# BOARD OF TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES PERRY TOWNSHIP FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO

The Board of Township Trustees (the "Board") of Perry Township, Franklin County, Ohio (the "Township"), met in Regular session on July 15, 2024 at the offices of the Township, 7125 Sawmill Road, Dublin, Ohio 43016, with the following members present:

M. Lance Proper introduced the following resolution and moved its passage:

# RESOLUTION TO PROCEED WITH ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF AN ADDITIONAL TAX IN EXCESS OF THE TEN-MILL LIMITATION

(Ohio Revised Code Sections 5705.03, 5705.19 and 5705.25)

WHEREAS, on July 12, 2024, the Board passed a resolution (the "Resolution of Necessity") declaring the necessity, for the purpose of providing and maintaining motor vehicles, communications, other equipment, buildings, and sites for such buildings used directly in the operation of a police department, or the payment of salaries of permanent or part-time police, communications, or administrative personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any employer contributions required for such personnel under Section 145.48 or 742.33 of the Revised Code, for the payment of the costs incurred by townships as a result of contracts made with other political subdivisions in order to obtain police protection, for the provision of ambulance or emergency medical services operated by a police department, or for the payment of other related costs, to levy an additional tax (the "Levy") in excess of the ten-mill limitation at the rate of 7.57 mills for each \$1 of taxable value; and

WHEREAS, the County Auditor of Franklin County, Ohio (the "County Auditor") has certified to the Board that the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by the Levy assuming the taxable value of the Township remains constant throughout the life of the Levy is \$2,403,000 based on the current total taxable value of the Township of \$317,423,570 and

WHEREAS, the County Auditor has also certified to the Board that the amount of the Levy expressed in dollars, rounded to the nearest \$1, for each \$100,000 of the "county auditor's appraised value" (as defined in Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.01(P)), is \$265 (the "Estimated Cost");

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Township Trustees of Perry Township, Franklin County, Ohio, two-thirds of all of the members thereof concurring, that:

Section 1. The Board determines to proceed with the submission of the question of the Levy to all of the electors of the Township at a rate of 7.57 mill for each \$1 of taxable value for a continuing period of time, for the purpose of providing and maintaining motor vehicles, communications, other equipment, buildings, and sites for such buildings used directly in the operation of a police department, or the payment of salaries of permanent or part-time police, communications, or administrative personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any employer contributions required for such personnel under Section 145.48 or 742.33 of the Revised Code, for the payment of the costs incurred by townships as a result of contracts made with other political subdivisions in order to obtain police protection, for the provision of ambulance or emergency medical services operated by a police department, or for the payment of other related costs, which the County Auditor has certified at the Estimated Cost for each \$100,000 of the county auditor's appraised value.

Section 2. As authorized by Ohio Revised Code Section 5709.19, the question of the Levy shall be submitted to all of the electors in the entire territory of the Township at the election to be held on March 19, 2024 (the "Election Date"). All of the territory of the Township is located in Franklin County, Ohio.

Section 3. The form of the ballot to be used at said election shall be substantially as follows:

An additional tax for the benefit of Perry Township for the purpose of providing and maintaining motor vehicles, communications, other equipment, buildings, and sites for such buildings used directly in the operation of a police department, or the payment of salaries of permanent or part-time police, communications, or administrative personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any employer contributions required for such personnel under Section 145.48 or 742.33 of the Revised Code, for the payment of the costs incurred by townships as a result of contracts made with other political subdivisions in order to obtain police protection, for the provision of ambulance or emergency medical services operated by a police department, or for the payment of other related costs, that the county auditor estimates will collect \$2,403,000 annually, at a rate not exceeding 7.57 mills for each \$1 of taxable value, which amounts to \$265 for each \$100,000 of the county auditor's appraised value, for a continuing period of time, commencing in 2024, first due in calendar

year 2025.

FOR THE TAX LEVY
AGAINST THE TAX LEVY

Section 4. The Fiscal Officer of the Township is hereby directed to immediately certify, not later than August 7, 2024 (which date is not less than 90 days prior to the Election Date), to the Board of Elections of Franklin County, Ohio (the "Board of Elections"), a copy of the Resolution of Necessity and a copy of this Resolution together with the certificate of the County Auditor certifying the current total taxable value of the Township, the estimated property tax revenue that will be produced by the Levy based on such current total taxable value, and the amount of the Levy expressed in dollars for each \$100,000 of the county auditor's appraised value.

