

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

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	COUNTY TICKET	
	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER <small>Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected</small> (Vote for ONE)	
	<input type="radio"/> STEPHEN A SETTLE Walker Northeast District <input type="radio"/> BOB GUNNOE Elizabeth Northeast District <input type="radio"/> KEN PETTRY Sr. Elizabeth Northeast District	VOTE BOTH SIDES
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(Vote For Not More Than THREE)
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FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
(Vote for ONE)

- ROSE ANN ADAMS**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

DISTRICT TICKET

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT (Female)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- ANGIE ADAMS**
Elizabeth

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

Write-in, If Any

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT (Male)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- ALVIN L ENGELKE**
Creston
- JOHN GRIFFIN**
Creston
- RICHARD BOARD**
Palestine

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OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT

Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below.

The purpose for which additional funds are needed during the term of this five year levy, and the approximate average annual amount for such purposes after due allowances for discounts, delinquencies, exonerations, uncollected taxes and shrinkage, subject to variation from year to year as set forth herein, are as follows:

PURPOSE FOR WHICH ADDITIONAL FUNDS ARE NEEDED	AVERAGE ANNUAL AMOUNT FOR EACH PURPOSE
To continue the practice of Furnishing free textbooks, instructional supplies, equipment, and services and technology support.	\$302,000
To continue support of the co-curricular and extracurricular programs through the payment of salaries (including, but not limited to, athletics and band) and for student participation through student travel.	\$210,000
To continue support of the instructional program through local salary supplements (including associated fixed charges, such as, social security, workers' compensation, and retirement): Professional personnel \$300,000; and Service personnel \$165,117.	\$465,117
To maintain and improve the student transportation system, including but not limited to, funding the purchase of buses/equipment, maintenance and fuel for buses, insurance for bus fleet and facility improvements.	\$90,000
To maintain an improvement fund for facilities, custodial/maintenance supplies, building insurance and utilities; to improve or correct environmental and/or structural deficiencies in all schools and grounds, and to ensure adequate protection against fire hazards and health hazards, all in order to provide a safe atmosphere conducive to good learning: Facilities/repairs \$100,000; custodial/maintenance supplies and equipment \$175,000; property/building insurance \$50,000; and utilities \$363,000.	\$688,000
To continue to provide financial support of community organizations that provide services to Wirt County Schools, including but not limited to: Dora B. Woodyard Memorial Library \$19,000; and WVU 4-H Extension program \$17,000.	\$36,000
TOTAL:	\$1,791,117

The amounts set forth above are the anticipated average annual amounts for each purpose. The actual amount for each purpose likely will vary from one fiscal year to the next. If any item in the above-stated purposes is declared unconstitutional or invalid due to judicial or legislative action, then any affected funds will be distributed among the remaining constitutional and valid itemized purposes.

The Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend, during the term of this levy, the surplus, if any, accruing in excess of the amounts needed for any of the above-stated purposes, or for the enrichment, supplementation and improvement of educational services and/or facilities in the public schools; provided, however, that if during the term of this levy, any annual appraisal, triennial appraisal or general valuation of property would produce an assessment that would cause an increase of four percent or more in the total projected property tax revenues that would be realized were the special levy rates then in effect by the Board be imposed, the Board shall reduce the rate of the excess levy for all classes of property for the forthcoming tax year so as to prevent the projected property tax revenues from exceeding said four percent increase; provided, further, that this limitation shall not restrict the ability of the Board to enact excess levies as authorized under existing statutory or constitutional provisions; and provided, further, that an additional appraisal or valuation due to new construction or improvements to existing real property, including beginning recovery of natural resources and newly acquired personal property, shall not be an annual appraisal or general valuation within the meaning of this paragraph, nor shall the assessed value of such improvements be included in calculating the new tax levy for purposes of the paragraph.

In the event the Board shall obtain additional money by grant or otherwise from the state or federal government, or from any agency of either, or from any other source, for the purposes aforesaid, such additional money may be used either in substitution for, or in addition to, the sums obtained from such additional levies as the Board may from time to time determine.

In the event that the actual amount collected is less than the approximate annual amounts allocated for the above-stated purposes for any one or more fiscal years, the Board is hereby authorized and empowered to determine in its discretion (i) which one or more of the above-stated purposes shall be reduced for each such fiscal year and (ii) the amount of each such reduction for such fiscal year; provided, however that the total of all such reductions shall not exceed the amount of such collection shortfall each year.

The Board reserves unto itself as the levying body the right and authority to reduce the rates of excess levy should increased assessments produce funds beyond projected needs in any year specified in the levy call in accordance with section six-g, article eight, chapter eleven of the West Virginia Code.

The continuation of additional levy, in cents per \$100 of assessed value on each class of property, shall be on Class I property 20.66 cents; on Class II property 41.32 cents; on Class III property 82.64 cents; on Class IV property 82.64 cents.

That the proposed years to which the additional rate of levies shall apply are the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2029, July 1, 2031 and July 1, 2032.

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<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	VOTE BOTH SIDES
	COUNTY TICKET	
	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER <small>Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected</small> (Vote for ONE)	
	<input type="radio"/> STEPHEN A SETTLE Walker Northeast District <input type="radio"/> BOB GUNNOE Elizabeth Northeast District <input type="radio"/> KEN PETTRY Sr. Elizabeth Northeast District	
POLL CLERKS	POLL CLERKS	PRECINCT 7 Typ:01 Seq:0003 Spl:01

OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE WIRT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION	OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT	
NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION (Vote For Not More Than THREE) Maximum eligible to be elected from each district: Central Dist. (1); Northeast Dist. (1); Southwest Dist. (2)	Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below. The purpose for which additional funds are needed during the term of this five year levy, and the approximate average annual amount for such purposes after due allowances for discounts, delinquencies, exonerations, uncollected taxes and shrinkage, subject to variation from year to year as set forth herein, are as follows:	
<input type="radio"/> MARK LOWE Palestine Southwest District	PURPOSE FOR WHICH ADDITIONAL FUNDS ARE NEEDED	AVERAGE ANNUAL AMOUNT FOR EACH PURPOSE
<input type="radio"/> DARREN SHEARLOCK Palestine Southwest District		
<input type="radio"/> BRENT STEWART Elizabeth Northeast District	To continue the practice of Furnishing free textbooks, instructional supplies, equipment, and services and technology support.	\$302,000
<input type="radio"/> WOODY BURNS Elizabeth Northeast District	To continue support of the co-curricular and extracurricular programs through the payment of salaries (including, but not limited to, athletics and band) and for student participation through student travel.	\$210,000
<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	To continue support of the instructional program through local salary supplements (including associated fixed charges, such as, social security, workers' compensation, and retirement): Professional personnel \$300,000; and Service personnel \$165,117.	\$465,117
<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	To maintain and improve the student transportation system, including but not limited to, funding the purchase of buses/equipment, maintenance and fuel for buses, insurance for bus fleet and facility improvements.	\$90,000
<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	To maintain an improvement fund for facilities, custodial/maintenance supplies, building insurance and utilities; to improve or correct environmental and/or structural deficiencies in all schools and grounds, and to ensure adequate protection against fire hazards and health hazards, all in order to provide a safe atmosphere conducive to good learning: Facilities/repairs \$100,000; custodial/maintenance supplies and equipment \$175,000; property/building insurance \$50,000; and utilities \$363,000.	\$688,000
OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT	To continue to provide financial support of community organizations that provide services to Wirt County Schools, including but not limited to: Dora B. Woodyard Memorial Library \$19,000; and WVU 4-H Extension program \$17,000.	\$36,000
FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR (Vote for ONE)	TOTAL:	\$1,791,117
<input type="radio"/> ROSE ANN ADAMS Palestine	The amounts set forth above are the anticipated average annual amounts for each purpose. The actual amount for each purpose likely will vary from one fiscal year to the next. If any item in the above -stated purposes is declared unconstitutional or invalid due to judicial or legislative action, then any affected funds will be distributed among the remaining constitutional an valid itemized purposes.	
<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	The Board is hereby authorized an empowered to expend, during the term of this levy, the surplus, if any, accruing in excess of the amounts needed for any of the above-stated purposes, or for the enrichment, supplementation and improvement of educational services and/or facilities in the public schools; <u>provided, however</u> , that if during the term of this levy, any annual appraisal, triennial appraisal or general valuation of property would produce an assessment that would cause an increase of four percent or more in the total projected property tax revenues that would be realized were the special levy rates then in effect by the Board be imposed, the Board shall reduce the rate of the excess levy for all classes of property for the forthcoming tax year so as to prevent the projected property tax revenues from exceeding said four percent increase; <u>provided, further</u> , that this limitation shall not restrict the ability of the Board to enact excess levies as authorized under existing statutory or constitutional provisions; and <u>provided, further</u> , that an additional appraisal or valuation due to new construction or improvements to existing real property, including beginning recovery of natural resources and newly acquired personal property, shall not be an annual appraisal or general valuation within the meaning of this paragraph, nor shall the assessed value of such improvements be included in calculating the new tax levy for purposes of the paragraph.	
DISTRICT TICKET	In the event the Board shall obtain additional money by grant or otherwise from the state or federal government, or from any agency of either, or from any other source, for the purposes aforesaid, such additional money may be used either in substitution for, or in addition to, the sums obtained from such additional levies as the Board may from time to time determine.	
FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CENTRAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote For Not More Than TWO)	In the event that the actual amount collected is less than the approximate annual amounts allocated for the above-stated purposes for any one or more fiscal years, the Board is hereby authorized an empowered to determine in its discretion (i) which one or more of the above-stated purposes shall be reduced for each such fiscal year and (ii) the amount of each such reduction for such fiscal year; <u>provided, however</u> that the total of all such reductions shall not exceed the amount of such collection shortfall each year.	
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	The Board reserves unto itself as the levying body the right and authority to reduce the rates of excess levy should increased assessments produce funds beyond projected needs in any year specified in the levy call in accordance with section six-g, article eight, chapter eleven of the West Virginia Code.	
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	The continuation of additional levy, in cents per \$100 of assessed value on each class of property, shall be on Class I property 20.66 cents; on Class II property 41.32 cents; on Class III property 82.64 cents; on Class IV property 82.64 cents.	
<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	That the proposed years to which the additional rate of levies shall apply are the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2029, July 1, 2031 and July 1, 2032.	
<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	INSTRUCTION TO VOTERS: Those favoring the continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "FOR THE LEVIES"; and those against such continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "AGAINST THE LEVIES".	
FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CENTRAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote For Not More Than TWO)	<input type="radio"/> FOR THE LEVIES	
<input type="radio"/> DANIEL J LUDWIG Palestine	<input type="radio"/> AGAINST THE LEVIES	
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	VOTE BOTH SIDES	
<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any		
<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any		
CITY OF ELIZABETH		
FOR MAYOR (Vote for ONE)		
<input type="radio"/> BOBBI J MOORE		
<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any		
FOR TOWN COUNCIL (Vote for Not More Than THREE)		
<input type="radio"/> AMANDA BROWN		
<input type="radio"/> PAUL RUSSELL		
<input type="radio"/> FRED MOORE		
<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any		

