

## **PUBLIC QUESTION**

Shall the Board of Education of the Borough of Newfield, be authorized to increase its adjusted tax levy by \$243,000 more than the allowable adjusted tax levy, which is 3% more than the allowable adjusted tax levy and shall it be authorized to adopt the 2020-2021 School Budget in excess of the increase limitation of \$243,000.

### **Explanatory Statement**

The following identifies the changes in appropriations or revenues that warranted the Board's decision to ask the public question: Newfield is a non-operating district and the tuition it is required to pay to the Delsea Regional Board of Education for a prior years' unanticipated increase in student enrollment puts Newfield above the 2% cap. In order to provide a Thorough and Efficient education to the students of Newfield, the Newfield Board is required to pay the full amount of the tuition charged for the education of these students.

A "yes" vote will authorize the Board to adopt a budget that provides for an increase in the tax levy over the allowable property tax levy cap at the rate described in the ballot question. Approval will affect only the current year and will not result in a permanent increase in the levy.

A "no" vote means that the Board will not be permitted to adopt a budget that includes an increase in the tax levy at a rate described in the ballot question.

YES

NO