

GENESEE COUNTY

**MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
EXTENSION SERVICES MILLAGE**

Shall the limitation on the total amount of taxes which may be imposed against all taxable property by Genesee County be increased by a new additional millage of 0.04 mill (four cents on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of four (4) years, from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2017, for the purpose of providing funding for 4-H youth development, master gardener, urban agricultural, agricultural/agribusiness, health and nutrition, natural resources and other community education programs through a contract with the Michigan State University Extension (estimated to provide revenue of \$342,190.11 in the first year of the authorized levy, subject to the tax capture provisions identified below)?

In Genesee County, there are local authorities that capture and use for authorized purposes tax increment revenues from property taxes levied by the County. Such captured revenue would include a portion of the proposed millage levy. The following such local authorities are expected to capture and receive disbursement of a portion of the County's property tax levy: City of Fenton's Downtown Development Authority and Local Development Finance Authority, City of Davison's Downtown Development Authority and Local Development Finance Authority, City of Clio Downtown Development Authority (for the Clio Tax Increment Finance Authority), City of Montrose Downtown Development Authority, City of Swartz Creek Downtown Development Authority, City of Grand Blanc Downtown Development Authority, City of Flint Downtown Development Authority, Vienna Township Business Development Area, Davison Township Downtown Development Authority, Genesee County's Brownfield Redevelopment Authority and Land Bank Authority, Village of Otisville Downtown Development Authority, Village of Lennon Downtown Development Authority, City of Linden Downtown Development Authority and Village of Otter Lake Downtown Development Authority.

Other such local authorities could be created in the future.

GAINES TOWNSHIP

POLICE PROTECTION SERVICES MILLAGE

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, 0.5 mills (\$0.50 cents per \$1,000.00), on the taxable value of such property for a period of 5 years, from 2014 through 2018, that millage levy to be dedicated to providing funds to

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finance police protection services (including equipment and operational expenses)? It is estimated that 0.5 mill would raise approximately \$83,089.78 in the first year of the levy.

THETFORD TOWNSHIP

FIRE PROTECTION MILLAGE

Shall Thetford Township impose an increase of up to 1 mill (\$1 per \$1,000 of taxable value) in the tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution and levy it for three (3) years, 2013 through 2015, inclusive, for fire protection services? The 1-mill increase will raise an estimated \$150,068.54 in 2013, the first year the millage is levied.

BURTON CITY

POLICE MILLAGE PROPOSAL

Shall an additional six and one-half (6.5) mills be levied against the taxable property within the City of Burton for a period of twenty (20) years commencing July 1, 2014 to provide funding for the City of Burton Police Department?

MOTT COMMUNITY COLLEGE

BOND PROPOSITION

Shall Charles Stewart Mott Community College, Genesee County, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Fifty Million Dollars (\$50,000,000) and issue its bonds therefor in one or more series for the purpose of making permanent improvements to, renovating, remodeling, improving, equipping and reequipping College buildings and sites and other buildings to be used by the College for instructional purposes; acquiring buildings and sites for buildings; and constructing buildings and additions to buildings?

The maximum number of years each series of bonds may be outstanding, exclusive of refunding, is 20 years; the estimated millage that will be levied to pay the proposed bonds in the first year that the levy is authorized is 0.08 mills (which is equal to 08 cents per \$1,000.00 of taxable value of real and tangible personal property in the College District); and the estimated simple average annual millage that will be required to retire the bonds is 0.25 mills (which is equal to 25 cents per \$1,000.00 of taxable value of real and tangible personal property in the College District).

BYRON AREA SCHOOLS

BONDING PROPOSAL

Shall Byron Area Schools, Shiawassee, Livingston and Genesee Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Five Million Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$5,350,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of:

partially remodeling, furnishing and refurbishing, equipping and re-equipping school facilities; acquiring, installing and equipping educational technology for school facilities; resurfacing and re-equipping the existing running track; purchasing school buses; and developing and improving sites?

