

**HOT SPRINGS PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY
Monday 15, 2024
7:00 p.m.
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING**

CALL TO ORDER (7:00 pm)

1. Roll Call:

Absent: Julie White

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Trustee Explanation of Procedures

Visitor Sign In: John Marrinan, Lara Aldridge, Rena Hansen, Justin Sliva,
Annie Wooden, and Elizabeth Kaleva (zoom)

4. Public Participation

5. Correspondence

Judge Mercer Order Granting Petition to Void Election and Ordering a Special Election

NEW BUSINESS

6. Recommend To Call for Levy Election of Board Trustees

Move to call for a Special Levy Election to re-run the May 7, 2024, General Fund Levy.

Christensen/Ek (P)

On July 11, 2024, Mrs. Kaleva filed the District's response to the petition to void the May 7, 2024, general fund levy election. Judge Mercer granted the petition to void the election and ordered a special election on the school levy proposition to be commenced within 85 days of the July 11, 2024, order.

The election will be conducted by Election Administrator, Carmen Jackson, with the guidance of Mrs. Kaleva to ensure it is conducted without errors. It will be a mail ballot election.

The District will proceed with its budget adoption process without the funds generated by the May 7, 2024, levy approval. If the levy passes the District will make a budget amendment to include these funds. The election will be concluded before the release of tax notices in October.

OLD BUSINESS

ADJOURN 7:15 pm