

**OFFICIAL CANDIDATE LIST**  
**02/27/2024 - PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY**  
**MONTCALM (59)**

**PRESIDENT**

4 Year Term - Vote for not more than 1

<u>PARTY</u>	<u>WITHDRAWAL DATE</u>	<u>CANDIDATE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>EMAIL</u>	<u>PHONE</u>	<u>PETITIONS</u>	<u>FEES</u>	<u>FILING DATE</u>	<u>STATUS</u>
DEM		Joseph R. Biden Jr.	PO BOX 58174 PHILADELPHIA PA 19102					11/13/2023	
DEM		Dean Phillips	PO BOX 741 EXCELSIOR MN 55331					11/13/2023	
DEM		Marianne Williamson	PO BOX 33079 WASHINGTON DC 20033					11/13/2023	
REP		Ryan L. Binkley	6841 VIRGINIA PKWY STE 103-190 MCKINNEY TX 75071					11/13/2023	
REP		Doug Burgum	824 S MILLEDGE AVE STE 101 ATHENS GA 30605					11/13/2023	Withdrew
REP		Chris Christie	613 WASHINGTON BLVD 1381 JERSEY CITY NJ 07310					11/13/2023	
REP		Ron DeSantis	PO BOX 3696 TALLAHASSEE FL 32315					11/13/2023	
REP		Nikki Haley	186 SEVEN FARMS DR STE F-370 DANIEL ISLAND SC 29492					11/13/2023	
REP		Asa Hutchinson	100 N DIXIELAND RD STE D2 BOX 311 ROGERS AR 72756					11/13/2023	
REP		Vivek Ramaswamy	PO BOX 20209 COLUMBUS OH 43220					11/13/2023	
REP		Donald J. Trump	PO BOX 13570 ARLINGTON VA 22219					11/13/2023	

**MONTCALM COUNTY PROPOSAL**

## Renewal of Sheriff Law Enforcement Millage

Shall the constitutional tax rate limitation on general ad valorem taxes within the County of Montcalm, Michigan, be renewed by 0.9799 mill (\$0.9799 per \$1,000 of taxable value) on the taxable value of such property, subject to reduction as provided by law, for a period of four (4) years, 2025 through 2028, both inclusive, to provide funds for the purpose of funding the Sheriff's Law Enforcement function, providing personnel and equipment, conducting road patrol and criminal investigations, and any other public safety purpose authorized by law?

If approved, it is estimated that the levy of 0.9799 mill would provide revenue of approximately \$2,339,335 in the first calendar year of the levy (less Headlee rollback). The revenue from this millage will be disbursed to Montcalm County.

To the extent required by law, a portion of this millage may be captured and retained by the Village of Edmore Downtown Development Authority, the Crystal Township Downtown Development Authority, the Village of Howard City Downtown Development Authority, the Village of Lakeview Downtown Development Authority, the City of Stanton Downtown Development Authority, and the City of Greenville Downtown Development Authority.

**REYNOLDS TWP, NOT HOWARD CITY VILLAGE PROPOSAL**

## Reynolds Township Proposal 1

## Road Funding Special Assessment

Shall Reynolds Township levy special assessments pursuant to Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution, at the rate of one (1) mill (\$1 per 1,000 of taxable valuation) upon all taxable real property within the unincorporated portion of Reynolds Township, Montcalm County, Michigan (i.e., that portion outside the Village of Howard City) for a period of eight (8) years, 2024 through 2031, inclusive for the provision of road improvements, maintenance and repair within that unincorporated area of the Township? If approved and levied, one (1) mill is estimated to raise \$86,900 in the first calendar year of the levy.)

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#### **Reynolds Township Proposal 2**

##### **Fire and Safety Funding Special Assessment**

Shall the expired previous voted special assessment in Reynolds Township, pursuant to Act. No. 33 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1951, as amended, at the rate of one (1) mill (\$1 per \$1,000 of taxable value) be renewed and levied for a period of eight (8) years, 2024 through 2031, inclusive, upon all taxable real property within the unincorporated portion of Reynolds Township, Montcalm County (i.e. that portion outside the Village of Howard City) for the provision of fire and safety services? (If approved and levied, one (1) mill is estimated to raise \$86,940 in the first calendar year of the levy.)

#### **BELDING AREA SCHOOLS PROPOSAL**

##### **BELDING AREA SCHOOLS OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL**

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 revenue per pupil foundation allowance. The remaining .4093 mill is only available to be levied to restore millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the "Headlee" amendment to the Michigan Constitution of 1963 and will only be levied to the extent necessary to restore that reduction.

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 Belding Area Schools, Ionia, Kent and Montcalm Counties, Michigan, be renewed by 18.4093 mills (\$18.4093 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 6 years, 2025 to 2030, 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 2025 is approximately \$2,051,696 (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2024 tax levy)?

#### **CENTRAL MONTCALM PUBLIC SCHOOL PROPOSAL**

##### **I. Central Montcalm Public School**

##### **Operating Millage Renewal Proposal**

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 revenue per pupil foundation allowance and renews millage that will expire with the 2024 tax levy.

Shall the currently authorized millage rate limitation of 17.1270 mills (\$17.1270 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, in Central Montcalm Public School, Montcalm and Ionia Counties, Michigan, be renewed for a period of 5 years, 2025 to 2029, inclusive, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved or levied in 2025 is approximately \$1,930,018 (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2024 tax levy)?

##### **II. Central Montcalm Public School**

##### **Operating Millage Proposal**

This proposal will allow the school district 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 revenue per pupil foundation allowance.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, in Central Montcalm Public School, Montcalm and Ionia Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1.5 mills (\$1.50 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 5 years, 2025 to 2029, inclusive, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2025 is approximately \$98,377 (this millage is to restore millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution of 1963 and will be levied only to the extent necessary to restore that reduction)?

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#### **MONTCALM AREA ISD PROPOSAL**

Montcalm Area Intermediate School District

Bond Proposal

Shall Montcalm Area Intermediate School District, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Thirty-Six Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$36,800,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, in one or more series, for the purpose of:

erecting, completing, remodeling, and equipping and re-equipping school buildings, including structures, play fields, playgrounds and other facilities, and parts of and additions to those facilities; furnishing and refurnishing new and remodeled school buildings; acquiring, preparing, developing, and improving sites, and parts of and additions to sites, for school buildings, including structures, play fields, playgrounds, and other facilities; and acquiring, installing, and equipping and re-equipping school buildings for instructional technology?

The following is for informational purposes only:

The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2024 is 0.65 mill (\$0.65 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation). The maximum number of years the bonds of any series may be outstanding, exclusive of any refunding, is twenty (20) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 0.58 mill (\$0.58 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation).

(Pursuant to State law, expenditure of bond proceeds must be audited and the proceeds cannot be used for repair or maintenance costs, teacher, administrator or employee salaries, or other operating expenses.)

#### **MONTCALM COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROPOSAL**

Montcalm Community College

Operating Millage Renewal Proposal

Shall there be a renewal of not more than 1.1487 mills (\$1.1487 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2026 to 2035, inclusive, of the currently authorized charter millage rate limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property within the geographic boundaries of Montcalm Community College, Michigan, which millage will otherwise expire with the 2025 tax levy, such taxes to be used for all purposes authorized by law; if approved, the estimate of the revenue the community college will collect in the first year of levy, 2026, is approximately \$3,951,934?