

PROPOSED BUDGET OF EXPENDITURES TOGETHER WITH TAX
LEVY FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2025,
TO AND INCLUDING JUNE 30, 2026

The Board of Directors of Cross County School District No. 7 of Cross County, Arkansas, in compliance with the requirements of A.C.A. § 6-13-622 and Amendment 74 of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, has prepared, approved, and does hereby make public a proposed budget of expenditures, for the district in 2025-2026, together with a supporting tax rate as follows:

1.	Salary Fund Expenditures	\$ 6,701,028
2.	Instructional Expense	\$1,747,009
3.	Maintenance & Operation Expense	\$1,313,541
4.	Pupil Transportation Expense	\$774,981
5.	Other Operating Expense	\$1,091,577
6.	Nonbonded Debt Payment	\$62,870
7.	Bonded Debt Payment	\$1,181,223
8.	Building Fund Expense	\$0
9.	Dedicated Maintenance and Operation	\$0

To provide for the foregoing proposed budget of expenditures, the Board of Directors proposes a total school tax rate (state and local) of 39.90 mills on the dollar of the assessment value of taxable property located in this School District. The total tax levy proposed above includes the current Uniform Rate of Tax to be collected on all taxable property in the State and remitted to the State Treasurer. This is pursuant to Amendment No. 74 to the Arkansas Constitution and is to be used solely for maintenance and operation of schools in the State. The total proposed school tax levy of 39.90 mills includes 26.30 mills specifically voted for general maintenance and operation and 13.60 mills for debt service. The 13.6 debt service mills will be a continuing levy pledged for the retirement of existing bonded indebtedness. Surplus revenues produced each year by debt service millage may be used by the District for other school purposes.

The total proposed school tax levy of 39.90 mills represents the same rate presently being collected.

Given this 20th day of November, 2023.

Board of Directors of Cross County School District No. 7 of Cross County, Arkansas.

Cross County School District No.7
Cross County, Arkansas

Derek Wood, President of the Board

Ashley Armstrong, Secretary of the Board