

NOTICE OF ELECTION

To be held

Tuesday, August 4, 2026

To the qualified electors of Jackson County, State of Michigan, of the City of Jackson, Blackman Charter, Columbia Charter, Concord, Grass Lake Charter, Hanover, Henrietta, Leoni, Liberty, Napoleon, Norvell, Parma, Pulaski, Rives, Sandstone Charter, Spring Arbor, Springport, Summit, Tompkins, and Waterloo townships notice is hereby given that a primary election will be held for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following: Governor, United States Senator, United States Representative in Congress, State Senator, State Representative, Jackson City Mayor, Norvell Township Clerk, Rives Township Clerk, Sandstone Charter Township Trustee, and Springport Township Supervisor. Further notice is given to the qualified electors of Chelsea School District of Jackson County, of Grass Lake Charter and Waterloo Townships; Homer Community School District of Jackson County, of Pulaski Township; Litchfield Community Schools of Jackson County, of Pulaski Township; Grass Lake Charter Township, Pulaski Township, Sandstone Charter Township, and Summit Township, State of Michigan, for the following purposes in the following voting precincts on Tuesday, August 4, 2026.

The further purposes of the election:

GRASS LAKE CHARTER TOWNSHIP FIRE PROTECTION MILLAGE RENEWAL

Shall the previous voted increase in the tax limitations imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution in Grass Lake Charter Township, of 1.64 mills (\$1.64 per \$1,000 of taxable value), reduced to 1.6331 mills (\$1.6331 per \$1,000 of taxable value) by the required millage rollbacks, be renewed at and increased up to the original voted 1.64 mills (\$1.64 per \$1,000 of taxable value), taking effect for the 2026 tax year levy, and levied for six additional years, 2026 through 2031 inclusive, for maintaining and operating fire protection services, raising an estimated \$642,143.35 in the first year the millage is levied?

PULASKI TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT MILLAGE

Shall the expired previous voted increase in the tax limitations imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution in Pulaski Township, of 1 mills (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value), reduced to .9172 mills (\$0.9172 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) by the required millage rollbacks, be renewed at and increased up to the original voted 1 mills (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) and levied for 20 years, 2026 through 2046 inclusive, for the purposes of financing operations of the Pulaski Township Fire Department, which one (1) mills increase will raise an estimated \$83,434.00 in the first year the millage is levied.

**SANDSTONE CHARTER TOWNSHIP
FIRE PROTECTION MILLAGE RENEWAL**

Shall the previous voted millage in the Charter Township of Sandstone of 1.250 mills (\$1.25 per \$1,000 of taxable value), reduced to 1.2408 mills (\$1.2408 mills per \$1,000 of taxable value) by the required millage rollbacks be renewed at and increased up to the original voted 1.250 mills (\$1.25 per \$1,000 of taxable value) and levied for 4 years, 2027 through 2030 inclusive. The tax revenue received by the Township will be disbursed to the Charter Township of Sandstone and the Parma Sandstone Fire Department for fire protection (including First Responder emergency medical service), and operation and maintenance of the fire department and fire department vehicles, apparatus, equipment and housing. If approved, it is estimated that the levy of 1.25 mills will provide revenue of \$232,583.00 in the first calendar year of the levy.

**SUMMIT TOWNSHIP
FIRE & POLICE SERVICE MILLAGE RENEWAL**

It is proposed that the current police and fire millage of 0.9623 mills be renewed. Voters approved this millage in 2019. Summit Township is levying this millage to provide funding for police, fire, and emergency services and equipment. Each year, this millage will cost you about \$48.00 for each \$50,000 of your taxable real and personal property. The millage will last from 2027 to 2036. Approximately \$900,000 would be raised in the first year that the millage is levied. Should this proposed millage renewal be approved?

**SUMMIT TOWNSHIP
FIRE & POLICE SERVICE MILLAGE INCREASE**

It is proposed that the Summit Township police and fire millage be increased by 1.000 mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) to provide additional funding for police, fire, and emergency services, including equipment, within the Township. If approved, the Township could levy up to 1.9623 mills for police, fire, and emergency services, providing about \$1,845,000 in total funds for those purposes in 2027. The increase alone would raise about \$945,000 in the first year it is levied and would last from 2027 to 2036. Should this proposed millage increase be approved?

**To the electors of Chelsea School District in the County of Jackson, State of Michigan,
Grass Lake Charter and Waterloo Townships:**

**CHELSEA SCHOOL DISTRICT
SINKING FUND MILLAGE PROPOSAL
0.8985 MILL FOR 10 YEARS**

**CHELSEA SCHOOL DISTRICT
OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL
19.1437 MILL FOR 6 YEARS**

Full text of the ballot proposition may be obtained at the administrative offices of Chelsea School District, 500 East Washington Street, Chelsea, Michigan 48118-1199, telephone (734) 433-2208.

