### 2017 School District 27J Board of Education Candidates

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# **2017 Mill Levy Override:**Ballot Issue 3D - Fact Sheet

## TOOLS - \$3.6 million



1-to-Web \$2 Million

Mill funds will allow 27J to connect students to the technology and digital resources they need to take learning beyond the classroom.



#### 21st Century Curriculum - \$1.6 Million

The average textbook in 27J is 13 years old. To compete and succeed, students need newer materials. Mill levy funds will launch a resource update cycle, starting with Math and English, that will boost learning and allow 27J to compete with other Denver metro districts.

# TALENT - \$6 million



#### **Staff Compensation**

\$5 Million

27J currently offers the lowest beginning teacher salary out of all 15 Denver metro area dis-

tricts. To be able to recruit and keep high quality staff and teachers, 27J has to offer more competitive salaries.



#### **Additional Staff**

\$1 Million

New support staff will help students overcome social and emotional obstacles to academic and personal

success. 27J will start by placing a counselor in every elementary school in the district.

## CHARTER PARTNERS - \$2.4 million



27J has a long history of working with charter schools in the district. 20% of all mill levy funds will be shared with 27J charter school partners, who will use the funds to bolster their talent and tools, in proportion with 27J's allocation.

## Portion of Mill Levy funds for administrative salaries: \$0

#### MILL LEVY OVERRIDE: BY THE NUMBERS

How much will the Mill Levy Override cost you? Additional property taxes on \$100,000 home<sup>2</sup>: Let's look at the math to give you an idea:

Total preliminary assessed valuation <sup>1</sup>: \$1,177,934,577 (Adams, Weld & Broomfield Counties)

Mills needed to generate \$12 million: 10.1873234

Preliminary AV amounts provided by counties on August 25, 2017.
Residential Assessment Rate adjusted to 7.20% from study by CO Department of Local Affairs, April 2017.

per day