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An application and complete job descriptions can be found at www.ieca.coop under Employment Opportunities or picked up from the Licking district office, located at 102 Maple Ave., Licking, Missouri. To be considered, a completed application must be submitted to IECA before 5:00 pm, Wednesday, August 19, 2026.
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Notice of Public			
Wright County will hold a public hearing to adopt their 2026 tax rate.			
The meeting will be held at the County Commission Room in the Courthouse			
in Hartville at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday August 25th, 2026			
The 2024 Assessed Valuations were:		The 2025 Assessed Valuations are:	
\$ 208,506,380.00	Real Estate	\$ 212,803,166.00	Real Estate
\$ 75,099,957.00	Personal Property	\$ 77,406,451.00	Personal Property
\$ 283,606,337.00	Total valuation.	\$ 290,209,617.00	Total valuation.
The 2025 Tax Rate Ceiling was 0.0600			
<i>Loni Pedersen</i>			
Loni Pedersen, County Clerk			

**Mountain Grove R-III School District
Mountain Grove, MO
Tax Rate Hearing Notice**

A hearing will be held at 6:00 PM, August 19, 2026, Mountain Grove High School Media Center, Mountain Grove, MO at which time citizens may be heard on property tax rates proposed to be set by the Mountain Grove R-III School District. The tax rates are set to produce revenues required from the property tax as shown in the budget for fiscal year July 1, 2026. Each tax rate is determined by dividing the amount of revenue required by the current assessed value. The result is multiplied by 100 so the tax rate will be expressed in cents per \$100.

Assessed Valuation (by categories)

	Estimated Current Tax Year 2026	Prior Tax Year 2025
Real Estate	\$109,305,357	\$107,533,748
Personal Property	\$ 40,280,232	\$ 36,814,387
Total	\$149,585,589	\$144,348,135

The following tax rates are proposed:

Fund	Amount of Property Tax Revenues Budgeted	Proposed Tax Rate (per \$100)
Incidental	\$4,113,604	\$2.75
Teachers	\$0	\$0.00
Capital	\$0	\$0.00
Debt Service	\$0	\$0.00
	\$4,113,604	\$2.75

New Revenue from New Construction and Improvements:	\$149,994
New Revenue from Reassessment:	-\$ 5,964
Percentage of New Revenue from Reassessment:	-0.1502%

*Actual amounts may be affected by state assessed property income and changes in valuations after the Board of Equalization.
*These calculations are based on a collection rate of 100%
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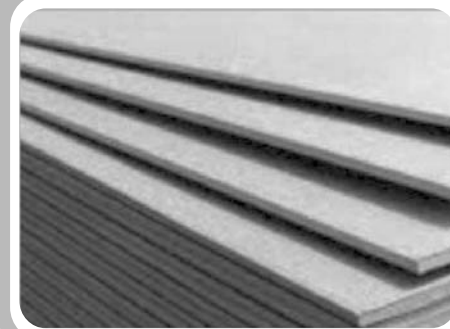
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A hearing will be held at 5:25 p.m., August 10, 2026 at the Mansfield School District Board Room at which time citizens may be heard on the property tax rates proposed to be set by the Mansfield R-IV School District, a political subdivision. The tax rates are set to produce the revenues from the property tax required by the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026. Each tax rate is determined by dividing the amount of revenue needed by the current assessed valuation. The result is multiplied by 100 so the tax rate will be expressed in cents per \$100 valuation. (*Estimates reflect the most accurate information at the time of posting. If necessary, changes can be made by the Board of Education at the Tax Rate Hearing.)				
Assessed Valuation (AV) (by categories)	2026-27	2025-26		
Real Estate	\$48,566,460	\$47,313,190		
Personal Property	\$16,100,206	\$15,741,278		
Combined Real Estate & Personal Property	\$64,666,666	\$63,054,468		
Less AV in Tax Increment Financing (TIF)	\$0	\$0		
Adjusted Assessed Valuation on Which Tax Revenue is Received	\$64,666,666	\$63,054,468		
New Construction & Improvements (Included in AV Total above)	\$1,255,730	\$1,735,540		
The following Tax Rates are Proposed by Fund:	Amount of Property Tax Revenues Budgeted (assumes 100% collection)	Proposed Property Tax Rate (per \$100)	Amount of Calculated Property Tax Revenue From Prior Year	Property Tax Rate (per \$100)
Incidental	\$2,065,583	\$3.1910	\$2,010,870	\$3.1891
Teacher	\$0	\$0.0000	\$0	\$0.0000
Debt Service	\$0	\$0.0000	\$0	\$0.0000
Capital Projects	\$0	\$0.0000	\$0	\$0.0000
Total	\$2,065,583	\$3.1910	\$2,010,870	\$3.1891
Total New Revenue (operating funds only):	\$52,643	Board of Education Mansfield Kati Pyle, President Courtne Glenn , Secretary		
New Revenue from New Construction and Improvements:	\$51,524			
New Revenue from Reassessment:	\$1,120			
Percentage of New Revenue from Reassessment:	0.06%			

