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MANISTEE COUNTY

COUNTY PROPOSALS

MANISTEE PROPOSAL

MANISTEE COUNTY 911/CENTRAL DISPATCH MILLAGE RENEWAL

Shall the County of Manistee renew a previous voted increase in the tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution on General ad valorem taxes within the County of Manistee at 1.000 mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) for the period of 2018 through 2023, inclusive, to operate, maintain, and upgrade the 911 emergency response telecommunication system and Central Dispatch system in Manistee County, and shall the County of Manistee levy such renewal in millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$1,105,425.

MANISTEE PROPOSAL

MANISTEE COUNTY LIBRARY MILLAGE RENEWAL

Shall the County of Manistee renew a previous voted increase in the tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution on General ad valorem taxes within the County of Manistee at 1.000 mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) for the period of 2018 through 2023, inclusive, for operational and building maintenance cost at the Manistee County Library, and shall the County of Manistee levy such a renewal in millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$1,105,425.

MANISTEE PROPOSAL

CONSERVATION DISTRICT MILLAGE RENEWAL

Shall the tax limitation under Article IX, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution on general ad valorem taxes within the County of Manistee be renewed for the Manistee Conservation District at 0.100 mills (or \$0.10 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for the period of 2019 through 2023 inclusive, to help the district fund conservation programs that assist local landowners in the protection, enhancement, and restoration of natural resources, including invasive species control, household hazardous waste collection, water quality monitoring, timberland management, and forest restoration within Manistee County, and shall the County of Manistee levy such millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first renewal year an estimated \$110,542.

BEAR LAKE TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL

TOWNSHIP FIRE AND RESCUE OPERATIONS RENEWAL

Shall Bear Lake Township, Manistee County, Michigan, increase the constitutional limitation on the total amount of general ad valorem taxes imposed upon real and tangible personal property for all purposes in Bear Lake Township, Manistee County, Michigan, by up to an additional one-half (1/2) mill (\$0.50 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) and levy an additional one-half (1/2) mill (\$0.50 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of five (5) years (2018-2022, inclusive) for Township fire and rescue operations? (This is a renewal of the one-half (1/2) mill for Township Fire and rescue operations which expired in 2017; if approved, it is estimated that the revenue generated by this proposal in the first year would be \$38,142.00.)

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BEAR LAKE TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL

TOWNSHIP FIRE AND RESCUE EQUIPMENT RENEWAL

Shall Bear Lake Township, Manistee County, Michigan, increase the constitutional limitation on the total amount of general ad valorem taxes imposed upon real and tangible personal property for all purposes in Bear Lake Township, Manistee County, Michigan, by up to an additional one-quarter (1/4) mill (\$0.25 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) and levy an additional one-quarter (1/4) mill (\$0.25 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of five (5) years (2018-2022, inclusive) for fire fighting and emergency response equipment acquisition and operating purposes? (This is a renewal of the one quarter (1/4) mill fire fighting and emergency response equipment acquisition and operating purposes which expired in 2017; if approved, it is estimated that the revenue generated by this proposal in the first year would be \$19,071.00)

FILER TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL

GARBAGE AND TRASH DISPOSAL - RENEWAL

Shall the Charter Township of Filer, Manistee County, Michigan, increase the constitutional limitation on the total amount of general ad valorem taxes imposed upon real and tangible personal property for all purposes in the Charter Township of Filer, Manistee County, Michigan, by one (1) mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) and levy the amount of one (1) mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of five (5) years (2018 – 2022, inclusive) for the purpose of defraying the cost of garbage and trash removal within the Charter Township of Filer?

This is a renewal of the prior one (1) mill levy for garbage and trash removal that expired in 2017; if approved, it is estimated that the revenue generated by this proposal in the first year would be \$145,303. The revenues generated by this proposal will be disbursed to the Charter Township of Filer. A portion of the millage may be subject to capture by and disbursed to the Charter Township of Filer Downtown Development Authority.

