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BELLEVUE SCHOOL DISTRICT PROPOSITIONS 1 and 2; and ISSAQUAH SCHOOL DISTRICT PROPOSITIONS 1, 2, and 3

NOTICE OF LIMITED PUBLIC COMMENT CITY OF BELLEVUE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Bellevue City Council will hold limited public comment periods at their Extended Study Session scheduled for Monday, January 25, 2010, anticipated to begin at 6:00 p.m. or thereafter at Bellevue City Hall, located at 450 110th Avenue NE in the Council Conference Room, 1E-113, to take public comment and consider adoption of a position in support of the Bellevue School District levies 1 and 2, and Issaquah School District levies 1, 2, and 3 before the voters at the February 9, 2010 special election.

Bellevue School District Levies

Ballot Titles:

Levy 1: Educational Programs and Operations Levy

The Board of Directors of Bellevue School District No. 405 passed Resolution No. 09-27 concerning this proposition to maintain current educational funding. This proposition authorizes the District to continue funding students' educational needs and school operations at the current level by levying the following excess taxes to replace an expiring levy on all taxable property within the District, for essential educational operating and maintenance expenses:

	Approximate	
Collection	Levy Rate/ <u>\$1,000</u>	Levv
<u>Year</u>	Assessed Value	Amount
2011	\$1.11	\$43,900,000
2012	\$1.15	\$47,500,000
2013	\$1.14	\$48,700,000
2014	\$1.16	\$51,700,000

Levy 2: Technology and Capital Projects Levy

The Board of Directors of Bellevue School District No. 405 passed Resolution No. 09-28 concerning this proposition for capital levies. This proposition authorizes the District to continue modernizing District facilities by acquiring, developing, installing, and implementing computer technology systems, facilities and projects for operations and instruction, and funds capital administrative expenses and other capital project expenditures, and authorizes the following excess levies for such purposes on all taxable property within the District:

	Approximate	
Collection	Levy Rate/\$1,000	Levy
<u>Year</u>	Assessed Value	Amount
2011	\$0.18	\$7,000,000
2012	\$0.41	\$17,000,000
2013	\$0.40	\$17,000,000
2014	\$0.38	\$17,000,000
2015	\$0.34	\$16,000,000

Issaquah School District Levies

Ballot Titles:

Levy 1: Replacement Maintenance and Operations Levy

The Board of Directors of Issaquah School District No. 411 approved Resolution No. 965, authorizing a replacement levy for education. This replacement levy funds district education programs and school operations, and authorizes the following excess levies to replace an expiring levy on all taxable property within the District:

	Approximate	
Collection	Levy Rate/ <u>\$1,000</u>	Levy
<u>Year</u>	Assessed Value	Amount
2011	\$2.06	\$38,200,000
2012	\$2.13	\$40,995,000
2013	\$2.24	\$44,550,000
2014	\$2.32	\$47.800.000

Levy 2: Capital Projects Levies

The Board of Directors of Issaquah School District No. 411 approved Resolution No. 961 concerning a levy for technology/modernization. This levy funds education technology, school remodeling and updating of educational facilities, and authorizes the following excess levies on all taxable property within the District:

	Approximate	
Collection	Levy Rate/ <u>\$1,000</u>	Levy
<u>Year</u>	Assessed Value	Amount
2011	\$0.49	\$8,875,000
2012	\$0.46	\$8,531,000
2013	\$0.58	\$11,163,000
2014	\$0.50	\$9,980,000
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Levy 3: School Bus Levy

The Board of Directors of Issaquah School District No. 411 approved Resolution No. 962 concerning a levy for school buses. This levy funds new and replacement school buses and authorizes the following excess levy on all taxable property within the District:

	Approximate	
Collection	Levy Rate/ <u>\$1,000</u>	Levy
<u>Year</u>	Assessed Value	Amount
2011	\$0.09	\$1,700,000

The public comment periods are an opportunity for residents and other stakeholders to comment on these measures. Testimony will be limited to a total of 15 minutes for those in support of and 15 minutes for those in opposition to the Bellevue School District ballot measures and a total of 15 minutes for those in support of and 15 minutes for those in opposition to the Issaquah School District ballot measures.

Full information about the ballot propositions may be found on the King County Elections web site at: http://www.kingcounty.gov/elections/elections/201002/measures.as px

Any questions about the special public comment portion of the January 25, 2010 meeting should be addressed to Myrna Basich, Assistant City Manager, at (425) 452-2733 or e-mail mbasich@belleuvewa.gov.

Affidavit of posting has been filed with the City Clerk for the Bellevue City Council.

Dated this 11th day of January, 2010.

Myrna L. Basich
City Clerk