

**Princeton R-V School District/Board of Education Meeting**  
**August 14, 2023 Press News Release**

The Princeton R-V Board of Education held two meetings on Monday, August 14, 2023. The following highlights of the board meeting are included:

**Princeton Tax Rate Hearing**

The board approved the proposed tax rate as presented to the Board of Education for the 2023-24 School Year. Incidental rate would be \$4.4100, Debt Service rate would be \$0.9532, and Capital Projects rate of .1800 for a total tax rate of **\$5.5432** per \$100 assessed value.

<u>Recent Historical Total Levy</u> 2023-24 - \$5.5432 2022-23—5.2445 2021-22--\$5.1757 2020-21--\$5.1649 2019-20--\$5.0974 2018-19-- \$5.0748 2017-18-- \$5.0715 2016-17---\$5.1055 2015-16---\$5.3023 2014-15---\$5.4050 2013-14---\$5.6032	<u>The school board voluntarily rolled back the Debt Service Levy to maintain its promise of a no tax increase bond issue that was passed in April 2017. The state auditor’s computation of the debt service tax rate was \$1.0530. The School District voluntarily reduced the levy to .9532.</u>
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**Regular Board of Education Meeting**

The agenda for the regular BOE meeting included:

- The Consent Agenda was approved consisting of
  - Approve July 10th, 2023 Meeting Minutes
  - Approve July 24th, 2023 Meeting Minutes
- The following announcements were made by the Superintendent – Mr. Girdner
  - September Regular BOE Meeting – Monday, September 11th @ 5:30PM
  - School Starts on Tuesday, August 22
- The Board of Education approved the 2023 Comprehensive School Improvement Plan.
- The Board of Education approved the Conflict of Interest Ordinance.
- The Board of Education approved the 23-24 Local Compliance Plan for Special Education.

The Board entered Closed Session at 6:00pm –pursuant to R.S.M.O. 610.021– (2) Leasing, purchase or sale of real estate, (3) Hiring, firing, and disciplining of particular employees, (13) Individual identifiable records and ratings, (14) Records which are protected from disclosure by law

The board returned from closed session at 6:30pm

- Announcements from Closed Session included
  - Approved Part Time Technology Assistant – Rob Koon
  - Approved Extra Duty Golf Coach – Scott Lowe
  - Approved Extra Duty Lumen & MOSIS Coordinator – Kami Stark

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