

# OFFICIAL BALLOT

## Special Election Tuesday, November 5, 2019 Macomb County, Michigan Ray Township, Precinct 1

### Proposal Section

#### Local School District

#### Romeo Community Schools Counties of Macomb and Oakland, Michigan

#### Building and Site Sinking Fund Millage Renewal Proposal

This proposal, if approved by the electors, will allow the Romeo Community Schools to continue to levy a building and site sinking fund millage, the proceeds of which will be used to make infrastructure improvements and repairs to the School District's facilities and also to allow for the purchase of real estate for sites for, and the construction or repair of, school buildings, for school security improvements, or for the acquisition or upgrading of technology. This proposal is a request to renew 1.25 mills (\$1.25 per \$1,000 of taxable value) of the voter approved building and site sinking fund millage that will otherwise expire on June 30, 2020 and 0.0606 mills is a restoration of millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution. Pursuant to State Law, the expenditure of the building and site sinking fund millage proceeds must be audited, and the proceeds cannot be used for teacher, administrator or employee salaries, maintenance or other operating expenses.

Shall the Romeo Community Schools be authorized to levy 1.25 mills (\$1.25 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of five (5) years, from 2020 through 2024, inclusive, to create a building and site sinking fund for the purpose of the construction or repair of school buildings or any other purpose allowed under Michigan law with 0.0606 mills being a restoration of millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution? This millage would provide estimated revenues to the Romeo Community Schools of approximately Two Million Four Hundred Seventy Two Thousand Seven Hundred Eighteen Dollars (\$2,472,718) Dollars during the 2020 calendar year, if approved and levied.

Yes   
No

#### Romeo Community Schools Counties of Macomb and Oakland, Michigan Operating Millage Restoration Proposal

This proposal, if approved by the electors, will allow the Romeo Community Schools to continue to levy the number of operating mills required for the School District to receive revenues at the full per pupil foundation allowance permitted by the State of Michigan. This proposal is a request to renew 19.5 mills, with 18 mills (\$18.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) being the maximum allowable levy, is a restoration of millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution.

Shall the limitation on the total amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, situated within the Romeo Community Schools, Counties of Macomb and Oakland, State of Michigan, be increased as provided in the Michigan Constitution, in the amount of 19.5 mills with 18 mills (\$18.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) being the maximum allowable levy, for a period of three (3) years, 2019 to 2021, inclusive, with 1.984 mills of the above 19.5 mills being a restoration of millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution? This operating millage, if approved and levied, would provide estimated revenues to the School District of Seven Million Four Hundred Thirty Nine Thousand Five Hundred Eighty One Dollars (\$7,439,581) Dollars during the 2019 calendar year, to be used for general operating purposes.

Yes   
No