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

For default in the payment of debt secured by a deed of trust executed by John Bordonaro, dated September 13, 2024, and recorded on September 17, 2024, Document No. 202402143, in Book No. 326, at Page 7131 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, Wright County, Missouri, the undersigned Successor Trustee will on August 19, 2026, at 10:00 AM, at the Front Door of the Wright County Courthouse, Hartville, Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash:

Tract 4: A parcel of land being a part of the Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of Section 26, Township 29 North, Range 15 West of the 5th P.M., in Wright County, Missouri, the boundary being more particularly described as follows: Commencing from an existing aluminum capped pin at the Northwest corner of said NW 1/4 of Section 26, thence S88°22'22"E, along the North line of said NW 1/4, 624.07 feet for the point of beginning; thence continuing S88°22'22"E, 40.00 feet; thence S 01°51'02"W, 615.71 feet; thence S88°22'22"E, 655.05 feet; thence S01°45'36"W, 856.05 feet; thence N88°05'25"W, 300.00 feet; thence S01°45'36"W, 522.00 feet; thence N88°05'25"W, 687.74 feet; thence N02°07'09"E, 40.00 feet; thence S88°05'25"E, 647.49 feet; thence N01°45'36"E, 775.85 feet; thence N88°22'22"W, 665.11 feet; thence N01°51'02"E, 655.71 feet to the point of beginning, commonly known as 2827 Lois Lane, Mansfield, MO, 65704 subject to all prior easements,

WRIGHT COUNTY LEGALS

on Slide 60 in the County Recorder's Office. Also, having rights to a Forty (40) feet wide ingress and egress easement as shown on Survey by O&M Surveying, LLC, dated September 21, 2023. Bearings are based on the Missouri Coordinate System of 1983, Central Zone. Having rights to a Forty (40) feet wide ingress and egress easement being a part of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section 26, Township 29 North, Range 15 West, of the 5th P.M., in Wright County, Missouri, the boundary being more particularly described as follows: Commencing from an existing aluminum capped pin at the Northwest corner of said NW 1/4 of Section 26, thence S88°22'22"E, along the North line of said NW 1/4, 624.07 feet for the point of beginning; thence continuing S88°22'22"E, 40.00 feet; thence S 01°51'02"W, 615.71 feet; thence S88°22'22"E, 655.05 feet; thence S01°45'36"W, 856.05 feet; thence N88°05'25"W, 300.00 feet; thence S01°45'36"W, 522.00 feet; thence N88°05'25"W, 687.74 feet; thence N02°07'09"E, 40.00 feet; thence S88°05'25"E, 647.49 feet; thence N01°45'36"E, 775.85 feet; thence N88°22'22"W, 665.11 feet; thence N01°51'02"E, 655.71 feet to the point of beginning, commonly known as 2827 Lois Lane, Mansfield, MO, 65704 subject to all prior easements,

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Wright County Health Department of Wright County will hold a public hearing to adopt their 2025 tax rate. The meeting will be held at the Wright County Health Department Hartville office at 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, August 12, 2026. The 2025 Assessed Valuations were: \$208,506,380 Real Estate; \$75,099,957 Personal Property; \$283,606,337 Total Valuation. The 2026 Assessed Valuations are: \$212,803,166 Real Estate; \$77,406,451 Personal Property; \$290,209,617 Total Valuation. The 2025 Tax Rate Ceiling was 0.0726. The 2026 Tax Rate Ceiling is 0.0726.

