

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION FOR THE ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2020

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

THE TOWNSHIP OF HOPE
COUNTY OF BARRY
STATE OF MICHIGAN

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that any qualified elector of the above named jurisdiction who is not already registered, may register to vote at the office of the Township Clerk; the Office of the appropriate County Clerk; a Secretary of State branch office, or other designated state agency. Registration forms can be obtained at www.mi.gov/vote and mailed to the Township or City Clerk. Voters who are already registered may update their registration at www.expressSOS.com.

The last day to register in any manner other than in-person with the local clerk is **Monday, February 21, 2020**.

After this date, anyone who qualifies as an elector may register to vote in person with proof of residency (MCL 168.492) at the following:

Deborah Jackson
Hope Township Clerk
5463 S M-43 Hwy
Hastings MI 49058
269-948-2464

Wednesdays 9 am – noon & 1:15 – 3:00 pm; Thursday & Friday 1 pm – 3 pm
Saturday March 7th 8am – 4pm

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the following proposals will appear on the ballot:

REPUBLICAN PARTY PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY CANDIDATES

DEMOCRATIC PARTY PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY CANDIDATES

BARRY 911 MILLAGE PROPOSAL:

MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION **.9672 MILL FOR OPERATION OF COUNTY-WIDE E-911 EMERGENCY** **ANSWERING AND DISPATCH SYSTEM**

Shall the previously voted increase in the limitation on general ad valorem taxes within Barry County, as established by Article IX, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution, be renewed and levied at a total of up to 0.9672 mill (\$.9672 for each \$1,000 of taxable value) upon all taxable real and personal property within Barry County for a period of five (5) years, 2020 through 2024, both inclusive, subject to reductions as provided by law?

The purpose of this levy is to fund the capital, equipment and operational needs of the Barry County Central Dispatch Center.

If approved, it is estimated that the levy of .9672 mill will provide revenue of \$2,171,206 of which \$2,134,296 will be disbursed by Barry County to the Barry County Central Dispatch Authority and \$36,910

will be disbursed to the Hastings DDA and LFDA and Village of Middleville DDA. The estimated \$36,910 is levied in a predefined area of the City of Hastings and Village of Middleville, only.

It is estimated that a property in Barry County with a taxable value of \$50,000 will be assessed \$48.36 in the first calendar year of the levy.

Sample ballots may be viewed at www.mi.gov/vote.

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2020
LAST DAY FOR VOTER REGISTRATION OTHER THAN IN-PERSON**

Persons with special needs as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act should contact the appropriate clerk's office.

This notice is given as required by law (MCL 168.498(3)).

Persons with special needs, as defined in the Americans with Disabilities Act, should contact the City or Township Clerk. Persons who are deaf, hard of hearing or speech impaired may place a call through the Michigan Relay Center TDD#1-800-649-3777. This notice is given as required by law (MCL 168.498(3)).

**YOU MUST BE REGISTERED TO QUALIFY AS A VOTER!
QUALIFICATIONS TO VOTE**

Citizen of the United States
At least 18 years of age on or before March 10, 2020
Resident of Michigan and the township/city where you are applying to vote.

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