

**NOTICE OF ELECTION
CANTON TOWNSHIP, MICHIGAN
AUGUST 5, 2014**

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS of the Charter Township of Canton, notice is hereby given that a Primary Election will be held in the Charter Township of Canton on Tuesday, August 5, 2014 from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. The polls will be open for 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.

Please take notice that the voters of Canton Township will be voting on the following:

- Governor
- United States Senator
- Representative in Congress
- State Senator
- State Representative (20th & 21st Districts)
- County Executive
- County Commissioner (10th District)
- Delegate to County Convention

and to vote on the following proposals:

Proposal 14-1 Approval or Disapproval of Amendatory Act To Reduce State Use Tax and Replace With a Local Community Stabilization Share to Modernize The Tax System To Help Small Businesses Grow and Create Jobs

The amendatory act adopted by the Legislature would:

1. Reduce the state use tax and replace with a local community stabilization share of the tax for the purpose of modernizing the tax system to help small businesses grow and create jobs in Michigan.
 2. Require Local Community Stabilization Authority to provide revenue to local governments dedicated for local purposes, including police safety, fire protection, and ambulance emergency services.
 3. Increase portion of state use tax dedicated for aid to local school districts.
 4. Prohibit Authority from increasing taxes.
 5. Prohibit total use tax rate from exceeding existing constitutional 6% limitation.
- Should this law be approved?

___ Yes ___ No

Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Operating Millage Renewal Proposal

This proposal will allow the school district to continue to levy the statutory rate of 18 mills on all on all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, required for the school district to receive its full foundation allowance per pupil under Proposal A. The remaining 2 mills are only available to be levied to restore millage lost as a result of a "Headlee" rollback and will only be levied to the extent necessary to restore that rollback.

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 Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, Wayne and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan, be renewed by 20 mills (\$20.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2015 to 2024, 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 2015 is approximately \$24,900,000(this is a renewal of millage which will expire on November 30, 2014)?

___ Yes ___ No

Wayne County Regional Education Service Agency Regional Enhancement Millage Proposal

Pursuant to state law, the revenue raised by the proposed enhancement millage will be collected by the Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency and Distributed to local public school districts within the boundaries of the Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency based on pupil membership count. Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency, Michigan, be increased by 2.00 mills (\$2 per thousand dollars of taxable value) for a period of six (6) years, 2014 to 2019, inclusive, as new additional millage to provide operating funds to enhance other state and local funding for local school district operation purposes? It is estimated that 2 mills would raise approximately \$80,000,000 when first levied in 2014. The revenue from this millage will be disbursed to the following school districts: Allen Park Public Schools, Crestwood School District, Dearborn City School District, Dearborn Heights School District #7, School District of the City of Detroit, Ecorse Public School District, Flat Rock Community Schools, School District of the City of Garden City, Gibraltar School District, Grosse Ile Township Schools, The Grosse Pointe Public School System, Hamtramck Public Schools, City of Harper Woods Schools, School District of the City of Highland Park, Huron School District, School District of the City of Lincoln Park, Livonia Public Schools, Melvindale-Northern Allen Park Schools, Northville Public Schools, Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, Redford Union School District, River Rouge School District, Riverview Community School District, Romulus Community Schools, Southgate Community School District, South Redford School District, Taylor School District, Trenton Public Schools, Van Buren Public Schools, Wayne-Westland Community School District, Westwood Community Schools, Woodhaven-Brownstown School District, Wyandotte City School District.

___ Yes ___ No

**STATEMENT AS REQUIRED BY ACT 278 OF PUBLIC ACTS OF 1964
Amending the Property Tax Limitation Act**

I, Raymond J. Wojtowicz, Treasurer of Wayne County, Michigan, do hereby certify that, as of June 01, 2014 the total of all voted increases in excess of the tax rate limitation established by Section 6, Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Michigan, as amended, and the years such increases are effective on property in the County of Wayne are as follows:

WAYNE COUNTY
Wayne County, Michigan
Township of Canton

| <u>Taxing Authorities</u> | <u>Date of Election</u> | <u>Voted Increases</u> | <u>Years Increase Effective</u> |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| County of Wayne | November 3, 2009 | 1 mill | 2019 |
| Wayne County Jail | August 7, 2012 | 1 mill | 2021 |
| Wayne County Parks | November 2, 2010 | 0.25 mills | 2015 |
| Wayne County Comm. College | November 6, 2008 November 6, 2012 | 1.25 mills 1 mill | 2020 2022 |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS | | | |
| Plymouth-Canton Community Schools | September, 2004 | 18 mills | 2014 (non-homestead only) |
| Van Buren Township School District | November, 2011 November, 2008 | 18 mills 1.13 mills | 2016 (non-homestead only) 2015 |
| Wayne-Westland Community Schools | May, 2010 February, 2012 | 18 mills 1 mill | 2025 (non-homestead only) 2022 |

Persons entitled to be registered voters in Canton Township must possess the following qualifications on or before the day of the election: (1) a citizen of the United States; (2) not less than 18 years of age; (3) a resident of the State of Michigan and Canton Township for not less than 30 days prior to the election (MCL 168.492). In addition, qualified electors must be registered to vote not less than 30 days prior to the election (MCL 168.497).

Registrations will be received at Canton Township Hall located at 1150 S. Canton Center Rd, Canton, Michigan, 48188, Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:30am and 4:30pm.

The Office of the Township Clerk, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, will be open from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 2, 2014 for obtaining and casting absentee ballots. Qualified voters must appear in person to receive a ballot.

On Monday, August 4, 2014, those requesting an absentee ballot must appear in person at the Clerk's Office no later than 4:00 p.m. Emergency absentee ballots ONLY will be issued on Election Day, August 5, 2014.

To obtain election instructions in an alternative format (audio or Braille), contact the Clerk's Office at 734-394-5120 prior to Election Day.

If you are unsure of your voting location, please refer to your voter registration card, check the Clerk's voting page on Canton's Website at www.canton-mi.org/clerk/voting.aspx, or call the Clerk's office at 734-394-5120.

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
PRECINCT NUMBERS AND LOCATIONS**

Listed below are the polling locations for the Tuesday, August 5, 2014 Primary Election, which will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of voting:

| <u>Precinct No.</u> | <u>Name of Facility</u> | <u>Address</u> |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 & 23 | Discovery Middle School | 45083 Hanford Rd |
| 2 | Connection Church | 3855 S. Sheldon Rd |
| 3, 10, 21 | St. John Neumann Church | 44800 Warren Rd |
| 4 & 13 | Miller Elementary School | 43721 Hanford Rd |
| 5 & 31 | Crescent Academy | 40440 Palmer Rd |
| 6 & 32 | Life Church | 7001 N. Haggerty Rd |
| 7 & 8 | Salem High School | 46181 Joy Rd |
| 9 & 34 | Eriksson Elementary School | 1275 N. Haggerty Rd |
| 11 & 19 | Tonda Elementary School | 46501 Warren Rd |
| 12 & 14 | Hulsing Elementary School | 8055 Fleet St |
| 15 | Walker-Winter Elementary School | 39932 Michigan Ave |
| 16 & 17 | Bentley Elementary School | 1100 S. Sheldon Rd |
| 18 & 29 | Field Elementary School | 1000 S. Haggerty Rd |
| 20 | Township Fire Station No. 1 | 1100 S. Canton Center Rd |
| 22 | Hoben Elementary School | 44680 Saltz Rd |
| 24 & 25 | Canton High School | 8415 N. Canton Center Rd |
| 26, 27, 36 & 40 | Summit on the Park | 46000 Summit Parkway |
| 28 | Canton Township DPW Yard | 4847 S. Sheldon Rd |
| 30 | Mettetal Airport | 8550 N. Lilley Rd |
| 33 & 37 | Dodson Elementary School | 205 N. Beck Rd |
| 35 | Canton Human Services Center | 50430 School House Rd |
| 38 | Historic Cherry Hill School | 50440 Cherry Hill Rd |
| 39 | Plymouth High School | 8400 N. Beck Rd |
| 41 & 42 | Workman Elementary School | 250 N. Denton Rd |

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