

OFFICIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT #1 BOND ELECTION BALLOT
CASCADE COUNTY, MONTANA - OCTOBER 4, 2016

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BALLOT ISSUES

PROPOSITION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BOND

Shall the Board of Trustees (the "Board") of Elementary School District No. 1 (Great Falls), Cascade County, Montana (the "Elementary District"), be authorized to sell and issue general obligation bonds of the Elementary District in one or more series in the aggregate principal amount of up to Forty-Five Million Nine Hundred Ten Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$45,910,000.00), bearing interest at rates to be determined at the time of the sale, payable semiannually, during a term as to each series of bonds of not more than twenty (20) years, for the purpose of providing funds to pay the costs of designing, constructing, improving, renovating, equipping, and furnishing schools in accordance with the Elementary District's Facilities Action Plan developed to enhance learning environments, address safety and environmental concerns, identify shortcomings with and prioritize upgrading technology infrastructure, increase energy efficiency, and be responsive to shifting enrollment considerations, to include improving schools by making a variety of deferred maintenance improvements, such as replacing the phone system serving the elementary schools and making mechanical system upgrades, such as installing new boilers and temperature controls and electrical and plumbing upgrades; constructing and improving on the Longfellow Elementary campus a new school building in replacement of the existing Longfellow Elementary school and associated improvements; demolishing Lowell School and constructing and improving on the Lowell School campus a new Roosevelt Elementary school building in replacement of Lowell School and making associated improvements; renovating North Middle School to include upgrading mechanical systems, replacing doors, replacing fire suppression and alarm systems, upgrading the foundation, and replacing a portion of the roof; improving the former Russell Elementary School site by constructing a new operations building and renovating the existing building for use by the Building and Grounds Department, updating mechanical systems, installing fencing and sewer system improvements, and making associated improvements to existing space; renovating East Middle School by repairing the roof, replacing the windows, upgrading mechanical systems and replacing the fire alarm system; renovating Chief Joseph Elementary by upgrading mechanical systems and repairing and stabilizing slabs and foundations; renovating Loy Elementary by upgrading mechanical, electrical, and plumbing systems, improving parking, safety, and traffic flow, installing drainage, curb, gutters, and sidewalks, and, if appropriate, associated improvements relating to shifting enrollment; installing at Whittier Elementary an Americans with Disability Act (ADA) compliant elevator and making associated improvements; upgrading the electrical system serving the computer lab at Sunnyside Elementary; installing an ADA compliant lift and associated improvements at Lincoln Elementary; replacing boilers and/or upgrading mechanical systems at Riverview Elementary, Sacajawea Elementary, Valley View Elementary, and Lewis and Clark Elementary schools, and replacing a portion of the domestic water system at Lewis and Clark Elementary school; replacing stairs outside the auditorium and upgrading mechanical systems at West Elementary and associated improvements; renovating Morningside Elementary by repairing and stabilizing the foundation and replacing the water main and upgrading electrical, mechanical, and temperature controls; making parking and traffic safety improvements and storm drain and retaining wall improvements and upgrading mechanical systems at Meadowlark Elementary; and converting storage space to teaching space at Mountain View Elementary; related improvements and costs; and paying costs associated with the sale and issuance of the bonds?

○ BONDS-YES
 ○ BONDS-NO

PROPOSITION HIGH SCHOOL BOND

Shall the Board of Trustees (the "Board") of High School District No. A (Great Falls), Cascade County, Montana (the "High School District"), be authorized to sell and issue general obligation bonds of the High School District in one or more series in the aggregate principal amount of up to Fifty-Two Million Nine Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$52,955,000.00), bearing interest at rates to be determined at the time of the sale, payable semiannually, during a term as to each series of bonds of not more than twenty (20) years, for the purpose of providing funds to pay the costs of designing, constructing, improving, renovating, equipping, and furnishing Great Falls High School, Paris Gibson Education Center, and CMR High School in accordance with the High School District's Facilities Action Plan, to include replacing the phone system serving the high schools and upgrading mechanical, electrical and plumbing systems; renovating and improving Great Falls High School by expanding and modernizing the Career and Technical Education (CTE) space, adding and improving classrooms and a commons area, adding connecting space between main campus and south campus to house offices, classrooms, and kitchen and dining space, improving or replacing the parking lot, storm drainage, and utilities serving the school, and, if bond proceeds are available, acquiring property contiguous to or in the vicinity of the Great Falls High School campus for additional parking; installing artificial turf and resurfacing the existing track at Memorial Stadium; improving Paris Gibson Education Center by installing an Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant elevator and stair lift, replacing a portion of the roof, renovating and furnishing the cafeteria, classrooms, and bathrooms, replacing windows, and making associated improvements; renovating and expanding CMR High School by adding a multiuse facility and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) classrooms, repairing the foundation, upgrading mechanical systems, the school's water system and fire alarm system, repairing the elevator and sidewalks, replacing windows and lockers, and improving the track and athletic facilities by replacing bleachers and associated improvements; related improvements and costs; and paying costs associated with the sale and issuance of the bonds?

○ BONDS-YES
 ○ BONDS-NO

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