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BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

IN THE MATTER OF SETTING THE)
2013-2014 PROPERTY TAX REQUEST) RESOLUTION NO. R-13-0059
FOR LANCASTER COUNTY AT A)
DIFFERENT AMOUNT THAN THAT)
OF THE PRIOR YEAR)

WHEREAS, Neb. Rev. Stat. § 77-1601.02 (Reissue 2009) provides:

The property tax request for the prior year shall be the property tax request for the current year for the purpose of the levy set by the county board of equalization in section 77-1601 unless the governing body of the County . . . passes by a majority vote a resolution or ordinance setting the tax request at a different amount. Such resolution or ordinance shall only be passed after a special public hearing called for such purpose is held and after notice is published in a newspaper of general circulation in the area of the political subdivision at least five days prior to the hearing. The hearing notice shall contain the following information: The dollar amount of the prior year's tax request and the property tax rate that was necessary to fund that tax request; the property tax rate that would be necessary to fund last year's tax request if applied to the current year's valuation; and the proposed dollar amount of the tax request for the current year and the property tax rate that will be necessary to fund that tax request. Any resolution setting a tax request under this section shall be certified and forwarded to the county clerk on or before October 13 of the year for which the tax request is to apply.

WHEREAS, on October 1, 2013, after published notice, in a newspaper of general circulation, five days prior to the special public hearing, a special public hearing was held for the purpose of setting the final tax request at an amount different than the prior year tax request; and

WHEREAS, last year's tax request for Lancaster County would provide the following rates and property tax dollars for the respective Lancaster County Funds:

<u>FUND</u>	<u>RATE</u>	<u>PROPERTY TAX REQUEST</u>
General	0.2725	54,830,174
Debt Service	0.0026	523,887
Building Fund	0.0010	204,000
Mental Health	0.0082	1,642,961
TOTAL COUNTY	0.2843	57,201,022
Rural Library	0.0202	695,610

; and

WHEREAS, on August 27, 2013, after published notice, the Lancaster County Board of Commissioners held a public hearing on its 2013-2014 Proposed Budget; and

WHEREAS, on August 27, 2013, the 2013-2014 Budget was adopted; and

WHEREAS, the 2013-2014 Budget for Lancaster County requires the following property tax request and property tax rate for the respective Lancaster County Funds:

<u>FUND</u>	<u>RATE</u>	<u>PROPERTY TAX REQUEST</u>
General	0.2778	57,919,678
Debt Service	0.0025	523,887
Building Fund	0.0010	204,000
TOTAL COUNTY	0.2813	58,647,565
Rural Library	0.0192	716,822

; and

WHEREAS, on October 1, 2013, the special public hearing to consider setting the final tax request, at an amount different than the prior year tax request, was held; and

WHEREAS, all requirements for setting the final tax request have been met.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Lancaster County, Nebraska, that last year's tax request is set aside; and that the rates and property tax dollars as set forth above to fund the 2013-2014 budget are hereby adopted.

DATED this 1st day of October, 2013, at the County-City Building, Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska.

BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS OF LANCASTER
COUNTY, NEBRASKA

APPROVED AS TO FORM
this 1st day of October, 2013.



Deputy County Attorney
for JOE KELLY
Lancaster County Attorney