To the electors of Litchfield Community Schools in the County of Jackson, State of Michigan, Pulaski Township:

LITCHFIELD COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
SINKING FUND MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL
0.7308 MILL FOR 4 YEARS

LITCHFIELD COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL
18.2859 MILL FOR 8 YEARS

Full text of the ballot proposition may be obtained at the administrative offices of Litchfield Community Schools, 210 Williams Street, Litchfield, Michigan 49252-9641, telephone: (517) 542-2388.

To the electors of Homer Community School District, County of Jackson, State of Michigan, Pulaski Township:

HOMER COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL OBLIGATION UNLIMITED TAX BOND PROPOSAL

Full text of the ballot proposition may be obtained at the administrative offices of Homer Community School District, 403 South Hillsdale Street, Homer, Michigan 49245-1265, telephone: (517) 568-4461

All polling locations are open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

POLLING LOCATIONS:

City of Jackson:

Ward 1 Pct 1 – Martin Luther King Center, 1107 Adrian St.
Ward 2 Pct 2 - St. John's United Ctr for Caring, 801 S. Mechanic St.
Ward 2 Pct 3 - St. John's Parish Ctr, 711 N. Martin Luther King Jr. Dr.
Ward 3 Pct 4 & 5 - St. John's Parish Ctr, 711 N. Martin Luther King Jr. Dr.
Ward 4 Pct 6 & 7 - First Presbyterian Church, 743 W. Michigan Ave
Ward 5 Pct 8 - St. John's United Ctr for Caring, 801 S. Mechanic St.
Ward 6 Pct 9 & 10 - Cascades Baptist Church, 1012 W. High St.

Blackman Charter Township:

Pct 1 & 2 - Blackman Twp Hall, 1990 W. Parnall Rd.
Pct 3 & 4 – Bethel Church, 1691 Springport Rd.

Pct 5 & 6 – Rivertree Community Church, 3113 Lansing Ave

Columbia Charter Township:

Pct 1 - Columbia Charter Twp Hall, 8500 Jefferson Rd.

Pct 2 & 3 - Columbia Fitness Ctr, 11775 Hewitt Rd.

Concord Township:

Pct 1 – Concord Community Center, 310 Homer St.

Grass Lake Charter Township:

Pct 1 - Grass Lake Charter Twp Fire Hall, 12222 E. Michigan Ave

Pct 2 - Grass Lake Charter Twp Hall, 373 Lakeside Dr.

Hanover Township:

Pct 1 & 2 - Hanover Twp Hall, 311 Farview St.

Henrietta Township:

Pct 1 & 2 - Henrietta Twp Office, 11732 Bunkerhill Rd.

Leoni Township:

Pct 1 - Loni Twp Hall, 915 Fifth St.

Pct 2 – Leoni Twp Hall, 913 Fifth St.

Pct 3 & 4 - East Jackson High School, 1566 N. Sutton Rd.

Liberty Township:

Pct 1 - Liberty Fire Station, 1205 Lindsey Rd.

Napoleon Township:

Pct 1 & 2 – Napoleon Twp Hall, 6755 Brooklyn Rd.

Norvell Township:

Pct 1 & 2- Norvell Township Hall, 300 Mill Rd.

Parma Township:

Pct 1 - Parma Twp Hall, 16407 Comdon Rd.

Pulaski Township:

Pct 1 - Pulaski Twp Hall, 12363 Folks Rd.

Rives Township:

Pct 1 & 2 – Rives Baptist Church, 2800 W. Berry Rd.

Sandstone Charter Township:

Pct 1 & 2 - Sandstone Charter Twp Hall, 7940 County Farm Rd.

Pct 3 - Parma-Sandstone Fire Station, 297 N. Union St.

Spring Arbor Township:

Pct 1 & 2 – The Arbor Church Family Center, 120 E. Main St.

Pct 3 – Spring Arbor Church of the Nazarene, 8200 King Rd.

Springport Township:

Pct 1 - Springport Twp Hall, 101 E. Main St.

Summit Township:

Pct 1, 2 & 3 - Cornerstone Christian Church, 2395 W. High St.

Pct 4, 5 & 6 - Summit Twp Hall, 2121 Ferguson Rd.

Pct 7 & 8 - Jackson Free Methodist Church, 2829 Park Drive

Tompkins Township:

Pct 1 - Tompkins Twp Hall, 9999 Tompkins Rd.

Waterloo Township:

Pct 1 – Waterloo Township Hall, 9773 Mt. Hope Rd.

Sample ballots can be found at www.mi.gov/vote.

Absentee ballots are available for all elections; registered voters may contact the local clerk to obtain an application for an absent voter ballot.

To comply with the Help America Vote Act (HAVA), voting instructions will be available in audio format and in Braille. Arrangements for obtaining the instructions in these alternative formats can be made by contacting the township or city clerk in advance of the election. The in-person location will have a voter assist terminal (VAT) available for voters with disabilities.

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CIERRA L. SOWLE, JACKSON COUNTY CLERK/REGISTER OF DEEDS

Additional Election information is available at: www.mijackson.org
