November 2, 2021 – Official List of Proposals

CITY OF ANN ARBOR – 4 PROPOSALS

Proposal A

Ann Arbor City Charter Amendment Related to Best Value Purchasing

Shall Section 14.3 subsection d of the Charter be amended to require the City to award contracts for supplies, materials, or public improvements, to the bidder that is deemed the best value to the City rather than the lowest responsible bidder?

Proposal B

Ann Arbor City Charter Amendment
Ranked Choice Voting for the Election of City Officers

Shall the Charter be amended to provide that the Mayor and City Council members are to be nominated and elected by a Ranked Choice Voting method when it is authorized by State Law?

Proposal C

Ann Arbor City Charter Amendment Related to Emergency Procurement

Shall Section 14.2 of the Charter be amended to require City Council to establish, by ordinance, the procedure by which the City Administrator may make emergency purchases?

Proposal D

Ann Arbor City Charter Amendment Related to the $25,000 Dollar Limit

Shall Section 14.2 of the Charter be amended to permit the City Council to delegate to the City Administrator the authority to approve purchases and to enter into contracts when the cost to the City is equal to or lesser than $75,000, to be adjustable for inflation?
PITTSFIELD TOWNSHIP – 1 PROPOSAL

Public Safety Millage Proposal

As a replacement of the existing 1.95 mills previously authorized for public safety purposes expiring in 2021, shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed on taxable property within the Charter Township of Pittsfield, County of Washtenaw, Michigan be increased in an amount not to exceed 2.95 mills ($2.95 on each $1,000.00 of taxable value), for a period of 5 years, beginning in the year 2021 and ending in the year 2025, inclusive, as new additional millage for the purpose of providing funds to the Department of Public Safety for operating expenses; for sworn police officers, firefighters and support personnel; for replacement and additional fire apparatus and equipment acquisition; for improvements, renovations, repair and maintenance of existing facilities; and for related program support for the Department of Public Safety? It is estimated that 2.95 mills would raise approximately $6,528,207 when first levied in 2021.

COLUMBIA SCHOOL DISTRICT – 1 PROPOSAL

Columbia School District
Sinking Fund Millage Proposal

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Columbia School District, Jackson, Lenawee, Washtenaw and Hillsdale Counties, Michigan, be increased by and the board of education be authorized to levy not to exceed 0.65 mill ($0.65 on each $1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2022 to 2031, inclusive, to create 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 2022 is approximately $470,124?