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER	STATE TICKET	COUNTY TICKET
<p>To vote you must darken the oval (●) completely next to the candidate or issue of your choice.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">FOR STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote For Not More Than TWO) <small>Two males can be elected and two females can be elected, but not more than two people (male or female) of any one county can be elected.</small></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)</p>
NATIONAL TICKET		
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> RICK MODESITT Parkersburg Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth
<input type="radio"/> JANET McNULTY Martinsburg Berkeley Co.	<input type="radio"/> GEORGE ZIDEK Pennsboro Ritchie Co.	Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> TOM WILLIS Martinsburg Berkeley Co.	<input type="radio"/> ALVIN L. ENGELKE Creston Wirt Co.	FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> SHELLEY MOORE CAPITO Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> SCOT C HECKERT Parkersburg Wood Co.	
<input type="radio"/> DAVID PURKEY Fairmont Marion Co.	<input type="radio"/> LEWIS H. REXROAD Parkersburg Wood Co.	
<input type="radio"/> BRYAN McKINNEY Inwood Berkeley Co.		NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> ALEXANDER GAASERUD Parkersburg Wood Co.	Write-in, If Any	
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)		Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> LARRY JACKSON Hanover Wyoming Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> CAROL MILLER Huntington Cabell Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth
STATE TICKET		
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co.	Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> MIKE AZINGER Vienna Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co.	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> BOB FEHRENBACHER Vienna Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> LAURA V. FAIRCLOTH Martinsburg Berkeley Co.	
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> TODD A. KIRBY Beckley Raleigh Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> TRENTON CARL BARNHART St. Marys Pleasants Co.	<input type="radio"/> H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co.	
<input type="radio"/> JASON S. HARSHBARGER Pullman Ritchie Co.	Write-in, If Any	Write-in, If Any
FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> ERICA J. MOORE Spencer Roane Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote For Not More Than TWO) <small>Two males can be elected and two females can be elected, but not more than two people (male or female) of any one county can be elected.</small>	<input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> CAROLE ZIDEK Pennsboro Ritchie Co.	Write-in, If Any	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> GLADYS E LEMLEY Vienna Wood Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> ALVIN L. ENGELKE Creston
<input type="radio"/> JENNIFER PRATT Vienna Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREEAR So Charleston Kanawha Co.	
Write-in, If Any	<input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.	Write-in, If Any
Write-in, If Any		
	COUNTY TICKET	
	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER <small>Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected</small> (Vote for ONE)	
	<input type="radio"/> STEPHEN A SETTLE Walker Northeast District	
	<input type="radio"/> BOB GUNNOE Elizabeth Northeast District	
	<input type="radio"/> KEN PETTRY Sr. Elizabeth Northeast District	
		VOTE BOTH SIDES
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE WIRT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION
(Vote For Not More Than THREE)
Maximum eligible to be elected from each district: Central Dist. (1); Northeast Dist. (1); Southwest Dist. (2)

- MARK LOWE**
Palestine Southwest District
- DARREN SHEARLOCK**
Palestine Southwest District
- BRENT STEWART**
Elizabeth Northeast District
- WOODY BURNS**
Elizabeth Northeast District

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT

FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
(Vote for ONE)

- ROSE ANN ADAMS**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

DISTRICT TICKET

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CENTRAL DISTRICT (Female)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CENTRAL DISTRICT (Male)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- DANIEL J LUDWIG**
Palestine

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT

Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below.

The purpose for which additional funds are needed during the term of this five year levy, and the approximate average annual amount for such purposes after due allowances for discounts, delinquencies, exonerations, uncollected taxes and shrinkage, subject to variation from year to year as set forth herein, are as follows:

PURPOSE FOR WHICH ADDITIONAL FUNDS ARE NEEDED	AVERAGE ANNUAL AMOUNT FOR EACH PURPOSE
To continue the practice of Furnishing free textbooks, instructional supplies, equipment, and services and technology support.	\$302,000
To continue support of the co-curricular and extracurricular programs through the payment of salaries (including, but not limited to, athletics and band) and for student participation through student travel.	\$210,000
To continue support of the instructional program through local salary supplements (including associated fixed charges, such as, social security, workers' compensation, and retirement): Professional personnel \$300,000; and Service personnel \$165,117.	\$465,117
To maintain and improve the student transportation system, including but not limited to, funding the purchase of buses/equipment, maintenance and fuel for buses, insurance for bus fleet and facility improvements.	\$90,000
To maintain an improvement fund for facilities, custodial/maintenance supplies, building insurance and utilities; to improve or correct environmental and/or structural deficiencies in all schools and grounds, and to ensure adequate protection against fire hazards and health hazards, all in order to provide a safe atmosphere conducive to good learning: Facilities/repairs \$100,000; custodial/maintenance supplies and equipment \$175,000; property/building insurance \$50,000; and utilities \$363,000.	\$688,000
To continue to provide financial support of community organizations that provide services to Wirt County Schools, including but not limited to: Dora B. Woodyard Memorial Library \$19,000; and WVU 4-H Extension program \$17,000.	\$36,000
TOTAL:	\$1,791,117

The amounts set forth above are the anticipated average annual amounts for each purpose. The actual amount for each purpose likely will vary from one fiscal year to the next. If any item in the above-stated purposes is declared unconstitutional or invalid due to judicial or legislative action, then any affected funds will be distributed among the remaining constitutional and valid itemized purposes.

The Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend, during the term of this levy, the surplus, if any, accruing in excess of the amounts needed for any of the above-stated purposes, or for the enrichment, supplementation and improvement of educational services and/or facilities in the public schools; provided, however, that if during the term of this levy, any annual appraisal, triennial appraisal or general valuation of property would produce an assessment that would cause an increase of four percent or more in the total projected property tax revenues that would be realized were the special levy rates then in effect by the Board be imposed, the Board shall reduce the rate of the excess levy for all classes of property for the forthcoming tax year so as to prevent the projected property tax revenues from exceeding said four percent increase; provided, further, that this limitation shall not restrict the ability of the Board to enact excess levies as authorized under existing statutory or constitutional provisions; and provided, further, that an additional appraisal or valuation due to new construction or improvements to existing real property, including beginning recovery of natural resources and newly acquired personal property, shall not be an annual appraisal or general valuation within the meaning of this paragraph, nor shall the assessed value of such improvements be included in calculating the new tax levy for purposes of the paragraph.

