

## **Resolution 2025-01**

## **Resolution in support of Proposition SCSD**

## No-Tax-Rate Increase Bond Issue That Provides \$90 Million to Improve and Maintain School Facilities

WHEREAS, the St. Charles Regional Chamber is committed to supporting initiatives that enhance the quality of education and promote economic growth within our community; and

WHEREAS, the St. Charles School District Board of Education has placed Proposition SCSD on the April 8, 2025, ballot; and

WHEREAS, Proposition SCSD is a no-tax-rate increase bond issue that would provide \$90 million to improve and maintain school facilities without raising the current property tax rate; and

WHEREAS, the passage of Proposition SCSD will allow the district to address critical infrastructure needs, including but not limited to:

- Roofing repairs and replacements at multiple schools,
- Renovations to improve accessibility, safety, and modern learning spaces,
- HVAC updates to improve energy efficiency and comfort, and
- Replacing aging buses to ensure safer commutes for students; and

WHEREAS, addressing these necessary improvements now will help save money in the long run and ensure a safe and effective learning environment for students, supporting the workforce of the future; and

WHEREAS, a strong and well-maintained school system is essential to the economic vitality and continued success of our region;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the St. Charles Regional Chamber formally supports Proposition SCSD and encourages residents to vote in favor of this important initiative on April 8, 2025.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 18th day of February, 2025, by the St. Charles Regional Board of Directors.

By:

Kate Flett, 2025 Chairman of the Board

Attest:

Sean Johnson, 2025 Secretary