



## Community Meetings Levies 2010

As part of Seattle Public Schools' engagement process, the community is invited to three meetings designed to share information about two levies which will be placed before the voters as a special election on February 9, 2010.

The Operations Levy renews every three years and represents about 22 percent of the District's annual general fund budget and supports basic educational programs not fully funded by the state.

The Buildings, Technology and Academics III (BTA III) Capital Levy is placed before the voters every six years and funds hundreds of small renovations and major maintenance projects, technology and academic initiatives.

Preliminary levies funding recommendations were presented at a School Board work session September 2 at the John Stanford Center. A report is posted to our Web site.

The purpose of the community meetings is to inform the public, present information and answer questions. Interpreters will be at the workshops for the following languages: Amharic, Cambodian, Chinese, Oromo, Somali, Spanish, Tagalog, Tigrigna and Vietnamese.

### Community Meetings dates, times and locations:

<b>Tuesday, Sept. 22</b> 6:30-8 p.m.	<b>Thursday, Sept. 24</b> 6:30-8 p.m.	<b>Monday, Sept. 28</b> 6:30-8 p.m.
<b>Library, Mercer MS</b> 1600 S. Columbian Way	<b>Library, Madison MS</b> 3429 45th Ave. S.W.	<b>Library, Eckstein MS</b> 3003 N.E. 75th St.

For more details, visit [www.seattleschools.org](http://www.seattleschools.org) and select "Levies 2010." Comments may be e-mailed to [2010levies@seattleschools.org](mailto:2010levies@seattleschools.org) or mailed to Levies 2010, Seattle Public Schools, M.S. 22-336, P.O. Box 34165, Seattle, WA 98124-1165.

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