In the event the Board shall obtain additional money by grant or otherwise from the state or federal government, or from any agency of either, or from any other source, for the purposes aforesaid, such additional money may be used either in substitution for, or in addition to, the sums obtained from such additional levies as the Board may from time to time determine.

In the event that the actual amount collected is less than the approximate annual amounts allocated for the above-stated purposes for any one or more fiscal years, the Board is hereby authorized and empowered to determine in its discretion (i) which one or more of the above-stated purposes shall be reduced for each such fiscal year and (ii) the amount of each such reduction for such fiscal year; provided, however that the total of all such reductions shall not exceed the amount of such collection shortfall each year.

The Board reserves unto itself as the levying body the right and authority to reduce the rates of excess levy should increased assessments produce funds beyond projected needs in any year specified in the levy call in accordance with section six-g, article eight, chapter eleven of the West Virginia Code.

The continuation of additional levy, in cents per \$100 of assessed value on each class of property, shall be on Class I property 20.66 cents; on Class II property 41.32 cents; on Class III property 82.64 cents; on Class IV property 82.64 cents.

That the proposed years to which the additional rate of levies shall apply are the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2029, July 1, 2031 and July 1, 2032.

INSTRUCTION TO VOTERS: Those favoring the continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "FOR THE LEVIES"; and those against such continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "AGAINST THE LEVIES".

- FOR THE LEVIES
- AGAINST THE LEVIES

VOTE BOTH SIDES

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER	STATE TICKET	COUNTY TICKET
To vote you must darken the oval (●) completely next to the candidate or issue of your choice.	FOR STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote For Not More Than TWO) <small>Two males can be elected and two females can be elected, but not more than two people (male or female) of any one county can be elected.</small>	FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
NATIONAL TICKET		
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> RICK MODESITT Parkersburg Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> GEORGE ZIDEK Pennsboro Ritchie Co. <input type="radio"/> ALVIN L. ENGELKE Creston Wirt Co. <input type="radio"/> SCOT C HECKERT Parkersburg Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> LEWIS H. REXROAD Parkersburg Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>	<input type="radio"/> ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth <input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small> FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> JANET McNULTY Martinsburg Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> TOM WILLIS Martinsburg Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> SHELLEY MOORE CAPITO Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> DAVID PURKEY Fairmont Marion Co. <input type="radio"/> BRYAN McKINNEY Inwood Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> ALEXANDER GAASERUD Parkersburg Wood Co.		NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small> <input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small> FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> LARRY JACKSON Hanover Wyoming Co. <input type="radio"/> CAROL MILLER Huntington Cabell Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	<input type="radio"/> ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth <input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>
STATE TICKET	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co. <input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> LAURA V. FAIRCLOTH Martinsburg Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> TODD A. KIRBY Beckley Raleigh Co. <input type="radio"/> H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co.	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> MIKE AZINGER Vienna Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> BOB FEHRENBACHER Vienna Wood Co.		NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>
<input type="radio"/> TRENTON CARL BARNHART St. Marys Pleasants Co. <input type="radio"/> JASON S. HARSHBARGER Pullman Ritchie Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> ANDY DANIEL Elizabeth Wirt Co. <input type="radio"/> ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth Wirt Co. <input type="radio"/> DAVE FOGGIN Belleville Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co. <input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote For Not More Than TWO) <small>Two males can be elected and two females can be elected, but not more than two people (male or female) of any one county can be elected.</small>	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small> <input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> CAROLE ZIDEK Pennsboro Ritchie Co. <input type="radio"/> GLADYS E LEMLEY Vienna Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> JENNIFER PRATT Vienna Wood Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small> <input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREEAR So Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>
	COUNTY TICKET	
	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER <small>Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected</small> (Vote for ONE)	
	<input type="radio"/> STEPHEN A SETTLE Walker Northeast District <input type="radio"/> BOB GUNNOE Elizabeth Northeast District <input type="radio"/> KEN PETTRY Sr. Elizabeth Northeast District	
	VOTE BOTH SIDES	
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE WIRT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION
(Vote For Not More Than THREE)
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- MARK LOWE**
Palestine Southwest District
- DARREN SHEARLOCK**
Palestine Southwest District
- BRENT STEWART**
Elizabeth Northeast District
- WOODY BURNS**
Elizabeth Northeast District

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT

FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
(Vote for ONE)

- ROSE ANN ADAMS**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

DISTRICT TICKET

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CENTRAL DISTRICT (Female)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CENTRAL DISTRICT (Male)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- DANIEL J LUDWIG**
Palestine

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT

Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below.

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FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> ERICA J. MOORE Spencer Roane Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co. <input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE WIRT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION
(Vote For Not More Than THREE)
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Write-in, If Any

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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT

FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
(Vote for ONE)

- ROSE ANN ADAMS**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

DISTRICT TICKET

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT (Female)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- ANGIE ADAMS**
Elizabeth

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

Write-in, If Any

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT (Male)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- ALVIN L ENGELKE**
Creston
- JOHN GRIFFIN**
Creston
- RICHARD BOARD**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

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OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT

Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below.

The purpose for which additional funds are needed during the term of this five year levy, and the approximate average annual amount for such purposes after due allowances for discounts, delinquencies, exonerations, uncollected taxes and shrinkage, subject to variation from year to year as set forth herein, are as follows:

PURPOSE FOR WHICH ADDITIONAL FUNDS ARE NEEDED	AVERAGE ANNUAL AMOUNT FOR EACH PURPOSE
To continue the practice of Furnishing free textbooks, instructional supplies, equipment, and services and technology support.	\$302,000
To continue support of the co-curricular and extracurricular programs through the payment of salaries (including, but not limited to, athletics and band) and for student participation through student travel.	\$210,000
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	COUNTY TICKET	
	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER <small>Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected</small> (Vote for ONE)	
	<input type="radio"/> STEPHEN A SETTLE Walker Northeast District <input type="radio"/> BOB GUNNOE Elizabeth Northeast District <input type="radio"/> KEN PETTRY Sr. Elizabeth Northeast District	VOTE BOTH SIDES
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FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
(Vote for ONE)

- ROSE ANN ADAMS**
Palestine

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DISTRICT TICKET

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NORTHEAST DISTRICT (Female)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

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Write-in, If Any

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FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NORTHEAST DISTRICT (Male)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- PIERCE MARTIN**
Elizabeth

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FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> LARRY JACKSON Hanover Wyoming Co. <input type="radio"/> CAROL MILLER Huntington Cabell Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
STATE TICKET	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth <input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co. <input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> LAURA V. FAIRCLOTH Martinsburg Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> TODD A. KIRBY Beckley Raleigh Co. <input type="radio"/> H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co.	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> MIKE AZINGER Vienna Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> BOB FEHRENBACHER Vienna Wood Co.		NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>
<input type="radio"/> TRENTON CARL BARNHART St. Marys Pleasants Co. <input type="radio"/> JASON S. HARSHBARGER Pullman Ritchie Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> ANDY DANIEL Elizabeth Wirt Co. <input type="radio"/> ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth Wirt Co. <input type="radio"/> DAVE FOGGIN Belleville Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co. <input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>
FOR STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote For Not More Than TWO) <small>Two males can be elected and two females can be elected, but not more than two people (male or female) of any one county can be elected.</small>	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> CAROLE ZIDEK Pennsboro Ritchie Co. <input type="radio"/> GLADYS E LEMLEY Vienna Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> JENNIFER PRATT Vienna Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREEAR So Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>	<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>
<input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write-in, If Any</small>	COUNTY TICKET	
	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER <small>Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected</small> (Vote for ONE)	
	<input type="radio"/> STEPHEN A SETTLE Walker Northeast District <input type="radio"/> BOB GUNNOE Elizabeth Northeast District <input type="radio"/> KEN PETTRY Sr. Elizabeth Northeast District	
		VOTE BOTH SIDES
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE WIRT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION
(Vote For Not More Than THREE)
Maximum eligible to be elected from each district: Central Dist. (1); Northeast Dist. (1); Southwest Dist. (2)

- MARK LOWE**
Palestine Southwest District
- DARREN SHEARLOCK**
Palestine Southwest District
- BRENT STEWART**
Elizabeth Northeast District
- WOODY BURNS**
Elizabeth Northeast District

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT

FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
(Vote for ONE)

- ROSE ANN ADAMS**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

DISTRICT TICKET

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NORTHEAST DISTRICT (Female)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NORTHEAST DISTRICT (Male)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- PIERCE MARTIN**
Elizabeth

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT

Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below.

