



Charter Township of Ypsilanti

7200 S. HURON RIVER DRIVE YPSILANTI, MI 48197

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SPECIAL MEETING

Monday, September 28, 2026 - 6:00 PM

A Special Meeting of the Charter Township of Ypsilanti Board of Trustees has been called by Supervisor Brenda Stumbo, Clerk Debbie Swanson, and Treasurer Stan Eldridge for the following items:

AGENDA

1. PUBLIC HEARING FOR SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL AT 6 PM –
RESOLUTION 2026-25 – 2026 SPECIAL ASSESSMENT LEVY (PUBLIC
HEARING SET AT THE SEPTEMBER 15, 2026 REGULAR MEETING)
2. APPROVE THE L-4029 – 2026 TAX RATES FOR THE 2027 BUDGET
3. REQUEST TO ADD ENVIRONMENTAL LAW FIRM TEICHNER LAW, PLC
FOR LEGAL SERVICES AT A RATE OF \$265 PER HOUR, BUDGETED IN
LINE 101-729-801.026

PUBLIC ACT 188 OF 1954 PROCEEDINGS
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF YPSILANTI
WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
ON SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Supervisor and Assessing Officer of the Township has reported to the Township Board and filed in the Office of the Township Clerk for public examination a special assessment roll prepared by the Assessor covering all properties within the Special Assessment Districts benefited by the districts listed below.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Assessing Officer has further reported that the assessment against each parcel of land within said district is such relative portion of the whole sum levied against all parcels of land in said district as the benefit to such parcels bears to the total benefit to all parcels of land in said district.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Township Board will hold a public hearing at the Ypsilanti Township Civic Center, 7200 S. Huron River Drive, Ypsilanti, MI on **September 28, 2026**, at 6:00pm for the purpose of reviewing said special assessment roll and hearing any objections thereto. Said roll may be examined at the office of the Township Clerk during regular business hours of regular business days until the time of said hearing and may further be examined at said hearing. Appearance and protest at the hearing held to confirm the special assessment roll is required in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the Michigan Tax Tribunal.

An owner, or partner in interest, or his or her agent may appear in person at the hearing to protest the special assessment, or shall be permitted to file his or her appearance or protest by letter and his or her personal appearance should not be required. (The owner or any person having an interest in the real property who protests in person or in writing at the hearing may file a written appeal of the special assessment with the Michigan Tax Tribunal within 30 days after the confirmation of the special assessment roll.

THE FOLLOWING ARE THE PROPOSED SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLLS TO BE LEVIED ON THE 2026 WINTER TAX ROLL

SECURITY CAMERA SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

DISTRICT	CODE	DISTRICT	CODE
Sugarbrook	060	West Willow	061
Thurston Area	062	Apple Ridge Area	063
Bud- Blossom Area	064	Holmes Rd Area	066
Huron Heights/ Huron Ridge	068	Creekside Village South	069
Manors at Creekside Village	070	Lakewood- Majestic Lks	071
Ponds at Lkwd- Maj Pond	072	Redwood/ Nautica Pt Apts.	073
Cliffs Condos	074	Crystal Ponds	075
Village Grove Apartments	076		

STREET LIGHT SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

DISTRICT	CODE	DISTRICT	CODE	DISTRICT	CODE
Shady Knoll 1-6	101	Nancy Park 1-3	102	Nancy Park 5-6	103
West Willow #1	104	Ypsi Twp Area	105	West Willow #2	106
Hickory Hill	107	Washtenaw Orchard	108	Washtenaw Ridge	109
Nancy Park #7	111	Rambling Road	112	Hickory Hill #1	113
Onandaga Street	114	West Willow Dist 3	115	S. Devonshire	116
Washtenaw Concourse	117	Delaware Street	118	Washtenaw CC #4	119
Ivanhoe Area	120	Oswego/Cayuga	121	Hawthorne Street	122
Hunt/Hollis	123	Turtle Creek	124	Turtle Creek 2	125
Debby Court	126	Lynne Street	127	West Willow 10&11	129
Johnson Place	130	Huron Hearthside	131	Oakland Estates	132
Washtenaw Clubview	133	Oakland Estates #3	134	Brookside Street	135
Huron Commercial	136	Crestwood Sub	137	Kansas St	138
Hayes Street	139	Ford Lake Village	140	Ford Lake Village #2	141
Streamwood 1-7	142	Deauville Parrish	146	Spruce Falls	147
Bagley Street	148	Partridge Creek #1	149	Georgetown Condos	150
Streamwood #8	151	Smokler Textile	152	Greene Farms #1 & #2	153
Golf Estates	154	Ohio St 2000	155	N. Kansas	156
Russell St	157	Dakota	158	Paint Creek Farms	159
Whispering Meadows #1	160	Amberly Grove	162	Greenfields #1	163
Partridge Creek 2&3	164	Partridge Creek North	165	Campbell St	166
Preserves	167	S Ivanhoe St	168	Clubview Sub	169
Wash Clubview	170	Taft Ave	171	Devonshire & Oregon	172
Greene Farms #3	173	Greene Farms #4	174	Raymond Meadows	175
Tyler Rd	176	Washtenaw Bus Park	177	Whittaker Village	178
Tremont Park #1	179	Tremont Park #2	180	Kirk St	181
Greene Farm 5	182	Greene Farm 6	183	Woodlawn St	184
Greenfields 2 & 3	185	Greene Farms #7	186	Whispering Meadows	187
Huron Meadows	188	Rivergrove	189	Aspen Ridge	191
Gates Ave	193	Fairway Hills	194	Washtenaw Clubview	196
Bradley Ave	197	Creekside West	198	Creekside South	199
Creekside East	201	Lakeview Area	202	Majestic Lake	203
Firwood Area	204	Bradley St	205	136- 177 Conversion	206
Lakeview #2	207	Tremont Park Sub	208	Turtle Creek #2	209
Creekside Village West #2	211	Manors of Creekside Village	212	Creekside Village South #2	213
Lakewood- Majestic Lakes	214	Ponds at Lkwd-Maj Ponds	215	Redwood/ Nautica Pt Apts	216
Ponds at Lkwd/ Maj Pds-2	217	Majestic Lks & Estates	218	Crystal Ponds	219
Village Grove Apartments	221	Woodlawn St	222		

