

# NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARINGS

## 2006 NOTICE OF 2007 TOWNSHIP BUDGET HEARINGS

The governing bodies of the following Decatur County Township Boards will meet on the 11th day of September, 2006 at 8 p.m. at the following listed homes for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Levy may change due to final adjusted November Valuations. Detailed Budget Information is available at the Office of the Decatur County Clerk and will be available at these hearings.

### ALLISON TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	2,946	3.389	6,000	3.177	5,000	2,280	3.387
Road	17,446	18.636	21,000	19.656	21,000	14,000	20.797
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>20,392</b>	<b>22.025</b>	<b>27,000</b>	<b>22.833</b>	<b>26,000</b>	<b>16,280</b>	<b>24.184</b>
Total Tax Levied	16,249		16,263		16,280		
Valuation	737,905		712,250		673,189		

**NOTE: Tax Rates are expressed in mills.** There is NO Debt Service for this Township.  
Trustee — Frances Bader Treasurer — Home of Roger Shimek Clerk — Lenny Randolph

### ALTORY TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	9,359	1.700	11,000	1.236	10,000	2,453	2.042
Road	11,281	12.978	14,500	13.791	11,000	9,000	7.490
Spec Mach	0						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>21,180</b>	<b>14.678</b>	<b>25,500</b>	<b>15.027</b>	<b>21,000</b>	<b>11,453</b>	<b>9.532</b>
Total Tax Levied	11,440		11,441		11,453		
Valuation	779,461		761,363		1,201,531		

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Trustee — Marvin Bailey Treasurer — Home of Gary Gawith Clerk — Bill Heilman

### BASSETTVILLE TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	838	-0-	15,000	-0-	10,000	-0-	-0-
Road	16,511	14.840	20,000	15.291	20,000	10,684	15.901
Special Road Levy			3,448	5.000	6,997	3,359	4.999
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>17,349</b>	<b>14.840</b>	<b>38,448</b>	<b>20.291</b>	<b>36,997</b>	<b>14,043</b>	<b>20.900</b>
Total Tax Levied	10,386		13,959		14,043		
Valuation	700,050		689,646		671,910		

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Trustee — Home of Steve Brown Treasurer — Terry Lippelmann Clerk — Rod Alstrom

### BEAVER TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	1,542	0.717	7,000	0.776	7,000	642	0.806
Road	10,185	9.424	13,500	9.687	13,500	8,080	10.140
Spec Mach	11,506				3,984	3,984	5.000
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>23,233</b>	<b>10.141</b>	<b>20,500</b>	<b>10.463</b>	<b>24,484</b>	<b>12,706</b>	<b>15.946</b>
Total Tax Levied	8,609		8,641		12,706		
Valuation	850,316		825,850		796,846		

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Trustee — Jay Ketterl Treasurer — Home of Brendan Moore Clerk — Ron Diederich

### CENTER TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	5,631	2.024	6,000	1.836	6,000	2,178	1.704
Road	16,151	7.058	20,000	7.084	21,000	9,281	7.261
Spec Mach	5,500						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>26,282</b>	<b>9.082</b>	<b>26,000</b>	<b>8.920</b>	<b>27,000</b>	<b>11,459</b>	<b>8.965</b>
Total Tax Levied	11,053		11,333		11,459		
Valuation	1,217,885		1,270,381		1,278,257		

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Trustee — Ron McDougal Treasurer — Home of Ina Marie Goodnight Clerk — Lonnie McEvoy

### COOK TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	1,001	2.162	4,500	2.260	8,500	1,680	2.260
Road	14,883	15.584	25,000	16.143	19,500	12,000	16.143
Spec Mach							
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>15,884</b>	<b>17.746</b>	<b>29,500</b>	<b>18.403</b>	<b>28,000</b>	<b>13,680</b>	<b>18.403</b>
Total Tax Levied	13,557		13,680		13,680		
Valuation	770,453		743,370		707,851		

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Trustee — Dave Juenemann Treasurer — Home of Gerald Dellere Clerk — Lynn Groneweg

