

Chariton Community School Board
Regular Session
March 28, 2024

The Chariton Community School District met in regular session on March 28, 2024 in the Administration Office Board Room. Board Members Present, Dustin Shivvers, Sarah Willis, Becky Shelton, Jarid Howell, and Ryan Dachenbach. Also present were Superintendent, Brad Baker, Human Resource Manager, Chloe Trenary, and Shared Business Manager, April Hughes.

Roll call showed everyone present.

Visitors were welcomed.

Board Agenda

Mr. Dachenbach made a motion to approve the agenda. Mr. Howell seconded the motion. Motion carried 5-0.

Mrs. Hughes gave an opening statement regarding the public tax notice.

At 6:00 P.M. a public hearing was held to receive comments on the Proposed Tax Notice.

Visitor 1 commented that the proposed tax rate was too high for the residents of Lucas County. They also asked the board to consider moving some of the burden into income surtax to make this more fair.

Visitor 2 wanted an explanation of the letter that was mailed out, it was very confusing and hard to understand.

Visitor 3 wanted an explanation as to why we would raise taxes, as tax assessments went up which means we will see more money. They asked the board to look into cutting expenses in other ways.

Visitor 4 wanted an explanation on the letter that was mailed out.

Visitor 5 also thought that the letter that was sent out was confusing. They asked if the school district was going to help pay for the mailing that had to go out, as it was very expensive. They also asked us to check into other ways to receive revenue.

Visitor 6 had questions on the letter that was mailed out. They also wanted to hear reasons for the potential increase in taxes.

Adjournment

Mrs. Willis made a motion to adjourn the public hearing at 6:20 P.M.. Mrs. Shelton seconded the motion. Motion carried 5-0.

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Work Session
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The work session was called to order at 6:21 p.m.

Work Session

A work session was held regarding the Taxpayer Notice. Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Trenary gave an overview of the Tax Notice that was mailed.

The board walked through the budget system. The board worked to try to find the most equitable tax rate for the community members and the School District.

Adjournment

The work session adjourned at 8:05 P.M.