

**MARCH 16, 2004, GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION PROPOSITIONS**

1a. ADDISON TOWNSHIP

**PROPOSITION TO LIMIT RESIDENTIAL ASSESSMENT GROWTH**

Do you support a restrictive cap on all future Homeowner property tax assessments?

1b. ADDISON TOWNSHIP

**PROPOSITION TO INCREASE SENIOR ASSESSMENT FREEZE HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION INCOME LEVEL**

Shall the maximum household income eligibility for the Senior Citizens Assessment Freeze Homestead Exemption be increased from \$40,000 per tax year to \$45,000 per tax year?

1c. ADDISON TOWNSHIP

**PROPOSITION TO ELIMINATE ANNUAL FILING OF SENIOR ASSESSMENT FREEZE HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION APPLICATION**

Shall the application, required to be filed each year to be eligible to receive the Senior Citizens Assessment Freeze Homestead Exemption be eliminated for persons who are 70 years or older?

2a. VILLAGE OF BENSENVILLE

**PROPOSITION TO SUBMIT ADVISORY QUESTION OF PUBLIC POLICY**

SHALL THE BENSENVILLE PARK DISTRICT REMOVE (DE-ANNEX) THE WHITE PINES GOLF COURSE FROM THE VILLAGE OF BENSENVILLE, WHICH WILL RESULT IN THE LOSS OF TAX DOLLARS THAT ARE USED TO FIGHT O'HARE EXPANSION?

2b. VILLAGE OF BENSENVILLE

**PROPOSITION TO SUBMIT ADVISORY QUESTION OF PUBLIC POLICY**

"SHALL THE VILLAGE OF BENSENVILLE CONTINUE TO PROVIDE TAXPAYER SUPPORTED VILLAGE SERVICES TO THE WHITE PINES GOLF COURSE, IF THE BENSENVILLE PARK DISTRICT REMOVES (DE-ANNEXES) THE WHITE PINES GOLF COURSE FROM THE VILLAGE OF BENSENVILLE?"

2c. VILLAGE OF BENSENVILLE

**PROPOSITION TO SUBMIT ADVISORY QUESTION OF PUBLIC POLICY**

SHALL THE VILLAGE OF BENSENVILLE APPLY LIQUOR LICENSE CONTROLS UNIFORMLY THROUGHOUT THE VILLAGE, INCLUDING THE WHITE PINES GOLF COURSE, TO PREVENT THE PROBLEMS ASSOCIATED WITH THE ABUSE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES?

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3a. VILLAGE OF CAROL STREAM

**QUESTION TO ISSUE \$19,250,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION LIBRARY BONDS OF THE VILLAGE OF CAROL STREAM**

Shall the Village of Carol Stream, DuPage County, Illinois, construct, furnish and equip a new public library facility at a site to be located at 2N540 Kuhn Road in said Village and issue its general obligation bonds to the amount of \$19,250,000 for the purpose of paying the costs thereof, said bonds bearing interest at not to exceed the rate of 9% per annum?

3b. VILLAGE OF CAROL STREAM

**QUESTION FOR LIBRARY TAX RATE INCREASE FOR THE VILLAGE OF CAROL STREAM**

Shall the annual library tax for maintenance and operation in the Village of Carol Stream, DuPage County, Illinois be increased from .25% to .41% of all taxable property in the Village as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue in order to maintain and operate a new library facility to be located at 2N540 Kuhn Road, Carol Stream, Illinois?

4a. VILLAGE OF LOMBARD

**PROPOSITION IN REGARD TO THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW LIBRARY BUILDING AND FOR THE PURCHASE OF NECESSARY EQUIPMENT THEREFOR**

Shall the Village of Lombard, on behalf of the Helen M. Plum Memorial Library Board of Library Trustees, issue general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed Twenty-Three Million Five Hundred Thousand (\$23,500,000) Dollars for the purpose of constructing a new library building and for the purchase of necessary equipment therefor?

