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Pinelands Regional School District

THIS BALLOT CANNOT BE VOTED. IT IS A SAMPLE COPY OF THE OFFICIAL SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION BALLOT USED ON ELECTION DAY.  
**OFFICIAL SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION**  
**PINELANDS REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT - COUNTY OF OCEAN**  
**JANUARY 24, 2017**

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR VOTING**

- To vote on the PUBLIC QUESTIONS press the button  to the right of the word "YES" or "NO"; a green "X" will appear next to your selection.
- To change a selection, press the button  again. The green "X" will disappear and you may make a new selection.
- After ALL selections have been made, press the RED CAST VOTE BUTTON located in the lower right corner. This electronically records all of your votes.
- Part the curtains and exit the voting booth.

SHOULD YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THESE INSTRUCTIONS  
PLEASE ASK THE DISTRICT BOARD WORKER BEFORE ENTERING  
THE VOTING BOOTH.

**POLLS OPEN BETWEEN  
2:00 P.M. AND 8:00 P.M.**

Additional voter information will be available  
in all polling locations or visit:

[www.elections.nj.gov](http://www.elections.nj.gov)  
[www.oceancountyclerk.com](http://www.oceancountyclerk.com)



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**IMPORTANT!  
ATTENTION VOTERS!**

Familiarize yourself with this ballot and instructions. It will assist you in voting, and save time on Election Day. All voters who can, should vote early in the day and thus avoid the possibility of congestion and inconvenience to themselves and others near the close of the polls.

**PUBLIC QUESTIONS TO BE VOTED UPON**

**PROPOSAL NO. 1**

The Board of Education of the Pinelands Regional School District in the County of Ocean, New Jersey is authorized (a) to provide for the renovation, alteration and improvements at Pinelands Regional Junior High School and Pinelands Regional High School, including acquisition and installation of fixtures, furnishings and equipment and any related site work; (b) to appropriate \$46,826,329 for the projects; and (c) to issue bonds of the school district to finance the projects in the principal amount of \$46,826,329.

The final eligible costs of the projects approved by the Commissioner of Education are \$46,826,329 consisting of \$15,052,100 for Pinelands Regional Junior High School and \$31,774,229 for Pinelands Regional High School. The aggregate amount of the cost of the projects include \$0 for school facility construction elements in addition to the facilities efficiency standards developed by the Commissioner of Education or not otherwise eligible for State support pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7G-5(g). The State debt service aid percentage will equal 40% of the annual debt service due with respect to the final eligible costs of the projects. The Board of Education is authorized to transfer funds among the projects approved at this special election.

YES

NO

**PROPOSAL NO. 2**

(Bond Proposal No. 2 will only go into effect if  
Bond Proposal No. 1 is also approved by the voters.)

The Board of Education of the Pinelands Regional School District in the County of Ocean, New Jersey is authorized (a) to provide for additional renovations, alterations and improvements at Pinelands Regional Junior High School and Pinelands Regional High School, including acquisition and installation of fixtures, furnishings and equipment and any related site work; (b) to appropriate \$4,875,448 for the projects; and (c) to issue bonds of the school district to finance the projects in the principal amount of \$4,875,448.

The final eligible costs of the projects approved by the Commissioner of Education are \$4,769,198 consisting of \$1,443,775 for Pinelands Regional Junior High School and \$3,325,423 for Pinelands Regional High School. The aggregate amount of the cost of the projects include \$106,250 for Pinelands Regional Junior High School for school facility construction elements in addition to the facilities efficiency standards developed by the Commissioner of Education or not otherwise eligible for State support pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7G-5(g). The State debt service aid percentage will equal 40% of the annual debt service due with respect to the final eligible costs of the projects. The Board of Education is authorized to transfer funds among the projects approved at this special election.

YES

NO

**PROPOSAL NO. 3**

(Bond Proposal No. 3 will only go into effect if  
Bond Proposal No. 1 is also approved by the voters.)

The Board of Education of the Pinelands Regional School District in the County of Ocean, New Jersey is authorized (a) to undertake various alterations and improvements to the athletic complex at Pinelands Regional High School, including acquisition and installation of fixtures and equipment and any related site work; (b) to appropriate \$1,943,750 for the project; and (c) to issue bonds of the school district to finance the project in the principal amount of \$1,943,750.

The final eligible costs of the project approved by the Commissioner of Education are \$937,500. The aggregate amount of the cost of the project includes \$1,006,250 for school facility construction elements in addition to the facilities efficiency standards developed by the Commissioner of Education or not otherwise eligible for State support pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7G-5(g). The State debt service aid percentage will equal 40% of the annual debt service due with respect to the final eligible costs of the project. The Board of Education is authorized to transfer funds among the projects approved at this special election.

**Interpretative Statement**

If all three bond proposals are approved by the voters at this election, the Board of Education will be authorized to undertake school district improvements for a total cost of \$53,645,527 and to issue bonds in the total principal amount of \$53,645,527 to fund the projects. The total final eligible costs of the projects approved by the Commissioner of Education are \$52,533,027 consisting of \$16,495,875 for Pinelands Regional Junior High School and \$36,037,152 for Pinelands Regional High School. The proposed improvements includes \$1,112,500 (\$106,250 allocated to Pinelands Regional Junior High School and \$1,006,250 allocated to Pinelands Regional High School) for school construction elements in addition to the facilities efficiency standards developed by the Commissioner of Education or not otherwise eligible for State support pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7G-5(g). The State debt service aid percentage will equal 40% of the annual debt service due with respect to the final eligible costs of the projects.

YES

NO

**WARNING**

DO NOT PRESS THE  
'CAST VOTE' BUTTON  
UNTIL YOU HAVE  
MADE ALL DESIRED  
SELECTIONS.

**CAST VOTE  
BUTTON**



Township of Little Egg Harbor

**YOUR POLLING PLACE**  
**ACCESSIBLE**  
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COMMISSIONER OF REGISTRATION  
COUNTY OF OCEAN  
P.O. BOX 2677  
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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Official Special School Election Sample Ballot  
In cases where the sample ballot is to be sent to an addressee who does not receive his mail by delivery to his home or through rural free delivery, it is not delivered within five days return to the Commissioner of Registration and in all other cases, if not delivered within two days return to the Commissioner of Registration.

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