NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The Notice to Taxpayers is available online at www.budgetnotices.in.gov or by calling (888) 739-9826.

Complete details of budget estimates by fund and/or department may be seen by visiting the office of this unit of government at 3590 Willowcreek Rd Suite B.

Notice is hereby given to taxpayers of **PORTAGE TOWNSHIP**, **Porter County**, Indiana that the proper officers of **Portage Township** will conduct a public hearing on the year **2024** budget. Following this meeting, any ten or more taxpayers may object to a budget, tax rate, or tax levy by filing an objection petition with the proper officers of **Portage Township** not more than seven days after the hearing. The objection petition must identify the provisions of the budget, tax rate, or tax levy to which taxpayers object. If a petition is filed, **Portage Township** shall adopt with the budget a finding concerning the objections in the petition and testimony presented. Following the aforementioned hearing, the proper officers of **Portage Township** will meet to adopt the following budget:

Public Hearing Date	Tuesday, October 10, 2023
Public Hearing Time	6:00 PM
Public Hearing Location	3590 Willowcreek Rd Suite B

Adoption Meeting Date	Tuesday, October 24, 2023
Adoption Meeting Time	6:00 PM
Adoption Meeting Location	3590 Willowcreek Rd Suite B

Estimated Civil Max Levy	\$2,137,543
Est. Fire Max Levy	\$611,138
Est. Fire Territory Max Levy	\$0
Est. School Operations Max Levy	\$0
Property Tax Cap Credit Estimate	\$403,300

Special Notes:	Office phone number for Township Assistance 219-762-1623
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1 Fund Name	2 Budget Estimate	3 Maximum Estimated Funds to be Raised (including appeals and levies exempt from maximum levy limitations)	4 Excessive Levy Appeals	5 Current Tax Levy	6 Levy Percentage Difference (Column 3 / Column 5)
0101-GENERAL	\$1,344,284	\$1,261,895	\$0	\$1,184,510	6.53%
0182-BOND #2	\$234,433	\$269,560	\$0	\$0	
0183-BOND #3	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$130,847	-100.00%
0184-BOND #4	\$436,026	\$436,505	\$0	\$397,259	9.88%
0185-BOND #5	\$650,392	\$650,789	\$0	\$700,048	-7.04%
0601-COMMUNITY BUILDING/SERVICES	\$615,896	\$396,823	\$0	\$428,749	-7.45%
0840-TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE	\$272,176	\$296,294	\$0	\$288,255	2.79%
1111-TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.	\$1,007,444	\$610,929	\$0	\$587,455	4.00%
1190-CUMULATIVE FIRE (Township)	\$133,906	\$122,628	\$0	\$112,881	8.63%
1312-RECREATION	\$222,290	\$185,184	\$0	\$152,606	21.35%
1380-PARK BOND	\$495,950	\$497,351	\$0	\$436,016	14.07%
Totals	\$5,412,797	\$4,727,958	\$0	\$4,418,626	