

DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE
100 North Senate Avenue, Room 1058N
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2256

Notice is hereby given the fiscal officers and taxpayers of all taxing units located in St. Joseph County, Indiana, that prior to the review of the budgets, tax rates and levies for the year 2007 payable 2008, the Department of Local Government Finance, by its representatives, will conduct a public hearing on said matter, to be held in the County Council Chambers, 4th floor County-City Building on the date and time as follows:

On Thursday, November 13, 2008 at 9:00 AM

JOHN GLENN SCHOOL CORPORATION
PENN-HARRIS-MADISON SCHOOL CORPORATION
MISHAWAKA CITY SCHOOL CORPORATION
SOUTH BEND COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORPORATION
CENTRE TOWNSHIP
CLAY TOWNSHIP
GERMAN TOWNSHIP
GREENE TOWNSHIP
HARRIS TOWNSHIP
LIBERTY TOWNSHIP
LINCOLN TOWNSHIP
MADISON TOWNSHIP
OLIVE TOWNSHIP
PENN TOWNSHIP
PORTAGE TOWNSHIP
UNION TOWNSHIP
WARREN TOWNSHIP
MISHAWAKA-PENN-HARRIS PUBLIC LIBRARY
NEW CARLISLE PUBLIC LIBRARY
WALKERTON PUBLIC LIBRARY
ST. JOSEPH COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY
SOUTH BEND CIVIL CITY
SOUTH BEND REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION
SOUTH BEND REDEVELOPMENT - TIR
MISHAWAKA CIVIL CITY
MISHAWAKA REDEVELOPMENT
INDIAN VILLAGE CIVIL TOWN
LAKEVILLE CIVIL TOWN
NEW CARLISLE CIVIL TOWN
NORTH LIBERTY CIVIL TOWN
OSCEOLA CIVIL TOWN
ROSELAND CIVIL TOWN
WALKERTON CIVIL TOWN
ST. JOSEPH AIRPORT
SOUTH BEND PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION
ST. JOSEPH COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
ST. JOSEPH COUNTY WELFARE
ST. JOSEPH COUNTY
ST. JOSEPH COUNTY REDEVELOPMENT

Assessed values will be available for review in the County Auditor's Office at least seven (7) days prior to the date of the Department of Local Government Finance budget hearing. Taxpayers shall have the right to be heard and/or to present written testimony on the budgets, tax rates and tax levies as adopted by the above named taxing units.

Any appeal filed by 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 with the County Auditor from the action of the County Board of Tax Adjustment, under IC 6-1.1-17-3, or any appeal filed by the proper officers of the above named taxing units, under IC 6-1.1-17-15, from the action of the County Board of Tax Adjustment or any appeal filed pursuant to IC 6-1.1-19-2 and IC 6-1.1-18.5-13, must specifically identify the provisions of the budget, tax rate, or tax levy to which an objection is made. The County Auditor shall forward the statement, along with the taxing unit's budget, to the Department of Local Government Finance. The Department of Local Government Finance, at its discretion, may hold a hearing on the matter by notifying the first ten (10) taxpayers named in the objecting petition of the date, time and place of the hearing.

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Cheryl A. W. Mulgrave, Commissioner