NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

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Notice is hereby given to taxpayers of LAKE STATION SCHOOL CORPORATION, Lake County, Indiana that the proper officers of Lake Station Community Schools will conduct a public hearing on the year 2025 budget. Following this meeting, any ten or more taxpayers may object to a budget, tax rate, or tax levy by filing an objection petition with the proper officers of Lake Station Community Schools not more than seven days after the hearing. The objection petition must identify the provisions of the budget, tax rate, or tax levy to which taxpayers object. If a petition is filed, Lake Station Community Schools shall adopt with the budget a finding concerning the objections in the petition and testimony presented. Following the aforementioned hearing, the proper officers of Lake Station Community Schools will meet to adopt the following budget:

Public Hearing Date	Wednesday, October 2, 2024	
Public Hearing Time	7:00 PM	
Public Hearing Location	3304 Parkside Ave., Lake Station IN	

Adoption Meeting Date	Wednesday, October 16, 2024	
Adoption Meeting Time	7:00 PM	
Adoption Meeting Location	3304 Parkside Ave., Lake Station, IN	

Est. School Operations Max Levy	\$1,401,366
Property Tax Cap Credit Estimate	\$960,000

1 Fund Name	2 Budget Estimate	3 Maximum Estimated Funds to be Raised (including appeals and levies exempt from maximum levy limitations)	4 Excessive Levy Appeals	5 Current Tax Levy	6 Levy Percentage Difference (Column 3 / Column 5)
0022-REFERENDUM FUND - EXEMPT OPERATING - POST 2009	\$1,000,000	\$1,401,738	\$0	\$1,371,486	2.21%
0180-DEBT SERVICE	\$1,578,402	\$1,606,923	\$0	\$1,975,936	-18.68%
3101-EDUCATION	\$9,795,700	\$0	\$0	\$0	
3300-OPERATIONS	\$2,667,040	\$1,600,000	\$0	\$1,347,410	18.75%
Totals	\$15,041,142	\$4,608,661	\$0	\$4,694,832	