

TUSCOLA COUNTY ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Primary Election will be held in Tuscola County on
TUESDAY, AUGUST 6, 2024

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS: Of the Tuscola County Townships of Akron, Almer Charter, Arbela, Columbia, Dayton, Denmark, Elkland, Ellington, Elmwood, Fairgrove, Fremont, Gilford, Indianfields, Juniata, Kingston, Koylton, Millington, Novesta, Tuscola, Vassar, Watertown, Wells, Wisner and the Cities of Caro and Vassar, State of Michigan:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the following office and proposals will appear on the ballot:

ALL JURISDICTIONS - OFFICES THAT WILL APPEAR ON THE AUGUST 6, 2024 PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOT

Candidates of the Democratic Party and Republican Party seeking election to the following partisan offices are to be voted for: US Senator, Representative in Congress 8th District and 9th District, House of Representative 67th District, 97th District and 98th District, County Offices of Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, Clerk, Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Road Commissioner, Commissioner 1st District, 2nd District, 3rd District, 4th District and 5th District, and Township Offices of Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Trustee, Democratic Precinct Delegates and Republican Precinct Delegates.

PROPOSALS THAT WILL APPEAR ON THE AUGUST 6, 2024 BALLOT

TUSCOLA COUNTY RECYCLING RENEWAL

Shall Tuscola County renew the current Recycling millage levy of .1500 mills (\$.15 for each \$1,000 of taxable value) upon the taxable value of property in Tuscola County, for a period of 8 years, 2025 through 2032, inclusive, to provide funds for recycling within Tuscola County? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage raises an estimated \$343,219 in the first calendar year after its approval. All revenue will be disbursed to Tuscola County and shall be exclusively used for recycling activities within Tuscola County.

TUSCOLA COUNTY SENIOR CITIZEN HOME DELIVERED MEALS

Shall Tuscola County impose a new Senior Citizen Home Delivered Meal millage levy of 0.2000 mills (\$.20 per \$1,000 of taxable value) upon the taxable value of property in Tuscola County for a period of 5 years, 2025 through 2029, inclusive, for operation of Senior Citizen Home Delivered Meals within Tuscola County? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage raises an estimated \$457,626 in the first year that it is levied. All revenue will be disbursed to Tuscola County and shall be exclusively used for Senior Citizen Home Delivered Meals within Tuscola County.

TUSCOLA COUNTY SENIOR CITIZEN PROGRAM RENEWAL

Shall Tuscola County renew the current Senior Citizen Programs millage levy of 0.3200 mills (\$.32 per \$1,000 of taxable value) upon the taxable value of property in Tuscola County for a period of 8 years, 2025 through 2032, inclusive, for operation of Senior Citizen programs within Tuscola County? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage raises an estimated \$732,202 in the first year that it is levied. All revenue will be disbursed to Tuscola County and shall be exclusively used for Senior Citizen activities within Tuscola County.

TUSCOLA COUNTY SHERIFF ROAD PATROL RENEWAL

Shall Tuscola County renew the current Sheriff Road Patrol millage levy of 1.3300 mills (\$1.33 per \$1,000 of taxable value) upon the taxable value of property in Tuscola County, for a period of 8 years, 2025 through 2032, inclusive, for operation of the Tuscola County Sheriff's Road Patrol within Tuscola County? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage raises an estimated \$3,043,213 in the first year that it is levied. All revenue will be disbursed to Tuscola County and shall be exclusively used for Sheriff's Road Patrol activities within Tuscola County.

ALMER CHARTER TOWNSHIP ROAD MILLAGE

Shall Almer Charter Township, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, be authorized to levy annually an amount not to exceed 1.0 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable value), of which .9946 mill is renewal of the previously authorized millage rate that expires in 2024 and .0054 mill is new additional millage to restore the full amount of the previously authorized millage rate lost as a result of the Headlee Amendment reductions, against all taxable property within the Township for a period of four (4) years, 2025 to 2028, inclusive, for the purpose of constructing, preserving, improving, repairing, and maintaining roads, bridges, and street systems within Almer Charter Township? The estimate of the revenue the Township will collect if the millage is approved and levied by the Township in the first year (2025) is approximately \$75,000.

