



Illinois School Referenda Election Results - April 6, 2021

Results of the April 6, 2021, referenda related to public school districts in Illinois reveal that 13 of the 21 questions, or 62%, were successful and 8 of the 21 questions, or 38%, were defeated. The results of the tax referenda, based on unofficial tallies gathered by an IASA email survey and internet research, are reported in two sections: successful and unsuccessful. The school districts are listed by IASA Region and then by county within the Region; the county is determined by the location of the district's administrative office.

Analysis of Results

Bond Issues	Number Passed	Number Defeated	Total
Building	3	3	6
Other Questions	Number Passed	Number Defeated	Total
Board	7	3	10
County Sales Tax	1	0	1
PTELL	0	1	1
Tax	2	1	3
TOTAL PASSED - 14		TOTAL DEFEATED - 7	TOTAL - 21

Successful Referenda

IASA Region	County	District/County	Category	Amount or Question	Vote Yes	Vote No
Abe Lincoln	Logan	Logan County	County Sales Tax	1%	1506	636
CIV	Peoria	Limestone CHSD #310	Bond - Building	\$7,800,000	1099	1017
Cook South	Cook	Lemont-Bromberek CSD #113A	Tax	0.29%	2859	1137
Corn Belt	Iroquois	Iroquois County CUSD #9	Bond - Building	\$17,125,000	962	271
Egyptian	Jefferson	Field CCSD #3	Bond - Building	\$2,600,000	199	109
Illini	Coles, Douglas	Arcola CUSD #306	Advisory	Shall members of the Board of Education of Arcola Community Unit School District No. 306, Coles and Douglas Counties, Illinois, be elected in 2023 and thereafter, at large and without restriction by area of residence within the district instead of the current restriction that not more than three (3) members on the board of education may be selected from one (1) congressional township in the school district?	309	163
Illini	Edgar	Edgar County CUSD #6	Advisory	Shall members of the Board of Education of Chrisman Community Unit School District No. 6, Edgar County, Illinois, be elected in 2019 and thereafter, at large and without restriction by area of residence within the district instead of the current restriction that not more than three (3) members on the board of education may be selected from one (1) congressional township in the school district?	192	57
Northwest	Ogle, Winnebago	Meridian CUSD #223	Tax	3.48%	1161	770
Northwest	Jo Daviess, Stephenson	Lena Winslow CUSD #202	Advisory	Shall the members of the Board of Education of Lena-Winslow Community Unit School District Number 202, Stephenson and Jo Daviess Counties, Illinois, in accordance with Section 10-10.5(b) of the School Code of the State of Illinois, be elected at large and without restriction by area of residence within said School District rather than in accordance with the provisions of Section 10-10.5(a) of the School Code of the State of Illinois, as amended, which require mandatory board representation according to congressional townships?	401	382
Southwestern	Monroe	Valmeyer CUSD #3	Advisory	Shall members of the Board of Education of Valmeyer Community Unit School District No. 3, Monroe County, Illinois, be elected in 2021 and thereafter, at large and without restriction by area of residence within the district instead of the current restriction that not more than three (3) members on the board of education may be selected from one (1) congressional township in the school district?	159	80

Starved Rock	Bureau, Lee	La Moille CUSD #303	Advisory	Shall members of the Board of Education of La Moille C.U.S.D. #303, Bureau and Lee Counties, Illinois, be elected in 2021 and thereafter, at large and without restriction by area of residence within the district instead of the current restriction that not more than three (3) members on the board of education may be selected from one (1) congressional township in the school district?	180	48
Three Rivers	Will	Wilmington CUSD #209U	Advisory	Shall the members of the Board of Education of Wilmington Community Unit School District 209U be elected at large rather than by school board district? (1) if the majority of the people voting in each school board district vote in favor the proposition, then the proposition will have been deemed passed; and (2) if a majority of those voting at the election in each school board district vote in favor of the proposition new members of the board shall be elected at large at the next regular school election?	741	435
Wabash Valley	Clark	Martinsville CUSD #3C	Advisory	Shall the members of the Board of Education of Martinsville Community Unit School District No. C-3 be elected at large from within the school district and without restriction by area of residence within congressional townships within the school district in accordance with Section 10-10.5 of the School Code (105 ILCS 5/10-10.5)?	231	124
Unsuccessful Referenda						
IASA Region	County	District/County	Category	Amount or Question	Vote Yes	Vote No
Abe Lincoln	Christian	Taylorville CUSD #3	Advisory	Shall members of the Board of Education of Taylorville Community Unit School District No. 3, Christian County, Illinois, be elected in 2021 and thereafter, at large and without restriction by area of residence within the district instead of the current restriction that not more than three (3) members on the board of education may be selected from one (1) congressional township in the school district?	1125	2172
Abe Lincoln	Sangamon	Tri City CUSD #1	PTCELL	Shall the limiting rate under the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law for Tri-City Community Unit School District Number 1, Sangamon County, Illinois, be increased by an additional amount equal to 0.07% above the limiting rate for school purposes for levy year 2019 and be equal to 3.92% of the equalized assessed value of the taxable property therein for levy year 2021?	260	286
Kaskaskia	Bond, Montgomery	Bond County CUSD #2	Bond - Building	Shall the Board of Bond County Community Unit School District #2, Bond County, Illinois, be authorized to issue bonds to fund phases of the proposed improvement projects, resulting in real estate tax increases for citizens in the BCCU#2 school district?	991	1687
Lake	Lake	Warren Twp HSD #121	Tax	0.35%	3666	4633
*Three Rivers	Kankakee	Momence CUSD #1	Advisory	Shall the members of the Board of Education of Momence Community Unit School District No. 1, Kankakee County, Illinois, be elected at large and without restriction by area of residence within the school district? *Did not pass in all areas. No votes listed.	0	0
Three Rivers	Will	Crete Monee CUSD #201U	Bond - Building	\$65,250,000	1719	2342
Wabash Valley	Clay, Cumberland, Effingham, Jasper, Richland	Jasper County CUD #1	Bond - Building	\$15,700,000	726	1040
Wabash Valley	Effingham	Teutopolis CUSD #50	Advisory	Shall the members of the Board of Education of Teutopolis CUSD #50 be elected at large? *Did not pass in all areas. No votes listed.	460	323