming, and going down to the front desk. In the case that female and male students are in the same room, the door MUST remain open to the hallway for the entire time of the visit.
- b. Educational Tours will take place with a sponsor's supervision.
- c. Nights- Students have a specific bed check time each night; it varies depending on activities done that day. Once each room is checked, the doors will be shut. I have asked two other Ag Instructors from Elba and Palmyra if they would do a bed check for the male students. After the room checks, a piece of duct tape will be placed on the outside of the door to the frame. There will be random room checks throughout the night. In the morning, if the tape is not attached, then that room will have some serious consequences to face. Sneaking out of rooms is unacceptable and could result in a trip home at their cost.

Attachment B

Cost for convention-

Bus 9 X \$216= \$1944

Hotel \$534 X3nights = \$1602

Ed Tours \$12 X9= \$ 108

Total _____ \$3654

Cover Cost for Convention-

8 students x \$200 deposit 1600

Total Cost for Convention covered by the chapter= \$2054

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR MONTH ENDING Aug, 2011

ACTIVITY FUND	FFA		\$ 20,301.02
8/4/11 010668 Amelia Allington/Peru State FFA Local Scholarship			500.00 \$
8/12/11	Nebraska FFA N-Power Camp Refund	\$	390.00
8/17/11	Various T-Shirt Funds	\$	50.00
8/24/11	Various T-Shirt Funds	\$	100.00
8/31/11	Student T-Shirt Funds	\$	10.00
	TOTALS	\$	550.00 500.00 \$ \$ 20,351.02

Freshman

Libby Reisen

Dalton Smith

Cody Campbell

Gavin Merryman

Juniors

Summer Craft

Kendall Reicken

Rachel Spiering

Cody Carlson

Sponsors

Ms. Estrela