

NOTICE OF REFERENDUM
WESTBY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOVEMBER 3, 2026

Referendum Election Details

At an election to be held in the Westby Area School District on November 3, 2026, the following proposed Revenue Limit Resolution of the School Board will be submitted to a vote of the people:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SCHOOL
DISTRICT BUDGET TO EXCEED REVENUE LIMIT
FOR THREE YEARS FOR NON-RECURRING PURPOSES

BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of the Westby Area School District, Vernon, La Crosse and Monroe Counties, Wisconsin that the revenues included in the School District budget be authorized to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$1,600,000 for the 2027-2028 school year, by \$1,700,000 for the 2028-2029 school year, and by \$1,800,000 for the 2029-2030 school year, for non-recurring purposes to sustain educational programs and to operate the District.

Ballot Text

The question will appear on the ballot as follows:

"Shall the Westby Area School District, Vernon, La Crosse and Monroe Counties, Wisconsin be authorized to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$1,600,000 for the 2027-2028 school year, by \$1,700,000 for the 2028-2029 school year, and by \$1,800,000 for the 2029-2030 school year, for non-recurring purposes to sustain educational programs and to operate the District?"

Explanation

The referendum election ballot will ask District electors to vote "yes" or "no" on the referendum election question as set forth above.

A "yes" vote on the question is a vote to authorize the Westby Area School District budget to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$1,600,000 for the 2027-2028 school year, by \$1,700,000 for the 2028-2029 school year, and by \$1,800,000 for the 2029-2030 school year, for non-recurring purposes to sustain educational programs and to operate the District.

A "no" vote on the question is a vote to deny the Westby Area School District the authority to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$1,600,000 for the 2027-2028 school year, by \$1,700,000 for the 2028-2029 school year, and by \$1,800,000 for the 2029-2030 school year, for non-recurring purposes to sustain educational programs and to operate the District.

In the event a majority of the electors voting on the question vote "yes", the District will be authorized to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$1,600,000 for the 2027-2028 school year, by \$1,700,000 for the 2028-2029 school year, and by \$1,800,000 for the 2029-2030 school year, for non-recurring purposes to sustain educational programs and to operate the District; if a majority vote "no" on the question set forth above, the District will not be so authorized.

Persons with questions regarding the referendum election should contact Steven Michaels, District Administrator.

Done in the Westby Area School District
on October 28, 2026
Cary Joholski, District Clerk