

Official Ballot

Tuesday, November 4, 2025  
Muskegon County, Michigan  
City of Muskegon, Precinct 1B-OV Schools

City General Election

Nonpartisan Section

City

Mayor

Vote for not more than 1

Ken Johnson

Bob Garretson

Commissioner at Large

Vote for not more than 2

Teresa Emory

Kiley N. Jackson

Rebecca St. Clair

John C. Allen

Proposal Section

City

Proposed Amendment By Initiative Petition To The  
Muskegon City Charter  
To Establish A 12-Year Term Limit On Members Of The City  
Commission

The Muskegon Charter would be amended to prohibit service on the Commission for terms or partial terms of more than 12 years. There are 6 former commissioners, one current Commissioner, and the Mayor who may be ineligible to serve if the Charter amendment is enacted.

Shall the Muskegon Charter Chapter III, Section 3 be amended to add that "A person may not serve on the City Commission for terms or partial terms that combined total more than 12 years" and to state that ward elections became effective November 2, 1982?

Yes

No

Local School District

Orchard View Schools  
Operating Millage Proposal

This proposal will allow the school district to levy the statutory rate of not to exceed 18 mills on all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, required for the school district to receive its full revenue per pupil foundation allowance and restores millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the "Headlee" amendment to the Michigan Constitution of 1963.

Shall the currently authorized millage rate limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, in Orchard View Schools, Muskegon County, Michigan, be renewed by 17.8114 mills (\$17.8114 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2026 to 2035, inclusive, and also be increased by .5 mill (\$0.50 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2026 to 2035, inclusive, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and 18 mills are levied in 2026 is approximately \$3,164,106 (this millage is to renew millage that will expire with the 2025 levy and provide additional millage to restore millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the "Headlee" amendment to the Michigan Constitution of 1963 and will be levied only to the extent necessary to restore that reduction)?

Yes

No

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