The purpose for which additional funds are needed during the term of this five year levy, and the approximate average annual amount for such purposes after due allowances for discounts, delinquencies, exonerations, uncollected taxes and shrinkage, subject to variation from year to year as set forth herein, are as follows:

PURPOSE FOR WHICH ADDITIONAL FUNDS ARE NEEDED	AVERAGE ANNUAL AMOUNT FOR EACH PURPOSE
To continue the practice of Furnishing free textbooks, instructional supplies, equipment, and services and technology support.	\$302,000
To continue support of the co-curricular and extracurricular programs through the payment of salaries (including, but not limited to, athletics and band) and for student participation through student travel.	\$210,000
To continue support of the instructional program through local salary supplements (including associated fixed charges, such as, social security, workers' compensation, and retirement): Professional personnel \$300,000; and Service personnel \$165,117.	\$465,117
To maintain and improve the student transportation system, including but not limited to, funding the purchase of buses/equipment, maintenance and fuel for buses, insurance for bus fleet and facility improvements.	\$90,000
To maintain an improvement fund for facilities, custodial/maintenance supplies, building insurance and utilities; to improve or correct environmental and/or structural deficiencies in all schools and grounds, and to ensure adequate protection against fire hazards and health hazards, all in order to provide a safe atmosphere conducive to good learning: Facilities/repairs \$100,000; custodial/maintenance supplies and equipment \$175,000; property/building insurance \$50,000; and utilities \$363,000.	\$688,000
To continue to provide financial support of community organizations that provide services to Wirt County Schools, including but not limited to: Dora B. Woodyard Memorial Library \$19,000; and WVU 4-H Extension program \$17,000.	\$36,000
TOTAL:	\$1,791,117

The amounts set forth above are the anticipated average annual amounts for each purpose. The actual amount for each purpose likely will vary from one fiscal year to the next. If any item in the above-stated purposes is declared unconstitutional or invalid due to judicial or legislative action, then any affected funds will be distributed among the remaining constitutional and valid itemized purposes.

The Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend, during the term of this levy, the surplus, if any, accruing in excess of the amounts needed for any of the above-stated purposes, or for the enrichment, supplementation and improvement of educational services and/or facilities in the public schools; provided, however, that if during the term of this levy, any annual appraisal, triennial appraisal or general valuation of property would produce an assessment that would cause an increase of four percent or more in the total projected property tax revenues that would be realized were the special levy rates then in effect by the Board be imposed, the Board shall reduce the rate of the excess levy for all classes of property for the forthcoming tax year so as to prevent the projected property tax revenues from exceeding said four percent increase; provided, further, that this limitation shall not restrict the ability of the Board to enact excess levies as authorized under existing statutory or constitutional provisions; and provided, further, that an additional appraisal or valuation due to new construction or improvements to existing real property, including beginning recovery of natural resources and newly acquired personal property, shall not be an annual appraisal or general valuation within the meaning of this paragraph, nor shall the assessed value of such improvements be included in calculating the new tax levy for purposes of the paragraph.

In the event the Board shall obtain additional money by grant or otherwise from the state or federal government, or from any agency of either, or from any other source, for the purposes aforesaid, such additional money may be used either in substitution for, or in addition to, the sums obtained from such additional levies as the Board may from time to time determine.

In the event that the actual amount collected is less than the approximate annual amounts allocated for the above-stated purposes for any one or more fiscal years, the Board is hereby authorized and empowered to determine in its discretion (i) which one or more of the above-stated purposes shall be reduced for each such fiscal year and (ii) the amount of each such reduction for such fiscal year; provided, however that the total of all such reductions shall not exceed the amount of such collection shortfall each year.

The Board reserves unto itself as the levying body the right and authority to reduce the rates of excess levy should increased assessments produce funds beyond projected needs in any year specified in the levy call in accordance with section six-g, article eight, chapter eleven of the West Virginia Code.

The continuation of additional levy, in cents per \$100 of assessed value on each class of property, shall be on Class I property 20.66 cents; on Class II property 41.32 cents; on Class III property 82.64 cents; on Class IV property 82.64 cents.

That the proposed years to which the additional rate of levies shall apply are the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2029, July 1, 2031 and July 1, 2032.

INSTRUCTION TO VOTERS: Those favoring the continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "FOR THE LEVIES"; and those against such continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "AGAINST THE LEVIES".

- FOR THE LEVIES
- AGAINST THE LEVIES

VOTE BOTH SIDES

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

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	FOR STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote For Not More Than TWO) <small>Two males can be elected and two females can be elected, but not more than two people (male or female) of any one county can be elected.</small>	FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
NATIONAL TICKET		ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> RICK MODESITT Parkersburg Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> GEORGE ZIDEK Pennsboro Ritchie Co. <input type="radio"/> ALVIN L. ENGELKE Creston Wirt Co. <input type="radio"/> SCOT C HECKERT Parkersburg Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> LEWIS H. REXROAD Parkersburg Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> JANET McNULTY Martinsburg Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> TOM WILLIS Martinsburg Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> SHELLEY MOORE CAPITO Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> DAVID PURKEY Fairmont Marion Co. <input type="radio"/> BRYAN McKINNEY Inwood Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> ALEXANDER GAASERUD Parkersburg Wood Co.		NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> LARRY JACKSON Hanover Wyoming Co. <input type="radio"/> CAROL MILLER Huntington Cabell Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth
STATE TICKET	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co. <input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> LAURA V. FAIRCLOTH Martinsburg Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> TODD A. KIRBY Beckley Raleigh Co. <input type="radio"/> H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> MIKE AZINGER Vienna Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> BOB FEHRENBACHER Vienna Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> TRENTON CARL BARNHART St. Marys Pleasants Co. <input type="radio"/> JASON S. HARSHBARGER Pullman Ritchie Co.	<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	ALVIN L. ENGELKE Creston
<input type="radio"/> ERICA J. MOORE Spencer Roane Co.	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREEAR So Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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<input type="radio"/> CAROLE ZIDEK Pennsboro Ritchie Co. <input type="radio"/> GLADYS E LEMLEY Vienna Wood Co. <input type="radio"/> JENNIFER PRATT Vienna Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	ALVIN L. ENGELKE Creston
POLL CLERKS	POLL CLERKS	VOTE BOTH SIDES
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Elizabeth Northeast District

Write-in, If Any

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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT

FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
(Vote for ONE)

- ROSE ANN ADAMS**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

DISTRICT TICKET

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT (Female)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- ANGIE ADAMS**
Elizabeth

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

Write-in, If Any

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT (Male)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- ALVIN L ENGELKE**
Creston
- JOHN GRIFFIN**
Creston
- RICHARD BOARD**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

Write-in, If Any

OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT

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Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

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NATIONAL TICKET		<input type="radio"/> ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> RICK MODESITT Parkersburg Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> JANET McNULTY Martinsburg Berkeley Co.	<input type="radio"/> GEORGE ZIDEK Pennsboro Ritchie Co.	<small>Write-in, If Any</small>
<input type="radio"/> TOM WILLIS Martinsburg Berkeley Co.	<input type="radio"/> ALVIN L. ENGELKE Creston Wirt Co.	FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> SHELLEY MOORE CAPITO Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> SCOT C HECKERT Parkersburg Wood Co.	
<input type="radio"/> DAVID PURKEY Fairmont Marion Co.	<input type="radio"/> LEWIS H. REXROAD Parkersburg Wood Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> BRYAN McKINNEY Inwood Berkeley Co.	<input type="radio"/>	
<input type="radio"/> ALEXANDER GAASERUD Parkersburg Wood Co.	<small>Write-in, If Any</small>	<input type="radio"/>
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/>	<small>Write-in, If Any</small>
<input type="radio"/> LARRY JACKSON Hanover Wyoming Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> CAROL MILLER Huntington Cabell Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth
STATE TICKET		<input type="radio"/>
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co.	<small>Write-in, If Any</small>
<input type="radio"/> MIKE AZINGER Vienna Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co.	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> BOB FEHRENBACHER Vienna Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> LAURA V. FAIRCLOTH Martinsburg Berkeley Co.	
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> TODD A. KIRBY Beckley Raleigh Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> TRENTON CARL BARNHART St. Marys Pleasants Co.	<input type="radio"/> H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co.	
<input type="radio"/> JASON S. HARSHBARGER Pullman Ritchie Co.	<small>Write-in, If Any</small>	<small>Write-in, If Any</small>
FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> ANDY DANIEL Elizabeth Wirt Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> ANGIE ADAMS Elizabeth Wirt Co.	<input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> DAVE FOGGIN Belleville Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/>	<small>Write-in, If Any</small>
FOR STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote For Not More Than TWO) <small>Two males can be elected and two females can be elected, but not more than two people (male or female) of any one county can be elected.</small>	<small>Write-in, If Any</small>	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
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<input type="radio"/> JENNIFER PRATT Vienna Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.	<small>Write-in, If Any</small>
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<small>Write-in, If Any</small>	<small>Write-in, If Any</small>	
<input type="radio"/>	COUNTY TICKET	
<small>Write-in, If Any</small>	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected (Vote for ONE)	
	<input type="radio"/> STEPHEN A SETTLE Walker Northeast District	
	<input type="radio"/> BOB GUNNOE Elizabeth Northeast District	
	<input type="radio"/> KEN PETTRY Sr. Elizabeth Northeast District	VOTE BOTH SIDES
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE WIRT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION
(Vote For Not More Than THREE)
Maximum eligible to be elected from each district: Central Dist. (1); Northeast Dist. (1); Southwest Dist. (2)

