

COUNTY

**MSU EXTENTION PROPOSITION
Proposition for Shiawassee County Millage to Fund
Michigan State University Extension**

For the purpose of funding MSU Extension services in Shiawassee County, and to levy for that purpose annually not more than .05 mill (estimated to provide revenues of \$82,500 in the first year of the levy), shall the limitation on the total amount of taxes which may be imposed upon all taxable property within Shiawassee County be levied at the level of .05 mill (\$0.05 per \$1,000) on the taxable valuation of such property for taxes levied for a period of five (5) years, the years 2012 through 2016, inclusive?

**SHIAWASSEE COUNTY PROPOSITION
MILLAGE RENEWAL
COUNTY MEDICAL CARE FACILITY
(Pleasant View Hospital)**

Shall the previously voted levy of 2 mills (\$2.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable value) against all property in the County of Shiawassee, Michigan be renewed for 4 years beginning 2012 and through 2015 inclusively, to provide funds to assist in the operation of the Shiawassee County Medical Care Facility, also known as the Pleasant View Hospital? The County estimates that it will collect \$3,295,000 in the first calendar year if this proposal is approved.

ANTRIM TOWNSHIP

**MILLAGE PROPOSAL FOR EXISTING
AMBULANCE SERVICE FUNDING**

Shall Antrim Township be authorized to levy a Special Assessment on each household in the amount of \$45.00 per year for the exclusive purpose of using the money received to provide ambulance service for the entire Township and to levy such a Special Assessment each year for four years for the period of 2012 through 2015 inclusive with the first assessment collected during the Winter Tax Roll 2012. The Township estimates that it will collect \$38,250.00 in the first calendar year if this proposal is approved.

**MILLAGE PROPOSAL FOR EXISTING FIRE
DEPARTMENT PROTECTION FUNDING**

Shall the previously voted increase in the ad valorem taxes within Antrim Township be renewed at 1.25 mills (\$1.25 per \$1,000 of taxable value) each year for four years for the period of 2012 through 2015 inclusive for the contracting of fire department protection within Antrim Township; and shall the Township levy such renewal in millage for said purposes, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$83,800.00.

BURNS TOWNSHIP

MILLAGE RENEWAL FIRE EQUIPMENT AND APPARATUS FUNDINGS

Shall the Township of Burns, Shiawassee County, Michigan, be authorized to fund the purchase of required and necessary fire equipment and apparatus by the levy of one-half (1/2) (\$0.50 on each \$1,000.00 of taxable valuation of such property) on all property in the Township for a period of 3 years, 2012 through 2014 inclusive, (this being a Renewal of one-half (1/2) mill for the same purpose which expires with the 2012 tax levy?) The Township estimates it will collect \$41,000 in the first calendar year if this proposal is approved.

MILLAGE RENEWAL FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE

Shall the Township of Burns, Shiawassee County, Michigan levy 1 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000.00 of taxable valuation of such property) on all property in the Township for a period of 3 years, 2012 through 2014 inclusive, to provide funds to operate a fire department (this being a renewal) of 1 mill for the same purpose which expires with the 2012 tax levy? The Township estimates it will collect \$82,000 in the first calendar year if this proposal is approved.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT RENEWAL FOR EXISTING AMBULANCE SERVICE FUNDING

Shall Burns Township be authorized to levy a Special Assessment on each household and business of \$45.00 per year for the exclusive purpose of using the money received to provide Ambulance Service for the entire Township; and to levy such Special Assessment each year for three (3) years, for the period of 2012, 2013, and 2014 if this proposal is approved? The Township estimates it will collect \$55,000 in the first calendar year.

CALEDONIA TOWNSHIP

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION MILLAGE

This proposal requests the authorization for the levy of a new additional millage for the purpose of supporting the provision of public transportation services in the Charter Township of Caledonia. This millage would be disbursed to the Shiawassee Area Transportation Agency and used to defray the expenses of existing transportation services. If authorized by the voters, it is estimated that the levy of the entire millage would generate \$25,764 the first year.

Shall a new additional millage for public transportation services be levied in an amount of .17 mills (\$0.17 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) annually for a period of two years?

FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP

FAIRFIELD FIRE AND AMBULANCE PROTECTION PROPOSITION

Shall Fairfield Township levy a millage in the amount of 1.50 mills (\$1.50 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) in the tax limitation imposed under Article IX, section 6 of the Michigan Constitution and levy it for 5 years, 2012 through 2016 inclusive, for fire and ambulance services, which 1.50 mills will raise an estimated \$37,272.20 in the first year the millage is levied.

FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP ROAD MILLAGE RENEWAL

Shall the Township of Fairfield, Shiawassee County, Michigan, levy two mills (\$2.00) of each \$1,000.00 of taxable valuation on all Real and Personal property in the Township of Fairfield for a period of five years, 2012 to 2016 inclusive as provided by Article IX Section Six of the Constitution of the State of MI, to provide funds for all roads within Fairfield Township. (This being a renewal of two mills for the same purpose which expired with the 2012 tax levy). The Township estimates it will collect \$49,700.00 in the first year if the renewal proposal is approved.

MIDDLEBURY TOWNSHIP

RENEWAL OF MILLAGE FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

Shall the Township of Middlebury renew the collection of 2 mills (\$2.00 per \$1,000 taxable value) for 4 years, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 for maintenance, repair, and improvement of the roads within Middlebury Township?

