## NOTICE OF SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING OF THE VOTERS OF THE LAFAYETTE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE LAFAYETTE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that pursuant to a Resolution adopted on September 11, 2024, a special meeting of the qualified voters of said School District will be held in the LaFayette Junior/Senior High School in LaFayette, New York, on October 30, 2024 from 1:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M., prevailing time, for the purpose of voting upon the following proposition by voting machine or paper ballot:

## PROPOSITION

Shall the Board of Education undertake the reconstruction, renovation, and construction of improvements and upgrades to the Junior/Senior High School, Big Picture School, Grimshaw Elementary School, District Offices and the Bus Garage, including, but not limited to, interior and exterior renovations and improvements, mechanical upgrades, replacement of certain boiler plants, HVAC equipment, removal of existing wastewater treatment plant and replace with gravity septic system, upgrades to plumbing, electrical systems and masonry, replacement and upgrades to fire alarm systems, security systems, phone systems and lighting, new lighting, bleachers, and press box at the High School Stadium, High School track improvements, gymnasium locker room renovations, upgrades and renovations to bus parking area and fuel island, site improvements, drainage, pavement and sidewalk improvements, all to include original furnishings, fixtures and equipment, architectural fees, and all other costs incidental to such work (the "Project") at a total estimated cost not to exceed \$17,200,000, and obtain the necessary funds by using \$2,623,202 from the District's Capital Reserve and, for the balance, by the levy of a tax upon the taxable property of the School District to be collected in annual installments in the years and in the amounts as the Board of Education shall determine and in anticipation of such tax shall the School District be authorized to issue up to \$14,576,798 of obligations of the School District and levy a tax to pay the interest thereon when due.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that qualified voters of the District may obtain applications for an absentee ballot or an early voting ballot from the office of the Clerk of the District. Completed applications must be received by the Clerk of the District no later than 4:00 P.M. on October 29, 2024 and must be received no later than 4:00 P.M. on October 23, 2024 if the absentee ballot is to be mailed to the voter. Completed applications received after 4:00 P.M. on October 23, 2024 will require the voter to personally appear at the office of the Clerk of the District to receive an absentee ballot. A listing of all persons to whom an absentee ballot is issued will be available for inspection by any qualified voter in the office of the Clerk of the District between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. during each of the 5 business days prior to the election.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that military ballots may be applied for by qualified voters by requesting an application from the District Clerk at 315-677-9728 or <u>phibbert@lafayetteschools.org</u>. Completed applications for military ballots must be received by the Clerk no later than 5:00 P.M. on October 4, 2024. In a request for a military ballot application or ballot, the military voter may indicate their preference for receiving the application or ballot by mail, facsimile transmission or electronic mail.

DATED: September 11, 2024

## BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION