

August 4, 2020 Ballot Proposals

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INGHAM COUNTY BALLOT PROPOSALS

INGHAM COUNTY ELDER PERSONS MILLAGE

For the purpose of authorizing funding to eliminate wait lists and expanding critical services such as in-home care, meals on wheels and crisis services to support the growing population of persons age sixty (60) and older residing in Ingham County, shall the Constitutional limitation upon the total amount of taxes which may be assessed in one (1) year upon all property within the County of Ingham, Michigan be increased by up to 30/100 (0.3000) of one (1) mill, \$0.30 per thousand dollars of state taxable valuation, for a period of four (4) years (2020-2023) inclusive? If approved and levied in full, this Millage will raise an estimated \$2,304,866 in the first calendar year of the levy, based on state taxable valuation.

YES [] NO []

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SERVICE (911 SERVICE) MILLAGE RENEWAL QUESTION

For the purpose of renewing funding for a comprehensive countywide 911 Emergency Telephone and Dispatch System at the same millage level previously approved by the voters in 1996, 2000, 2004, 2008, 2012 and in 2016, shall the Constitutional limitation upon the total amount of taxes which may be assessed in one (1) year upon all property within the County of Ingham, Michigan, previously increased by up to 0.8500 mills, \$0.85 per \$1,000 of taxable value, be continued and renewed for a period of ten (10) years (2020-2029) inclusive? If approved and levied in full, this millage will raise an estimated \$6,530,454 for the countywide 911 Emergency Telephone and Dispatch System in the first calendar year of the levy based on taxable value.

YES [] NO []

LESLIE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

LESLIE PUBLIC SCHOOLS BONDING PROPOSAL

Shall Leslie Public Schools, Ingham and Jackson Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Thirteen Million Ninety Thousand Dollars (\$13,090,000) 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 school buildings, including additions to building entryways for security;
- remodeling, furnishing and refurbishing, equipping and re-equipping school buildings;
- acquiring, installing, equipping and re-equipping school buildings for technology and security; and
- constructing, preparing, developing, or improving sites including sidewalks and High School track upgrade?

The following is for informational purposes only:

The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2020, under current law, is 3.30 mills (\$3.30 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 may be outstanding, exclusive of any refunding, is twenty (20) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 2.98 mills (\$2.98 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 \$2,240,000. 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.)

YES [] NO []

NORTHEAST INGHAM EMERGENCY SERVICE AUTHORITY

Shall the Northeast Ingham Emergency Service Authority tax, set to expire December 2032, of 1.25 mills (\$1.25 per \$1,000 of taxable value) on all of the taxable property within the limits of the Authority, reduced to 1.2467 mills (\$1.2467 per \$1,000 of taxable value) by the required millage rollbacks, be replaced and reenacted and increased up to 2.00 mills (\$2.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) and levied for 8 years, 2021 through 2028 inclusive, for the purpose of funding emergency services, which, when levied in 2021, would raise an estimated \$1,307,125 in the first year the millage is levied.

YES [] NO []

Shall the Northeast Ingham Emergency Service Authority tax, set to expire December 2020, of .75 mills (\$.75 per \$1,000 of taxable value) on all of the taxable property within the limits of the Authority, reduced to .7454 mills (\$.7454 per \$1,000 of taxable value) by the required millage rollbacks, be renewed at and increased up to 1.0 mills (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) and levied for 8 years, 2021 through 2028 inclusive, for the purpose of funding building improvements, if any, and equipment, which, when levied in 2021, would raise an estimated \$653,562 in the first year the millage is levied.

YES [] NO []