



VOTE!



Non-Homestead Renewal

On Tuesday, November 6, 2018, Mason Consolidated School voters will consider the renewal and Headlee restoration of the District's current non-homestead property tax levy. This provides funding for educational programming and everyday expenses of the school district. The total non-homestead property tax rate is capped at 18 mills and cannot go higher. The current millage expires this year. The renewal and restoration will cover the next four years, from 2019-2022.

This is a renewal and restoration of non-homestead property tax which is levied on vacation homes, rental property, vacant land and commercial and industrial properties. It is not levied on your primary home or qualified agricultural property.

Ballot:

"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 Mason Consolidated Schools, Monroe County, Michigan, be renewed by 17.8488 mills (\$17.8488 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) and also be increased by 0.1512 mill (\$0.1512 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 4 years, 2019 to 2022, 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 2019 is approximately \$1,159,155 (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2018 levy and a restoration of millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution of 1963)?"

Questions? Drop-In Open Forums!

If you have any questions concerning this renewal, please contact Andrew Shaw, Superintendent, at 734-848-5475 ext. 9304, or by email: shaw@eriemason.k12.mi.us. There will be drop-in open forums to answer any questions on October 22, October 29, and October 31 from 6:00pm - 7:00pm in Mr. Shaw's office at Mason High School.

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