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Boosters, the Senior Center, and the Chamber of Commerce.

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Donna Webb
Vernonia Chamber of Commerce

Together, small efforts can equal big results

To the Editor:

I would like to start by complimenting the City of Vernonia for all their accomplishments this year. The big sign down the mountain on the highway I'm sure will bring in many tourists.

The nice detail on the street

really makes it beautiful. And, all the hard working volunteers that make Vernonia Shine are so inspiring. Reaching for the stars opens up the heavens and overwhelms us with its abundance, and the children will follow these good examples and thrive.

I want to especially thank those who cleaned up Bear Creek and planted all the beautiful rose bushes, plants and trees. I will definitely do my part in watering these new additions that bring even more beauty to this town.

On another note, I would like to remind parents that education begins at home, and even though school's out for the

summer, we as parents need to keep teaching our children how to read, write and do math. Especially now with the shortage of teachers we must ease the tension and make sure our children know the basics and everything else they need to know to succeed in life. Take time to go to the library. Teach something every day. You will be rewarded every day.

Lastly, parents or not, I would like the whole community to participate in the collection of "Box Tops" for our schools. The schools are in desperate need of money and throwing away or burning any box top seems careless. Upon coming home with groceries, always

check all boxes and rip off that dime and collect them in a plastic baggie and feel good about taking the time to donate this to the schools. It's a great source of income!

To motivate WGS students I've provided them with plastic baggies and upon their return to school in September there will be a contest and the person who returns with the most box tops will win a prize. Of course, everyone who returns with box tops will feel like a winner and everyone's ongoing participation is greatly appreciated.

If we all pitch in and give a good effort we might bring in enough money to accommodate the children with stall

doors in their restrooms. Let's take time to think about all the improvements that could be accomplished with "Box Tops."

Virginia Kepner
Vernonia
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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Public Auction

Vernonia School District will hold a silent bid auction on recently declared surplus items and miscellaneous items of lesser value. Saturday, June 25, 2005 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at Lincoln Grade School.

Please stop by the District Office on or after June 21 for a list of the surplus items and bid closing times. Some items will close prior to 2:00 p.m.

Purchased items must be removed the day of the sale.
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FORM ED-1

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

A meeting of the School Board of Directors will be held on June 23, 2005 at 6:00 p.m. at 475 Bridge Street, Vernonia OR. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2005 as approved by the Vernonia School Dist. 47J Budget Committee.

A summary of the budget is presented below. A copy of the budget may be inspected or obtained at 475 Bridge Street Vernonia OR 97064 between the hours of 8:00 and 4:30. This budget was prepared on

a basis of accounting that is ☒ consistent; ☐ not consistent with the basis of accounting used during the preceding year. Major changes, if any, and their effect on the budget, are explained below. This budget is for: ☒ Annual Period ☐ 2-Year Period

County Columbia City Vernonia Chairperson of Governing Body James Krahn Telephone Number (503) 429-5891

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS		Adopted Budget This Year — 2004-2005	Approved Budget Next Year — 2005-2006
Anticipated Requirements	1. Total Instruction	3,154,491	3,155,747
	2. Total Support Services	2,337,543	2,566,286
	3. Total Enterprise and Community Services	149,946	152,402
	4. Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction	—	—
	5. Total Other Uses (includes Debt Service and Transfers)	—	—
	6. Total Contingencies	100,000	50,000
	7. Total All Other Expenditures and Requirements	1,407,365	1,907,225
	8. Total Unappropriated Ending Fund Balance	213,928	137,000
	9. Total Requirements — add lines 1 through 8	7,363,273	7,968,660
	10. Total Resources Except Property Taxes	5,733,273	6,221,660
Anticipated Resources	11. Total Property Taxes to be Received	1,630,000	1,747,000
	12. Total Resources — add lines 10 and 11	7,363,273	7,968,660
Estimated Ad Valorem Property Taxes	13. Total Property Taxes to be Received (line 11)	1,630,000	1,747,000
	14. Plus: Estimated Property Taxes Not to be Received	—	—
	A. Loss Due to Constitutional Limits	75,000	28,303
	B. Discounts Allowed, Other Uncollected Amounts	72,509	54,900
Tax Levies By Type	15. Total Tax Levy — add lines 13 and 14	1,777,509	1,830,203
	Rate or Amount	Rate or Amount	Rate or Amount
	16. Permanent Rate Limit Levy (rate limit)	5.0121	5.0121
	17. Local Option Taxes	—	—
	18. Levy for Payment of Bonded Debt	—	—

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

Debt Outstanding ☐ None ☒ As Summarized Below Debt Authorized, Not Incurred ☐ None ☒ As Summarized Below

PUBLISH BELOW ONLY IF COMPLETED

Long-Term Debt	Estimated Debt Outstanding at the Beginning of the Budget Year	Estimated Debt Authorized, Not Incurred at the Beginning of the Budget Year
	July 1, 2005-2006 Approved Budget Year	July 1, 2005-2006 Approved Budget Year
Bonds		
Interest Bearing Warrants		
Other	\$955,000	\$700,000
Total Indebtedness		