### CUSTER TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	863	2.098	5,000	2.441	5,000	1,561	1.694
Road	18,728	16.743	19,000	16.611	20,500	14,133	15.339
Spec Road Levy	-0-						
Spec Mach	-0-						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>19,591</b>	<b>18.841</b>	<b>24,000</b>	<b>19.052</b>	<b>25,500</b>	<b>15,694</b>	<b>17.033</b>
Total Tax Levied	15,248		15,484		15,694		
Valuation	809,311		812,720		921,356		

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Trustee — Merlin Anderson Treasurer — Home of Lowell Holmberg Clerk — Jim Gaumer

### FINLEY TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	738	0.952	5,875	1.324	5,875	1,336	1.345
Road	8,375	11.773	22,400	11.664	25,000	12,026	12.111
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>9,113</b>	<b>12.725</b>	<b>28,275</b>	<b>12.988</b>	<b>30,875</b>	<b>13,362</b>	<b>13.456</b>
Total Tax Levied	13,362		13,362		13,362		
Valuation	1,050,560		1,028,790		993,012		

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Trustee — Jim Wesch Treasurer — Home of Greg Grafel Clerk — Candy Ketterl

## DRESDEN TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	5,852	1.402	6,860	1.488	7,000	1,700	1.514
Road	16,546	9.315	17,250	9.458	18,250	9,119	9.897
Spec Mach	-0-						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>22,398</b>	<b>10.717</b>	<b>24,110</b>	<b>10.946</b>	<b>25,250</b>	<b>10,819</b>	<b>11.411</b>
Total Tax Levied	10,626		10,722		10,819		
Valuation	1,172,102		1,157,290		1,123,168		

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Trustee — Gary Meitl Treasurer — Home of Greg Ritter Clerk — Steve Ritter

## GARFIELD TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	1,910	1.712	3,500	1.360	3,500	1,188	1.379
Road	14,366	13.757	18,000	13.724	19,500	12,430	14.432
Spec Road Levy	-0-		3,626	4.000	7,500	4,306	5.000
Spec Mach	5,339						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>21,615</b>	<b>15.469</b>	<b>25,126</b>	<b>19.084</b>	<b>30,500</b>	<b>17,924</b>	<b>20.811</b>
Total Tax Levied	13,156		16,676		17,924		
Valuation	850,490		847,388		861,271		

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Trustee — John Gallentine Treasurer — Home of Gwynn Ward Clerk — Gene Gallentine

## GRANT BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	3,139	-0-	35,750	-0-	35,750	-0-	-0-
Road	21,867	18.191	55,500	15.746	55,500	17,504	14.702
Spec Mach	-0-						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>25,006</b>	<b>18.191</b>	<b>91,250</b>	<b>15.746</b>	<b>91,250</b>	<b>17,504</b>	<b>14.702</b>
Total Tax Levied	17,503		17,504		17,504		
Valuation	980,865		1,111,625		1,111,625		

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Trustee — Earnest Huff Treasurer — Home of Terry Rippe Clerk — Dave Wilson

## HARLAN TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	4,180	3.290	4,200	3.392	6,500	2,752	3.680
Road	260,64	18.143	34,500	17.376	34,500	14,000	18.723
Spec Mach	-0-						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>30,244</b>	<b>21.433</b>	<b>38,700</b>	<b>20.768</b>	<b>41,000</b>	<b>16,752</b>	<b>22.403</b>
Total Tax Levied	16,539		16,733		16,752		
Valuation	771,632		805,688		747,728		

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Trustee — Joe Metcalf Treasurer — Home of Galen Lafferty Clerk — Lynn Rippe

## JENNINGS TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2007 Expenditures and Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2007 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2005		2006		Proposed Budget 2007		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2006 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	3,518	1.894	7,500	1.807	7,500	2,546	1.865
Road	16,500	13.440	20,000	12.309	21,000	13,000	12.959
Spec Mach	9,955						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>29,973</b>	<b>15.334</b>	<b>27,500</b>	<b>14.116</b>	<b>28,500</b>	<b>15,546</b>	<b>14.824</b>
Total Tax Levied	15,501		15,546		15,546		