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## ***Village of Deerfield***

Proposition to Issue \$25,000,000 Library Bonds

Shall bonds in the amount of \$25,000,000 be issued for Library purposes of the Village of Deerfield, in Lake County, Illinois, for addition or constructing of a new library building of at least 80,000 sq. ft. including site acquisition, parking, library materials and technology, and related fixtures, furnishing, improvements and costs.

## ***The City of Lake Forest***

Proposition for the City of Lake Forest to Become a Home Rule Unit

Shall The City of Lake Forest become a home rule unit pursuant to Article VII, Section 6 of the Illinois Constitution?

## ***Village of Tower Lakes***

Proposition to Increase Maximum Allowable Corporate Tax Rate

Shall the maximum allowable Corporate tax rate for the Village of Tower Lakes be increased from .33% to .438% of the value of all taxable property within the Village as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue?

## ***City of Zion***

Resolution to Continue Prohibition in Certain Areas of the City of Zion

Shall the prohibition of the sale at retail of alcoholic liquor be continued in those portions of the City of Zion, County of Lake, State of Illinois that currently prohibit such sale?

## ***Shields Township***

Resolution to Determine if Shields Township Shall Enact the Township Refuse Collection and Disposal Act

Shall the Township Board of Shields Township, Illinois, Lake County, Illinois, be authorized to exercise the powers of the "Township Refuse Collection and Disposal Act" as provided in Article 210 of the Illinois Township Code, 60 ILCS 1/210, et seq?

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## ***Barrington Public Library District***

Proposition to Issue \$28,000,000 Library Bonds

Shall the bonds of the Barrington Public Library District, Lake, Cook, Kane and McHenry Counties, Illinois, in the amount of \$28,000,000 be issued for the purpose of building an addition to and repairing, remodeling and improving the existing library building of said Library District, furnishing necessary equipment therefor and acquiring library materials and electronic data storage and retrieval facilities in connection therewith?

## ***Winthrop Harbor School District #1***

Proposition to Increase Maximum Annual Educational Tax Rate

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes for Winthrop Harbor School District Number 1, Lake County, Illinois, be increased and established at 2.56 percent upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 2.17 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 \$2,652,825.98.

(b) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the proposed increased rate is the sum of \$3,129,601.15.

(c) The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District is the sum of \$5,678,338; 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 \$6,155,113.18; 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 8.39 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 17.9 percent.

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## ***McHenry Community Consolidated School District Number 15***

### Proposition to Increase Maximum Annual Educational Tax Rate

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes for McHenry Community Consolidated School District Number 15, McHenry and Lake Counties, Illinois, be increased and established at 2.34 percent upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 1.96 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 \$17,832,393.

(b) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the proposed increased rate is the sum of \$21,289,694.

(c) The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual Budget of said School District is the sum of \$37,970,994; the total dollar amount of said annual budget, if increased by the amount of the additional tax which may be levied if the proposition is approved, is the sum of \$41,428,295; 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 9.11 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 19.39 percent.

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## ***Grass Lake School District #36***

### Proposition to Increase the Maximum Annual Tax Rate for Educational Purposes

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes of Grass Lake School District No. 36, County of Lake, State of Illinois, be increased and established at 2.59 percent upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 1.99 percent, the present maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended for said purposes?

The approximate amount of educational taxes extendible under the maximum rate now in force in said School District is the sum of \$1,543,998.

The approximate amount of educational taxes extendible under the proposed increased rate is the sum of \$2,009,525.

The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District is \$2,248,565.

The total dollar amount of the annual budget increased by the amount of additional tax which may be levied if the proposition is approved is \$2,714,092.

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 20.70 percent.

The percentage of increase between the maximum rate at which the tax for educational purposes may be levied if the proposition is approved and the annual rate at which such tax currently is levied is 30.15 percent.

## ***Gavin School District #37***

### Proposition to Issue \$4,000,000 School Building Bonds

Shall the Board of Education of Gavin School District Number 37, Lake County, Illinois, improve the site of and build and equip an addition to the Gavin Central School Building and issue bonds of said School District to the amount of \$4,000,000 for the purpose of paying the costs thereof?

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## ***Gavin School District #37***

Proposition to Issue \$1,000,000 School Building Bonds

Shall the Board of Education of Gavin School District Number 37, Lake County, Illinois, improve the site of and alter, repair, reconstruct, and equip the Gavin South School Building, including for fire prevention, safety, energy conservation, disabled accessibility and school security purposes, and issue bonds of said School District to the amount of \$1,000,000 for the purpose of paying the costs thereof?

## ***Big Hollow School District #38***

PROPOSITION TO ISSUE \$29,000,000 SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS

Shall the Board of Education of Big Hollow School District Number 38, Lake County, Illinois, improve the sites of and build and equip an intermediate elementary school building and a middle school building, provide permanent financing for the acquisition of said sites and issue bonds of said School District to the amount of \$29,000,000 for the purpose of paying the costs thereof?

If the proposed issuance of bonds is approved by the voters, 14.32% of the equalized assessed valuation of said School District will be outstanding in bonds, and 14.32% of the equalized assessed valuation of said School District will equal the total aggregate indebtedness of said School District.

