

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND VOTE HARPURSVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Budget Hearing

A budget hearing for the inhabitants of the Harpursville Central School District qualified to vote at School District Meetings will be held in the Harpursville Jr./Sr. High School Building, Harpursville, New York, commencing at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 28, 2020 where there shall be presented the proposed school district budget for the upcoming school year. Such meeting will be by video or phone conference and can be accessed using the following information: Join Zoom Meeting <https://E2CCB-GST.zoom.us/j/96705037144?pwd=NDlaVjRnVEY3NFRiVGFDZTFRc3kvZz09>; Meeting ID: 967 0503 7144; Password: 383719; One tap mobile +16468769923,,96705037144#,,1#,383719# US (New York); Dial by your location +1 646 876 9923 US (New York).

Date of Vote

The vote upon the appropriation of the necessary funds to meet the estimated expenditures or for any propositions involving the expenditure of money or the authorizing of levy of taxes, as well as the election of members of the Board of Education shall be held on Tuesday, June 9, 2020 by absentee ballot only. All absentee ballots must be received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on such date.

Statement of Money Required for Next School Year

A copy of the statement of the amount of money which would be required for the next school year for school purposes shall be completed seven days before the budget hearing and may be obtained by any resident of the District at each schoolhouse on or after May 21, 2020, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., except Saturday, Sunday or holidays, by contacting the District Clerk via email at tabbyr@hcs.stier.org or by appointment at (607)693-8112. The 2019 Exemption Impact Report will also be attached to the proposed budget.

Vote for Board Members

Petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the Board of Education must be filed with the Clerk of the District between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., not later than May 11, 2020. The following vacancies are to be filled:

One five year term ending June 30, 2025 presently held by Michael Rhodes.

Each petition must be addressed to the Clerk of the District, shall state the name and address of the candidate, and shall describe the specific vacancy on the Board of Education for which the candidate is nominated, which description shall include at least the length of term of office, and the name of the last incumbent. No person shall be nominated for more than one specific office.

Additional Propositions

Any proposition that is required to be included for vote shall be submitted in writing by means of a petition signed by at least 25 qualified voters, stating the residence of each signer, which proposition shall be filed with the Board of Education not later than May 11, 2020 unless a greater number of days is required by statute. Any proposition shall be rejected by the Board of Education if the purpose of the proposition is not within the powers of the voters or where the expenditure of monies is required for the proposition, and such proposition fails to include the necessary specific appropriation.

Absentee Ballots

Absentee ballots will be issued to all qualified voters within the District. All households in which a resident is registered with the Board of Elections in Broome or Chenango County or who appear on the district's poll registration from the last year will be issued an absentee ballot. If an individual or household is not sent an absentee ballot, they may request an absentee ballot from the District Clerk by email to tabbyr@hcs.stier.org or by calling (607)693-8112. Such requests must be received by

the District Clerk at least seven days before the vote set in this notice if the ballot is to be mailed to the absentee voter or the day before the vote if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the absentee voter. Absentee ballots must be received in the office of the District Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m. on the day of the vote.

A list of all persons to whom absentee voter ballots have been issued shall be available for public inspection by appointment with the District Clerk during regular office hours which are between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Any qualified voter, may upon examination of such list, file written challenge of the qualifications of a voter of any person whose name appears on such list, stating the reasons for the challenge. Such written challenge shall be transmitted by the Clerk or designee to the inspectors of Election on Election Day.

Military Ballots

Applications for military ballots may be applied for at the Office of the District Clerk, 54 Main St., Harpursville, New York, or by email to tabbyr@hcs.stier.org. A request for a military ballot application must be received by the District Clerk or a designee of the Board of Education on or before May 14, 2020.

DATED: May 7, 2020

By order of the Board of Education of the
Harpursville Central School District
By: Tabaitha Rhodes, District Clerk