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2026-27 MOUNTAIN GROVE PANTHERS BACK TO SCHOOL

Back to School Night Thursday, Aug. 20th-

- *Three year olds are invited from 5:00-6:00 pm and four year olds invited from 6:00-7:00 pm. Parents may bring an extra set of clothes and turn in information sheets.
- *EL- 5:00-6:30 pm. Parents and students are welcome to tour the building and classroom, bring in supplies, and meet the teachers and staff.
- *MS- Middle School (Grade 5-8) open house will be from 5:30-7:00 pm at the middle school. Students will be able to pick up schedules, information packets, and meet their teachers.

HS Freshmen Info.-

*Students are encouraged to come anytime after August 10th to walk their schedules & get familiar with the school.

When does school start?

Classes for all Mountain Grove Schools will start on Tuesday, August 25th.

What time does school start and end?

EL: The elementary doors will open at 7:35 am to begin parent and bus drop off. The school day begins at 8:00 am. The elementary school day ends at 3:30 pm.

MS: Middle School doors open at 7:30 am. Start time is 7:55 am. Bus release time is 3:21 pm and pickup time is 3:24 pm.

HS: The HS opens at 7:25 am. First bell at 7:45 am, and the tardy bell is at 7:50 am. The school day ends at 3:21 pm.

OMTC: The OMTC opens at 7:25 am. The first bell is at 7:45 am, and the tardy bell is at 7:50 am. The school day ends at 3:21 pm.

How much for breakfast/lunch?

- Breakfast- (K-12 students) \$1.60
- Lunch- (K-4th students) \$2.10
- Lunch- (5th-12th students) \$2.60
- Reduced Breakfast- \$.30
- Reduced lunch- \$.40

When and how do students register?

As of August 1st, all students can register online through their Teacher Ease account. Any questions about registration can be answered by the school principal.

What should new students bring to register?

All new students will need proof of residency, birth certificate, immunization records, a social security card or state ID documentation, personal contact information, numbers of relatives or friends as emergency contacts, and parents' or guardians' place of employment including address and phone number.

What about transportation?

Mr. Greg Dysart is the District Transportation Director and is available at (417) 926-3300 for all questions concerning bus routes, pickups and dropoffs.

Do students need immunization records?

Students in grades K-12 need to be in compliance with state regulations for immunization health records before entering school. Students entering the 8th and 9th grades must receive the following immunizations before school starts: Tdap, which contains the pertussis vaccine. Tdap is required for students enrolled in the 8th and 9th grades who have completed the recommended childhood DTap/DTP vaccination series and have not received a Tdap booster dose within the past two years. Kindergarten immunizations must also be up to date by the first day of school.

Where do parents get information about policies, procedures and current information?

All of our K-12 students have access to a handbook either online or a printed copy. The policies and procedures for the school district are covered thoroughly in each handbook. We also use our school website, the district messaging account and district Facebook to relay information throughout the school year.

School Contact numbers-

- Elementary Principal, Dr. Shawna Gruben- (417) 926-3177, Ext. 2
- Middle School Principal, Dr. Lori Golden- (417) 926-3177, Ext. 3
- High School Principal, Dr. Kerri Rodgers- (417) 926-3177, Ext. 4
- OMTC Director, Mrs. Lisa Watson - (417) 926-3177 Ext. 5
- Special Education Director, Dr. Erin Swofford- (417) 926-3177, Ext. 1

MOUNTAIN GROVE R-III 2026-2027 SCHOOL CALENDAR

- Aug 10

Aug 13-14

Aug 17-24

Aug 25

Oct 12

Oct 16

Oct 22

Nov 16

Nov 23-27

Dec 18

Dec 21-Jan 3

Jan 4

Jan 5

Feb 1

Mar 12

Mar 15

May 9

May 14

June 1-25
- First Day Fall Sports

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Teacher Work Days

First Day of School

PD Day- (No Students)

End of 1st Quarter

Early Dismissal- Parent/Teacher Conferences 1:30-6:30 pm

PD Day- (No Students)

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End of 2nd Quarter

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2nd semester begins

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End of 3rd Quarter

PD Day (No Students)

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Last Day of School

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