

NOTICE OF TAX FOR SCHOOL CAPITAL OUTLAY

The Suwannee County School Board will soon consider a measure to continue to impose a 1.500 mill property tax for the capital outlay projects listed herein.

This tax is in addition to the school board's proposed tax of 6.586 mills for operating expenses and is proposed solely at the discretion of the school board.

THE PROPOSED COMBINED SCHOOL BOARD TAX INCREASE FOR BOTH OPERATING EXPENSES AND CAPITAL OUTLAY IS SHOWN IN THE ADJACENT NOTICE.

The capital outlay tax will generate approximately \$2,312,558 to be used for the following projects:

CONSTRUCTION AND REMODELING

- Classroom Additions to Existing Schools
- Plant Survey Construction Projects
- Land Acquisition

MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, AND REPAIR

- Facilities Maintenance and Improvement County Wide
- Roof Repairs
- Paving Parking Lots & Access Roads
- Storm Water Management
- HVAC/Fire Alarms/Sprinkler/Intercom/Security Systems/Energy Management

MOTOR VEHICLE PURCHASES

- Purchase of Four (4) School Buses
- Lease-Purchase Payment on 20 School Buses

NEW AND REPLACEMENT EQUIPMENT AND ENTERPRISE SOFTWARE

- School Furniture and Equipment
- Data Processing Equipment and Systems
- Security Cameras
- Software
- Enterprise Technology

PAYMENTS FOR EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES AND SITES DUE UNDER A LEASE-PURCHASE AGREEMENT

- Suwannee High, Branford High, Suwannee Middle, Suwannee Primary, Suwannee Elementary, Branford Elementary, Suwannee Intermediate and Suwannee-Hamilton Technical Center

PAYMENTS FOR RENTING AND LEASING EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES AND SITES

- One (1) Year Lease of Portable Classrooms

PAYMENTS OF LOANS APPROVED PURSUANT TO SS. 1011.14 AND 1011.15, F.S.

- First Federal Savings Bank
- QZAB Bond Payment Installments

PAYMENT OF COSTS OF COMPLIANCE WITH ENVIRONMENTAL STATUTES, RULES AND REGULATIONS

- Removal of Hazardous Waste

PAYMENT OF PREMIUMS FOR PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE NECESSARY TO INSURE THE EDUCATIONAL AND ANCILLARY PLANTS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

PAYMENT OF COSTS OF LEASING RELOCATABLE EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES

- Portable Classrooms in Live Oak and Branford

All concerned citizens are invited to a public hearing to be held on July 26, 2011, at 5:30 PM at the Suwannee County School Board District Office Board Room, 702 2nd Street, NW, Live Oak, FL.

A DECISION on the proposed CAPITAL OUTLAY TAXES will be made at this hearing.

