OFFICIAL MINUTES, TAX REQUEST HEARING BOARD OF EDUCATIONAL SERVICE UNIT 13

President Mark Sinner called the tax request hearing to order at 7:16 PM on Tuesday, September 14, 2021, at the ESU 13 Main Office, 4215 Avenue I, Scottsbluff, Nebraska, for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to setting the proposed final tax request for the operation of ESU 13 at a different amount than the prior year's tax request in accordance with state statute. Hearing was governed by the Nebraska Open Meetings Act as posted. Previous public notice was given in the Star-Herald on Thursday, September 9, 2021.

Present: Diane Coon, Heather Crofutt, Steve Diemoz, Don Egging, Tim Horn, Patricia Jones, Bill Knapper, Kim Marx, Tom Millette, Ray Richards, Mark Sinner, Dr. Laura Barrett, Interim Administrator, Jodi Walker, Business Manager and Desira Martin, Treasurer. Guests: Krystie Hohnstein, Jacey Marietta, and BJ Peters.

Absent: Scott Marsh

The Board reviewed the 2021-2022 final tax request as listed below:

General Fund	\$1,800,135.01	(0.01499848)-Levy
Bond Fund	\$ <u>58,809.38</u>	(<u>0.00048999)</u> -Levy
Total Tax Request	\$1,858,944.39	(0.01548847)–Total Levy

President Sinner called for comments from the public regarding support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to setting the proposed final tax request for the operation of ESU 13 at a different amount than the prior year's tax request in accordance with state statute.

Comments in opposition: None.

No action taken. President declared the tax request hearing closed.