FILER TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL

FIRE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS - RENEWAL

Shall the Charter Township of Filer, Manistee County, Michigan, increase the constitutional limitation on the total amount of general ad valorem taxes imposed upon real and tangible personal property for all purposes in the Charter Township of Filer, Manistee County, Michigan, by one-half (1/2) mill (\$0.50 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) and levy one-half (1/2) mill (\$0.50 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of five (5) years (2018-2022, inclusive) for township fire and rescue operations within the Charter Township of Filer?

This is a renewal of the prior one-half (1/2) mill for township fire and rescue operations that expired in 2017; if approved, it is estimated that the revenue generated by this proposal in the first year would be \$72,652. The revenues generated by this proposal will be disbursed to the Charter Township of Filer. A portion of the millage may be subject to capture by and disbursed to the Charter Township of Filer Downtown Development Authority.

NORMAN TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL

AMBULANCE OPERATIONS

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Shall Norman Township, Manistee County, Michigan, increase the constitutional limitation on the total amount of general ad valorem taxes imposed upon real and tangible personal property for all purposes in Norman Township, Manistee County, Michigan, by an additional one (1) mill (\$1.00 per \$1000 taxable valuation) and levy an additional one (1) mill (\$1.00 per \$1000 of taxable valuation) for a period of two (2) years (2018-2019, inclusive) for Township ambulance operations and maintenance? (This is a renewal request of the one (1) mill for ambulance operations and maintenance for two (2) years which expired in 2017. If approved, it is estimated that the revenue generated by this proposal in the first year would be approximately \$60,729.09.)

NORMAN TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL**FIRE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS**

Shall Norman Township, Manistee County, Michigan, increase the constitutional limitation on the total amount of general ad valorem taxes imposed upon real and tangible personal property for all purposes in Norman Township, Manistee County, Michigan, by an additional two (2) mills (\$2.00 per \$1000 of taxable valuation) and levy an additional two (2) mills (\$2.00 per \$1000 of taxable valuation) for a period of two (2) years (2018-2019, inclusive) for Township Fire Department operations and maintenance? (This is a renewal of the two (2) mills for Township Fire Department operations and maintenance for two (2) years which expired in 2017. If approved, it is estimated that the revenue generated by this proposal in the first year would be approximately \$121,458.18.)

BEAR LAKE TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL**TOWNSHIP FIRE AND RESCUE VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT RENEWAL**

Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be levied by the Township of Bear Lake, Manistee County, Michigan, against taxable property in the Township by up to .75 mill (\$0.75 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of five (5) years 2018-2022, inclusive for purpose of providing funds for the purchase of fire department vehicles and related equipment. This renewal, if approved and levied in its entirety, it is estimated that the revenue generated by this proposal in the first year would be \$57,214.00.)

ONEKAMA TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL**ONEKAMA TOWNSHIP FIRE/RESCUE MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION**

Shall the previously voted increase in the tax limitation imposed by Section 6, Article IX of Michigan Constitution of 1963 on general ad valorem taxes within Onekama Township, Manistee County, Michigan, of one (1) mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value), reduced to .9984 mill by the required millage rollbacks, be renewed at, and increased up to, the original voted one (1) mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years, 2019-2022, inclusive, for the purpose of funding Onekama Township's fire-rescue department operating, capital improvement and capital acquisition functions, including the purchase of firefighting and emergency response equipment; and shall Onekama Township levy such millage for said purpose, thereby, raising in the first year an estimated \$156,604. This is a renewal of the previously authorized millage for the fire department which expires in 2018.

BROWN TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL**FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICES MILLAGE RENEWAL**

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Shall Brown Township, Manistee County, Michigan increase the constitutional limitation on the total amount of general ad valorem taxes imposed upon real and tangible personal property for all purposes in Brown Township, Manistee County, Michigan by an additional one (1) mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) and levy the additional one (1) mill for a period of three (3) years (2019 – 2021 inclusive) for fire protection and rescue services in Brown Township? This is a renewal request of the one (1) mill for fire protection and rescue services within Brown Township which expires in 2019. If approved, it is estimated that the revenue generated by this proposal in the first year would be \$26,887.

