

Climax Springs R-4 School District  
571 Climax Ave, Climax Springs, Missouri 65324  
**Open Tax Rate Hearing, School Board Meeting**  
Thursday, August 21, 2025, 6:00 PM  
Central Office

**TAX RATE HEARING  
OPEN MINUTES**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Carly Townsend called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M. in Central Office.

**II. ROLL CALL**

Members present: George Creamer, Cody Noell, Ryan Williams, Irene Mauss, Carly Townsend & Shannon Hodges

Members absent: Jason Rickey

Also present: Joshua L. Griffith, Dr. Karla Spear, Tori Frisbee & Amanda Tessman

**III. WELCOME VISITORS**

Welcomed visitors

**IV. APPROVE AGENDA**

Motioned by Shannon Hodges and seconded by Irene Mauss to approve the **Tax Rate Hearing agenda.**

Motion passed: 6-0 Yeas: 6 Nays: 0 Absent: Jason Rickey

**V. DISCUSSION/SETTING OF TAX RATES**

**1. Set Tax Rates**

Set Fund 1 (Incidental/General)..... \$2.40

Set Fund 2 (Special Revenue)..... \$0.05

Set Fund 3 (Debt Service)..... \$0.00

Set Fund 4 (Capital Projects)..... \$0.30

Set Tax Rate at..... \$2.75

Motioned by Ryan Williams and seconded by Ryan Williams to approve **Tax Rate of 2.75, as allowed by Amendment Two (Missouri Constitution Article X Section 11(b)).**

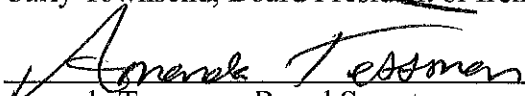
Motion passed: 6-0 Yeas: 6 Nays: 0 Absent: Jason Rickey

**VI. ADJOURN**

Motioned by Ryan Williams and seconded by Cody Noell to adjourn the tax rate hearing **@ 6:03 PM.**

Motion passed: 6-0 Yeas: 6 Nays: 0 Absent: Jason Rickey

  
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Carly Townsend, Board President or Irene Mauss, Board Vice President

  
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Amanda Tessman, Board Secretary