

Resolution declaring it necessary to submit the question of a tax levy for the maintenance and support of senior citizen services to the electors of Franklin County at the November 6, 2012 general election. (Office on Aging)

WHEREAS, the Franklin County Office on Aging has reported and certified to the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County that the normal and customary percentage of the total General Fund appropriations within the ten-mill limitation for the support of senior services will be insufficient, beginning January 2013 and thereafter, to provide an adequate amount of support for Franklin County Senior Options, which provides such senior services; and

WHEREAS, the Franklin County Office on Aging has requested that a levy be placed on the November 2012 ballot for the support of a variety of senior services designed to support independence; and

WHEREAS, the Franklin County Office on Aging has recommended that a nine-tenths (0.9) of a mill replacement levy with an increase of four-tenths (0.4) of a mill for a total rate not to exceed one and three-tenths (1.3) of a mill be placed on the Tuesday, November 6, 2012 ballot for the support of senior services; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

1. That the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, at least two-thirds of all members elected thereto concurring, declares that the amount of taxes which may be raised within the ten-mill limitation for the benefit of Franklin County, Ohio, will be insufficient to provide an adequate amount for senior services needed to support independence as authorized in section 307.694 of the Ohio Revised Code.
2. That it is necessary to levy a tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation for the general welfare of Franklin County, Ohio for the support of senior services and facilities pursuant to section 5705.19(Y) of the Ohio Revised Code, with said levy being a replacement of nine-tenths (0.9) of a mill of an existing levy plus an increase of four-tenths (0.4) of a mill, for a total of one and three-tenths (1.3) of a mill.

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- 3. That the necessary levy of one and three-tenths (1.3) of a mill for each dollar (\$1.00) of valuation, which amounts to thirteen (\$0.13) cents for each one hundred dollars of valuation, be in effect for a period of five (5) years, commencing in 2012 and first collected in calendar year 2013; and that the question of levying said tax to be submitted to the electorate of Franklin County, Ohio, at the general election to be held on November 6, 2012, as provided in Chapter 5705 of the Ohio Revised Code.
- 4. That the form of the ballot cast at such election shall be as set forth below or in a substantially similar form, as approved by the Franklin County Board of Elections and/or the Secretary of State:

PROPOSED TAX LEVY
(REPLACEMENT PLUS INCREASE)

FRANKLIN COUNTY SENIOR OPTIONS LEVY

A Majority Affirmative Vote is Necessary for Passage

A replacement of 0.9 mills of an existing levy and an increase of 0.4 mills, to constitute a tax for the benefit of Franklin County for the purpose of **THE SUPPORT OF SENIOR CITIZEN SERVICES, INCLUDING SUPPORTING FRANKLIN COUNTY SENIOR OPTIONS, A SYSTEM OF HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED CARE FOR FRANKLIN COUNTY RESIDENTS AGE SIXTY AND OLDER; SERVICES INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, HOME DELIVERED MEALS, PERSONAL CARE, RESPITE CARE, HOMEMAKER, ADULT DAY HEALTH, TRANSPORTATION, EMERGENCY RESPONSE, MINOR HOME REPAIR, HEALTH PROMOTION, CAREGIVER SUPPORT, INFORMATION AND REFERRAL, AND CARE MANAGEMENT**, at a rate not exceeding 1.3 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.13 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for a period of five (5) years, commencing in 2012, first due in calendar year 2013.

**FOR
THE TAX LEVY**

**AGAINST
THE TAX LEVY**

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5. That the Clerk of this Board be and hereby is directed to transmit a certified copy of this Resolution, the Auditor's Certificate of Estimated Property Tax Revenue, and Resolution No. 497-12 to the Board of Elections of Franklin County, Ohio, which Board shall make the necessary arrangements for the submission of such question to the electors of this County at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 6, 2012, as provided by law.

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Cc: Auditor
Board of Elections
Office on Aging