



**EVERY KID, EVERY DAY**

# **REFERENDUM 2020 FUNDING ALLOCATION**

**MONTICELLO SCHOOL DISTRICT IS PROPOSING A  
\$6,044,546 REFERENDUM ON NOV. 3**

The levy will have an estimated \$41 monthly tax impact on a \$250,000 home. Here is where the money will be allocated:

## **\$2.1 Million**

- The biggest chunk of levy funding will go toward replacing the \$2.7 million in cuts made from 2017-19.
- This includes nine elementary teaching positions, nine secondary teaching positions, and five special education teaching positions.
- Also includes a custodian, administration, and paraprofessional positions.

## **\$1.2 Million**

- We will build on successful new programming while delivering an even wider variety of options to help meet the educational needs of all of our students.
- Levy dollars will go toward building a bigger and diverse career technical program at MHS, as well as expanding our Nature Based Education program, and our online offerings.

## **\$1.1 Million**

- ISD 882 will add transportation routes to Clearwater, Silver Creek and Monticello Township to decrease transportation time. We will also add routes to Klien Farms, Cardinal Hills, Groveland, Meadow Oaks, Gateway, Carlisle Village, Sunset Ponds, and the Cub Foods area, to decrease the walking perimeter.
- Reduce and eliminate a large number of activity fees at MMS and MHS.

## **\$1 Million**

- Levy dollars will be used to avoid \$1 million in cuts this year, which will prevent the district from having to cut:
  - Most or All MMS Sports and Activities
  - Some MHS Sports and Activities
  - Eight district positions

## **\$600,000**

- Meeting the increased Social Emotional needs of students across the district by adding seven social worker or counselor positions across our buildings.

## **Did you know?**

Monticello ranks 299th out of 320 districts in the state for total revenue per pupil! Approval of this levy would bring the district to 175th out of the 320 districts in Minnesota.

## **Learn more and VOTE on Nov. 3**

Visit [www.monticello.k12.mn.us/referendum](http://www.monticello.k12.mn.us/referendum) for more information!

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