

North Canton City Council
Finance and Property Committee

RESOLUTION 11 - 2021

A resolution for the submission of the question of an additional tax levy for the purpose of providing additional funds for the City's portion of providing and maintaining fire apparatus or other fire equipment and appliances and for the payment of permanent, part-time, or volunteer firefighting personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any contributions required for such personnel under ORC sections 145.48 or 742.34, in the City of North Canton, Stark County, Ohio.

WHEREAS, the City of North Canton upon due investigation and consideration has determined that the amount of taxes which may be raised within the ten-mill limitation in and for the City of North Canton, Stark County, Ohio, for the next five years, pursuant to the provisions of Section 5705.02 of the Ohio Revised Code, will be insufficient to provide adequate funding for the purpose of providing and maintaining fire apparatus or other fire equipment and appliances and for the payment of permanent, part-time, or volunteer firefighting personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any contributions required for such personnel under ORC sections 145.48 or 742.34, in the City of North Canton; and

WHEREAS, by reason of the facts above set forth, Council has determined it should, and hereby declares it shall, submit to the electors of the City of North Canton for the November 2, 2021 general election, the question of an additional tax of one and one-half (1.5) mills outside the ten-mill limitation for the purpose of providing and maintaining fire apparatus or other fire equipment and appliances and for the payment of permanent, part-time, or volunteer firefighting personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any contributions required for such personnel under ORC sections 145.48 or 742.34, in the City of North Canton, for a period not to exceed five years, being calendar years 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025 and 2026, and that said additional levy shall be at rate not to exceed 1.9 mills for each one dollar of valuation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH CANTON, COUNTY OF STARK, AND STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That there shall be submitted to the electors of the City of North Canton, Stark County, Ohio, for the November 2, 2021 general election, the question of an additional tax levy outside the 10-mill limitation in and for said subdivision in the amount of one and one-half (1.5) mills, for the purpose of providing additional funds for the City's portion of providing and maintaining fire apparatus or other fire equipment and appliances and for the payment of permanent, part-time, or volunteer firefighting personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any contributions required for such personnel under ORC sections 145.48 or 742.34, in the City of North Canton, and that said additional one and one-half (1.5) mills shall be levied for five years, being calendar years 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025 and 2026.

Section 2. That the form of the ballot cast at such election shall be:

(A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.)

An additional tax for the benefit of the City of North Canton, Stark County, Ohio, for the purpose of providing additional funds for the City's portion of providing and maintaining fire apparatus or other fire equipment and appliances and for the payment of permanent, part-time, or volunteer firefighting personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any contributions required for such personnel under ORC sections 145.48 or 742.34, in the City of North Canton, Stark County, Ohio, at a rate not exceeding one and one-half (1.5) mills for each one dollar of valuation which amounts to 15 cents for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for five years, commencing with tax year 2022, first due in calendar year 2023.

	For the Tax Levy
	Against the Tax Levy

Section 3. That the Clerk of Council, be, and is hereby, directed and authorized to proceed forthwith with the certification hereof to the Board of Elections of Stark County, Ohio, pursuant to the provisions of Sections 5705.19, 5705.191 and 5705.25, and

other relevant sections of the Ohio Revised Code, and to proceed with all things necessary to be done in order to accomplish the purpose of this resolution.

Section 4. That if a provision of this resolution is or becomes illegal, invalid, or unenforceable, it shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this ordinance.

Section 5. That this resolution shall take effect and be in full force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed in Council this 14th day of June, 2021.

Attest: Benjamin R. Young
Benjamin R. Young, Clerk of Council

Stephan B. Wilder Signed on: June 14, 2021
Stephan B. Wilder, Mayor