- MARK LOWE**
Palestine Southwest District
- DARREN SHEARLOCK**
Palestine Southwest District
- BRENT STEWART**
Elizabeth Northeast District
- WOODY BURNS**
Elizabeth Northeast District

Write-in, If Any

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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT

FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
(Vote for ONE)

- ROSE ANN ADAMS**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

DISTRICT TICKET

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT (Female)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- ANGIE ADAMS**
Elizabeth

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

Write-in, If Any

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT (Male)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- ALVIN L ENGELKE**
Creston
- JOHN GRIFFIN**
Creston
- RICHARD BOARD**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

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OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT

Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below.

The purpose for which additional funds are needed during the term of this five year levy, and the approximate average annual amount for such purposes after due allowances for discounts, delinquencies, exonerations, uncollected taxes and shrinkage, subject to variation from year to year as set forth herein, are as follows:

PURPOSE FOR WHICH ADDITIONAL FUNDS ARE NEEDED	AVERAGE ANNUAL AMOUNT FOR EACH PURPOSE
To continue the practice of Furnishing free textbooks, instructional supplies, equipment, and services and technology support.	\$302,000
To continue support of the co-curricular and extracurricular programs through the payment of salaries (including, but not limited to, athletics and band) and for student participation through student travel.	\$210,000
To continue support of the instructional program through local salary supplements (including associated fixed charges, such as, social security, workers' compensation, and retirement): Professional personnel \$300,000; and Service personnel \$165,117.	\$465,117
To maintain and improve the student transportation system, including but not limited to, funding the purchase of buses/equipment, maintenance and fuel for buses, insurance for bus fleet and facility improvements.	\$90,000
To maintain an improvement fund for facilities, custodial/maintenance supplies, building insurance and utilities; to improve or correct environmental and/or structural deficiencies in all schools and grounds, and to ensure adequate protection against fire hazards and health hazards, all in order to provide a safe atmosphere conducive to good learning: Facilities/repairs \$100,000; custodial/maintenance supplies and equipment \$175,000; property/building insurance \$50,000; and utilities \$363,000.	\$688,000
To continue to provide financial support of community organizations that provide services to Wirt County Schools, including but not limited to: Dora B. Woodyard Memorial Library \$19,000; and WVU 4-H Extension program \$17,000.	\$36,000
TOTAL:	\$1,791,117

The amounts set forth above are the anticipated average annual amounts for each purpose. The actual amount for each purpose likely will vary from one fiscal year to the next. If any item in the above-stated purposes is declared unconstitutional or invalid due to judicial or legislative action, then any affected funds will be distributed among the remaining constitutional and valid itemized purposes.

The Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend, during the term of this levy, the surplus, if any, accruing in excess of the amounts needed for any of the above-stated purposes, or for the enrichment, supplementation and improvement of educational services and/or facilities in the public schools; provided, however, that if during the term of this levy, any annual appraisal, triennial appraisal or general valuation of property would produce an assessment that would cause an increase of four percent or more in the total projected property tax revenues that would be realized were the special levy rates then in effect by the Board be imposed, the Board shall reduce the rate of the excess levy for all classes of property for the forthcoming tax year so as to prevent the projected property tax revenues from exceeding said four percent increase; provided, further, that this limitation shall not restrict the ability of the Board to enact excess levies as authorized under existing statutory or constitutional provisions; and provided, further, that an additional appraisal or valuation due to new construction or improvements to existing real property, including beginning recovery of natural resources and newly acquired personal property, shall not be an annual appraisal or general valuation within the meaning of this paragraph, nor shall the assessed value of such improvements be included in calculating the new tax levy for purposes of the paragraph.

In the event the Board shall obtain additional money by grant or otherwise from the state or federal government, or from any agency of either, or from any other source, for the purposes aforesaid, such additional money may be used either in substitution for, or in addition to, the sums obtained from such additional levies as the Board may from time to time determine.

In the event that the actual amount collected is less than the approximate annual amounts allocated for the above-stated purposes for any one or more fiscal years, the Board is hereby authorized and empowered to determine in its discretion (i) which one or more of the above-stated purposes shall be reduced for each such fiscal year and (ii) the amount of each such reduction for such fiscal year; provided, however that the total of all such reductions shall not exceed the amount of such collection shortfall each year.

The Board reserves unto itself as the levying body the right and authority to reduce the rates of excess levy should increased assessments produce funds beyond projected needs in any year specified in the levy call in accordance with section six-g, article eight, chapter eleven of the West Virginia Code.

The continuation of additional levy, in cents per \$100 of assessed value on each class of property, shall be on Class I property 20.66 cents; on Class II property 41.32 cents; on Class III property 82.64 cents; on Class IV property 82.64 cents.

That the proposed years to which the additional rate of levies shall apply are the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2029, July 1, 2031 and July 1, 2032.

INSTRUCTION TO VOTERS: Those favoring the continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "FOR THE LEVIES"; and those against such continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "AGAINST THE LEVIES".

- FOR THE LEVIES
- AGAINST THE LEVIES

VOTE BOTH SIDES

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER To vote you must darken the oval (●) completely next to the candidate or issue of your choice.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	COUNTY TICKET
NATIONAL TICKET	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co. <input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> JEFFREY V. KESSLER Glen Dale Marshall Co. <input type="radio"/> ZACHARY SHREWSBURY Princeton Mercer Co. <input type="radio"/> RIO PHILLIPS Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> RACHEL FETTY ANDERSON Morgantown Monongalia Co. <input type="radio"/> THORNTON COOPER So Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> LAURA V. FAIRCLOTH Martinsburg Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> TODD A. KIRBY Beckley Raleigh Co. <input type="radio"/> H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co. <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> BRITTA "BRIT" AGUIRRE Logan Logan Co. <input type="radio"/> VINCE GEORGE So Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co. <input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
STATE TICKET	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> CACI PETREHN Parkersburg Wood Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREAR So Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT	OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT		
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VOTE BOTH SIDES			

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	COUNTY TICKET
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NATIONAL TICKET		
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co. <input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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STATE TICKET		
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
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FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)		
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREAR So Charleston Kanawha Co.	
FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	COUNTY TICKET
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NATIONAL TICKET		
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co. <input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> JEFFREY V. KESSLER Glen Dale Marshall Co. <input type="radio"/> ZACHARY SHREWSBURY Princeton Mercer Co. <input type="radio"/> RIO PHILLIPS Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> RACHEL FETTY ANDERSON Morgantown Monongalia Co. <input type="radio"/> THORNTON COOPER So Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> LAURA V. FAIRCLOTH Martinsburg Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> TODD A. KIRBY Beckley Raleigh Co. <input type="radio"/> H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co. <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
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FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> BRITTA "BRIT" AGUIRRE Logan Logan Co. <input type="radio"/> VINCE GEORGE So Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co. <input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
STATE TICKET		
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<input type="radio"/> CACI PETREHN Parkersburg Wood Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREAR So Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION (Vote For Not More Than THREE) Maximum eligible to be elected from each district: Central Dist. (1); Northeast Dist. (1); Southwest Dist. (2)
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<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any	The Board is hereby authorized an empowered to expend, during the term of this levy, the surplus, if any, accruing in excess of the amounts needed for any of the above-stated purposes, or for the enrichment, supplementation and improvement of educational services and/or facilities in the public schools; <u>provided, however</u> , that if during the term of this levy, any annual appraisal, triennial appraisal or general valuation of property would produce an assessment that would cause an increase of four percent or more in the total projected property tax revenues that would be realized were the special levy rates then in effect by the Board be imposed, the Board shall reduce the rate of the excess levy for all classes of property for the forthcoming tax year so as to prevent the projected property tax revenues from exceeding said four percent increase; <u>provided, further</u> , that this limitation shall not restrict the ability of the Board to enact excess levies as authorized under existing statutory or constitutional provisions; and <u>provided, further</u> , that an additional appraisal or valuation due to new construction or improvements to existing real property, including beginning recovery of natural resources and newly acquired personal property, shall not be an annual appraisal or general valuation within the meaning of this paragraph, nor shall the assessed value of such improvements be included in calculating the new tax levy for purposes of the paragraph.	
<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any	In the event the Board shall obtain additional money by grant or otherwise from the state or federal government, or from any agency of either, or from any other source, for the purposes aforesaid, such additional money may be used either in substitution for, or in addition to, the sums obtained from such additional levies as the Board may from time to time determine.	
<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any	In the event that the actual amount collected is less than the approximate annual amounts allocated for the above-stated purposes for any one or more fiscal years, the Board is hereby authorized an empowered to determine in its discretion (i) which one or more of the above-stated purposes shall be reduced for each such fiscal year and (ii) the amount of each such reduction for such fiscal year; <u>provided, however</u> that the total of all such reductions shall not exceed the amount of such collection shortfall each year.	
<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any	The Board reserves unto itself as the levying body the right and authority to reduce the rates of excess levy should increased assessments produce funds beyond projected needs in any year specified in the levy call in accordance with section six-g, article eight, chapter eleven of the West Virginia Code.	
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<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any	That the proposed years to which the additional rate of levies shall apply are the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2029, July 1, 2031 and July 1, 2032.	
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VOTE BOTH SIDES		

