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CITY OF GROSSE POINTE PARK PROPOSAL

Proposal 1:

A proposed amendment to Section 9.16 (Collection Fees) of the City of Grosse Pointe Park City Charter

The city council proposes that Section 9.16 be amended to provide that summer property taxes paid on or before September 14 shall be collected by the Treasurer without a collection fee, but that, beginning on September 15th, the Treasurer shall add to all taxes paid thereafter a collection fee of one percent (1%) per month of the amount of said taxes.
Should this proposed amendment be adopted?

Proposal 2:

A proposed amendment to Section 3.6 and Section 3.10 of the City of Grosse Pointe Park City Charter to eliminate the current requirement for primary elections for city officers

Currently, Section 3.6 and Section 3.10 of the City Charter require that the City conduct a primary election for all elective offices within the City. The proposed amendment would eliminate the need for a primary election and would allow residents to consider all nominees for elective office at the City's general election.
Should this proposed amendment be adopted?

City Open Stores Ordinance

This proposed ordinance, if adopted, would provide for two adult use cannabis retail establishments to be allowed to operate in the city limits.
Shall The Proposal be Adopted?

City Cannabis Licensing Charter Amendment

This proposed charter amendment, if adopted, would require local licensing and fees for adult use retail establishments, set application or selection criteria, and regulate the operation of two cannabis establishments in the city.
Shall The Proposal be Adopted?

CITY OF HAMTRAMCK PROPOSAL

Hamtramck Charter Amendment Proposal No. 1

Sections 4-04 and 4-05 currently require that unless their current term is expiring: 1) a member of the council seeking election as the mayor, and 2) a mayor seeking election as a council member must resign from their current position at least 60 days before the candidacy filing deadline, with any vacancy being filled by election. It is proposed that these sections be deleted from the charter.
Shall the amendment as proposed be adopted?

Hamtramck Charter Amendment Proposal No. 2

Under Sections 7-01(a) and 9.03, the annual salary of the mayor, mayor pro tem, and council members are set as a percentage of the Governor's salary. It is proposed that the salary of the mayor be increased from 4% to 7% of the Governor's salary, the salary of the mayor pro tem be increased from 3% to 6% of the Governor's salary, and the salary of each council member be increased from 2% to 5% of the Governor's salary.
Shall the amendment as proposed be adopted?

Hamtramck Charter Amendment Proposal No. 3

Section 9-18(c) provides that no person who has been elected or appointed a member of the council or the mayor, or who was a member of the council or mayor at the effective date of this charter, shall be eligible for appointment as city manager or as acting city manager until two years have elapsed following the expiration of the term for which he was elected or appointed. It is proposed that this section shall be deleted from the charter.
Shall the amendment as proposed be adopted?

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CITY OF HARPER WOODS PROPOSAL

**Proposed Amendment To Section 4.3 Of The Harper Woods' City Charter – Mayor, Mayor pro tem;
election, procedure**

It is proposed that the Charter be amended to state that (1) the Councilperson who receives the highest number of votes in a regular election to fill a four (4) year term shall serve as Mayor Pro Tem until the next regular election, and (2) those Councilpersons elected to serve less than a four (4) year term created by a vacancy are ineligible to serve as Mayor Pro Tem.

Shall the amendment as proposed be adopted?

Renewal of Library Millage Proposal

Shall the City of Harper Woods, Wayne County, Michigan levy under the authority of PA 164 of 1877 to renew up to .9630 mill (\$.963 on each \$1,000.00 of taxable value) on all taxable real and tangible personal property within the City of Harper Woods for a period of seven (7) years (2024 through 2030 inclusive) to provide funds for the purpose of operating and equipping the City of Harper Woods' Public Library and for all other library purposes authorized by law?

This mill amount is based originally on 1 mill with a Headlee Rollback.

The estimate of revenue the City of Harper Woods will collect if the millage is approved and levied by the City in the 2024 tax year is approximately \$213,000 to be disbursed to the City of Harper Woods Library Fund.

CITY OF PLYMOUTH PROPOSAL

**Plymouth City Charter Amendment
For Parks And Recreation Millage**

Shall Section 8.5 of the Charter of the City of Plymouth, Wayne County, Michigan, be amended to permit the levy by the City of a new additional ad valorem property tax in an amount not to exceed one and three-quarters (1.75) mills, for 12 years, from 2024 through 2035, to provide funds to the City to acquire, construct, improve, furnish, operate and maintain parks and recreation facilities? It is estimated that 1.75 mills would raise approximately \$1,275,955 when first levied in 2024.

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AIRPORT COMMUNITY SCHOOLS PROPOSAL

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BOND PROPOSAL

Shall Airport Community Schools, Monroe and Wayne Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Thirty Million Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$30,075,000) 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 middle school building; remodeling, furnishing and refurnishing, and equipping and re-equipping the middle school building; erecting, furnishing, and equipping a new auxiliary gymnasium building; acquiring, installing, equipping, and re-equipping the middle school building for instructional technology; and preparing, developing, improving and equipping the site?

