

Oakland County
Unofficial Proposal List
August 6, 2024 Primary Election

Proposal Section
City
Pontiac
Ballot Question

Shall the 2024 Charter proposed by the Pontiac Charter Revision Commission be adopted?

Township
Addison Township
24-1 Fire Department Capital Improvements

Shall the previous voted and approved millage increase in the tax limitation (imposed under Article IX, section 6 of the Michigan Constitution) totaling .75 mill, (.75 per \$1,000.00 taxable value) which have been reduced to .7130 mill as required by law with millage rollbacks and which the millage expires 2024 be renewed and increased back to .75 mills (.75 per \$1,000.00 taxable value) for levy in the years 2025-2030 inclusive for a period of six (6) years, for Fire Department Capital improvements within the Township? This funding is for the sole purpose of providing Capital improvements to the Fire Department of Addison Township, and is the only funding for Capital improvements for the Fire Department of Addison Township. If approved and levied based on the 2024 taxable value, it is estimated this millage will raise in the first year, three hundred fifty-five thousand, six hundred and four dollars (\$355,604) for the Fire Department Capital Improvements.

24-2 Fire Department Operating and Advanced Life Support Ambulance Services
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Shall the previous voted and approved millage increase in the tax limitation (imposed under Article IX, section 6 of the Michigan Constitution) totaling 2.25 mill, (2.25 per \$1,000.00 taxable value) which in 2023 reduced to 2.1806 mill with the required millage reductions and which the millage will expire in 2024, be increased back to 2.25 mill. (2.25 per \$1,000.00 taxable value) and combined with an existing and expiring previous voted and approved millage increase of in the tax limitation (imposed under Article IX, section 6 of the Michigan Constitution) millage at 1.50 mill (\$1.50 per \$1,000.00 taxable value) which in 2023 levied at 1.50 mill and expiring in December 2024 be renewed and increase to 1.50 for a combined existing millage rate of 3.75 (\$3.75 per \$1,000 taxable value) for levy for a period of four years 2025 through 2028 inclusive? In the first year based on the 2024 taxable value, it is estimated that this millage will raise one million, seven hundred seventy-eight thousand and eighteen dollars (\$1,778,018). The combined millage of 3.75 is necessary to continue the appropriate fire protection services and to meet the regulations for advanced life support ambulance services. The millage will be used for the purpose of providing fire operating and advanced life support ambulance services.

Library Millage Proposal

Shall Addison Township, Oakland County, Michigan, be authorized to levy a millage annually in an amount not to exceed .20 mill (\$0.20 on each \$1,000 of taxable value), of which .1867 mill is a renewal of the previously authorized millage that expired in 2023 and .0133 mill is new additional millage, against all taxable property within the Township for a period of ten (10) years, 2024 to 2033 inclusive, for the purpose of operating, maintaining and equipping the Addison Township Library and for all other library purposes authorized by law? The estimate of the revenue the Township will collect in the first year of levy (2024) if the millage is approved is approximately \$85,000. The revenue from this millage levy will be disbursed to the Addison Township Library.

Commerce Township
Renewal of Charter Township of Commerce Millage for Park Improvements & Acquisition of Open Space

On August 5, 2014, the voters of the Charter Township of Commerce approved a millage increase for a period of 10 years for improvement of parks and the acquisition of land and interests in land to create new publicly owned open space, above the non-voted tax levy limitation of 5 mills imposed by Section 27 of Public Act 359 of 1947 (and subject to the tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution), of .4 of one Mill (\$0.40 cents per \$1000 of taxable property value), which was reduced to .3662 of one mill (\$0.3662 cents per \$1000 of taxable property value) by the required rollbacks. Shall this voted millage be renewed at up to .3662 mill (0.3662 cents per \$1000 of taxable property value) and levied for an additional 10 years, 2024 through 2033 inclusive, for the purpose of improving parks and acquiring land and interests in land to create new publicly owned open space within the township? The estimated revenue to be collected in the first year that the millage is authorized and levied is \$980,000. This millage will be disbursed to Commerce Township and its Downtown Development Authority.

Springfield Township
Parks and Recreation Renewal Proposition

Shall the previously voted .75 mill (\$0.75 per \$1,000 of taxable value) increase in the constitutional tax limitation on the amount of taxes upon all taxable property within the Charter Township of Springfield, which was reduced to .7197 mills by the required millage rollbacks, be renewed and increased back to the original .75 mills and levied for a period of ten (10) years from 2024 through 2033, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for developing, maintaining, and operating the parks, preserves, recreational sites, facilities, trails, programs, and services managed and/or owned by the Township or the Township Parks and Recreation Commission? If approved, the levy will raise in the first year approximately \$ 619,883.

Local School District
West Bloomfield School District
Bond Proposal

Shall the Charter Township of West Bloomfield, Oakland County, Michigan, borrow a sum not to exceed Twenty-Five Million Dollars (\$25,000,000), and issue its unlimited tax general obligation bonds therefore, in one or more series, for the purpose of:

Constructing, furnishing, equipping, and renovating Parks and Recreation improvements, including the parks, playgrounds, community and senior activity center, trail system, pickleball courts, nature education areas, meeting rooms, administrative spaces, new pavement, and other capital improvements described in the Parks and Recreation Commission’s 5-year master plan?

The following is for information purposes only. The estimated millage to be levied in the first year of levy is .35 mill (\$0.35 for each \$1,000 of taxable value), and the estimated simple average annual millage rate required to retire the bonds is 0.35 mill (\$0.35 for each \$1,000 of taxable value). The maximum number of years the bonds of any series may be outstanding, excluding any refunding, is twenty (20).