

# BALLOT LANGUAGE

## BYRON AREA SCHOOLS 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 Byron Area Schools, Shiawassee, Livingston and Genesee Counties, Michigan, be renewed by 17.735 mills (\$17.735 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 7 years, 2026 to 2032, inclusive, and also be increased by .265 mill (\$.265 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 7 years, 2026 to 2032, 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 2026 is approximately \$670,141 (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2025 levy and a restoration of millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the "Headlee" amendment to the Michigan Constitution of 1963)?

### Shiawassee Township Millage Request Language

2025 August Election

#### Fire Department Services and Protection

Shall the millage for Shiawassee Township be set at Two (2) mills each year for 10 years? Such millage to be used for providing funds for Fire Department Services and Protection in Shiawassee Township, Shiawassee County Michigan. The millage of two (2) mills ad valorem represents \$2.00 per 1,000 of taxable value of all property. Such millage to be effective from 2025 to 2034. The township estimates it will receive up to \$218,920.72 in the first year if this proposal is approved. A portion will be disbursed to the Village of Bancroft Downtown Development Authority.