ARBELA TOWNSHIP ROAD REPAIR RENEWAL

Shall the tax limitation on general ad valorem taxes which may be imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution in any one (1) year upon the property in the Township of Arbela, in the amount of one (1) mill of the taxable valuation of all property in said Township, be renewed for a period of five (5) years, commencing in 2024 through 2028, inclusive, for secondary road repair and reconstruction. This proposal will raise in the first year of the levy an estimated sum of \$89,640.00 (or \$1.00 for every \$1,000.00 of taxable value), and a like amount in subsequent years.

ELKLAND TOWNSHIP ROAD IMPROVEMENT

Shall Elkland Township levy up to 1.25 mills (\$1.25 per \$1,000 of taxable value) in the tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution and levy it for six (6) years, 2024 through 2029, inclusive, on all taxable real and personal property in the Township for disbursement to Elkland Township for the purpose of local road repairs, upgrades, construction, improvement and maintenance purposes, which levy will raise in the first year an estimated sum of \$149,600.

KOYLTON TOWNSHIP IMPROVEMENT & MAINTENANCE ROAD RENEWAL

Shall the previously voted increase in the 15 mill tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Section 6, of the Michigan Constitution on general ad valorem taxes within Koylton Township be renewed at 2 mills (\$2.00 per \$1000.00 of taxable value) for the period of 4 years, 2025 through 2028 inclusive, for the sole and exclusive purpose of the improvement and maintenance of roads within Koylton Township and shall the Township levy such renewal millage for the said purpose, thereby, raising in the first year an estimated \$90,000.00?

MILLINGTON TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONAL RENEWAL

For the purpose of continuing funding for fire department operations in Millington Township, including, but not limited to, first responder services, fire equipment purchase, and housing, shall the previous voted increases in the tax limitation imposed under article IX, section 6 of the Michigan Constitution in Millington Township, as constitutionally reduced, be renewed at the total combined reduced rate of up to 0.7417 mills (\$0.7417 per \$1,000 in taxable value), and levied for a period of six (6) years, 2025-2030, inclusive? If approved and levied in full, this millage will raise an estimated \$108,573.00 in the first calendar year of the levy, based on state taxable valuation. If approved a portion of the millage will be disbursed to the Village of Millington Downtown Development Authority.

NOVESTA TOWNSHIP ROAD RENEWAL

Shall the previous voted increase in the tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution on general ad valorem taxes within the Township of Novesta be renewed at 2 mills (\$2.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years, 2025 through 2028 inclusive, the funds to be used to provide ditching, grading, graveling, and paving of roads within the Township of Novesta; and shall the Township levy such millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$71,627.78?

WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP ROAD

Shall Watertown Township impose a tax increase of up to 2 mills (\$2.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) in the tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution and levy it for four (4) years, 2025 through 2028 inclusive, for the purpose of brining, construction, ditching, repair and maintenance of public roads within Watertown Township, which will raise an estimated \$130,000 in 2025?

CARO COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

GENERAL OBLIGATION UNLIMITED TAX BOND PROPOSAL FOR BUILDING AND SITE PURPOSES IN THE AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED \$18,400,000 Full text of the ballot proposition may be obtained at the administrative offices of Caro Community Schools, 301 N. Hooper Street, Caro, Michigan 48723, telephone: (989) 673-3160.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT THE BONDS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, IF APPROVED BY A MAJORITY VOTE OF THE ELECTORS AT THIS ELECTION, WILL BE GENERAL OBLIGATION UNLIMITED TAX BONDS PAYABLE FROM GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES.

FRANKENMUTH SCHOOL DISTRICT

I. OPERATING MILLAGE PROPOSAL

EXEMPTING PRINCIPAL RESIDENCE AND OTHER PROPERTY EXEMPTED BY LAW 18.1138 MILLS FOR 6 YEARS AND .5 MILL FOR 6 YEARS FOR HEADLEE RESTORATION PURPOSES, IF NECESSARY

II. SINKING FUND MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL

1.9964 MILLS FOR 6 YEARS

Full text of the ballot propositions may be obtained at the administrative offices of Frankenmuth School District, 525 E. Genesee Street, Frankenmuth, Michigan 48734-1296, telephone: (989) 652-9958.

VASSAR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

OPERATING MILLAGE PROPOSAL

EXEMPTING PRINCIPAL RESIDENCE AND OTHER PROPERTY EXEMPTED BY LAW 17.8312 MILLS FOR 10 YEARS AND 0.5 MILL FOR 10 YEARS TO RESTORE HEADLEE REDUCTION

Full text of the ballot proposition may be obtained at the administrative offices of Vassar Public Schools, 220 Athletic Street, Vassar, Michigan 48768-1299, telephone: (989) 823-8535.