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

	STATE TICKET	COUNTY TICKET
<p>INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER To vote you must darken the oval (●) completely next to the candidate or issue of your choice.</p>	<p>FOR STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote For Not More Than TWO) Two males can be elected and two females can be elected, but not more than two people (male or female) of any one county can be elected.</p>	<p>FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)</p>
NATIONAL TICKET		
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> JEFFREY V. KESSLER Glen Dale Marshall Co.	<input type="radio"/> JEFF FOX Parkersburg Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> ZACHARY SHREWSBURY Princeton Mercer Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> RIO PHILLIPS Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any	FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> RACHEL FETTY ANDERSON Morgantown Monongalia Co.	<input type="radio"/>	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> THORNTON COOPER So Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any	
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> BRITTA "BRIT" AGUIRRE Logan Logan Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> VINCE GEORGE So Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co.	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
STATE TICKET	<input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> LAURA V. FAIRCLOTH Martinsburg Berkeley Co.	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> CACI PETREHN Parkersburg Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> TODD A. KIRBY Beckley Raleigh Co.	<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co.	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	<input type="radio"/>	
<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co.	<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> JONATHAN WHITE Davisville Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> JIM MARION Mineral Wells Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/>	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> CRYSTAL BUTCHER Mineral Wells Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any	<input type="radio"/>
FOR STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote For Not More Than TWO) Two males can be elected and two females can be elected, but not more than two people (male or female) of any one county can be elected.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> CACI PETREHN Parkersburg Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREEAR So Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED (Vote for ONE)
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	<input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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<input type="radio"/>	COUNTY TICKET	
<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected (Vote for ONE)	
	<input type="radio"/> CHARLIE ROBERTS Jr. Elizabeth Northeast District	
		VOTE BOTH SIDES
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE WIRT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION
(Vote For Not More Than THREE)
Maximum eligible to be elected from each district: Central Dist. (1); Northeast Dist. (1); Southwest Dist. (2)

- MARK LOWE**
Palestine Southwest District
- DARREN SHEARLOCK**
Palestine Southwest District
- BRENT STEWART**
Elizabeth Northeast District
- WOODY BURNS**
Elizabeth Northeast District

Write-in, If Any

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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT

FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
(Vote for ONE)

- ROSE ANN ADAMS**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

DISTRICT TICKET

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CENTRAL DISTRICT (Female)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

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Write-in, If Any

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FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CENTRAL DISTRICT (Male)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

- JERRY BROOKOVER**
Elizabeth

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

Write-in, If Any

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OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT

Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below.

The purpose for which additional funds are needed during the term of this five year levy, and the approximate average annual amount for such purposes after due allowances for discounts, delinquencies, exonerations, uncollected taxes and shrinkage, subject to variation from year to year as set forth herein, are as follows:

PURPOSE FOR WHICH ADDITIONAL FUNDS ARE NEEDED	AVERAGE ANNUAL AMOUNT FOR EACH PURPOSE
To continue the practice of Furnishing free textbooks, instructional supplies, equipment, and services and technology support.	\$302,000
To continue support of the co-curricular and extracurricular programs through the payment of salaries (including, but not limited to, athletics and band) and for student participation through student travel.	\$210,000
To continue support of the instructional program through local salary supplements (including associated fixed charges, such as, social security, workers' compensation, and retirement): Professional personnel \$300,000; and Service personnel \$165,117.	\$465,117
To maintain and improve the student transportation system, including but not limited to, funding the purchase of buses/equipment, maintenance and fuel for buses, insurance for bus fleet and facility improvements.	\$90,000
To maintain an improvement fund for facilities, custodial/maintenance supplies, building insurance and utilities; to improve or correct environmental and/or structural deficiencies in all schools and grounds, and to ensure adequate protection against fire hazards and health hazards, all in order to provide a safe atmosphere conducive to good learning: Facilities/repairs \$100,000; custodial/maintenance supplies and equipment \$175,000; property/building insurance \$50,000; and utilities \$363,000.	\$688,000
To continue to provide financial support of community organizations that provide services to Wirt County Schools, including but not limited to: Dora B. Woodyard Memorial Library \$19,000; and WVU 4-H Extension program \$17,000.	\$36,000
TOTAL:	\$1,791,117

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The Board is hereby authorized an empowered to expend, during the term of this levy, the surplus, if any, accruing in excess of the amounts needed for any of the above-stated purposes, or for the enrichment, supplementation and improvement of educational services and/or facilities in the public schools; provided, however, that if during the term of this levy, any annual appraisal, triennial appraisal or general valuation of property would produce an assessment that would cause an increase of four percent or more in the total projected property tax revenues that would be realized were the special levy rates then in effect by the Board be imposed, the Board shall reduce the rate of the excess levy for all classes of property for the forthcoming tax year so as to prevent the projected property tax revenues from exceeding said four percent increase; provided, further, that this limitation shall not restrict the ability of the Board to enact excess levies as authorized under existing statutory or constitutional provisions; and provided, further, that an additional appraisal or valuation due to new construction or improvements to existing real property, including beginning recovery of natural resources and newly acquired personal property, shall not be an annual appraisal or general valuation within the meaning of this paragraph, nor shall the assessed value of such improvements be included in calculating the new tax levy for purposes of the paragraph.

In the event the Board shall obtain additional money by grant or otherwise from the state or federal government, or from any agency of either, or from any other source, for the purposes aforesaid, such additional money may be used either in substitution for, or in addition to, the sums obtained from such additional levies as the Board may from time to time determine.

In the event that the actual amount collected is less than the approximate annual amounts allocated for the above-stated purposes for any one or more fiscal years, the Board is hereby authorized an empowered to determine in its discretion (i) which one or more of the above-stated purposes shall be reduced for each such fiscal year and (ii) the amount of each such reduction for such fiscal year; provided, however that the total of all such reductions shall not exceed the amount of such collection shortfall each year.

The Board reserves unto itself as the levying body the right and authority to reduce the rates of excess levy should increased assessments produce funds beyond projected needs in any year specified in the levy call in accordance with section six-g, article eight, chapter eleven of the West Virginia Code.

The continuation of additional levy, in cents per \$100 of assessed value on each class of property, shall be on Class I property 20.66 cents; on Class II property 41.32 cents; on Class III property 82.64 cents; on Class IV property 82.64 cents.

That the proposed years to which the additional rate of levies shall apply are the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2029, July 1, 2031 and July 1, 2032.

INSTRUCTION TO VOTERS: Those favoring the continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "FOR THE LEVIES"; and those against such continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "AGAINST THE LEVIES".

