

EMMET COUNTY PROPOSALS

County ambulance and emergency medical service
 Shall the constitutional limitation on general ad valorem taxes within the County of Emmet, Michigan, imposed under Article IX, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution, be increased by up to .15 mills (\$.05 per \$1000 on the taxable value), for a period of four (4) years, (2004 through 2007, inclusive), for the purpose of providing advanced life support ambulance services to the residents of Emmet County; and shall the county levy such increase in millage for said purposes thereby raising in the first year of levy an estimated \$338,980?

County fixed millage
 Shall separate tax limitations be established for a period of four (4) years, 2005 thru 2008 inclusive, or until altered by the voters, for the County of Emmet; the townships; and Intermediate school district within the County, the aggregate of which shall not exceed 6.8 mills as follows:
 County of Emmet 5.60
 Townships 2.00
 ISD 0.20

TOWNSHIPS

BEAR CREEK

Fire millage renewal
 Shall the previous voted increase in the tax limitation imposed under Article IX,

Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution on general ad valorem taxes within Bear Creek Township be renewed at .50 mills (\$0.50 per \$1000 of taxable value) for the period of 2004 through 2007 inclusive, for the purpose of fire protection ; and shall the township levy such renewal in millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$165,000.00?

CENTER

Road renewal proposal
 Shall the 15 mill tax limitation on general ad valorem taxes within Center Township, imposed under Article IX, Section 6 of the state constitution, be renewed at one (1)

mill (\$1 per \$1000 of the taxable value) for two (2) years, 2004 and 2005, inclusive, for the purpose of repairing and improving township roads, and shall the township levy such millage for such purpose during such period, which increase will raise in the first year of levy an estimated \$ 16,718.00?

RESORT

Fire millage renewal
 Shall the previous voted increase in the tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution on general ad valorem taxes within Resort Township be renewed at .50 mills (\$0.50 per \$1000 of tax-

able value) for the period of 2004 through 2007 inclusive, for the purpose of fire protection ; and shall the township levy such renewal in millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$99,650.00? (This is a renewal of the current levy)

WAWATAM

Emergency medical ambulance proposal
 Shall the previous voted increase in the tax limitation imposed under Article ix, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution on general ad valorem taxes within Wawatam Township be

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POLITICAL CAREER: Appointed county treasurer, 2002.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER:

Deputy treasurer, five years; MIS director for six-county consortium in Escanaba; and software coordinator for Northwest Michigan Council of Governments in Traverse City.

TOP ISSUE/WHY? Customer service. My staff and I do the best we can to give friendly assistance as quickly as possible. With tax laws changing on a regular basis, we also make a major effort to communicate differences to taxpayers whenever appropriate.

WHY VOTE FOR YOU? I hope my constituents would vote for me because I am doing a good job. If not, then I hope they would not wait for November to voice their opinion, but instead contact my office and express concerns to myself or staff so that the problem can be resolved now.

REGISTER OF DEEDS

MICHELE STINE

Republican

AGE: 44

RESIDENCE: Alanson

EDUCATION: Two one-year certificates, one in business; one in paralegal.

POLITICAL CAREER: None.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER: 15

years experience as a legal secretary/paralegal; 16 years experience as Emmet County chief deputy register of deeds.

TOP

ISSUE/WHY? No response.

WHY VOTE FOR YOU? I am well-qualified to serve the citizens of Emmet County. I have

served as the chief deputy for the past 16 years and have been active in all areas of office production including working towards computerization of records. I would appreciate the opportunity to continue to serve the people.

DRAIN COMMISSIONER

ARDEN BAWKEY

Republican

Did not respond

COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

DISTRICT 1

JAMES TAMLYN

Republican

Did not respond

DISTRICT 2

ROSELYN LETZMANN

Republican

Did not respond

DISTRICT 3

THOMAS SHIER

Republican

Did not respond

DISTRICT 4

AL BEHAN

Republican

Did not respond

DISTRICT 5

JACK JONES

Republican

Did not respond

DISTRICT 6

TOM FOLTZ

Republican

Did not respond

DISTRICT 7

LESTER ATCHISON

Republican

AGE: 62

RESIDENCE: Petoskey

EDUCATION: Not provided

POLITICAL CAREER: Not provided

PROFESSIONAL CAREER: Not provided

TOP ISSUE/WHY? Controlling the expense side of government. Tax dollars belong to the taxpayers, and they need to be used wisely by economizing at every opportunity.

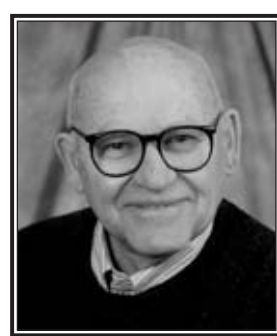
WHY VOTE FOR YOU? The

slowdown in business tax revenues to the state have caused severe cuts in services for the increasing number of people needing help. The question will remain. Who is receiving the services, how are they funded and what is fair?



JOE BARTKO

☆ East Bay Township Supervisor ☆



Joe Bartko
 Republican for Township Supervisor

*Keep Leadership,
 Experience and Commitment*

*"Authority comes from the ground up –
 I serve the people of East Bay Township."*

– Joe Bartko

VOTE August 3

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