

**PITTSFIELD CHARTER TOWNSHIP
WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN
RES #21-32**

RESOLUTION SUBMITTING PUBLIC SAFETY MILLAGE PROPOSAL

July 21, 2021

At a Special Meeting of the Township Board of Pittsfield Charter Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, located at the Township Administration Building, 6201 W. Michigan Avenue, in said Township, on the 21st day of July, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.

Present:

Absent:

The following preamble and resolution were offered by _____ and supported by _____.

WHEREAS, the Township Board of the Charter Township of Pittsfield, County of Washtenaw, State Michigan (the "Township"), determines that it is necessary for the health, safety, and welfare of the Township and its residents to raise funds to provide to the Department of Public Safety for operating expenses; for sworn police officers, firefighters and support personnel; for replacement and additional fire apparatus and equipment acquisition; for improvements, renovations, repair and maintenance of existing facilities; and for related program support; and

WHEREAS, the Township Board desires to submit a public safety millage proposal requesting authorization to levy up to 2.95 mills for a period of five (5) years to provide funds to the Department of Public Safety for the above-referenced purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Township Board desires to submit the millage proposal to the qualified electors of the Township at the election to be held on Tuesday, November 2, 2021; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,

1. The following proposal shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the Township at the election to be held on Tuesday, November 2, 2021 (the "Election Date"):

PUBLIC SAFETY MILLAGE PROPOSAL

As a replacement of the existing 1.95 mills previously authorized for public safety purposes expiring in 2021, shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed on taxable property within the Charter Township of Pittsfield, County of Washtenaw, Michigan be increased in an amount not to exceed 2.95 mills (\$2.95 on each \$1,000.00 of taxable value), for a period of 5 years, beginning in the year 2021 and ending in the year 2025, inclusive, as new additional millage for the purpose of providing funds to the Department of Public Safety for operating expenses; for sworn police officers, firefighters and support personnel; for replacement and additional fire apparatus and equipment acquisition; for improvements, renovations, repair and maintenance of existing facilities; and for related program support for the Department of Public Safety? It is estimated that 2.95 mills would raise approximately \$6,528,207 when first levied in 2021.

2. The ballot wording of the proposal is hereby certified to the Township Clerk and the Washtenaw County Clerk.
3. The Township Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to file a certified copy of this Resolution with the Washtenaw County Clerk and to complete any such forms, certificates, or documents as may be required by the Washtenaw County Clerk to evidence the foregoing certification and/or submission by no later than August 10, 2021.
4. The Township Clerk and the Washtenaw County Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to (a) post and publish notice of last day of registration and notice of election for the Election Date as required by the Michigan Election Law; and (b) have prepared and printed, as provided by the Michigan Election Law, ballots for submitting the proposal at the Election Date, which ballots shall contain the proposal appearing herein, or the proposition shall be stated as a proposal on the voting machines, which ballots may include other matters presented to the electorate on the same date.
5. All resolutions and parts of resolutions insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this resolution are hereby rescinded.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

AYES: -

NAYS: -

ABSENT: -

ABSTAIN: -

RESOLUTION DECLARED _____.

Michelle L. Anzaldi, Clerk
Pittsfield Charter Township

Dated: July ____, 2021

CERTIFICATE

I, Michelle L. Anzaldi, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Board of Pittsfield Charter Township, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, at a Special Meeting held on July 21, 2021, and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

Michelle L. Anzaldi, Clerk
Pittsfield Charter Township

Dated: July __, 2021