RAWSON MEMORIAL DISTRICT LIBRARY MILLAGE

Shall the Rawson Memorial Library, County of Tuscola, Michigan, be authorized to levy annually an amount not to exceed .75 mill (\$0.75 for each \$1,000 of taxable value), of which .7450 mill is a renewal of the millage rate that expires in 2024 and .0050 mill is new additional millage to restore the millage rate previously authorized, against all taxable property within the Rawson Memorial Library district for a period of twelve (12) years, 2025 to 2036, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for all district library purposes authorized by law? The estimate of the revenue the Rawson Memorial Library will collect in the first year of levy (2025) if the millage is approved and levied by the Library is approximately \$150,000.

Sample ballots may be viewed at www.tuscolacounty.org/elections

Verify voter registration or register to vote at www.mi.gov/vote

TUSCOLA COUNTY POLLING LOCATIONS - POLLS ARE OPEN FROM 7:00 A.M. UNTIL 8:00 P.M. ON ELECTION DAY – AUGUST 6, 2024

Akron Township Jamie Schuette Akron Township Hall 4280 W. Bay City Forestville Road Unionville, Michigan	Almer Charter Township Peggy Reavey Almer Township Hall 1310 Cameron Road Caro, Michigan	Arbela Township Chelsea Sebert Arbela Township Hall 8935 Birch Run Road Millington, Michigan	Columbia Township Christine Kolar Columbia Township Library 6456 Center Street Unionville, Michigan
Dayton Township Sandy Wiseman Dayton Township Hall 4879 Hurds Corner Road Mayville, Michigan	Denmark Township Reneé Schiefer Denmark Township Hall 9386 W. Saginaw Road Richville, Michigan	Elkland Township Heather Severance VFW Hall 4533 Veterans Drive Cass City, Michigan	Ellington Township Suzy Rockwell <i>Temporary Polling Location Change:</i> Ellington Church of the Nazarene 2545 Lazelle Rd Caro, Michigan

Elmwood Township Pam Brinkman Elmwood Township Hall 6437 Lincoln Street Gagetown, Michigan	Fairgrove Township Katie Gebhardt Fairgrove Township Hall 5002 Center Street Fairgrove, Michigan	Fremont Township Amy Prill Fremont Township Hall 4850 Mertz Road Mayville, Michigan	Gilford Township Diane Spencer Gilford Township Hall 6230 W. Gilford Road Fairgrove, Michigan
Indianfields Township Robert Keilitz Indianfields Township Hall 1633 Mertz Road Caro, Michigan	Juniata Township Sara Parrott Juniata Township Hall 1971 S. Ringle Road Caro, Michigan	Kingston Township Carrie Gilley Kingston Township Hall 5943 Howard Street Wilmot, Michigan	Koylton Township Melissa Kelly Kingston Village Hall 3655 Ross Street Kingston, Michigan
Millington Township Jackie Sabgash <i>New Polling Location</i> Millington Community Center 8705 State Street Millington, Michigan	Novesta Township Pennie Rienas Novesta Township Hall 3016 N. Cemetery Road Cass City, Michigan	Tuscola Township Michelle Hicks Tuscola Township Hall 8561 Van Cleve Road Vassar, Michigan	Vassar Township Deborah Pounds Vassar Ambulance Base 5450 W. Saginaw Rd Vassar, Michigan
Watertown Township Malisa Pyles Watertown Township Hall 9405 Foster Street Fostoria, Michigan	Wells Township Bonnie Hergenreder Wells Township Hall 2190 Frankford Road Caro, Michigan	Wisner Township Pam Shook Wisner Township Hall 7894 M-25 Akron, Michigan	City of Caro Rita Papp Caro Municipal Building 317 S. State Street Caro, Michigan

All voting locations are handicapped accessible. A Voter Assist Terminal, ImageCast X, is available. Alternative voting instructions (audio and Braille) will be available.

City of Vassar
Merri Lemcke
Vassar City Hall – Lower Level
287 E. Huron Avenue
Vassar, Michigan

JODI FETTING, TUSCOLA COUNTY CLERK on behalf of Tuscola County City and Township Clerks