4b. VILLAGE OF LOMBARD

**PROPOSITION IN REGARD TO AN INCREASE IN THE ANNUAL LIBRARY TAX FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION FROM 0.25% TO 0.31%**

Shall the annual library tax for maintenance and operation in the Village of Lombard be increased from 0.25% to 0.31%?

5. VILLAGE OF OAK BROOK

Shall the Village of Oak Brook impose a Non-Home Rule Municipal Retailers' Occupation Tax, in the amount of ¼% of the gross receipts of any sale of personal property, upon any person engaged in the business of selling tangible personal property at retail in the Village of Oak Brook; and shall the Village of Oak Brook impose a Non-Home Rule Municipal Service Occupation Tax, in the amount of ¼% of the selling price of all tangible personal property transferred by a serviceman, either in the form of tangible personal property or in the form of real estate, as an incident to a sale of service, upon all persons engaged, in the Village of Oak Brook, in the business of making sales of service, to be used by the Village for expenditure on public infrastructure?

6. CITY OF WARRENVILLE

"Shall the City of Warrenville, DuPage County, Illinois, be a home rule unit?"

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7. WEST CHICAGO MOSQUITO ABATEMENT DISTRICT

**PROPOSITION TO AUTHORIZE AN INCREASE IN THE PROPERTY TAX EXTENSION LIMITATION UNDER THE PROPERTY TAX EXTENSION LIMITATION ACT**

SHALL THE EXTENSION LIMITATION UNDER THE PROPERTY TAX LIMITATION LAW [35 ILCS 200/18-185, ET SEQ.] FOR THE WEST CHICAGO MOSQUITO ABATEMENT DISTRICT, DUPAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, BE INCREASED FROM 1.9% TO 70% FOR THE 2004 LEVY YEAR?

8. CLARENDON HILLS PARK DISTRICT

Shall the Clarendon Hills Park District, DuPage County, Illinois be authorized to levy and collect an additional tax of .10% for the purpose of recreational programs as provided in Section 5-3a of "The Park District Code"?

9. ROSELLE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 1

**PROPOSITION TO INCREASE THE EXTENSION LIMITATION OF THE ROSELLE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT**

Shall the extension limitation under the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law for the Roselle Fire Protection District No. 1, DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois be increased from 2.4% to 19.5% for the 2004 levy year?

10a. YORK CENTER FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

**PROPOSITION TO INCREASE CORPORATE PURPOSES TAX RATE**

Shall the maximum allowable tax rate for York Center Fire Protection District be increased from .32% to .40% of the value of all taxable property within the District as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue?

Based upon the last known equalized assessed value of taxable property within the District, the approximate amount extendable under the proposed rate applicable to the next taxes extended is \$1,059,718 and the approximate amount extendable under the current rate applicable to the next taxes extended is \$847,774.

10b. YORK CENTER FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

**PROPOSITION TO INCREASE AMBULANCE SERVICE PURPOSES TAX RATE**

Shall the Board of Trustees of the York Center Fire Protection District be authorized to increase the special tax for ambulance service to a rate not to exceed .30% of the value of all taxable property within the district as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue for the purpose of providing such service?

11. BENSENVILLE COMMUNITY PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT

"Shall the annual public library tax rate for the Bensenville Community Public Library District, Bensenville, DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois be established at .24% of full, fair cash value instead of at .15%, the maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended?"

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12. WOOD DALE PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT

“Shall the annual public library tax rate for The Wood Dale Public Library District, DuPage County, Illinois, be established at .27% of full, fair cash value, instead of at .15%, the maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended?”

13. ADDISON SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 4

**PROPOSITION TO ISSUE \$25,000,000 SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS**

Shall the Board of Education of Addison School District Number 4, DuPage County, Illinois, improve the sites of, build and equip additions to and alter, repair and equip school buildings of said School District and issue bonds of said School District to the amount of \$25,000,000 for the purpose of paying the costs thereof?

