

**PARKE COUNTY AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATION
OF PERCENTAGES INCLUDED IN CAPITAL REFERENDUM QUESTION**

To: Department of Local Government Finance ("DLGF"):

I, Susan Kramer, am the Auditor of the Parke County, Indiana as of the date hereof. I have received a request on behalf of the governing body of Southwest Parke Community School Corporation (the "School Corporation") to determine the percentages to be included in the form of the ballot question for a controlled projects referendum tax pursuant to Indiana Code 6-1.1-20-3.6.

I have referred to the Memoranda by the DLGF entitled "Legislative Changes to Property Tax Referenda" (May 21, 2021) and "Property Tax Referendum Calculations" (July 27, 2021).

I have used the proposed tax rate of \$0.1686 provided by the School Corporation to certify the calculations set forth herein.

Accordingly, I have determined that the following percentages should be included in the form of the question provided by the School Corporation:

- A. Original estimated average percentage of property tax increase on a residence to be paid to the School Corporation would be 14.20%, and
- B. Original estimated average percentage of property tax increase on a business to be paid to the School Corporation would be 14.20%.

As requested by the DLGF, I have attached to this certification my data and worksheets used for purposes of the calculations.

Dated: January 31, 2025

PARKE COUNTY AUDITOR


Susan Kramer