

## **Nov 19 Notes**

### **People's experience**

1. We are all passionate about this issue
2. We were opposed to the levy AND care about the schools
3. We all care about our families and children
4. In our small group discussion we remembered that "we are all people" and can respect each other.
5. I've been losing sleep
6. We all support the schools
7. Things went too fast
8. We are wondering: "Now what are we going to do TOGETHER?"
9. I've been: anxious, uncertain, lost, scared
10. I felt bad about being a no vote
11. I felt forced into a corner because the two levies were bundled
12. It sucked to be a district employee, especially if a resident

### **What does the big loss mean?**

1. Need more building detail
2. We love our teachers -- the loss wasn't about you
3. Get off social media
4. Need more transparency in decision making process
5. We all bring strengths to the process
6. Don't bundle levies
7. What really failed -- the new operating money or the bonds for buildings?
8. We don't want to fail more levies and become Little Miami
9. The levy would have hurt City of Loveland
10. We must find better ways to talk and especially listen
11. We need to understand each other's "why"
12. We need to listen to understand, not rebut
13. We need to live within our means, especially because we have a socio-economically diverse population
14. The district didn't really hear us or involve us enough or in the right way
15. Is Dec 10 enough time to decide on next steps?
16. Can we get through the animosity?
17. Nice to hear that no voters care about the staff
18. The world is not coming to an end
19. If we stop shouting we can figure this out