It is expected, if this renewed millage is approved, the township will raise an estimated \$80,000.00 in the first year, all which will be applied to the roads for maintenance, repair, and improvements.

OWOSSO TOWNSHIP

SATA

Shall the Charter Township of Owosso collect up to 1/3 of a mill (.333 cents per \$1,000 taxable value) for 2 years, 2012, 2013 to provide funding to Shiawassee Area Transportation Agency (SATA) so that Owosso Charter Township residents can ride for a reduced charge? It is expected, if this millage is approved, that the Township will raise an estimated \$44,400.00 in the first year.

CITY OF DURAND

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

Shall the City of Durand assess and collect .175 mills (\$.175 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) for a period of 3 years, that being fiscal years 2012-2013 through 2014-2015, inclusive, for the purpose of subsidizing public transportation.

The City of Durand estimates that it will collect \$11,900.00 in the first year if the proposal is approved.

CITY OF OWOSSO

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION MILLAGE FOR FUNDING PUBLIC TRANSIT SYSTEM IN THE CITY OF OWOSSO

This proposal requests the reauthorization and increase of the levy of a millage upon real and tangible personal property for supporting the provision of a public transit system in the city of Owosso. The millage proceeds would be used according to Section 3.2(6) of the Owosso City Charter and dedicated to the operation of the Shiawassee Area Transportation Agency. It is estimated that the levy of the entire millage would generate \$83,398 in the first year.

Shall the previously authorized millage for a public transit system be renewed and increased 0.08 mills (\$0.08 per \$1,000 of taxable value), for a total levy of up to 0.3333 mills (\$0.33 per \$1,000 of taxable value), annually for five (5) years beginning in 2013 and ending in 2017?

CITY OF PERRY

SPECIAL MILLAGE PROPOSAL (CONTINUATION OF PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION MILLAGE)

This proposal requests authorization for the levy of the continuation of a millage for the purpose of supporting the provision of public transportation services in the City of Perry. This millage would be used to defray the expenses of existing transportation services provided by the Shiawassee Area Transportation Agency and be used to defray the expenses of transportation services in the future. If authorized by the voters, it is estimated that the levy of the entire millage would generate \$10,545.41 the first year.

Shall a special millage for public transportation services be levied in an amount not to exceed .25 mill (\$.25 per \$1,000.00 of taxable valuation) annually for a period of two years.

COMMUNITY DISTRICT LIBRARY

NEW ADDITIONAL MILLAGE PROPOSITION 0.7000 MILL FOR LIBRARY PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on general ad valorem taxation within the Community District Library District imposed under Article IX, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution be increased for the Community District Library by up to seven-tenths (0.7000) of one mill (\$0.7000 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years, beginning in the year 2012, and continuing through the year 2015, inclusive, subject to reduction as provided by law, on taxable property in the Community District Library District, which includes the entire geographic boundaries of the Township of Burns, the Charter Township of Caledonia, the City of Corunna, the Township of Hazelton, the Township of Perry, the Township of Shiawassee, the Township of Venice, and the City of Perry?

The purpose of this new additional millage levy is to provide funds to be used for all Library purposes authorized by the District Library Act, PA 24 of 1989, as amended, including, but not limited to, the operation and maintenance of a public library and acquisition, maintenance and improvement of public library facilities, equipment, and property within the Community District Library District. It is estimated that a levy of 0.7000 mills would provide revenue of \$445,350 in the first calendar year. The revenue from this new millage levy will be disbursed to and used by the Community District Library.

FOWLerville DISTRICT LIBRARY

LIBRARY MILLAGE PROPOSAL

Shall the Fowlerville District Library, Counties of Livingston, Ingham and Shiawassee, Michigan, levy a new additional millage in an amount not to exceed 1.0 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable value) against all taxable real and tangible personal property within the Fowlerville District Library District for a period of ten (10) years, 2012 to 2021, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for all District Library purposes authorized by law? The estimate of the revenue this District Library will collect if the millage is approved and levied by the Library in the 2012 calendar year is approximately \$481,000. A portion of the revenue collected will be required to be distributed to the Village Fowlerville Downtown Development authority and Local Development Financing Authority.

BYRON AREA SCHOOLS

BONDING PROPOSAL

Shall Byron Area Schools, Shiawassee, Livingston and Genesee Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Four Million Four Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$4,420,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefore, for the purpose of:

partially remodeling, furnishing and refurbishing, equipping and re-equipping school facilities; acquiring, installing and equipping educational technology for school facilities; relocating and reconstructing a playground; and developing and improving sites?

The following is for informational purposes only:

The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2012 is 1.55 mills (\$1.55 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation). The maximum number of years the bonds may be outstanding, exclusive of any refunding, is fifteen (15) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 1.63 mills (\$1.63 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation).

If the school district borrows from the State to pay debt service on the bonds, the school district may be required to continue to levy mills beyond the term of the bonds to repay the State.

(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.)

PERRY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

OPERATING MILLAGE 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.

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 Perry Public Schools, Shiawassee and Ingham Counties, Michigan, be increased by 3.2229 mills (\$3.2229 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 2 years, 2012 and 2013, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2012 is approximately \$152,000 (this millage is to restore millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution of 1963)?