

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF BUDGET ESTIMATES AND TAX LEVIES

Notice is hereby given to taxpayers of Center Township, Porter County, Indiana, that the proper officers of said township, at 100 E. Lincolnway, Suite 204, Valparaiso on 15th September, 2011 at 2:00 PM will conduct a public hearing on the year 2012 budget. Following this meeting, any ten or more taxpayers may object to a budget, tax rate, or tax levy by filing an objection petition with the proper officers of the political subdivision within seven days after the hearing. The objection petition must identify the provisions of the budget, tax rate, or tax levy that taxpayers object to. If a petition is filed, the political subdivision shall adopt with its budget a finding concerning the objections filed and testimony presented. Following the aforementioned hearing, the Township Board will meet at 100 E. Lincolnway, Suite 204, Valparaiso, on 11th October, 2011 at 2:00 PM to adopt the following budget.

Special assistance is available to handicapped persons who desire to attend by calling: 462-0810

Net Assessed Valuation: Civil \$1,778,096,215 Fire \$610,567,054

BUDGET ESTIMATES AND TAX LEVIES

1 Township	2 Budget Estimate	3 Maximum Estimated funds to be raised (includes appeals)	4 Excessive Levy Appeals included in Column 3	5 Current Tax Levy
Township Funds				
General	251,237	165,945	-	160,029
Rainy Day	250,000	-	xxxxx	-
Township Assistance	361,727	330,077		295,608
Fire Fighting	900,000	1,023,309	xxxxx	968,512
Cumulative Fire	150,000	114,468		99,980
Recreation				-
Total Township Funds	1,912,964	1,633,799		1,524,129

The estimated maximum levy limits are: Civil \$475,379 Fire \$997,470

Taxpayers appearing at the hearing shall have an opportunity to be heard.

Dated: July 9, 2011

Charles W. Conover, Trustee
Center Township

(August 5, 12, 2011)