## MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Independent School District No. 820
Sebeka, MN 56477
Truth in Taxation Meeting
Monday, December 12, 2022

The Truth in Taxation meeting for the 2022-Payable-2023 tax levy was called to order at 6:00 p.m. The following members were in attendance: Nate Erickson, Charles Funk, Rodney Huttunen, Russell Johnson, Eric Nelson, and JoAnn Olson. Absent Kayla Frame. Also present were Superintendent Dave Fjeldheim, Principal Amie Westberg, School Board Elect Cheri Kangas; staff member Dave Kerkvliet; and Review Messenger Reporter Tim Bloomquist.

Nelson moved, Olson seconded to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

Superintendent Fjeldheim reviewed information on the District's budget, general background information on the school district's property taxes and presented the tax levy for 2022-Payable-2023. It was noted that the total levy for the 2022-Payable-2023 increased by approximately 3%. The primary reason for the increase was due to an increase of the valuations on property. The total levy for 2022-Payable-2023 is \$1,453,609.50 compared to the total levy from 2021-2022 of \$1,409,356.97. Consensus of the board is to maximize the school levy of \$1,453,609.50.

Johnson moved, Nelson seconded to adjourn the Truth in Taxation meeting at 6:25 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

JoAnn Olson Clerk of Sebeka School District