

OPERATIONAL REFERENDUM



VOTE APRIL 7th
Operational Referendum

MONEY USED FOR

- **Class Sizes**

Maintain class sizes at the elementary school level

- **Elective & Advanced Courses**

Sustain elective and advanced courses at the middle and high school levels

- **Athletics**

Continue middle school athletics

- **Operating Expenses**

Transportation, Technology, Building & Grounds

April 7, 2026 Operational Referendum

Ballot Question:

Shall the Dodgeland School District, Dodge County, Wisconsin be authorized to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$700,000 per year for four years, beginning with the 2026-2027 school year and ending with the 2029-2030 school year, for non-recurring purposes consisting of **operational expenses, to maintain class sizes at the elementary school level, sustain elective and advanced courses at the middle and high school levels, and continue middle school athletics?**

What is an Operational Referendum

Allows a school district to exceed the state-imposed revenue limit to fund items such as the following:

- Day-to-day expenses:
 - Utilities
 - Maintenance
 - Staff Salaries
- Addresses funding gaps while ensuring that 100% of the referendum tax dollars stay within the district to support local priorities and goals.

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WHY INVEST IN STUDENTS?

Keeping HS students competitive in an evolving world community

Keeping MS students engaged in their school experience through athletics

Ensuring our youngest learners receive the necessary attention they need

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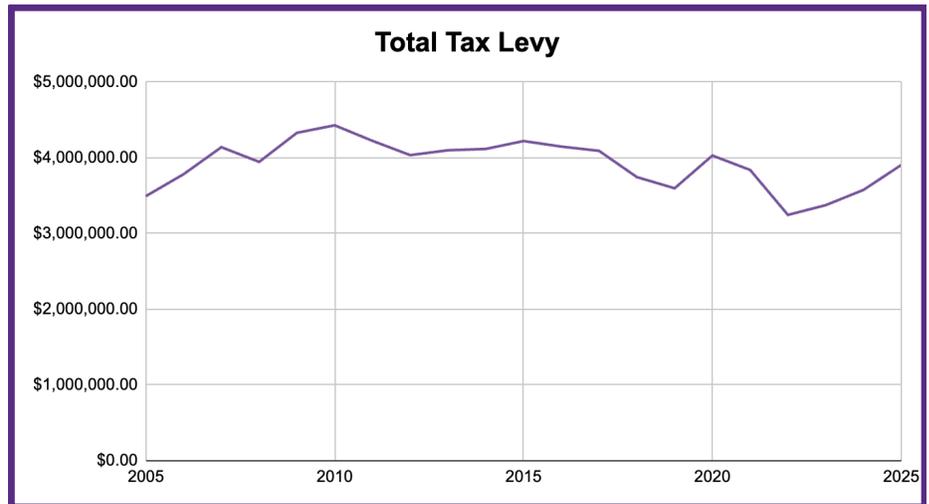
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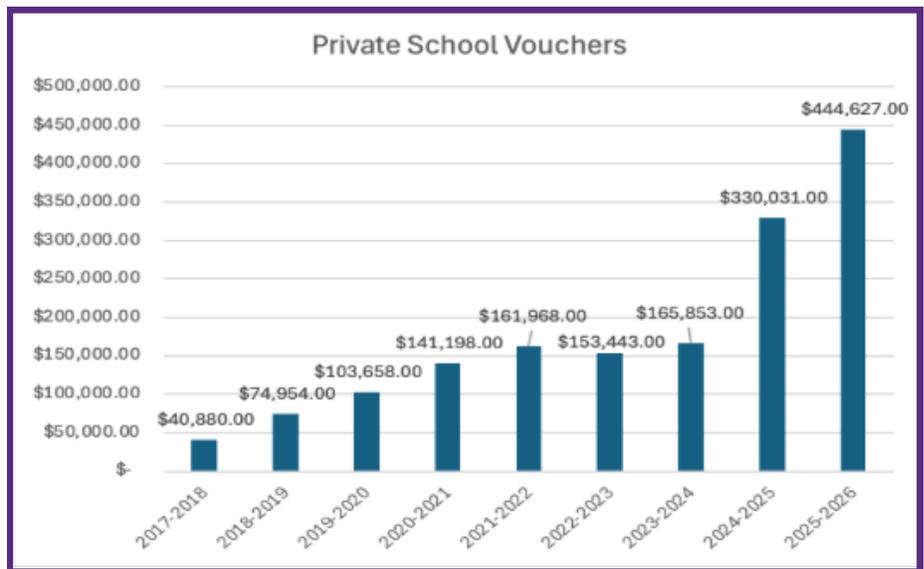
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2005
Property value \$280M
Tax Levy \$3.5M
Mill Rate \$12.45

2010
Property Value \$330M
Tax Levy \$4.30M
Mill Rate \$13.42

2025
Property Value \$620M
Tax Levy \$3.9M
Mill Rate \$6.30



17% of the General Tax Levy goes to Private School Vouchers