

BRIDGMAN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT  
OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL

This proposal will renew millage that will expire with the 2026 tax levy and allow the school district to continue to levy its authorized operating millage rate on all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, for the school district to receive its full revenue per pupil foundation allowance. The remaining 0.504 mill will only be available to be levied to restore millage lost as a result of the reduction required by the Michigan Constitution of 1963, and will only be levied to the extent necessary to restore that reduction. The total operating millage levied will not exceed 8.376 mills in any year.

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 Bridgman Public School District, Berrien County, Michigan, be renewed by 8.88 mills (\$8.88 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2027 to 2036, inclusive, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and 8.376 mills are levied in 2027 is approximately \$11,031,093 (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2026 tax levy)?

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: The above ballot proposition language is intended for review and discussion purposes only. Please review the language and, if it meets with your approval, complete the dollar figure, initial and date where indicated above, and either (a) scan and e-mail this document to Michael Gresens at [mgresens@thrunlaw.com](mailto:mgresens@thrunlaw.com) and Katrina Hankamp at [khankamp@thrunlaw.com](mailto:khankamp@thrunlaw.com) or (b) fax it to Michael Gresens at fax# (517) 484-0041. We will then prepare and send to you the resolution that is legally required for your school board to properly approve the ballot proposition language.