

Oak Park River Forest League of Women Voters

Eyewitness Report

**Observed by:** Kathleen M. Perry

**Date:** December 18, 2017

**Meeting Length:** One hr. 10 min.

**Meeting Name:** River Forest D90 School Board

**Headline: Board Adopts 2017 Tax Levy \$21, 228,000.00**

**Information Item:** The Truth in Taxation Act, as amended, requires that all taxing districts in the State of Illinois determine the estimated amounts of taxes necessary to be levied for the year not less than 20 days prior to the official adoption of the aggregate tax levy of the district. The Certificate of Tax Levy lists how the funds are allocated to fulfill D90 mission. Seventy nine percent (79%) or \$16,700,000.00 of the Total tax levy is devoted to educational purposes. Go to D90 website listed below for further details as to how tax levy funds are distributed.

**What else did the Board discuss or refer to committee?**

1. Board members reported on their activities on various Board Committees and Outside Meetings to which Board members are assigned.
2. Reviewed Informational items:
  - A. Proposed-Board of Education Ad Hoc Gender Inclusion Committee
  - B. Student Walking Routes to School
  - C. Policies reviewed First Reading
  - D. District 90 Administrative Staffing Review
  - E. Memorandum of Understanding-Park District Intergovernmental Agreement

**Unexpected Votes, Events, Testimony or Items to Watch for the Future**

None

**Any Other Comments or Observations:** Detailed information on specific topics is available at D90 website [www.district90.org](http://www.district90.org)

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Both the Meeting Agenda and Full Board Packet are posted.