

RESOLUTION NO. M-2689

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON, EXPRESSING COUNCIL’S COLLECTIVE DECISION TO SUPPORT OLYMPIA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 111 - PROPOSITION NO. 1, TECHNOLOGY AND CAPITAL PROJECTS REPLACEMENT LEVY, TO BE PRESENTED TO THE ELECTORATE ON FEBRUARY 10, 2026

WHEREAS, Olympia School District No. 111 - Proposition No. 1 will be presented to the voters at a special election on February 10, 2026, with the following official Ballot title:

PROPOSITION NO. 1

OLYMPIA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 111

TECHNOLOGY AND CAPITAL PROJECTS REPLACEMENT LEVY

The Board of Directors of Olympia School District No. 111 adopted Resolution No. 678 concerning a replacement technology and capital projects levy. This proposition authorizes the District to continue modernizing District facilities by acquiring, developing, installing, and implementing computer technology systems, projects for operations and instruction, and other capital project expenditures to improve safety, and authorizes the following excess levies for such purposes on all taxable property within the District:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2027	\$0.96	\$16,703,000
2028	\$0.96	\$17,676,000
2029	\$0.96	\$18,707,000
2030	\$0.97	\$19,901,000

all as provided in Resolution No., 678.

Should this proposition be approved?

- Yes
- No

and

WHEREAS, this levy would authorize the Olympia School District to continue modernizing District facilities by acquiring, developing, installing and implementing computer technology systems, projects for operations and instruction and fund other capital project expenditures to improve facilities districtwide; and

WHEREAS, the proposed replacement levy is not a new tax; it would re-authorize the Olympia School District's existing technology and capital projects levy, which expires in 2026; and

WHEREAS, the City Council recognizes that the Olympia School District No. 111, in partnership with staff, families, and community, provides challenging opportunities for all students to be successful and become responsible and contributing citizens in our community; and

WHEREAS, public education is a critical cornerstone of building a sense of community and maintaining a high quality of life in Olympia, as well as preparing the next generation to be responsible citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Olympia School District has shown responsible management and strong leadership in the use of public funds; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes this levy is important to maintaining the high quality of education in the Olympia School District; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with RCW 42.17.555(1), the City Council afforded an approximately equal opportunity for members of the board, Council, or members of the public to make statements or comments for the expression of an opposing view;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE OLYMPIA CITY COUNCIL DOES HEREBY RESOLVE that it supports the Olympia School District No. 111 Proposition No. 1 - Technology and Capital Projects Replacement Levy, to be presented to the electorate on February 10, 2026.

PASSED BY THE OLYMPIA CITY COUNCIL this 27th day of January 2026.


MAYOR

ATTEST:

Sean Krier
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Mark Barber
CITY ATTORNEY