

**OFFICIAL RETURNS AND SUMMARY STATEMENTS OF JUDGES OF SPECIAL ELECTION AS TO
VOTE ON THE APPROVAL OF THE NEW CAPITAL PROJECT LEVY AUTHORIZATION AND
BOND QUESTION OF INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 477 (PRINCETON PUBLIC
SCHOOLS), MINNESOTA**

The undersigned, being the judges duly appointed for the special election held in and for Independent School District No. 477 (Princeton Public Schools), Minnesota, on May 12, 2026, hereby certify that we attended the polling for the election, located at Baldwin City Hall in Princeton, Minnesota and Princeton Depot Museum in Princeton, Minnesota, in the School District, on the date of the election; that the polls for the special election were duly opened at 7:00 o'clock a.m. and remained open continuously until 8:00 o'clock p.m. on said day and no longer; that the number of ballots delivered to the precinct as adjusted by the actual count made by the election judges was 5,500, that the number of unofficial ballots made was 0, and that the number of absentee ballots delivered to the precinct was 809; that the number of defective ballots was 2, that the number of spoiled ballots was 17, that the number of duplicate ballots made was 4, that the number of absentee ballots rejected was 21, and that that the number of unused ballots was 1449; that all qualified voters residing in the election precinct in which the polling place is located who appeared to vote thereat were permitted to do so and that the number of individuals who voted at the election in the precinct was 3871 which is equal to the number of ballots cast in the precinct; that the number of voters registering to vote on election day in the precinct was 54; that each person who voted was furnished by us with an official ballot in form identical with the one hereto attached; and that the special election was otherwise in all respects conducted according to law. We further certify that forthwith upon the closing of the polls for the special election, we proceeded to count the votes cast at the polling place on the new capital project levy authorization and bond question contained in the ballot, and thereupon found and determined and do hereby certify that all of the ballots cast were properly piled, checked and counted; and that the numbers entered on this summary statement correctly show the number of votes cast for and against the question. The undersigned hereby certify and declare that the votes on the question were as follows:

School District Question
Approval of School Building Bonds; New Capital Project Levy Authorization

The School Board of Independent School District No. 477 (Princeton Public Schools), Minnesota has proposed to issue general obligation school building bonds in an amount not to exceed \$51,350,000 to provide funds for the acquisition and betterment of school sites and facilities, including, but not limited to, the renovation of and additions to the Princeton High School and various deferred capital maintenance projects. The School Board of Independent School District No. 477 (Princeton Public Schools), Minnesota has proposed a new capital project levy authorization in the maximum amount

of 2.156% times the net tax capacity of the School District. The proposed capital project levy authorization will raise approximately \$750,000 for taxes first levied in 2026, payable in 2027, and will be authorized for ten (10) years. The estimated total cost of the projects to be funded is approximately \$7,500,000. The additional revenue from the proposed capital project levy authorization will be used to provide funds for school district technology, including technology systems related to safety and security, classroom and building technology, digital curriculum, support and maintenance of software, software licenses, computers, technology infrastructure and network improvements, device replacement, and to pay the costs of technology related personnel and training.

YES Shall the issuance of the general obligation school building bonds
 NO and the new capital project levy authorization proposed by the
 School Board of Independent School District No. 477 (Princeton
 Public Schools), Minnesota be approved?

<u>Votes YES</u>	<u>Votes NO</u>	<u>Undervotes</u>	<u>Overvotes</u>	<u>Total Votes</u>
1348	2521	2	0	3871

WITNESS our hands as election officers this 19th day of May, 2026.
