

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF BUDGET ESTIMATES AND TAX LEVIES

Notice is hereby given to taxpayers of Porter Township, Porter County, Indiana, that the proper officers of said township, at 454 West 300 South, Valparaiso, IN on September 9th 2009 at 6:00 p.m. will conduct a public hearing on the year 2010 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 454 W. 300 S., Valparaiso on September 30, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. to adopt the following budget. Special assistance is available to handicapped persons who desire to attend by calling: 219-988-4444

Net Assessed Valuation: Civil \$365,916,486 Fire \$193,821,544  
BUDGET ESTIMATE AND TAX LEVIES

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	Budget Estimate	Maximum Estimated funds to be raised (includes appeals)	Excessive Levy Appeals included in Column 3	Current Tax Levy
Township				
Township Funds				
General	77,661	80,000		58,225
Debt Service	39,422	17,833	XXXXXXXX	57,000
Township Assistance	19,500	18,000		7,225
Fire Fighting	205,000	198,000		175,000
Cumulative Fire	55,384	57,000	XXXXXXXX	49,875
The estimated maximum levy limits are: Civil \$67,000 Fire \$176,000				
Township Assistance debt service rate is .0092. The property tax replacement credit for civil is -0-				
Township School Funds				
Pre School Special Ed.			XXXXXXXX	
Debt Service			XXXXXXXX	
Capital Projects			XXXXXXXX	
Bus Replacement			XXXXXXXX	

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

Dated: August 10, 2009

Edward K. Morales Trustee  
Porter Township

(August 14, 28, 2009)