The following is for informational purposes only:

The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2014, under current law, is 1.87 mills (\$1.87 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation). The maximum number of years the bonds may be outstanding, exclusive of any refunding, is twenty-five (25) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 1.84 mills (\$1.84 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 \$-0-. 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.)

CARMAN-AINSWORTH COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

**MILLAGE PROPOSAL
BUILDING AND SITE SINKING FUND TAX LEVY**

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all taxable property in Carman-Ainsworth Community Schools, County of Genesee, State of Michigan, the Board of Education be authorized to levy an increase not to exceed 0.5 mills (\$0.50 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of ten (10) years, 2014 through 2023, commencing on January 1, 2014 and therefore expiring on December 31, 2023, for the purpose of creating a sinking fund to be used for the purchasing of real estate for sites for, and the construction or repair

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of, school buildings and all other purposes authorized by law? It is estimated that this proposal would result in the authorization to collect approximately \$350,000 in the 2014 calendar year if approved and levied.

CLIO AREA SCHOOLS

OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL

This proposal will allow the school district to continue to levy the statutory rate of 18 mills on all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, required for the school district to receive its revenue per pupil foundation allowance. The remaining 1.5067 mills are only available to be levied to restore millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the "Headlee" amendment to the Michigan Constitution of 1963 and will only be levied to the extent necessary to restore that reduction.

Shall the currently authorized millage rate limitation of 19.5067 mills (\$19.5067 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, in Clio Area Schools, Genesee and Saginaw Counties, Michigan, be renewed for a period of 9 years, 2014 to 2022, inclusive, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2014 is approximately \$2,151,621 (this is a renewal of millage which will expire with the 2013 tax levy)?

FENTON AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS PROPOSAL

OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL

This proposal will allow the school district to levy the statutory rate of 18 mills on all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, required for the school district to receive its revenue per pupil foundation allowance and renews millage that will expire with the 2014 tax levy.

Shall the currently authorized millage rate limitation of 21 mills (\$21.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, in Fenton Area Public Schools, Genesee, Livingston and Oakland Counties, Michigan, be renewed for a period of 7 years, 2015 to 2021, inclusive, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2015 is approximately \$4,269,734 (this is a renewal of millage which will expire with the 2014 tax levy and will be

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levied only to the extent necessary for the school district to receive its full revenue per pupil foundation allowance)?

GRAND BLANC COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

BONDING PROPOSAL

Shall Grand Blanc Community Schools, Genesee and Oakland Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Thirty-Six Million Sixty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$36,065,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds in series therefor, for the purpose of:

acquiring and installing instructional technology in school buildings; remodeling, furnishing and refurnishing, and equipping and re-equipping school buildings, in part for security, safety and technology infrastructure improvements; and purchasing school buses?

The following is for informational purposes only:

The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2014, is 1.23 mills (\$1.23 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation). The maximum number of years the bonds may be outstanding, exclusive of any refunding, is twenty-one (21) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 1.52 mills (\$1.52 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation).

(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.)

KEARSLEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT PROPOSAL

MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL BUILDING AND SITE SINKING FUND TAX LEVY

Shall the currently authorized millage rate of 2 mills (\$2.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) which may be assessed against all property in Kearsley Community School District, Genesee County, Michigan, be renewed for a period of 5 years, 2014 to 2018, inclusive, to continue to provide for a sinking fund for the purchase of real estate for sites for, and the construction or repair of school

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buildings 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 2014 is approximately \$566,125 (this is a renewal of millage which will expire with the 2013 tax levy)?

LAKE FENTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL

This proposal will allow the school district to levy the statutory rate of 18 mills on all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, required for the school district to receive its revenue per pupil foundation allowance and renews millage that will expire with the 2013 tax levy.

Shall the currently authorized millage rate limitation of 19 mills (\$19.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, in Lake Fenton Community Schools, Genesee County, Michigan, be renewed for a period of 5 years, 2014 to 2018, inclusive, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2014 is approximately \$1,904,801 (this is a renewal of millage which will expire with the 2013 tax levy)?