BROWN TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL**ROAD CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE MILLAGE RENEWAL**

Shall Brown Township, Manistee County, Michigan increase the constitutional limitation on the total amount of general ad valorem taxes imposed upon real and tangible personal property for all purposes in Brown Township, Manistee County, Michigan by up to an additional 2 (two) mills (\$2.00 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) and levy up to an additional 2 (two) mills for a period of 4 (four) years (2018 – 2021 inclusive) for the purpose of providing funds for road construction and maintenance within the Township? This is a renewal request of the 2 (two) mills for road construction and maintenance in Brown Township which expires in 2018. If approved, it is estimated that the revenue generated by this proposal in the first year would be \$53,774.

BEAR LAKE PROPOSAL**VILLAGE OF BEAR LAKE PROPOSAL TO APPROVE ORDINANCE NO. 10 OF 2017**

Shall Ordinance No. 10 of 2017, which provides for the appointment of the village clerk and village treasurer, and which was enacted by the Bear Lake Village Council October 18, 2017, be approved and take effect?

BEAR LAKE PROPOSAL**VILLAGE OF BEAR LAKE PROPOSAL TO AUTHORIZE ISSUANCE OF MUNICIPAL SECURITIES**

Shall the Village of Bear Lake, Manistee County, Michigan, be authorized to issue municipal securities pursuant to Act 34, Public Acts of Michigan, 2001, as amended, in one or more series, in an amount of not to exceed Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$350,000) for the purpose of acquiring and constructing a new department of public works building, together with site work, parking facilities, fixtures, furnishings, equipment, and all related appurtenances and related work?

The maximum number of years the municipal securities may be outstanding, exclusive of refunding, is thirty (30) years. The Village intends to use water system revenues, park fund revenues, major and local street fund revenues and general fund moneys as the primary source of revenue to be used to retire the municipal securities. The municipal securities will be limited tax general obligations of the Village and no new taxes will be levied for their payment. The Village estimates that of its current Village millage levy, 0.193 mills (19.3 cents for each \$1,000 of taxable value) will be allocated in the first year to pay the municipal securities and the estimated simple average annual amount of millage allocated to retire the municipal securities is estimated to be 0.5019 mills (50.19 cents for each \$1,000 of taxable value). The Village's power to levy taxes to make the payments of principal and interest on the municipal securities is limited by applicable constitutional and statutory limitations on the taxing power of the Village and no new taxes are authorized to pay the principal of and interest on the municipal securities.

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MASON COUNTY EASTERN SCHOOLS PROPOSAL

MASON COUNTY EASTERN DISTRICT SINKING FUND MILLAGE PROPOSAL

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Mason County Eastern District, Mason, Lake and Manistee Counties, Michigan, be increased by and the board of education be authorized to levy not to exceed 1.25 mills (\$1.25 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 5 years, 2018 to 2022, inclusive, to create a sinking fund for school security improvements, for the acquisition or upgrading of technology, for the construction or repair of school buildings, for the purchase of real estate for school sites, and for all other purposes authorized by law; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2018 is approximately \$263,040?

BETSIE VALLEY DISTRICT LIBRARY PROPOSAL

LIBRARY MILLAGE PROPOSAL

Shall the Betsie Valley District Library, Counties of Benzie and Manistee, Michigan, be authorized to levy an amount not to exceed .35 mill (\$.35 for each \$1,000 of taxable value), of which .3497 mill is a renewal of the millage rate that expires in 2018 and .0003 mill is new additional millage to restore the millage rate previously authorized, against all taxable property within the Betsie Valley District Library district for a period of five (5) years, 2019 to 2023, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for all district library purposes authorized by law? The estimate of the revenue the Betsie Valley District Library will collect in the first year of levy (2019) if the millage is approved and levied by the Library is approximately \$60,000.