

**TOWNSHIP OF SCIO  
WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN  
RESOLUTION #2023-20**

**A Resolution to Call for a Special Election on November 7, 2023 and to Approve  
Proposals for Placement on Ballot**

At a Regular Meeting of the Township Board of Scio Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan,  
held at the Scio Township Hall, 827 N Zeeb Road, in said Township, on March 14, 2023, at 7 pm.

Members Present: Hathaway, Flintoft, Palmer, Kerry, Knol, Reiser

Members Absent: Brazeau

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Clerk Flintoft and supported by Trustee Reiser.

WHEREAS, Act 33 of 1951 authorizes the Township to establish a special assessment district to defray the cost of maintaining and operating a fire department; and,

WHEREAS, The Township currently levies 1.35 mills through such a special assessment to defray the cost of providing fire protection services; and,

WHEREAS, the Fire Services Guidance Committee was charged with recommending a service improvement plan, and a needed millage rate to support such recommendation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township of Scio Board of Trustees calls for a Special Election to be held on November 7, 2023; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Township of Scio Board of Trustees approves the following proposals, and directs the Clerk to submit them for placement on the November 7, 2023, Ballot:

***Fire Services Improvement and Expansion***

**Operating Question**

Shall the Township of Scio be authorized to annually defray its costs of providing fire protection and emergency medical services, including maintenance of buildings, acquisition of apparatus and equipment by special assessment pursuant to Act 33 of 1951 in an amount adjusted annually that does not exceed 3.75 mills ( \$3.75 on each \$1000 of taxable value) in any single year for ten (10) years, 2023 to 2032 inclusive?

**Capital Question**

Shall the Township of Scio be authorized to annually defray its costs of purchasing property, constructing buildings, and providing apparatus and equipment for newly constructed buildings to provide fire protection and emergency medical services by special assessment pursuant to

Act 33 of 1951 in an amount adjusted annually that does not exceed 0.75 mills (\$0.75 on each \$1,000 of taxable value) in any single year for twenty (20) years, 2023 to 2042 inclusive?

The authority under this Capital Question is effective only if both ballot questions are approved.

**ROLL CALL VOTE:**


**YES:** Hathaway, Flintoft, Palmer, Kerry, Knol, Reiser

**NO:** None

**ABSENT:** Brazeau

**ABSTAIN:** None


**RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.**

  
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Jessica M. Flintoft, Clerk  
Scio Township

DATED: March 14, 2023

**CERTIFICATE**

I, Jessica M. Flintoft, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Board of Scio Township, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, at a Regular Meeting held on March 14, 2023, and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

  
Jessica M. Flintoft, Clerk  
Scio Township

DATED: March 16, 2023