



MCCORMICK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

2026 REFERENDUM FACT SHEET

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CAPITAL INVESTMENT AND PROJECT SCOPE

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Expanded spaces to support Career and Technical Education (CTE) and Fine Arts programs



FISCAL IMPACT ON TAXPAYERS

Implementation of this referendum will result in

NO INCREASE TO THE CURRENT TAX RATE.

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VOTING INFORMATION

When and how can I vote?



The referendum will be presented to voters during the

GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 3, 2026.

Eligibility is extended to all registered voters residing within McCormick County.



WHERE CAN I LEARN MORE?

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Email questions to
bond2026@mcsd1.org



UPCOMING COMMUNITY MEETINGS



MCCORMICK COUNTY COALITION

Date: Tuesday, September 22

Time: 10 am

Location: Cornerstone, 504 N Mine St, McCormick, SC 29835



SLV TOWN HALL

Date: Thursday, October 1

Time: 5 pm

Location: SLV Recreation Center, 385 Country Club Drive



CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Date: Tuesday, October 6

Time: 9:00 am

Location: Chamber of Commerce Breakfast at Historic Downtown Hotel



COFFEE AND CONVERSATIONS

Date: Saturday, October 17

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Location: MCSD Educational Complex, MMS Gymnasium



COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING

Date: Tuesday, October 20

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Location: County Administration Building



Additional briefing dates and referendum developments will be communicated through official District channels as schedules are finalized.



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Community Engagement

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Upcoming Community Meetings

Laura Grove Baptist Church

- **Date:** Sunday, August 30
- **Time:** 10 am
- **Location:** 122 Burning Bush Ln, Clarks Hill, SC 29821

McCormick Democratic Party

- **Date:** Tuesday, September 1
- **Time:** 6 pm
- **Location:** Paul Dennis Center, 123 N. Main Street, McCormick, SC 29835

Parent University

- **Date:** Wednesday, September 9
- **Time:** 10 am
- **Location:** McCormick Middle School, Room 302

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