Section 5. The Fiscal Officer of the Township is hereby directed and shall also certify to the Board of Elections that the Levy will be levied for a continuing period of time and will include a levy on the 2024 tax list and duplicate (commencing in 2024, first due in calendar year 2025) if approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon.

Section 6. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Board, and that all deliberations of this Board and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Ohio Revised Code Section 121.22.

wote was taken and the results were:	seconded the motion and, after discussion, a roll call
Ayes: James Poper. Ch	et Chancy, Andy English
Nays:	
The Resolution passed.	
Passed: 15, 2021	BOARD OF TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES PERRY TOWNSHIP FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO
Attest: Wichele Elliott	By:
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	Trustee

#### **CERTIFICATE**

The undersigned Fiscal Officer of Perry Township, Franklin County, Ohio, hereby certifies that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution duly passed by the Board of Township Trustees of said Township on July 15, 2024, and that a true copy thereof was certified to the Board of Elections of Franklin County, Ohio.

Fiscal Officer, Board of Township Trustees

Perry Township

Franklin County, Ohio

# RECEIPT OF BOARD OF ELECTIONS

Additional Levy (Ohio Revised Code Sections 5705.19 and 5705.25)

The undersigned, being the Director of Elections of Franklin County, Ohio, does hereby acknowledge receipt of the following documents from Perry Township, Franklin County, Ohio (the "Township"):

- 1. A certified copy of a resolution passed by the Board of Township Trustees of the Township on July 12, 2024 determining the necessity of an additional tax (the "Levy") for the purpose of providing and maintaining motor vehicles, communications, other equipment, buildings, and sites for such buildings used directly in the operation of a police department, or the payment of salaries of permanent or part-time police, communications, or administrative personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any employer contributions required for such personnel under Section 145.48 or 742.33 of the Revised Code, for the payment of the costs incurred by townships as a result of contracts made with other political subdivisions in order to obtain police protection, for the provision of ambulance or emergency medical services operated by a police department, or for the payment of other related costs at a rate not exceeding 7.57 mills for each \$1 of taxable value, for a continuing period of time, and to submit the same to the electors at the election to be held on November 5, 2024.
- 2. A certificate of the County Auditor of Franklin County, Ohio, dated July 15, 2024, certifying the current total taxable value of the Township, the estimated property tax revenue that will be produced by the Levy based on such taxable value, and the amount of the Levy expressed in dollars for each \$100,000 of the county auditor's appraised value.
- 3. A certified copy of a resolution passed by such Board of Township Trustees on July 15, 2024 determining to proceed with the election on the question of the Levy.

Dated: July 15, 2024

Director of Elections Franklin County, Ohio

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Receipt f	Receipt No.: 7956					
Office of the Board of Elections, Franklin County, Ohio,		July 17	<b>, 20</b> 24			
Received of Perry Township						
Declaration of Candidacy Petitions for the Nominating Petitions for the office of Local Option Petition Referendum Petition Initiative Petition	Subdivis Number of Signatu Part-Petiti	ion: ures: ons:	party			
Description - Purpose, Rate, Date of Election, etc.						
Tax Levy: 7.57 mills  Bond Issue:  Charter Amendment:  Sales:  Maps:  Other:						
BOARD OF I	ELECTIONS, By	(signed)  Monica Delication (printed)	Brock			

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Police Department budget cuts in the event the \$2.4 million / 7.57mill levy to be placed upon the November 5, 2024, ballot does not pass:

## Personnel:

Three (3) current full-time positions (minimum)

Six (6) part-time positions

Compliance officer position

Records officer position

Reduction of fulltime administrative assistant by 50%.

# Training and Equipment:

Additional training not mandated by the State and Ohio Collaborative (currently 24-hours)

Reduce safety and technology equipment purchases (ex. body cameras / vests)

Replacement vehicle(s) and required equipment over 5-year period.

# Community Programs and Services:

Crime prevention initiatives

Kid-ID

Community engagement (ex. July 4<sup>th</sup> events, Beggar's night, holiday carriage rides, etc.)

#### **Investigative Unit:**

Detective bureau staff

#### Patrol Services:

Vacation and business checks
Solicitation, noise, and animal complaints
Vehicle lock outs (non-safety related)
Custody exchange escorts

## **Specialty Units:**

Mounted unit

K9

UAV unit

Bike patrol

Honor guard