

PROPOSAL SECTION

TOWNSHIP PROPOSALS

BLUE LAKE TOWNSHIP

**FIRE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS, MAINTENANCE, AND
EQUIPMENT MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION**

Shall the previously voted increase of 3.5 mills in the tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Section 6 of the Michigan constitution on general ad valorem taxes within Blue Lake Township, reduced by the required Headlee roll back to 3.4016 mills, be renewed and increased at 3.5 mills (\$3.50 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value for real and personal property) for the five year period of 2024 through 2028 inclusive, for the purpose of providing 2.0 mills for operations and maintenance activities in the Fire Department, and providing 1.5 mills for the purchase of new equipment for the Fire Department; and shall the Township be authorized to levy such renewal? The estimated revenue the Township will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2024 is \$305,885.62.

EGELSTON TOWNSHIP

FIRE DEPARTMENT OPERATING MILLAGE PROPOSAL

Shall the tax limitation on all taxable property within the Township of Egelston, Muskegon County, Michigan, be increased and the Township be authorized to levy a millage in an amount not to exceed 1.0 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable value), of which .9636 mill is a renewal of the millage rate that expired in 2022 and .0364 mill is new additional millage to restore the millage rate lost as a result of the Headlee Amendment millage reductions, for five (5) years, 2023 to 2027 inclusive, to provide funds for operating, maintaining, and purchasing for the fire department or any other purpose authorized by law for fire service purposes? The estimate of the revenue the Township will collect in the first year of levy (2023) if the millage is approved is approximately \$222,000.

EGELSTON TOWNSHIP

STREETLIGHT MILLAGE RENEWAL

Shall the tax limitation on all taxable property within the Township of Egelston, Muskegon County, Michigan, be increased and the Township be authorized to levy a millage in an amount not to exceed .80 mill (\$.80 on each \$1,000 of taxable value), of which .7707 mill is a renewal of the millage rate that expired in 2022 and .0293 mill is new additional millage to restore the millage rate lost as a result of the Headlee Amendment millage reductions, for five (5) years, 2023 to 2027 inclusive, to provide funds for operating, maintaining, and purchasing for streetlight operations? The estimate of the revenue the Township will collect in the first year of levy (2023) if the millage is approved is approximately \$177,000.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT**MUSKEGON AREA INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
REGIONAL ENHANCEMENT MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL**

This proposal will allow the intermediate school district to continue to levy regional enhancement millage that will expire with the 2023 levy. Pursuant to state law, the revenue raised by the proposed millage will be collected by the intermediate school district and distributed to constituent districts based on pupil membership count.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Muskegon Area Intermediate School District, Michigan, be renewed by 0.9831 mill (\$0.9831 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2024 to 2033, inclusive, to provide operating funds to enhance other state and local funding for constituent district operating and capital acquisition purposes related to security and technology; the estimate of the revenue the intermediate school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2024 is approximately \$5,550,146, which funds will be disbursed as required by statute to: Fruitport Community Schools, Holton Public Schools, Mona Shores Public Schools, Montague Area Public Schools, Public Schools of the City of Muskegon, Muskegon Covenant Academy, Muskegon Heights Public School Academy, Muskegon Heights Public Schools, Muskegon Maritime Academy, Muskegon Montessori Academy for Environmental Change, North Muskegon Public Schools, Oakridge Public Schools, Orchard View Schools, Ravenna Public Schools, Reeths-Puffer Schools, Three Oaks Academy, Timberline Academy, Whitehall District Schools, and Muskegon Area Intermediate School District (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2023 levy)?

SCHOOL PROPOSALS**FREMONT PUBLIC 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 Fremont Public Schools, Newago, Muskegon and Oceana Counties, Michigan, be increased by 18 mills (\$18.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 5 years, 2024 to 2028, inclusive, to provide funds for operating purposes (17.8903 mills of the above is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2023 tax levy and .1097 mill is a restoration of millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution of 1963); the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and 18 mills are levied in 2024 is approximately \$2,900,000?

**I. GRAND HAVEN AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOND PROPOSAL**

Shall Grand Haven Area Public Schools, Ottawa and Muskegon Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed One Hundred Fifty-Five Million Seven Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$155,775,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, in one or more series, for the purpose of:

erecting, completing, remodeling, and equipping and re-equipping, school buildings and facilities; furnishing and refurbishing school buildings and facilities; purchasing school buses; and acquiring, installing, and equipping and re-equipping school buildings for instructional technology; preparing, developing, improving and equipping structures, athletic fields, play fields, playgrounds and sites?

The following is for informational purposes only:

The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2023 is 1.98 mills (\$1.98 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a 0.00 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 twenty-one (21) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 2.90 mills (\$2.90 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 \$4,565,000. 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.)

**II. GRAND HAVEN AREA PUBLIC 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.

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 Grand Haven Area Public Schools, Ottawa and Muskegon Counties, Michigan, be increased by 18 mills (\$18.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for the year 2023, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2023 is approximately \$16,160,295 (this is a renewal of millage that expired with the 2022 tax levy)?

<p>I. MONA SHORES PUBLIC SCHOOLS OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL</p>
<p>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. The remaining .9544 mill is 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.</p> <p>Shall the currently authorized millage rate limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, in Mona Shores Public Schools, Muskegon County, Michigan, be renewed by 18.9544 mills (\$18.9544 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2025 to 2034, inclusive, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and 18 mills are levied in 2025 is approximately \$5,076,270 (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2024 tax levy)?</p>
<p>II. MONA SHORES PUBLIC SCHOOLS SINKING FUND MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL</p>
<p>This proposal will allow the school district to continue to levy the building and site sinking fund millage that expires with the 2024 tax levy.</p> <p>Shall the currently authorized millage rate of .9837 mill (\$0.9837 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) which may be assessed against all property in Mona Shores Public Schools, Muskegon County, Michigan, be renewed for a period of 10 years, 2025 to 2034, inclusive, to continue to provide for a sinking fund for the construction or repair of school buildings, the improvement and development of sites, 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 2025 is approximately \$1,009,658 (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2024 tax levy)?</p>
<p>PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF MUSKEGON OPERATING MILLAGE PROPOSAL</p>
<p>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.</p> <p>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 the Public Schools of the City of Muskegon, Muskegon County, Michigan, be increased by 2 mills (\$2.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 2 years, 2023 and 2024, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2023 is approximately \$307,986.92 (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)?</p>

**WHITEHALL DISTRICT SCHOOLS
BOND PROPOSAL**

Shall Whitehall District Schools, Muskegon County, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Thirty-Two Million Three Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$32,375,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, in one or more series, for the purpose of:

erecting, completing, remodeling, and equipping and re-equipping school buildings and facilities, and parts of and additions to school buildings and facilities, including safety and security improvements and secure entrances to school buildings; furnishing and refurbishing new and remodeled school buildings; purchasing school buses; acquiring, installing, and equipping and re-equipping school buildings for instructional technology; and preparing, developing, improving and equipping structures, athletic fields, play fields, playgrounds and sites?

The following is for informational purposes only:

The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2023 is 3.17 mills (\$3.17 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a 0 mill 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 seventeen (17) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 3.84 mills (\$3.84 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.)