BALLOT QUESTION

EDUCATION CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS SALES AND USE TAX ACT REFERENDUM FOR CHARLESTON COUNTY

Must a special one percent sales and use tax be imposed in Charleston County for not more than six years with the revenue of the tax used to pay, directly or indirectly, the cost of the following education capital improvement projects in Charleston County:

1. Construction and equipping of new Carolina Park Elementary School
2. Construction and equipping of new East Cooper (District 2) High School
3. Construction and equipping of new shared high school stadium for East of the Cooper (District 2)
4. Construction and equipping of new West Ashley Center for Advanced Studies
5. Construction, replacement and equipping of C.E. Williams Middle School
6. Advance design for construction and equipping of new Carolina Bay Elementary School
7. Advance design for expansion and equipping of Ashley River Creative Arts Middle School
8. Advance design for construction, replacement and equipping of West Ashley Middle School
9. Construction, replacement and equipping of Burns Elementary School
10. Construction, replacement and equipping of Dunston Elementary School
11. Construction and equipping of new shared high school stadium for North Charleston (District 4)
12. Purchase property for elementary/middle school needs in North Charleston
13. Construction and equipping of new North Charleston Center for Advanced Studies
14. Construction, replacement and equipping of Fort Johnson Middle School
16. Renovation and equipping of Murray-LaSaine Montessori Elementary School Annex
17. Renovation and equipping of St. James-Santee Elementary School to add middle school grades
18. Advance design for the replacement of a 9-12 high school to replace Lincoln High School in District 1 at a site to be determined later
19. Expansion and equipping of Haut Gap Middle School
20. Advance design for construction and equipping of new Haut Gap Elementary School
21. Renovation and equipping of Mitchell Elementary School
22. Advance design for construction and equipping of new District 20 Middle School
23. Completion of James Simons Montessori Elementary School upfit of third floor
24. Improvements to Stoney Field Stadium
25. Advance design for construction and equipping of Charleston Development Academy
26. Acquisition of land for new East Cooper (District 2) Middle School
27. Expansion and equipping of Moultrie Middle School
28. Advance design for construction, replacement and equipping of new Morningside Middle School
29. Advance design for construction and equipping of new Ingleside Elementary School – North Charleston
30. Expansion and equipping of Hursey Elementary School
31. Construction and equipping of new District 20 Middle School
32. Advance design for construction and equipping of new District 20 Early Childhood Center
33. Construction and equipping of new Charleston Development Academy
34. Expansion, renovation and equipping of Baptist Hill High School Career Technical Education Center
35. Construction and equipping of a new 9-12 high school facility to replace Lincoln High School at a site to be determined in District 1
together with the cost of capital maintenance and technology replacement and upgrades at school facilities of Charleston County School District.

All revenue received from the sales and use tax will be used to pay the costs of the education capital improvement projects described above and to pay debt service on general obligation bonds, if any, issued by Charleston County School District to fund the education capital improvement projects described above. Collection of the sales and use tax will commence upon the termination of the education capital improvements sales and use tax currently imposed in Charleston County on December 31, 2016.

Yes [ ]
No [ ]

Those voting in favor of the question shall deposit a ballot with a check or cross mark in the square after the word "Yes", and those voting against the question shall deposit a ballot with a check or cross mark in the square after the word "No".