DEBRA A. SWANSON, CLERK
Charter Township of Ypsilanti

The Ypsilanti Township Board will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services to individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services. Individuals should contact the Ypsilanti Township Board by writing or calling the following: DEBRA A. SWANSON, CLERK, 7200 S. Huron River Drive, Ypsilanti, MI 48197, PHONE: (734) 484-5156 or E-MAIL: dswanson@ypsitownship.org

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF YPSILANTI
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT LEVY**

Resolution No. 2026-25

WHEREAS, the Charter Township of Ypsilanti Board of Trustees, on September 28, 2026, held a public hearing on the proposed special assessment roll prepared by the Deputy Assessor, a copy of which is on file in the Clerk's Office, after advertising the same in a newspaper of record in the Township, and;

WHEREAS, on September 28, 2026, the Ypsilanti Township Board heard comments on said proposed special assessment roll prepared by the Deputy Assessor.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the proposed special assessment roll prepared by the Deputy Assessor for the Charter Township of Ypsilanti be adopted and the amounts set forth on the special assessment roll be levied on the 2026 Winter Tax Roll.

Township Supervisor
Brenda L. Stumbo
Township Clerk
Debbie Swanson
Township Treasurer
Stan Eldridge



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MEMORANDUM

To: Charter Township of Ypsilanti Board of Trustees

From: Brenda Stumbo, Township Supervisor

Date: September 24, 2026

RE: Preliminary request to approve L-4029 – 2026 Tax Rates for 2027 Budget

Please find attached the L-4029 - 2026 Tax Rate Request, prepared by our new Finance Director Brad Barrett. This sets our tax rates for the 2027 budget. This L-4029 has reductions due to Headlee Rollback, as well as an additional reduction for the police millage due to a high fund balance in Fund 266 and to lower total taxes from last year by 0.3231 mills. The high law enforcement fund balance is due to difficulty filling deputy positions, currently at 28 out of 35 budgeted.

Thank you for your consideration.

cc: Brad Barrett, Finance Director

2026 Tax Rate Request (This form must be completed and submitted on or before September 30, 2026)

MILLAGE REQUEST REPORT TO COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Carefully read the instructions on page 2.

This form is issued under authority of MCL Sections 211.24e, 211.34 and 211.34d. Filing is mandatory; Penalty applies.

County(ies) Where the Local Government Unit Levies Taxes Washtenaw	2026 Taxable Value of ALL Properties in the Unit as of 05-26-2026 TV 1,978,848,114 (TV minus Renaissance Zone) 1,951,209,390
Local Government Unit Requesting Millage Levy Charter Township of Ypsilanti	For LOCAL School Districts: 2026 Taxable Value excluding Principal Residence, Qualified Agricultural, Qualified Forest, Industrial Personal and Commercial Personal Properties.

This form must be completed for each unit of government for which a property tax is levied. Penalty for non-filing is provided under MCL Sec 211.119. The following tax rates have been authorized for levy on the 2026 tax roll.

