

2020-17

A MILL LEVY FOR MAINTAINING CURRENT BUDGET for THE EUREKA AREA DISPATCH DISTRICT

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR LINCOLN COUNTY, MONTANA FINDS:

- The Eureka Area Dispatch District has determined that there should be submitted to the electors of Eureka Area Dispatch District and is requesting that the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners consider the question of increasing the mill levy to be assessed for the purpose of maintaining the current budget; and
- 2. In order to proceed with the election, it is necessary and desirous that the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners adopt the following ballot language for the levy to maintain the current Eureka Area Dispatch District Budget:

Shall the Eureka Area Dispatch District, Lincoln County, Montana ("the District") be authorized to impose a levy increase from 11 to 15 mills, permanent, necessary to raise sufficient funds of approximately \$65,892 (sixty five thousand, eight hundred and ninety two dollars) per year for the purpose of maintaining the current budget. If this levy increase passes, property taxes for a home valued at \$100,000 would increase approximately \$5.40 per year and property taxes for a home valued at \$200,000 would increase approximately \$10.80 per year.

MILL LEVY – YES MILL LEVY – NO

THE BOARD RESOLVES:

- 1. To submit to the electors of the Eureka Area Dispatch District the question of whether to permanently increase the current mill levy from 11 to 15 mills for maintaining the current budget; and
- 2. To adopt the following ballot language:

Shall the Board of County Commissioners for Lincoln County, Montana be authorized to impose a levy increase from 11 to 15 mills, permanent to raise sufficient funds of





approximately \$65,892 for the purpose of maintaining the current budget? If this levy increase passes, property taxes for a home valued at \$100,000 would increase approximately \$5.40 per year and property taxes for a home valued at \$200,000 would increase approximately \$10.80 per year.

THE BOARD FURTHER RESOLVES:

- 1. If a provision of this resolution conflicts with a provision of a previously adopted resolution, this resolution will prevail.
- 2. This resolution and its various sections, clauses and paragraphs are severable. If any part, sentence, clause or phrase is adjudged to be unconstitutional or invalid, the remainder of the resolution will not be affected.
- 3. This resolution will be effective immediately upon adoption, in accordance with § 7-5-123, MCA.
- 4. This Board directs that this resolution be entered into the minutes and signed by the Chair of the Board in accordance with § 7-5-121, MCA.

END OF RESOLUTION

Approved as to Form:

Marcia Boris, County Attorney

Date presented to the Board August 5, 2020 Approved () Disapproved () Amended () Adopted this 5th day of August, 2020.

LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Mark L. Peck, Chair

ATTEST:

Robin A. Benson, Clerk of the Board