

GRATIOT COUNTY PROPOSALS FOR MARCH 10, 2020

ARCADA TOWNSHIP -- RENEWAL FIRE AND EMERGENCY RESP

Shall Arcada Township Levy up to one and thirty one thousandths (1.31) mills (\$1.31 on each \$1,000.00) of taxable valuation, subject to the tax limitation imposed under article IX, section 6 of the Michigan Constitution, to be levied and assessed upon property within the Township of Arcada for a period of Five(5) years commencing with the year 2021 for the purpose of providing fire protection and emergency response service throughout the Township of Arcada? This is a renewal of previous millage. The estimated amount of revenue that will be collected in the first year that the millage is authorized and levied is \$63,179.23

ONSE MILLAGE

SUMNER TOWNSHIP:

Sumner Township Fire Protection Millage Renewal

Shall the expired previous voted increases in the tax limitations imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution in Sumner Township, of 1.7500 mills (\$1.75 per \$1,000 of taxable value), be renewed to the original voted 1.7500 mills (\$1.75 per \$1,000 of taxable value) and levied for 9 years, 2022 through 2030 inclusive, for Fire Protection, raising an estimated \$69,468.34 in the first year the millage is levied.

Sumner Township Hall and Community Center Millage Renewal

Shall the expired previous voted increases in the tax limitations imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution in Sumner Township, of .50 mills (\$.50 per \$1,000 of taxable value), be renewed to the original voted .50 mills (\$.50 per \$1,000 of taxable value) and levied for 9 years, 2022 through

2030 inclusive, for the operation and maintenance of the Sumner Township Hall and Community Center, raising an estimated \$19,845.81 in the first year the millage is levied.

Sumner Township Rescue Millage Renewal

Shall the expired previous voted increases in the tax limitations imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution in Sumner Township of .25 mills (.25 per \$1,000 of taxable value), be renewed to the original voted .25 mills (\$.25 per \$1000 of taxable value) and levied for 9 years, 2022 through 2030 inclusive for Sumner Township Rescue, raising an estimated \$9,922.90 in the first year the millage is levied.

ASHLEY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS:

I.

ASHLEY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL

This proposal will allow the school district to continue to levy the statutory rate of not to exceed 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 2020 tax levy.

Shall the currently authorized millage rate limitation of 17.3904 mills (\$17.3904 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 Ashley Community Schools, Gratiot and Saginaw Counties, Michigan, be renewed for a period of 10 years, 2021 to 2030, 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 2021 is approximately \$194,987 (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2020 tax levy)?

II.

ASHLEY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS OPERATING MILLAGE PROPOSAL

This proposal will allow the school district to levy the statutory rate of not to exceed 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.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, in Ashley Community Schools, Gratiot and Saginaw Counties, Michigan, be increased by 3 mills (\$3.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 11 years, 2020 to 2030, 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 2020 is approximately \$6,768 (this

millage is to restore millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution of 1963 and will be levied only to the extent necessary to restore that reduction)?

GRATIOT-ISABELLA REGIONAL EDUCATION SERVICE DISTRICT

GRATIOT-ISABELLA REGIONAL EDUCATION SERVICE DISTRICT SPECIAL EDUCATION MILLAGE PROPOSAL (RESTORATION OF HEADLEE REDUCTION)

This proposal requests additional millage to restore the intermediate school district's levy for special education to the level previously approved by the electors.

Shall the current charter limitation on the annual property tax rate for the education of students with a disability in Gratiot-Isabella Regional Education Service District, Michigan, be increased by 0.1655 mill (\$0.1655 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2020 to 2029, inclusive (this increase will restore the intermediate school district's levy to the rate of 4.2 mills previously approved by the electors that has been reduced as required by the Michigan Constitution of 1963); the estimate of the revenue the intermediate school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2020 is approximately \$473,852 from local property taxes authorized herein?

1) 10 votes.

2) .15 of 1% (.0015) of the total population, as reflected by the last official federal census, of the district represented by the office sought by the write-in candidate

3) **Apply the following only if write-in candidate seeks nomination to an office for which only one candidate is to be elected:** 5% (.05) of the greatest number of votes cast under the write-in candidate's party for all candidates running for any office for which only one candidate is to be elected within the district represented by the office sought by the write-in candidate. To determine the number of votes required under this formula: • Working with the write-in candidate's party, identify the "Vote for One" office on the ballot that received the greatest total number of votes. In a partisan primary, this office is typically a "top of the ticket" office, i.e., Governor or U.S. Senator. Do not take into consideration any office where more than one candidate is to be elected (e.g., township trustee).

• Next, determine the total number of votes received by all candidates who ran for that office within the district represented by the office sought by the write-in candidate. (For example,