FORM ED-2

FUNDS NOT REQUIRING A PROPERTY TAX TO BE LEVIED

Name of Fund	Actual Data Last Year 2003-04	Adopted Budget This Year 2004-05	Approved Budget Next Year 2005-06
Federal Grant Funds			
1. Total Instruction	318,556	338,449	289,395
2. Total Support Services	145,501	54,778	48,572
3. Total Enterprise and Community Services	—	—	—
4. Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction	—	—	—
5. Total Other Uses	887	—	—
6. Total Contingencies	—	—	—
7. Total All Other Expenditures and Requirements	—	—	—
8. Total Unappropriated Ending Fund Balance	—	—	—
9. Total Requirements	464,944	393,227	337,967
10. Total Resources Except Property Taxes	510,288	393,227	337,967
State/Local Grant Funds			
1. Total Instruction	—	—	—
2. Total Support Services	—	—	—
3. Total Enterprise and Community Services	—	—	—
4. Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction	—	—	—
5. Total Other Uses	—	—	—
6. Total Contingencies	—	—	—
7. Total All Other Expenditures and Requirements	—	—	—
8. Total Unappropriated Ending Fund Balance	—	—	—
9. Total Requirements	—	—	—
10. Total Resources Except Property Taxes	—	—	—

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Name of Fund	Actual Data Last Year 2003-04	Adopted Budget This Year 2004-05	Approved Budget Next Year 2005-06
1. Total Instruction	28,496	—	—
2. Total Support Services	12,483	15,395	12,451
3. Total Enterprise and Community Services	5,217	—	—
4. Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction	—	—	—
5. Total Other Uses	—	—	—
6. Total Contingencies	—	—	—
7. Total All Other Expenditures and Requirements	—	—	—
8. Total Unappropriated Ending Fund Balance	—	—	—
9. Total Requirements	46,196	15,395	12,451
10. Total Resources Except Property Taxes	25,819	15,395	12,451

Name of Fund	Actual Data Last Year 2003-04	Adopted Budget This Year 2004-05	Approved Budget Next Year 2005-06
Student Body Funds			
1. Total Instruction	115,557	188,000	181,000
2. Total Support Services	—	—	—
3. Total Enterprise and Community Services	—	—	—
4. Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction	—	—	—
5. Total Other Uses	—	—	—
6. Total Contingencies	—	—	—
7. Total All Other Expenditures and Requirements	—	—	—
8. Total Unappropriated Ending Fund Balance	—	30,000	37,000
9. Total Requirements	115,557	218,000	218,000
10. Total Resources Except Property Taxes	117,763	218,000	218,000

Name of Fund	Actual Data Last Year 2003-04	Adopted Budget This Year 2004-05	Approved Budget Next Year 2005-06
Capital Projects Funds			
1. Total Instruction	—	—	—
2. Total Support Services	100	38,408	215,000
3. Total Enterprise and Community Services	—	—	—
4. Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction	—	—	—
5. Total Other Uses	—	—	—
6. Total Contingencies	—	—	—
7. Total All Other Expenditures and Requirements	20	1,196,765	1,625,500
8. Total Unappropriated Ending Fund Balance	—	—	—
9. Total Requirements	120	1,235,173	1,840,500
10. Total Resources Except Property Taxes	2,453	1,235,173	1,840,500

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FORM ED-3

FUNDS REQUIRING A PROPERTY TAX TO BE LEVIED

Name of Fund	Actual Data Last Year 2003-04	Adopted Budget This Year 2004-05	Approved Budget Next Year 2005-06
1. Total Instruction	2,834,645	2,628,042	2,685,352
2. Total Support Services	2,278,970	2,228,962	2,290,263
3. Total Enterprise and Community Services	—	—	—
4. Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction	—	—	—
5. Total Other Uses	—	—	—
6. Total Contingencies	—	100,000	50,000
7. Total All Other Expenditures and Requirements	60,452	210,600	281,725
8. Total Unappropriated Ending Fund Balance	103,877	183,928	100,000
9. Total Requirements	5,277,944	5,351,532	5,407,340
10. Total Resources Except Property Taxes	4,024,512	3,721,532	3,660,340
11. Property Taxes to be Received	1,676,286	1,630,000	1,747,000
12. Total Resources (add lines 10 and 11)	5,700,798	5,351,532	5,407,340
13. Property Taxes to be Received (from line 11)	—	1,630,000	1,747,000
14. Estimated Property Taxes Not to be Received	—	—	—
A. Loss Due to Constitutional Limit	—	75,000	28,303
B. Discounts, Other Uncollected Amounts	—	72,509	54,900
15. Total Tax Levy (add lines 13 and 14)	—	1,777,509	1,830,203
Rate or Amount	Rate or Amount	Rate or Amount	Rate or Amount
16. Permanent Rate Limit Levy (rate limit)	—	5.0121	5.0121
17. Local Option Tax	—	—	—
18. Levy for Payment of Bonded Debt	—	—	—