14. MEDINAH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 11

**PROPOSITION TO INCREASE MAXIMUM ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL TAX RATE**

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes for Medinah Elementary School District Number 11, DuPage County, Illinois, be increased and established at 2.08 percent upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 1.68 percent, the present maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended for said purposes?

- (a) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the maximum rate now in force in said School District is the sum of \$4,732,109.
- (b) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the proposed increased rate is the sum of \$5,858,801.
- (c) The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District is the sum of \$8,234,637; the total dollar amount of said annual budget, if increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if the proposition is approved, is the sum of \$9,361,329; the percentage of increase in the total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District if such total dollar amount were increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if the proposition is approved, is 13.68 percent.
- (d) The percentage of increase between the maximum rate at which such taxes for educational purposes may be levied if the proposition is approved and the annual rate at which such taxes for educational purposes is currently levied is 23.80 percent.

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15. BENJAMIN SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 25

**PROPOSITION TO INCREASE MAXIMUM ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL FUND TAX RATE**

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes of Benjamin School District Number 25, DuPage County, Illinois, be increased and established at 2.66% upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 2.31%, the maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended for said purposes?

- (a) The approximate amount of educational fund taxes extendible under the maximum rate now in force in said School District is the sum of \$4,429,814.
- (b) The approximate amount of educational fund taxes extendible under the proposed increased rate is the sum of \$5,100,998.
- (c) The annual rate at which educational fund taxes are currently levied is 2.31% and the percentage of increase between said rate and the maximum rate of 2.66%, if approved, is 15.15%.
- (d) The total dollar amount of expenditures of the 2003-2004 budget of said School District, including bond and interest, is \$8,449,050 and the total dollar amount of the expenditures of the 2003-2004 budget of said School District, including bond and interest, is estimated to be \$9,120,234 if the proposition is approved, equaling a 7.9% increase.

16. LOMBARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 44

**PROPOSITION TO INCREASE MAXIMUM ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL TAX RATE OF LOMBARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 44, DUPAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes of Lombard Elementary School District Number 44, DuPage County, Illinois, commonly known as Lombard Elementary School District Number 44, be increased and established at 2.65 percent upon all the taxable property of said District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 2.15 percent, the existing maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended for said purposes?

- a. The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the proposed rate is \$23,736,946 and the approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the existing maximum rate is \$19, 258,277 representing an increase of 23.26 percent.
- b. The percentage of increase between the maximum rate at which the educational tax may be levied if the proposition is approved and the annual rate at which such tax is currently levied is 23.26 percent.
- c. The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said District is \$29,388,468. If increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if said proposition is approved, the total dollar amount of this budget will be \$33,867,137 representing an increase in the total dollar amount of this budget of 15.24 percent.

17. Board of Education of School District Number 48

**PROPOSITION TO ISSUE \$6,815,000 WORKING CASH FUND BONDS**

Shall the Board of Education of School District Number 48, DuPage County, Illinois, be authorized to issue bonds to the sum of \$6,815,000 for a working cash fund as provided for by Article 20 of the School Code?

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18. Maercker School District No. 60

**PROPOSITION TO INCREASE MAXIMUM ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL TAX RATE**

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes of Maercker School District No. 60, DuPage County, Illinois, be increased and established at 2.10 percent upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed, by the Department of Revenue, instead of 1.70 percent, the existing maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended for said purposes?

- a. The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the proposed rate is \$8,803,684.03, and the approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the existing maximum rate is \$7,126,791.83, representing an increase of 23.5 percent.
- b. The percentage of increase between the maximum rate at which the educational tax may be levied if the proposition is approved and the annual rate at which such tax is currently levied is 23.5 percent.
- c. The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said District is \$15,982,000.00. If increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if said proposition is approved, the total dollar amount of this budget will be \$17,658,892.20, representing an increase in the total dollar amount of this budget of 10.49 percent.
- d. The maximum annual tax rate currently levied by the school district is 1.70 percent. If increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if said proposition is approved, there will be a 23.5 percent increase between the maximum rate at which such tax may be levied if the proposition is approved and the maximum annual tax rate at which such tax currently is levied.