- FOR THE LEVIES
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VOTE BOTH SIDES

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

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NATIONAL TICKET	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co. <input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> BRITTA "BRIT" AGUIRRE Logan Logan Co. <input type="radio"/> VINCE GEORGE So Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co. <input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
STATE TICKET	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> CACI PETREHN Parkersburg Wood Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREAR So Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT	OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT		
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	<p>The Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend, during the term of this levy, the surplus, if any, accruing in excess of the amounts needed for any of the above-stated purposes, or for the enrichment, supplementation and improvement of educational services and/or facilities in the public schools; <u>provided, however</u>, that if during the term of this levy, any annual appraisal, triennial appraisal or general valuation of property would produce an assessment that would cause an increase of four percent or more in the total projected property tax revenues that would be realized were the special levy rates then in effect by the Board be imposed, the Board shall reduce the rate of the excess levy for all classes of property for the forthcoming tax year so as to prevent the projected property tax revenues from exceeding said four percent increase; <u>provided, further</u>, that this limitation shall not restrict the ability of the Board to enact excess levies as authorized under existing statutory or constitutional provisions; and <u>provided, further</u>, that an additional appraisal or valuation due to new construction or improvements to existing real property, including beginning recovery of natural resources and newly acquired personal property, shall not be an annual appraisal or general valuation within the meaning of this paragraph, nor shall the assessed value of such improvements be included in calculating the new tax levy for purposes of the paragraph.</p>		
	<p>In the event the Board shall obtain additional money by grant or otherwise from the state or federal government, or from any agency of either, or from any other source, for the purposes aforesaid, such additional money may be used either in substitution for, or in addition to, the sums obtained from such additional levies as the Board may from time to time determine.</p>		
	<p>In the event that the actual amount collected is less than the approximate annual amounts allocated for the above-stated purposes for any one or more fiscal years, the Board is hereby authorized and empowered to determine in its discretion (i) which one or more of the above-stated purposes shall be reduced for each such fiscal year and (ii) the amount of each such reduction for such fiscal year; <u>provided, however</u> that the total of all such reductions shall not exceed the amount of such collection shortfall each year.</p>		
	<p>The Board reserves unto itself as the levying body the right and authority to reduce the rates of excess levy should increased assessments produce funds beyond projected needs in any year specified in the levy call in accordance with section six-g, article eight, chapter eleven of the West Virginia Code.</p>		
	<p>The continuation of additional levy, in cents per \$100 of assessed value on each class of property, shall be on Class I property 20.66 cents; on Class II property 41.32 cents; on Class III property 82.64 cents; on Class IV property 82.64 cents.</p>		
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	<p>INSTRUCTION TO VOTERS: Those favoring the continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "FOR THE LEVIES"; and those against such continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "AGAINST THE LEVIES".</p>		
<input type="radio"/> FOR THE LEVIES			
<input type="radio"/> AGAINST THE LEVIES			
VOTE BOTH SIDES			

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER To vote you must darken the oval (●) completely next to the candidate or issue of your choice.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	COUNTY TICKET
NATIONAL TICKET	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co. <input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> JEFFREY V. KESSLER Glen Dale Marshall Co. <input type="radio"/> ZACHARY SHREWSBURY Princeton Mercer Co. <input type="radio"/> RIO PHILLIPS Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> RACHEL FETTY ANDERSON Morgantown Monongalia Co. <input type="radio"/> THORNTON COOPER So Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> LAURA V. FAIRCLOTH Martinsburg Berkeley Co. <input type="radio"/> TODD A. KIRBY Beckley Raleigh Co. <input type="radio"/> H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co. <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> BRITTA "BRIT" AGUIRRE Logan Logan Co. <input type="radio"/> VINCE GEORGE So Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co. <input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
STATE TICKET	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> CACI PETREHN Parkersburg Wood Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREAR So Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION (Vote For Not More Than THREE) Maximum eligible to be elected from each district: Central Dist. (1); Northeast Dist. (1); Southwest Dist. (2)
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	<input type="radio"/> CHARLIE ROBERTS Jr. Elizabeth Northeast District	<input type="radio"/> MARK LOWE Palestine Southwest District <input type="radio"/> DARREN SHEARLOCK Palestine Southwest District <input type="radio"/> BRENT STEWART Elizabeth Northeast District <input type="radio"/> WOODY BURNS Elizabeth Northeast District <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT	OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT		
FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR (Vote for ONE)	Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below.		
<input type="radio"/> ROSE ANN ADAMS Palestine			
<input type="radio"/> Write-in, If Any	The purpose for which additional funds are needed during the term of this five year levy, and the approximate average annual amount for such purposes after due allowances for discounts, delinquencies, exonerations, uncollected taxes and shrinkage, subject to variation from year to year as set forth herein, are as follows:		
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VOTE BOTH SIDES			

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

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NATIONAL TICKET		
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> JEFF FOX Parkersburg Wood Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> JEFFREY V. KESSLER Glen Dale Marshall Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> ZACHARY SHREWSBURY Princeton Mercer Co.		FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> RIO PHILLIPS Charleston Kanawha Co.	Write-in, If Any	
<input type="radio"/> RACHEL FETTY ANDERSON Morgantown Monongalia Co.		NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> THORNTON COOPER So Charleston Kanawha Co.	Write-in, If Any	
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	<input type="radio"/>
	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> BRITTA "BRIT" AGUIRRE Logan Logan Co.		FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> VINCE GEORGE So Charleston Kanawha Co.		
STATE TICKET	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co.	
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
	<input type="radio"/> LAURA V. FAIRCLOTH Martinsburg Berkeley Co.	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> CACI PETREHN Parkersburg Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> TODD A. KIRBY Beckley Raleigh Co.	Write-in, If Any
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co.	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	Write-in, If Any	
FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
		<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> JONATHAN WHITE Davisville Wood Co.		Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> JIM MARION Mineral Wells Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co.	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> CRYSTAL BUTCHER Mineral Wells Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	
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	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> CACI PETREHN Parkersburg Wood Co.		Write-in, If Any
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREEAR So Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED (Vote for ONE)
	<input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
Write-in, If Any		<input type="radio"/>
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Write-in, If Any	COUNTY TICKET	
	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected (Vote for ONE)	
	<input type="radio"/> CHARLIE ROBERTS Jr. Elizabeth Northeast District	
		VOTE BOTH SIDES
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE WIRT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION
(Vote For Not More Than THREE)
Maximum eligible to be elected from each district: Central Dist. (1); Northeast Dist. (1); Southwest Dist. (2)

- MARK LOWE**
Palestine Southwest District
- DARREN SHEARLOCK**
Palestine Southwest District
- BRENT STEWART**
Elizabeth Northeast District
- WOODY BURNS**
Elizabeth Northeast District

Write-in, If Any

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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT

FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
(Vote for ONE)

- ROSE ANN ADAMS**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

DISTRICT TICKET

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NORTHEAST DISTRICT (Female)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

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Write-in, If Any

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FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NORTHEAST DISTRICT (Male)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

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OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT

Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below.

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PURPOSE FOR WHICH ADDITIONAL FUNDS ARE NEEDED	AVERAGE ANNUAL AMOUNT FOR EACH PURPOSE
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In the event the Board shall obtain additional money by grant or otherwise from the state or federal government, or from any agency of either, or from any other source, for the purposes aforesaid, such additional money may be used either in substitution for, or in addition to, the sums obtained from such additional levies as the Board may from time to time determine.

In the event that the actual amount collected is less than the approximate annual amounts allocated for the above-stated purposes for any one or more fiscal years, the Board is hereby authorized an empowered to determine in its discretion (i) which one or more of the above-stated purposes shall be reduced for each such fiscal year and (ii) the amount of each such reduction for such fiscal year; provided, however that the total of all such reductions shall not exceed the amount of such collection shortfall each year.

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The continuation of additional levy, in cents per \$100 of assessed value on each class of property, shall be on Class I property 20.66 cents; on Class II property 41.32 cents; on Class III property 82.64 cents; on Class IV property 82.64 cents.

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INSTRUCTION TO VOTERS: Those favoring the continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "FOR THE LEVIES"; and those against such continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "AGAINST THE LEVIES".

