

NOTICE OF GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION PROPOSITIONS

Notice is hereby given that at the General Primary Election to be held on Tuesday, March 19, 2024, the following propositions will be submitted to the voters of the following units of government, McHenry County, Illinois:

COUNTY OF MCHENRY

Proposition To Impose A One-Quarter (1/4) Percent Special Retailers' Occupation Tax For Mental Health Purposes

To pay for mental health purposes, shall McHenry County be authorized to impose an increase on its share of local sales taxes by one-quarter (1/4) percent and discontinue the current property tax levy funding mental health services and the Mental Health Board?

This would mean that a consumer would pay an additional 25 cents in sales tax for every \$100 of tangible personal property bought at retail. This sales tax would take effect on July 1, 2024. This would remove the \$10,975,000 from the property tax levy allocated for the Mental Health Board effective November 30, 2024.

VILLAGE OF CARY

Proposition For The Village Of Cary To Become A Home Rule Unit Of Government

Shall the Village of Cary become a home rule unit under Article VII, Section 6, of the Illinois Constitution?

CITY OF MARENGO

Proposition To Impose A Municipal Sales Tax

Shall the corporate authorities of the City of Marengo, be authorized to levy a municipal sales tax at a rate of 1% of eligible sales for expenditures on public infrastructure?

MARENGO PARK DISTRICT

Proposition To Annex Certain Territory Known As Coral Township

Shall the Marengo Park District be authorized and empowered to annex certain territory, known as the Township of Coral, excluding any tract of land exceeding 20 acres without the written consent of the owners of record unless the tract is (1) subdivided into lots or blocks, (2) bounded on three sides by lands subdivided into lots or blocks, or (3) used for commercial or industrial purposes?

Proposition To Annex Certain Territory Known As Marengo Township

Shall the Marengo Park District be authorized and empowered to annex certain territory, known as the Township of Marengo, excluding any tract of land exceeding 20 acres without the written consent of the owners of record unless the tract is (1) subdivided into lots or blocks, (2) bounded on three sides by lands subdivided into lots or blocks, or (3) used for commercial or industrial purposes?

Proposition To Annex Certain Territory Known As Riley Township

Shall the Marengo Park District be authorized and empowered to annex certain territory, known as the Township of Riley, excluding any tract of land exceeding 20 acres without the written consent of the owners of record unless the tract is (1) subdivided into lots or blocks, (2) bounded on three sides by lands subdivided into lots or blocks, or (3) used for commercial or industrial purposes?

HARVARD FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

Proposition Increasing The Property Tax Extension Limitation Law Limiting Rate

"Shall the limiting rate under the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law for the Harvard Fire Protection District, McHenry County, Illinois, be increased by an additional amount equal to 0.17% above the limiting rate for the purpose of providing fire and ambulance services for levy year 2022 and be equal to 0.498360% of the equalized assessed value of the taxable property therein for levy year 2024?"

1. The approximate amount of taxes extendable at the most recent extended limiting rate is \$1,053,634.68 and the approximate amount of taxes extendable if the proposition is approved is \$1,599,127.12.
2. For the 2024 levy year the approximate amount of the additional tax extendable against property containing a single-family residence and having a fair market value at the time of the referendum of \$100,000.00 is estimated to be \$170.00.

Voters must vote at the polling place designated for the election precinct within which they reside.
The polls at said election will be open from 6:00 AM and continued open until 7:00 PM of that day.
By order of the County Clerk of McHenry County, State of Illinois.

Joseph J. Tirio
McHenry County Clerk