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GENESEE COUNTY

**CITY OF FENTON PROPOSALS**

**CHARTER AMENDMENT PROPOSAL NO. 1**

The Fenton City Charter, Section 11.1 allows the City to levy taxes imposed upon real and tangible personal property in excess of 13 mills for periods not to exceed 3 years, if approved by the voters. The City of Fenton desires to change its City Charter to allow any voter approved increase in taxes in excess of 13 mills to be for a period not to exceed 10 years.

Shall the amendment as proposed be adopted?

**GAINES TOWNSHIP PROPOSALS**

**PROPOSITION TO LEVY MILLAGE  
FOR THE PURPOSE OF FIRE  
OPERATIONS AND FIRE DEPARTMENT  
BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS IN GAINES TOWNSHIP**

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed each year for all purposes on real and personal property in Gaines Township be increased as provided in Section 6, Article IX of the Michigan Constitution and the Board of Trustees authorized to levy a tax up to, but not to exceed, 1.25 mills (\$1.25 per \$1,000.00), on the taxable value of such property for a period of 7 years, from 2017 through 2023 inclusive, that millage levy to be dedicated to providing funds to finance fire department operations and fire department building improvements? It is estimated that 1.25 mills would raise approximately \$221,384.85 in the first year of the levy.

**PROPOSITION TO LEVY MILLAGE  
FOR THE PURPOSE OF FIRE DEPARTMENT  
CAPITAL EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENTS IN GAINES TOWNSHIP**

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed each year for all purposes on real and personal property in Gaines Township be increased as provided in Section 6, Article IX of the Michigan Constitution and the Board of Trustees authorized to levy a tax up to, but not to exceed, .75 mills (\$.75 cents per \$1,000.00), on the taxable value of such property for a period of 10 years, from 2017 through 2026 inclusive, that millage levy to be dedicated to providing funds to finance capital equipment replacements for the fire department? It is estimated that .75 mills would raise approximately \$132,830.91 in the first year of the levy.

**FLINT COMMUNITY SCHOOLS PROPOSALS**

**PROPOSAL**

Shall the number of members on the Board of Education of the School District of the City of Flint be reduced from nine (9) to seven (7), resulting in the elimination of two (2) positions which have terms that expire on December 31, 2018?

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**FLUSHING COMMUNITY SCHOOLS PROPOSALS**

**SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT BOND PROPOSITION**

Shall the Flushing Community Schools, County of Genesee, State of Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Seventeen Million Eight Hundred Thousand (\$17,800,000) Dollars and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds, in one or more series, for the purpose of paying for the cost of the following projects:

Erecting, equipping and furnishing a gymnasium addition to the High School facility;

Remodeling, equipping, re-equipping, furnishing, re-furnishing school buildings, athletic fields and other facilities to enhance safety and security and for other purposes;

Erecting a team room, restrooms, concessions, storage, lighting and sound facilities at the athletic fields;

Acquiring and installing technology equipment and technology infrastructure in school buildings and other facilities; and

Preparing, developing and improving sites at school buildings, athletic fields and other facilities?

The maximum number of years the bonds may be outstanding, exclusive of refunding, is not more than twenty-one (21) years; the estimated millage that will be levied to pay the proposed bonds in the first year is 1.38 mills (\$1.38 per \$1,000 of taxable value); and the estimated simple average annual millage that will be required to retire the bonds over twenty-one (21) years is 1.83 mills annually (\$1.83 per \$1,000 of taxable value).

If approved by the voters, the repayment of the bonds will be guaranteed by the State under the School Bond Qualification and Loan Program (the "Program"). The School District currently has \$14,310,000 of qualified bonds outstanding and \$0 of qualified loans outstanding under the Program. The School District does not expect to borrow from the Program to pay debt service on these bonds. The estimated computed millage rate required to be levied to pay the proposed bonds may change in the future based on changes in certain circumstances.

(Pursuant to State law, expenditure of bond proceeds must be audited, and the proceeds cannot be used for teacher, administrator or employee salaries, repair or maintenance costs or other operating expenses.)

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**LAKE FENTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS PROPOSALS**

**BONDING PROPOSAL**

Shall Lake Fenton Community Schools, Genesee County, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Eleven Million Seven Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$11,755,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, in one or more series, for the purpose of:

erecting, furnishing, and equipping additions to the middle school; remodeling, furnishing and refurbishing, and equipping and re-equipping school buildings; acquiring and installing instructional technology in school buildings; and preparing, developing, improving, and equipping playgrounds, athletic fields, and sites?

The following is for informational purposes only:

The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2018, under current law, is 0.36 mill (\$0.36 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a -0- mills net increase over the prior year's levy. The maximum number of years the bonds of any series may be outstanding, exclusive of any refunding, is nine (9) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 2.41 mills (\$2.41 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation).

The school district does not expect to borrow from the State to pay debt service on the bonds. The total amount of qualified bonds currently outstanding is \$14,295,000. The total amount of qualified loans currently outstanding is \$ -0-. The estimated computed millage rate may change based on changes in certain circumstances.

(Pursuant to State law, expenditure of bond proceeds must be audited, and the proceeds cannot be used for repair or maintenance costs, teacher, administrator or employee salaries, or other operating expenses.)

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**LINDEN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS PROPOSALS**

**SINKING FUND MILLAGE PROPOSAL**

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Linden Community Schools, Genesee and Livingston Counties, Michigan, be increased by and the board of education be authorized to levy not to exceed 1.3 mills (\$1.30 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2018 to 2027, inclusive, to create a sinking fund for the purchase of real estate for sites for, and the construction or repair of, school buildings, for school security improvements, for the acquisition or upgrading of technology and 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 \$805,922?

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