- FOR THE LEVIES
- AGAINST THE LEVIES

VOTE BOTH SIDES

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	COUNTY TICKET
To vote you must darken the oval (●) completely next to the candidate or issue of your choice.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
NATIONAL TICKET		
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co. <input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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		NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> BRITTA "BRIT" AGUIRRE Logan Logan Co. <input type="radio"/> VINCE GEORGE So Charleston Kanawha Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co. <input type="radio"/> TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
STATE TICKET		
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in, If Any _____	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> CACI PETREHN Parkersburg Wood Co.	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREAR So Charleston Kanawha Co. <input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 15TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	COUNTY TICKET	OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE WIRT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION (Vote For Not More Than THREE) Maximum eligible to be elected from each district: Central Dist. (1); Northeast Dist. (1); Southwest Dist. (2)
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT	OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT		
FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR (Vote for ONE)	Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below.		
<input type="radio"/> ROSE ANN ADAMS Palestine			
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VOTE BOTH SIDES			

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

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NATIONAL TICKET		
FOR U.S. SENATOR (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> JEFF FOX Parkersburg Wood Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> JEFFREY V. KESSLER Glen Dale Marshall Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> ZACHARY SHREWSBURY Princeton Mercer Co.		FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
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<input type="radio"/> RACHEL FETTY ANDERSON Morgantown Monongalia Co.		NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> THORNTON COOPER So Charleston Kanawha Co.	Write-in, If Any	
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS	<input type="radio"/>
	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> BRITTA "BRIT" AGUIRRE Logan Logan Co.		FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
<input type="radio"/> VINCE GEORGE So Charleston Kanawha Co.		
STATE TICKET	<input type="radio"/> MARTIN P. "RED HAT" SHEEHAN Wheeling Ohio Co.	
FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> GERALD TITUS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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FOR STATE SENATOR 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT - UNEXPIRED (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/> H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co.	FOR SENATORIAL DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 3RD SENATORIAL DISTRICT (Male) (Vote for ONE)
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	Write-in, If Any	
FOR MEMBER OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
<input type="radio"/> JONATHAN WHITE Davisville Wood Co.		Write-in, If Any
<input type="radio"/> JIM MARION Mineral Wells Wood Co.	<input type="radio"/> BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co.	FOR DELEGATE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 14TH DELEGATE DISTRICT (Female) (Vote for ONE)
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	NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> CACI PETREHN Parkersburg Wood Co.		Write-in, If Any
NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED	<input type="radio"/> DAN GREEAR So Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED (Vote for ONE)
	<input type="radio"/> JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.	NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED
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	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Not more than one resident of any magisterial district may be elected (Vote for ONE)	
	<input type="radio"/> CHARLIE ROBERTS Jr. Elizabeth Northeast District	
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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE WIRT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION
(Vote For Not More Than THREE)
Maximum eligible to be elected from each district: Central Dist. (1); Northeast Dist. (1); Southwest Dist. (2)

- MARK LOWE**
Palestine Southwest District
- DARREN SHEARLOCK**
Palestine Southwest District
- BRENT STEWART**
Elizabeth Northeast District
- WOODY BURNS**
Elizabeth Northeast District

Write-in, If Any

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OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT

FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
(Vote for ONE)

- ROSE ANN ADAMS**
Palestine

Write-in, If Any

DISTRICT TICKET

FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT (Female)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

NO CANDIDATE(S) FILED

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FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT (Male)
(Vote For Not More Than TWO)

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OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT

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CITY OF ELIZABETH

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Write-in, If Any

FOR TOWN COUNCIL (Vote for Not More Than THREE)

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Write-in, If Any

NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)

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TODD A. KIRBY Beckley Raleigh Co.

H.L. "KIRK" KIRKPATRICK Beckley Raleigh Co.

Write-in, If Any

NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 2 UNEXPIRED 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)

BILL FLANIGAN Wheeling Marshall Co.

TOM EWING Edmond Fayette Co.

Write-in, If Any

NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDGE OF THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS - DIVISION 1 (Vote for ONE)

DAN GREEAR So Charleston Kanawha Co.

JIM DOUGLAS Charleston Kanawha Co.

Write-in, If Any

OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE WIRT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

NONPARTISAN BOARD OF EDUCATION (Vote For Not More Than THREE) Maximum eligible to be elected from each district: Central Dist. (1); Northeast Dist. (1); Southwest Dist. (2)

MARK LOWE Palestine Southwest District

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WOODY BURNS Elizabeth Northeast District

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VOTE BOTH SIDES

POLL CLERKS

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OFFICIAL LEVY BALLOT

Special Election for renewal of authorization of additional levies for the fiscal year(s) beginning July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028, July 1, 2029, July 1, 2030, and July 1, 2031, in the approximate average amount of \$1,791,117 annually, for the purpose of the payment of the general current expenses of The Board of Education of the County of Wirt (the "Board"), including for the purposes hereinafter set forth; all according to the Order of the Board entered on the 6th day of January, 2026, and as more particularly described below.

The purpose for which additional funds are needed during the term of this five year levy, and the approximate average annual amount for such purposes after due allowances for discounts, delinquencies, exonerations, uncollected taxes and shrinkage, subject to variation from year to year as set forth herein, are as follows:

PURPOSE FOR WHICH ADDITIONAL FUNDS ARE NEEDED	AVERAGE ANNUAL AMOUNT FOR EACH PURPOSE
To continue the practice of Furnishing free textbooks, instructional supplies, equipment, and services and technology support.	\$302,000
To continue support of the co-curricular and extracurricular programs through the payment of salaries (including, but not limited to, athletics and band) and for student participation through student travel.	\$210,000
To continue support of the instructional program through local salary supplements (including associated fixed charges, such as, social security, workers' compensation, and retirement): Professional personnel \$300,000; and Service personnel \$165,117.	\$465,117
To maintain and improve the student transportation system, including but not limited to, funding the purchase of buses/equipment, maintenance and fuel for buses, insurance for bus fleet and facility improvements.	\$90,000
To maintain an improvement fund for facilities, custodial/maintenance supplies, building insurance and utilities; to improve or correct environmental and/or structural deficiencies in all schools and grounds, and to ensure adequate protection against fire hazards and health hazards, all in order to provide a safe atmosphere conducive to good learning: Facilities/repairs \$100,000; custodial/maintenance supplies and equipment \$175,000; property/building insurance \$50,000; and utilities \$363,000.	\$688,000
To continue to provide financial support of community organizations that provide services to Wirt County Schools, including but not limited to: Dora B. Woodyard Memorial Library \$19,000; and WVU 4-H Extension program \$17,000.	\$36,000
TOTAL:	\$1,791,117

The amounts set forth above are the anticipated average annual amounts for each purpose. The actual amount for each purpose likely will vary from one fiscal year to the next. If any item in the above-stated purposes is declared unconstitutional or invalid due to judicial or legislative action, then any affected funds will be distributed among the remaining constitutional and valid itemized purposes.

The Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend, during the term of this levy, the surplus, if any, accruing in excess of the amounts needed for any of the above-stated purposes, or for the enrichment, supplementation and improvement of educational services and/or facilities in the public schools; provided, however, that if during the term of this levy, any annual appraisal, triennial appraisal or general valuation of property would produce an assessment that would cause an increase of four percent or more in the total projected property tax revenues that would be realized were the special levy rates then in effect by the Board be imposed, the Board shall reduce the rate of the excess levy for all classes of property for the forthcoming tax year so as to prevent the projected property tax revenues from exceeding said four percent increase; provided, further, that this limitation shall not restrict the ability of the Board to enact excess levies as authorized under existing statutory or constitutional provisions; and provided, further, that an additional appraisal or valuation due to new construction or improvements to existing real property, including beginning recovery of natural resources and newly acquired personal property, shall not be an annual appraisal or general valuation within the meaning of this paragraph, nor shall the assessed value of such improvements be included in calculating the new tax levy for purposes of the paragraph.

In the event the Board obtain additional money by grant or otherwise from the state or federal government, or from any agency of either, or from any other source, for the purposes aforesaid, such additional money may be used either in substitution for, or in addition to, the sums obtained from such additional levies as the Board may from time to time determine.

In the event that the actual amount collected is less than the approximate annual amounts allocated for the above-stated purposes for any one or more fiscal years, the Board is hereby authorized and empowered to determine in its discretion (i) which one or more of the above-stated purposes shall be reduced for each such fiscal year and (ii) the amount of each such reduction for such fiscal year; provided, however that the total of all such reductions shall not exceed the amount of such collection shortfall each year.

The Board reserves unto itself as the levying body the right and authority to reduce the rates of excess levy should increased assessments produce funds beyond projected needs in any year specified in the levy call in accordance with section six-g, article eight, chapter eleven of the West Virginia Code.

The continuation of additional levy, in cents per \$100 of assessed value on each class of property, shall be on Class I property 20.66 cents; on Class II property 41.32 cents; on Class III property 82.64 cents; on Class IV property 82.64 cents.

That the proposed years to which the additional rate of levies shall apply are the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2029, July 1, 2031 and July 1, 2032.

INSTRUCTION TO VOTERS: Those favoring the continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "FOR THE LEVIES"; and those against such continuation of additional levies, make the selection next to "AGAINST THE LEVIES".

- FOR THE LEVIES
- AGAINST THE LEVIES

VOTE BOTH SIDES

OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT

Wirt County, WV

Primary Election

May 12, 2026

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER

To vote you must darken the oval (●) completely next to the candidate or issue of your choice.

OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN BALLOT

FOR CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR (Vote for ONE)

ROSE ANN ADAMS Palestine

NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS

NONPARTISAN BALLOT OF ELECTION OF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA - DIVISION 1 UNEXPIRED 6 YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)

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