#### EXHIBIT B

## NOTICE OF REFERENDUM SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WEST SALEM APRIL 2, 2019

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at an election to be held in the School District of West Salem on April 2, 2019, 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 School District of West Salem, La Crosse County, 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 2019-2020 school year, by \$1,800,000 for the 2020-2021 school year and by \$1,900,000 for the 2021-2022 school year, for non-recurring purposes consisting of maintaining educational programming and facilities.

The question will appear on the ballot as follows:

"Shall the School District of West Salem, La Crosse County, Wisconsin be authorized to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$1,600,000 for the 2019-2020 school year, by \$1,800,000 for the 2020-2021 school year and by \$1,900,000 for the 2021-2022 school year, for nonrecurring purposes consisting of maintaining educational programming and facilities?"

#### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT AND EFFECT OF VOTE

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 School District of West Salem budget to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$1,600,000 for the 2019-2020 school year, by \$1,800,000 for the 2020-2021 school year and by \$1,900,000 for the 2021-2022 school year, for non-recurring purposes consisting of maintaining educational programming and facilities. A "no" vote on the question is a vote to deny the School District of West Salem the authority to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$1,600,000 for the 2019-2020 school year, by \$1,800,000 for the 2020-2021 school year and by \$1,900,000 for the 2021-2022 school year, for non-recurring purposes consisting of maintaining educational programming and facilities.

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 2019-2020 school year, by \$1,800,000 for the 2020-2021 school year and by \$1,900,000 for the 2021-2022 school year, for non-recurring purposes consisting of maintaining educational programming and facilities; if a majority vote "no" on the question set forth above, the District will not be so authorized.

# LOCATION AND HOURS OF POLLING PLACES

Information as to the location of the polling places is available in the District Office at 405 East Hamlin Street, West Salem, Wisconsin 54669.

# ALL POLLING PLACES WILL BE OPEN AT 7:00 A.M. AND WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.

If you have any questions concerning your polling place, contact the municipal clerk:

Lynette Schomberg
Town of Barre
W3541 County Rd M,
La Crosse WI 54601 (hall)
N3806 Old Cty Rd M
West Salem, WI 54669 (home)
608-786-0155 (home)
Betty Sacia
Town of Farmington
N8309 County Road C,
Mindoro WI (hall)
W5735 County Rd V,
Holmen WI 54636 (home)
608-526-3506 (home)
608-857-3913 (hall)
Sara Schultz
Town of Hamilton
N5105 N Leonard St,
West Salem WI 54669 (hall)
W3501 Pleasant Valley Rd,
West Salem WI 54669 (home)
608-786-1516 (home)
608-786-0989 (hall)
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Diane Elsen	Michelle Kind
Town of Medary	Town of Shelby
N3393 Smith Valley Rd,	Annex - 2801 Ward Ave,
La Crosse WI 54601 (hall)	La Crosse WI 54601
608-781-2275 (hall)	608-788-1032, Ext. 7 (hall)
Town Hall Hours (T 8-11; Th 3-6; Fri 8-11)	Town Hall Hours (M-F: 8-4; T 4-6)
Barb Muenzenberger	Teresa Schnitzler
Town of Washington	Village of West Salem
W1430 County Rd H (Newburgs Corner)	Community Center 175 S Leonard St,
W561 Muenzenberger Rd,	West Salem WI 54669
Coon Valley WI 54623 (home)	Village Hall Hours (M-F: 8-4:45)
608-486-2297 (home)	608-786-1858 (hall)

# All polling places are accessible to elderly and disabled voters.

## NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF CANVASSERS

By no later than 9 a.m. on the Tuesday after the election, the school district board of canvassers shall convene, pursuant to the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 19.84, for the purpose of conducting the school district canvass pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 7.53(3). This meeting will be open to the public pursuant to Wis. Stat. §§ 19.81-89.

## **INFORMATION TO ELECTORS**

Upon entering the polling place, an elector shall state his or her name and address, show an acceptable form of photo identification and sign the poll book before being permitted to vote. If an elector is not registered to vote, an elector may register to vote at the polling place serving his or her residence, if the elector presents proof of residence in a form specified by law. Where ballots are distributed to electors, the initials of two inspectors must appear on the ballot. Upon being permitted to vote, the elector shall retire alone to a voting booth and cast his or her ballot except that an elector who is a parent or guardian may be accompanied by the elector's minor child or minor ward. An election official may inform the elector of the proper manner for casting a vote, but the official may not in any manner advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

On referendum questions, where **optical scan** voting systems are used, the elector shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the elector shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to "no" if opposed to the question.

When using an *electronic ballot marking device ("Automark")* to mark an **optical scan** ballot, the elector shall touch the screen at "yes" if in favor of the question, or the elector shall touch the screen at "no" if opposed to the question. On referendum questions, where **touch screen** voting systems are used, the elector shall touch the screen at "yes" if in favor of the question, or the elector shall touch the screen at "yes" if in favor of the question, or the elector shall touch the screen at "yes" if in favor of the question, or the elector shall touch the screen at "yes" if in favor of the question, or the elector shall touch the screen at "yes" if in favor of the question is shall touch the screen at "no" if opposed to the question.

The vote should not be cast in any other manner. Not more than five minutes' time shall be allowed inside a voting booth or machine. Sample ballots or other materials to assist the elector in casting his or her vote may be taken into the booth and copied. The sample ballot shall not be shown to anyone so as to reveal how the ballot is marked.

If the elector spoils a **optical scan** ballot, he or she shall return it to an election official who shall issue another ballot in its place, but not more than three ballots shall be issued to any one elector. If the ballot has not been initialed by two inspectors or is defective in any other way, the elector shall return it to the election official, who shall issue a proper ballot in its place.

After an official **optical scan** ballot is marked, it shall be inserted in the security sleeve so the marks do not show. After casting his or her vote, the elector shall leave the booth, insert the ballot in the voting device and discard the sleeve, or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. If a central count system is used, the elector shall insert the ballot in the ballot box and discard the sleeve, or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. The elector shall leave the polling place promptly.

An elector may select an individual to assist in casting his or her vote if the elector declares to the presiding official that he or she is unable to read, has difficulty reading, writing or understanding English or that due to disability is unable to cast his or her ballot. The selected individual rendering assistance may not be the elector's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the elector.

# The following is a sample of the official ballot:

# OFFICIAL REFERENDUM BALLOT

April 2, 2019

**Notice to Voters**: If you are voting on Election Day, your ballot must be initialed by two election inspectors. If you are voting absentee, your ballot must be initialed by the municipal clerk or deputy clerk. Your ballot may not be counted without initials.

## **Instructions to Voters**

If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help. (Absentee Voters: Contact your municipal clerk.)

Referendum
To vote in favor of a question, fill in the oval next to "Yes," like this ●. To vote against a question, fill in the oval next to "No," like this ●.
School District
Shall the School District of West Salem, La Crosse County, Wisconsin be authorized to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$1,600,000 for the 2019-2020 school year, by \$1,800,000 for the 2020-2021 school year and by \$1,900,000 for the 2021-2022 school year, for non-recurring purposes consisting of maintaining educational programming and facilities?
◯ Yes
◯ No

Persons with questions regarding the referendum election should contact Troy M. Gunderson, Superintendent, 405 East Hamlin Street, West Salem, WI 54669, 608-786-0700.

Done in the School District of West Salem on March 29, 2019 Melinda Kopnisky-Bloomfield District Clerk