

**LAKE COUNTY AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE OF PERCENTAGES INCLUDED IN REFERENDUM QUESTION**

**TO: Department of Local Government Finance ("DLGF")**

I, Peggy Holinga Katona, am the Auditor of Lake County as of the date hereof. I have received a request on behalf of the governing body of Lake Station School Corporation to determine the percentages to be included in the form of the ballot question for an extension of a referendum levy pursuant to Indiana Code 20-46-1-10.1.

I have referred to the Memorandum by the DLGF dated as of May 27, 2021, as supplemented, regarding the Legislative Changes to Property Tax Referenda and Property Tax Referendum Calculations.

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

- A. Original estimate average percentage of property tax increase on a residence of **46.31%** and
- B. Original estimated average percentage of property tax increase on a business of **46.31%**

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

Dated: 6/12/23

LAKE COUNTY AUDITOR

*Peggy Holinga Katona*

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