



Rock River Library District

Public Hearing

806 1st Avenue, Silvis, IL 61282

December 11th, 2024, at 6:15 PM

Present: Pat Held, President, Joanne Riedl, Vice President, Stacy Bawden, Treasurer, Carole Karenke, Linda Johnson, Pam Bragg and Amy Fry, Director.

1. Call to Order - The meeting was called to order by President, Pat Held at 6:17 p.m.
2. Public Hearing – Truth in Taxation: Tax Levy 24-02
 - a. Introduction of Board Members and Library Staff – Pat Held introduced the Board Members and Staff in attendance.
 - b. Hearing Notice – Pat Held read aloud the Hearing Notice

NOTICE OF PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX INCREASE FOR ROCK RIVER LIBRARY DISTRICT

I. A public hearing to approve a proposed property tax levy increase for Rock River Library District for 2024 will be held on December 11th, 2024, at 6:15 PM at the Silvis Public Library, 806 1st Avenue, Silvis, IL, 61282.

Any person desiring to appear at the public hearing and present testimony to the taxing district may contact Amy Fry, Director, 806 1st Avenue, Silvis, IL, 61282 (309) 755-3393.

II. The corporate and special purpose property taxes extended for 2023 were \$95,064. The proposed corporate and special purpose property taxes to be levied in 2024 are \$104,136.

This represents an 9.5% increase over the previous year.

III. The property taxes extended for debt service and public building commission leases for 2024 are \$0.

The estimated property taxes to be levied by debt service and public building commission leases for 2024 are \$0. This represents a 0% increase over the previous year.

IV. The total property taxes to be levied in 2024 are \$104,136. This represents an 9.5% increase over the previous year.

- c. Statement of Purpose – Pat Held stated that the purpose of the Public Hearing was to discuss the property taxes to be levied in 2024.
- d. Procedures and Guidelines – Pat Held reviewed procedures and guidelines:
 - i. Attendees are invited to sign in, but not required to do so.
 - ii. Written statements are allowed.
 - iii. Attendees may speak for a maximum of 2-3 minutes.
 - iv. The hearing must remain open, even if there are no public attendees.

e. Public Comment – Pat opened the floor up for comment. However, there was no public in attendance.

3. Adjournment - The meeting was adjourned at 6:27 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Joanne Riedl, Trustee
Rock River Library District