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## ***Lake Villa Community Consolidated School District No. 41***

### Proposition to Increase Maximum Annual Educational Tax Rate

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes for Lake Villa Community Consolidated School District Number 41, Lake County Illinois, be increased and established at 2.71 percent upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 2.06 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 \$9,536,348.
- (b) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the proposed increased rate is the sum of \$12,545,390.
- (c) The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District is the sum of \$29,584,111; 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 \$32,593,153; 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 10.17 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 31.55 percent.

## ***Lake Villa Community Consolidated School District No. 41***

### Proposition to Issue \$30,000,000 School Building Bonds

Shall the Board of Education of Lake Villa Community Consolidated School District Number 41, Lake County, Illinois, acquire and improve a site for school purposes, build and equip a school building thereon, alter, repair and equip school buildings of said School District and issue bonds of said School District to the amount of \$30,000,000 for the purpose of paying the costs thereof?

If the proposed issuance of bonds is approved by the voters, 12.51% of the equalized assessed valuation of said School District will be outstanding in bonds, and 12.51% of the equalized assessed valuation of said School District will equal the total aggregate indebtedness of said School District.

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## ***Community Consolidated School District #46***

### Bond Issue Authorization

Shall the Board of Education of Grayslake Community Consolidated School District Number 46, Lake County, Illinois, build and equip school buildings, acquire additional school sites, and issue bonds of said School District to the amount of \$34,000,000 for the purpose of paying the costs thereof?

If the proposed issuance of bonds is approved by the voters, 10.64% of the equalized assessed valuation of said School District will be outstanding in bonds and 13.1% of the equalized assessed valuation of said School District will equal the total aggregate indebtedness of said School District.

## ***Community Consolidated School Dist #46***

### Educational Purposes Tax Rate

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes for Grayslake Community Consolidated School District Number 46, Lake County, Illinois, be increased and established at 3.262 percent upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 2.61 percent, the present maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended for said purpose?

(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 \$14,397,044.

(b) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the proposed increased rate is the sum of \$17,993,546.

(c) The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said School District is the sum of \$30,764,017; 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 \$34,360,520; 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 11.69 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 24.98 percent.

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## ***Gurnee School District #56***

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

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes of Gurnee School District Number 56, Lake County, Illinois, be increased and established at 2.43% upon all the taxable property of said School District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 2.18%, 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 \$10,248,078.

(b) The approximate amount of educational fund taxes extendible under the proposed increased rate is the sum of \$11,423,316.

(c) The annual rate at which educational fund taxes are currently levied is 2.18% and the percentage of increase between said rate and the maximum rate of 2.43%, if approved, is 11.47%.

(d) The total dollar amount of expenditures of the 2004-2005 budget of said School District, including bond and interest, is \$20,176,759 and the total dollar amount of the expenditures of the 2004-2005 budget of said School District, including bond and interest, is estimated to be \$21,351,997 if the proposition is approved, equaling a 5.8% increase.

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## ***Community Unit School District No. 220***

### Proposition to Increase Maximum Annual Educational Tax Rate

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes of Community Unit School District Number 220, Lake, Cook, McHenry and Kane Counties, Illinois, commonly known as Barrington Community Unit School District Number 220, be increased and established at 3.20 percent upon all the taxable property of said District at the value, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, instead of 3.00 percent, the existing maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended for said purposes?

(a) 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 6.67 percent.

(b) The approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the proposed rate is \$77,971,649 and the approximate amount of taxes extendible for educational purposes under the existing maximum rate is \$73,098,421 representing an increase of 6.67 percent.

(c) The total dollar amount of the most recently approved annual budget of said District is \$105,374,380. 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 \$110,247,608 representing an increase in the total dollar amount of this budget of 4.62 percent.

## ***Beach Park Fire Protection District***

### Proposition to Authorize the Levy of a Special Ambulance Service Tax by Beach Park Fire Protection District

Shall the Beach Park Fire Protection District, Lake County, Illinois, levy a special tax at 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 ambulance service?

## ***Beach Park Fire Protection District***

### Proposition to Determine Whether Beach Park Fire Protection District Shall Continue to Provide Paramedic Ambulance Services

Shall the Beach Park Fire Protection District continue to provide emergency paramedic ambulance services?

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## ***Lake Zurich Rural Fire Protection District***

### PROPOSITION TO INCREASE MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE AMBULANCE SERVICE TAX RATE

Shall the Board of Trustees of the Lake Zurich Rural 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 ambulance service?

## ***Lake Zurich Rural Fire Protection District***

### PROPOSITION TO INCREASE MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE CORPORATE TAX RATE

Shall the maximum allowable tax Rate for the Lake Zurich Rural Fire Protection District be increased from .30% to .40% of the value of all taxable property within the District as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue?

## ***Winthrop Harbor Fire Protection District***

### PROPOSITION TO LEVY A SPECIAL AMBULANCE TAX FOR 2004 LEVY YEAR

Shall the Winthrop Harbor Fire Protection District levy a special tax at the rate not to exceed .10% of all taxable property within the District as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue for the purpose of providing ambulance service?