

TAX LEVY FOR LIBERTY CUSD #2

The Liberty School Board made the decision to keep the tax levy the same as it has been, at \$3.94, which has not changed for several years. There will be an increase in available funds to the district due to updated Equalized Assessed Value of property. It was important to the school board that they not overburden taxpayers.

On another note, the school board agreed to let the Superintendent apply for a grant from the State of Illinois that could potentially give the taxpayers tax relief of about \$613,115. This would be a one-time decrease in the Tort Fund. If the grant is awarded, the school district would be given \$533,964, which would become a part of the Evidence-Based funding in the future for Liberty schools.

Liberty CUSD is ranked 806 out of 868 schools in need of tax relief. Our likelihood of receiving this tax break is pretty slim. However, it can't hurt to apply!