(1) Source	(2) Purpose of Millage	(3) Date of Election	(4) Original Millage Authorized by Election Charter, etc.	(5) ** 2025 Millage Rate Permanently Reduced by MCL 211.34d "Headlee"	(6) 2026 Current Year "Headlee" Millage Reduction Fraction	(7) 2026 Millage Rate Permanently Reduced by MCL 211.34d "Headlee"	(8) Sec. 211.34 Truth in Assessing or Equalization Millage Rollback Fraction	(9) Maximum Allowable Millage Levy *	(10) Millage Requested to be Levied July 1	(11) Millage Requested to be Levied Dec. 1	(12) Expiration Date of Millage Authorized
Allocated	GEN OP	N/A	1.1160	.9680	.9899	.9582	1.000	.9582	.9582		N/A
Voted	Fire Prot	08/05/25	3.1250	3.1250	.9899	3.0934	1.000	3.0934	3.0934		12/2029
Voted	Solid Waste	08/05/25	2.4050	2.4050	.9899	2.3807	1.000	2.3807	2.3807		12/2029
Voted	Police	08/05/25	5.7000	5.7000	.9899	5.6424	1.000	5.6424	4.6424		12/2029
Voted	REC/BP	08/05/25	1.0059	1.0059	.9899	.9957	1.000	.9957	.9957		12/2029
PA345	FPen/HC	N/A	N/A	No Limit	N/A	N/A	N/A	No Limit	1.0134		N/A
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Prepared by Brad Barrett	Telephone Number (734) 544-3601	Title of Preparer Finance Director	Date 9/25/2026
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CERTIFICATION: As the representatives for the local government unit named above, we certify that these requested tax levy rates have been reduced, if necessary to comply with the state constitution (Article 9, Section 31), and that the requested levy rates have also been reduced, if necessary, to comply with MCL Sections 211.24e, 211.34 and, for LOCAL school districts which levy a Supplemental (Hold Harmless) Millage, 380.1211(3).

☒ Clerk	Signature	Print Name	Date
☐ Secretary		Debra A. Swanson	
☐ Chairperson	Signature	Print Name	Date
☒ President		Brenda L. Stumbo	

* Under Truth in Taxation, MCL Section 211.24e, the governing body may decide to levy a rate which will not exceed the maximum authorized rate allowed in column 9. The requirements of MCL 211.24e must be met prior to levying an operating levy which is larger than the base tax rate but not larger than the rate in column 9.

**** IMPORTANT:** See instructions on page 2 regarding where to find the millage rate used in column (5).

Local School District Use Only. Complete if requesting millage to be levied. See STC Bulletin 2 of 2026 for instructions on completing this section.

Total School District Operating Rates to be Levied (HH/Supp and NH Oper ONLY)	Rate
For Principal Residence, Qualified Ag., Qualified Forest and Industrial Personal	
For Commercial Personal	
For all Other	

2025 Tax Rate Request (This form must be completed and submitted on or before September 30, 2025)

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Allocated	GEN OP	N/A	1.1160	.9726	.9953	.9680	1.0000	.9680		.9680	N/A
Voted	Fire Prot	08/05/25	3.1250	3.1250	1.0000	3.1250	1.0000	3.1250		3.1250	12/2029
Voted	Solid Waste	08/05/25	2.4050	2.4050	1.0000	2.4050	1.0000	2.4050		2.4050	12/2029
Voted	Police	08/05/25	5.7000	5.7000	1.0000	5.7000	1.0000	5.7000		5.0000	12/2029
Voted	REC/BP	08/05/25	1.0059	1.0059	1.0000	1.0059	1.0000	1.0059		1.0059	12/2029
PA345	FPen/HC	N/A	No limit	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No Limit		.9030	N/A
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Prepared by Javonna Neel	Telephone Number (734) 544-3601	Title of Preparer Accounting Director	Date
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☒ Clerk	Signature <i>Debra A. Swanson</i>	Print Name Debra A. Swanson	Date 9/16/25
☐ Secretary			
☐ Chairperson	Signature	Print Name	Date
☒ President <i>Supervisor</i>	<i>Brenda L. Stumbo</i>	Brenda L. Stumbo	9/16/25

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MEMORANDUM

To: Charter Township of Ypsilanti Board of Trustees

From: Brenda Stumbo, Township Supervisor

Date: September 24, 2026

RE: Request to add environmental law firm Teichner Law, PLC for legal services at a rate of \$265 per hour, budgeted in line 101-729-801.026

Previously the Board authorized retaining the services for other law firms and experts in the University of Michigan and Los Alamos data center being proposed on the banks of the Huron River. We are requesting authorization for Teichner Law, PLC to be added to the legal team and resources for this issue. Lauren Teichner is the lead attorney and she has specialized consultants that will also be part of her legal team. All billings will be approved by Attorney Doug Winters before submittal to the township for payment.

Attorney Teichner's rate is \$265 an hour, which is budgeted in environmental justice line 101-729-801.026, and she also already started working with Attorney Winters.

Thank you for your consideration.