

**ISSUE SYNOPSIS  
SUMMIT COUNTY**

**SPECIAL ELECTION – AUGUST 2, 2016**

**90-DAY FILING DEADLINE – WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 2016**

**60-DAY FILING DEADLINE – FRIDAY, JUNE 3, 2016**

**ISSUE**

1. **MACEDONIA – Proposed Municipal Income Tax** - Shall the Ordinance providing for a ½ % levy increase on income from 2% to 2 ½ % beginning on October 1, 2016 and ending on December 31, 2021 and thereafter at the rate of 2 ¼ % to secure funds for Road Improvements and Storm Water Projects be passed?
  
2. **NEW FRANKLIN – Proposed Municipal Income Tax** - Shall the Ordinance providing for a 1% levy increase on income from 1% to 2% for the purpose of **providing funds for the general operating expenses of the New Franklin Police Department and for the purpose of providing funds for the general municipal operations and capital improvements of the City** be passed? Upon passage of the income tax increase, the New Franklin 2.5 mills continuous police levy shall be eliminated from the real estate taxes effective January 1, 2016 for the tax year 2016 / collection year 2017.
  
3. **NORTHFIELD CENTER TOWNSHIP – Proposed Tax Levy (Replacement and Increase)** - A replacement of 2 mills of an existing levy and an increase of 4 mills to constitute a tax for the benefit of Northfield Center Township for the purpose of **providing capital expenditures, wages, benefits, operation, facilities and maintenance of the Northfield Center Township Fire Department** at a rate not exceeding 6 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to 6 cents for each one hundred dollars in valuation, for a continuing period of time, commencing in 2016, first due in calendar year 2017.
  
4. **SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP – Proposed Tax Levy (Renewal)** - A renewal of a tax for the benefit of Springfield Township for the purpose of **providing fire protection, providing and maintaining fire apparatus, equipment, buildings or sites, therefor, or the payment of permanent, part-time, volunteer, firefighters, or other authorized agencies to operate the same, or to purchase ambulance equipment, or to provide ambulance or emergency medical services operated by the Springfield Township Fire Department**, at a rate not exceeding 2 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to 20 cents for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for 5 years, commencing in 2016, first due in calendar year 2017.

5. **MANCHESTER LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT – Proposed Bond Issue and Tax Levy**  
Shall the Manchester Local School District be authorized to do the following:

- (1) Issue bonds for the purpose of constructing, adding to, renovating, remodeling, furnishing, equipping and otherwise improving School District buildings and facilities and clearing, equipping and otherwise improving sites for those School District buildings and facilities in the principal amount of \$30,586,437, to be repaid annually over a maximum period of 36 years, and levy a property tax outside the ten-mill limitation, estimated by the county fiscal officer to average over the bond repayment period 8.3 mills for each one dollar of tax valuation, which amounts to 83 cents for each one hundred dollars of tax valuation, to pay the annual debt charges on the bonds, and to pay debt charges on any notes issued in anticipation of those bonds?
- (2) Levy an additional property tax to provide funds for the acquisition, construction, enlargement, renovation, and financing of general permanent improvements at a rate not exceeding 0.5 mill for each one dollar of tax valuation, which amounts to 5 cents for each one hundred dollars of tax valuation, for a continuing period of time, commencing in 2016, first due in calendar year 2017?

6. **SPRINGFIELD LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT – Proposed Tax Levy (Renewal) -**  
Shall a levy renewing an existing levy be imposed by the Springfield Local School

District for the purpose of **providing for the emergency requirements of the Springfield Local School District** in the sum of \$1,500,000 and a levy of taxes to be made outside of the ten-mill limitation estimated by the county fiscal officer to average 3.68 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to 36.8 cents for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for a period of 5 years, commencing in 2016, first due in calendar year 2017?