Frontier School Corporation 126 E Main St

Chalmers, IN 47929

2024 Frontier School Corporation Budget Hearing Frontier Jr.-Sr. High School Library, One Falcon Drive, Chalmers, IN 47929 Monday, September 18, 2023

<u>Present</u>: President Shelley Christopher, Vice President David Rosenbarger, Secretary Laura Bell, and School Board Member Jared Rosenbarger

Absent: School Board Member Stephanie LaOrange

Also Present: Superintendent Dan Sichting, Corporation Treasurer Cortney Parrish, and Attorney Bob Little

Routine Business:

President Christopher called the meeting to order.

Mr. Sichting explained that the 2024 Frontier School Corporation Budget Form 3 was posted on Gateway. The current tax rate is \$0.6368. The proposed advertised rate is \$0.6456 per \$100 of assessed value. Based upon budget cuts, maximum levies, and FSC assessed value, Mr. Sichting predicts the tax rate will come down.

There were no public comments regarding 2024 FSC Budget Hearing.

rvir. Sichting presented the 2024 FSC school bus replacement plan, which was advertised on the FSC website and in the News & Review and Herald Journal. The plan is to replace one minibus. Mr. Sichting presented the resolution of the bus replacement plan for adoption. Jared Rosenbarger moved to accept the plan. David Rosenbarger seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Sichting presented the 2024 FSC Capital Projects Plan. Advertisement appeared in the Monticello News & Review and on the FSC website 10 days prior to the hearing. The plans include: renovation of the Frontier Jr.-Sr. High School safe room in the HS Office, repair of an exterior outbuilding wall, epoxy floor covering at the Brookston Gym, purchase of a golf cart for athletics, 71 student lockers at the Jr.-Sr. High School, fencing for the baseball/softball fields, new fencing for athletics, a new ticket booth for athletics, countertops for Frontier Elementary first floor classrooms, and new teacher computers. Laura Bell made a motion to approve the Capital Projects Plan. David Rosenbarger seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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