

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF BUDGET ESTIMATES AND TAX LEVIES

Notice is hereby given to taxpayers of Washington Township, Marion, County, Indiana that the proper officers of said township at the Trustee's office, on November 10, 2008 at 6:15 p.m. will conduct a public hearing on the year 2009 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 the political subdivision within seven days after the hearing. The objection petition must identify the provisions of the budget, tax rate, or tax levy that taxpayers object to. If a petition is filed, the political subdivision shall adopt with its budget a finding concerning the objections filed and testimony presented. Following the aforementioned hearing, the Township Board will meet at the Trustee's office on November 20, 2008 at 6:15 p.m. to adopt the following budget:

Special assistance is available to handicapped persons who desire to attend by calling (317) 252-5230.
 Net Assessed Valuation: Civil 7,128,704.629 Fire _____

BUDGET ESTIMATES AND TAX LEVIES

1. Township	2. Budget Estimate	3. Maximum Estimated funds to be raised (including appeals)	4. Excessive Levy Appeals included in Column 3	5. Current Tax Levy
Township Funds				
General	878,045	350,000	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	235,513
Debt Service				
Township Assistance	840,249	500,000	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	418,691
Fire Fighting				
Cumulative Fire			XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	
Recreation				

Total Township Funds	1,718,294	850,000		634,204

The estimated maximum levy limitations are: Civil 842,074 Fire _____
 Township Assistance debt service rate is 0.00. The property tax replacement credit for civil is 0.00.

Township School Funds				
Pre School Special Ed.				
General			XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	
Debt service				
Capital Projects			XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	
Transportation			XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	
Bus Replacement				
Referendum			XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	
Total Township School				

The estimated maximum levy limitation for the Township School General Fund is _____.
 The property tax replacement credit applied to civil assessed valuation used to reduce the Township School funds is _____.

Taxpayers appearing at the hearing shall have an opportunity to be heard. Pursuant to IC 6-1.1-17-13, after the tax levies have been determined, fixed by the appropriate governing body, and the tax rates published by the County Auditor, then ten (10) or more taxpayers or one (1) taxpayer that owns property that represents at least ten percent (10%) of the taxable assessed valuation in the political subdivision may initiate an appeal from the county board of tax adjustment's action on a political subdivision's budget by filing a statement of their objections with the County Auditor. The statement must be filed not later than ten (10) days after the publication of the notice. The statement shall specifically identify the provisions of the budget and tax levy to which the taxpayers object. The County Auditor shall forward the statement with the budget, to the Department of Local Government Finance.

Date 10/28/2008 _____ Washington _____ Township
 _____ Frank T. Short _____ Trustee