19. Gower School District Number 62

**PROPOSITION TO INCREASE MAXIMUM ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL TAX RATE**

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes for Gower School District Number 62, DuPage County, Illinois, be increased and established at 1.9850 percent upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 1.6850 percent, the present maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended for said purposes?

- (a) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the maximum rate now in force in said School District is the sum of \$8,856,674.
- (b) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the proposed increased rate is the sum of \$10,433,530.
- (c) The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District is the sum of \$10,456,177; the total dollar amount of said annual budget, if increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if the proposition is approved, is the sum of \$12,033,033; the percentage of increase in the total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District, if such total dollar amount were increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if the proposition is approved, is 15.08 percent.
- (d) The percentage of increase between the maximum rate at which such taxes for educational purposes may be levied if the proposition is approved and the annual rate at which such taxes for educational purposes is currently levied is 50.90 percent.

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20. Community Consolidated School District Number 93

**PROPOSITION TO INCREASE MAXIMUM ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL TAX RATE**

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes for Community Consolidated School District Number 93, DuPage County, Illinois, be increased and established at 2.88 percent upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 1.95 percent, the present maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended for said purposes?

- (a) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the maximum rate now in force in said School District is the sum of \$20,004,030.
- (b) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the proposed increased rate is the sum of \$29,544,414.
- (c) Community Consolidated School District Number 93 is commonly known as Carol Stream School District No. 93.
- (d) The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District is the sum of \$38,481,235; the total dollar amount of said annual budget, if increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if the proposition is approved, is the sum of \$48,021,619; the percentage of increase in the total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District if such total dollar amount were increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if the proposition is approved, is 24.8 percent.
- (e) The percentage of increase between the maximum rate at which such taxes for educational purposes may be levied if the proposition is approved and the annual rate at which such taxes for educational purposes is currently levied is 47.7 percent.

21. BOARD OF EDUCATION OF LEMONT-BROMBEREK COMBINED SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 113A

**PROPOSITION TO ISSUE \$19,600,000 SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS**

Shall the Board of Education of Lemont-Bromberek Combined School District Number 113A, Cook and DuPage Counties, Illinois, acquire and improve sites, build and equip a school building, improve the sites of and alter, repair and equip school buildings and issue bonds of said School District to the amount of \$19,600,000 for the purpose of paying the costs thereof?

22. COMMUNITY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 181, DUPAGE AND COOK COUNTIES, ILLINOIS

**PROPOSITION**

Shall the Board of Education of Community Consolidated School District Number 181, DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois, replace the existing Walker School; repair, renovate and equip, and build and equip additions to, Madison School, Oak School and Elm School; improve all of the District's school buildings with new technology systems and equipment, and issue bonds of said School District in the amount of \$31,000,000.00 for said purposes?

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23. LISLE COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 202

**PROPOSITION TO INCREASE MAXIMUM ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL TAX RATE**

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes of Lisle Community Unit School District Number 202, DuPage County, Illinois, be increased and established at 3.215% upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 2.765%, the present maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended for said purposes?

- (a) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the maximum rate now in force in said School District is the sum of \$13,226,780.
- (b) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the proposed increased rate is the sum of \$15,379,421.
- (c) The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District is the sum of \$23,750,817; the total dollar amount of said annual budget, if increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if the proposition is approved, is the sum of \$25,903,458; the percentage increase in the total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District, if such total dollar amount were increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if the proposition is approved, is 9.06%.
- (d) The percentage of increase between the maximum rate at which such taxes for educational purposes may be levied if the proposition is approved and the annual rate at which such taxes for educational purposes is currently levied is 16.27%.