

# NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARINGS

## 2009 NOTICE OF 2010 TOWNSHIP BUDGET HEARINGS

The governing bodies of the following Decatur County Township Boards will meet on the 10th day of August 2009 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 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	3,815	3.682	5,000	4.025	5,000	1,623	3.000
Road	20,797	22.569	21,000	24.673	21,000	12,000	22.184
Special Road					2,750	2,704	4.999
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>24,612</b>	<b>26.251</b>	<b>26,000</b>	<b>28.698</b>	<b>28,750</b>	<b>16,327</b>	<b>30.183</b>
Total Tax Levied	16,284		16,284		16,327		
Valuation	620,342		567,420		540,932		

**NOTE: Tax Rates are expressed in mills.** **There is NO Debt Service for this Township.**  
Trustee — Frances Bader Treasurer — Home of Linda Wahlmeier Clerk — Lenny Randolph  
\*\*Special Road Levy authorized to increase the 2010 Budget

### ALTORY TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	2,253	1.513	7,000	2.054	7,000	1,870	2.955
Road	12,225	13.345	14,225	13.006	14,225	10,000	15.800
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>14,478</b>	<b>14.858</b>	<b>21,225</b>	<b>15.060</b>	<b>21,225</b>	<b>11,870</b>	<b>18.755</b>
Total Tax Levied	11,579		11,579		11,870		
Valuation	779,320		768,865		632,920		

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Trustee — Jeannie Gawith Treasurer — Home of Gary Gawith Clerk — Bill Heilman

### BASSETTVILLE TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	1,149	0.997	10,000	0.566	10,000	2,490	0.955
Road	21,098	4.247	35,000	4.692	30,000	13,000	4.984
Special Road	9,298	5.000	40,550	5.000	40,550	13,042	5.000
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>31,545</b>	<b>10.244</b>	<b>85,550</b>	<b>10.258</b>	<b>80,550</b>	<b>28,532</b>	<b>10.939</b>
Total Tax Levied	29,300		63,402		28,532		
Valuation	2,858,851		6,180,549		2,608,183		

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

### BEAVER TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	664	0.873	3,000	2.047	3,000	1,368	1.960
Road	13,406	11.354	14,500	17.713	15,500	13,000	18.628
Spec Road	3,493	5.000					
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>17,563</b>	<b>17.227</b>	<b>17,500</b>	<b>19.760</b>	<b>18,500</b>	<b>14,368</b>	<b>20.588</b>
Total Tax Levied	12,985		14,056		14,368		
Valuation	753,758		711,324		697,872		

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Trustee — Colt Diederich Treasurer — Home of Ron Diederich Clerk — Steve Diederich

### CENTER TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	1,022	1.949	6,900	2.530	6,900	2,373	2.127
Road	30,847	7.879	22,500	7.759	22,500	10,700	9.592
Spec Road			6,500	5.000	6,500	5,578	5.000
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>31,869</b>	<b>9.828</b>	<b>35,900</b>	<b>15.289</b>	<b>35,900</b>	<b>18,651</b>	<b>16.719</b>
Total Tax Levied	11,538		17,832		18,651		
Valuation	1,174,030		1,160,017		1,115,549		

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Trustee — Ron McDougal Treasurer — Home of Jody Robertson Clerk — Lonnie McEvoy

### COOK TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	1,088	2.461	15,500	2.858	15,500	2,022	3.100
Road	11,788	17.578	23,500	18.106	23,500	12,000	18.396
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>12,876</b>	<b>20.039</b>	<b>39,000</b>	<b>20.964</b>	<b>39,000</b>	<b>14,022</b>	<b>21.496</b>
Total Tax Levied	13,680		13,894		14,022		
Valuation	682,675		662,776		652,330		

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Trustee — Dave Juenemann Treasurer — Home of Gerald Dellere Clerk — Jerry Rall

### CUSTER TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	2,174	2.461	4,000	2.675	4,000	1,739	2.923
Road	17,446	19.968	20,000	21.459	22,500	14,500	24.376
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>19,620</b>	<b>22.429</b>	<b>24,000</b>	<b>24.134</b>	<b>26,500</b>	<b>16,239</b>	<b>27.299</b>
Total Tax Levied	15,725		15,745		16,239		
Valuation	701,143		652,394		594,848		

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

### DRESDEN TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	3,304	1.614	6,500	1.623	6,500	1,768	1.668
Road	12,734	10.447	18,000	10.972	18,000	10,000	11.794
Special Mach	3,889						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>19,927</b>	<b>12.061</b>	<b>24,500</b>	<b>12.595</b>	<b>24,500</b>	<b>11,768</b>	<b>13.462</b>
Total Tax Levied	11,295		11,583		11,768		
Valuation	1,112,400		1,098,537		1,059,919		

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Trustee — Jill Reichert Treasurer — Home of Greg Ritter Clerk — Steve Ritter

### FINLEY TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	2,518	1.454	7,250	1.583	7,250	1,508	1.742
Road	16,021	12.731	25,000	14.461	25,000	13,000	15.013
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>18,539</b>	<b>14.185</b>	<b>32,250</b>	<b>16.044</b>	<b>32,250</b>	<b>14,508</b>	<b>16.755</b>
Total Tax Levied	13,593		14,423		14,508		
Valuation	958,318		898,954		865,896		

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Trustee — Jim Wesch Treasurer — Home of Amanda Grafel Clerk — Greg Grafel

### GARFIELD TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	2,092	1.487	3,250	1.951	3,250	1,826	2.657
Road	16,407	16.786	21,000	18.531	21,000	13,500	19.645
Spec Road	5,527	4.000	8,000	4.000	8,000	2,749	4.000
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>24,026</b>	<b>22.273</b>	<b>32,250</b>	<b>24.482</b>	<b>32,250</b>	<b>18,075</b>	<b>26.302</b>
Total Tax Levied	17,975		17,977		18,075		
Valuation	807,314		733,904		687,185		

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Trustee — John Gallentine Treasurer — Home of Gwynn Ward Clerk — Darren Wentz

### GRANT BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	751		37,750		37,750	-	
Road	23,215	14.931	46,500	15.931	46,500	17,787	16.476
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>23,966</b>	<b>14.931</b>	<b>84,250</b>	<b>15.931</b>	<b>84,250</b>	<b>17,787</b>	<b>16.476</b>
Total Tax Levied	17,504		17,565		17,787		
Valuation	1,172,396		1,102,592		1,079,601		

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Trustee — Ernest Huff Treasurer — Home of Pam Wilson Clerk — Dave Wilson

### HARLAN TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	7,754	4.107	9,250	4.202	9,250	2,926	4.707
Road	30,476	19.922	36,500	21.246	36,500	15,000	24.132
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>38,230</b>	<b>24.029</b>	<b>45,750</b>	<b>25.448</b>	<b>45,750</b>	<b>17,926</b>	<b>28.839</b>
Total Tax Levied	16,886		17,248		17,926		
Valuation	702,770		677,788		621,592		

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

### JENNINGS TOWNSHIP BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to slight change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Fund	2008		2009		Proposed Budget 2010		
	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	4,041	1.676	7,500	1.815	7,500	3,053	2.223
Road	19,551	12.321	21,000	13.090	21,000	13,000	13.895
Spec Road			3,250	2.000	3,250	2,747	2.000
Spec Mach	6,910						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>30,502</b>	<b>13.997</b>	<b>31,750</b>	<b>16.905</b>	<b>31,750</b>	<b>18,800</b>	<b>18.118</b>
Total Tax Levied	15,681		18,676		18,800		
Valuation	1,600,244		1,492,849		1,373,453		