The following is for informational purposes only:

The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2024 is 1.46 mills (\$1.46 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation), for a net .98 mill 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-five (25) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 1.77 mills (\$1.77 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 \$21,895,000. 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.)

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GIBRALTAR SCHOOL DISTRICT PROPOSAL

Gibraltar School District
School Improvement Bond Proposition

Shall the Gibraltar School District, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, borrow the principal sum of not to exceed Eighty-One Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$81,500,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds, in one or more series, for the purpose of paying the cost of the following projects:

- Remodeling, equipping, furnishing, reequipping and refurbishing school buildings and other facilities to create a modern learning environment for students and for health, safety, security, energy conservation and other purposes;
- Erecting, completing, equipping and furnishing classroom and other additions to school buildings and athletic field buildings;
- Acquiring and installing technology infrastructure and equipment in school buildings; and
- Preparing, developing and improving sites at school buildings and other facilities?

The maximum number of years any series of bonds may be outstanding, exclusive of refunding, is not more than 25 years. The estimated millage that will be levied to pay the proposed bonds in the first year is 2.03 mills (\$2.03 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for an estimated total of 6.83 mills for the 2024 debt levy which is an estimated -0- mill increase over the 2023 debt levy. The estimated simple average annual millage that will be required to retire the bonds is 4.54 mills annually (\$4.54 per \$1,000 of taxable value).

If approved by the voters, the repayment of the bonds will be guaranteed by the State under the School Bond Qualification and Loan Program (the "Program"). The School District currently has \$31,015,000 of qualified bonds outstanding and approximately \$0 of qualified loans outstanding under the Program. The School District does not expect to borrow from the Program to pay debt service on these bonds. The estimated computed millage rate required to be levied to pay the proposed bonds may change in the future based on changes in certain circumstances.

(Pursuant to State law, expenditure of bond proceeds must be audited, and the proceeds cannot be used for teacher, administrator or employee salaries, repair or maintenance costs or other operating expenses.)

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HAMTRAMCK PUBLIC SCHOOLS PROPOSAL

SINKING FUND BALLOT PROPOSITION

Shall the School District of the City of Hamtramck, Wayne County, Michigan, levy 3 mills (which is equal to \$3.00 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation) against all property in the school district for a period of ten (10) years, 2024 to 2033, inclusive, to continue to provide for a sinking fund to be used for the construction or repair of school buildings, as well as other purposes authorized by law? The estimated amount of revenue that the school district will collect in the year 2024 if the millage is authorized and levied will be \$760,000. The proposed millage is a renewal of millage, previously authorized in 2014 at the rate of 4 mills, that will expire with the 2023 tax levy.

WESTWOOD COMMUNITY SCHOOLS PROPOSAL

Westwood Community School District
Bond Proposal

Shall Westwood Community School District, Wayne County, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Twenty-Four Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$24,500,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, in one or more series, for the purpose of:

erecting an addition to, remodeling, including security improvements to, furnishing and refurnishing, and equipping and re-equipping school buildings; and equipping, developing and improving athletic fields and facilities, driveways and sites?

The following is for informational purposes only:

The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2024 is 3.50 mills (\$3.50 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation). The maximum number of years the bonds of any series may be outstanding, exclusive of any refunding, is twenty-eight (28) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 3.31 mills (\$3.31 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 \$0. 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.)

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LINCOLN CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS PROPOSAL

Lincoln Consolidated School District Operating Millage 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 full revenue per pupil foundation allowance and restores millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution of 1963.

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 Lincoln Consolidated School District, Washtenaw and Wayne Counties, Michigan, be renewed by 18.1067 mills (\$18.1067 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2025 to 2034, inclusive, and also be increased by .5 mill (\$0.50 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 \$5,370,419 (this millage is to renew millage that will expire with the 2024 levy and to restore millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the "Headlee" amendment to the Michigan Constitution of 1963 and will be levied only to the extent necessary to restore that reduction)?

Lincoln Consolidated School District Millage Renewal Proposal to Provide Funds to Operate a System of Public Recreation and Playgrounds

This proposal will allow the school district to continue to levy public recreation millage previously approved by the electors that will expire with the 2024 levy.

Shall the currently authorized millage rate limitation of .0943 mill (\$0.0943 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Lincoln Consolidated School District, Washtenaw and Wayne Counties, Michigan, be renewed for a period of 5 years, 2025 to 2029, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for operating a system of public recreation and playgrounds; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect for such recreation program if the millage is approved and levied in 2025 is approximately \$109,945 (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2024 tax levy)?

RIVERVIEW COMMUNITY SCHOOLS PROPOSAL

Riverview Community School District Sinking Fund Millage Renewal Proposal

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.

Shall the currently authorized millage rate of 1.9790 mills (\$1.9790 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) which may be assessed against all property in Riverview Community School District, Wayne 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, for school security improvements, for the acquisition or upgrading of technology 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 \$792,650 (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2024 tax levy)?