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OFFICIAL BALLOT
Special Election
Tuesday, May 2, 2017
Grand Traverse County, Michigan
Whitewater Township, Precinct 1TC

AUTHORITY

BAY AREA TRANSIT AUTHORITY
BATA CONTINUED SERVICES

This proposal will allow BATA to continue and enhance public transportation services by renewing the previously approved and authorizing an increase.

For the purpose of reauthorizing and increasing the millage levy approved by the voters in 2011 for public transportation purposes and to allow BATA to continue and enhance operations, shall up to .5 mills for a period of five (5) years (2018-2022) be levied on all taxable property in Grand Traverse and Leelanau Counties?

This is a renewal millage of the .3454 mills rolled back to .3447 mills under the Headlee Amendment.

It is also an increase in millage of .1553 mills.

If approved and levied in full, this millage will raise an estimated \$3,551,670 for public transportation purposes in the first calendar year (2018).

By law, a portion of the BATA millage raised will be distributed to other governmental entities which capture property taxes. These are the City of Traverse City Downtown Development Authority, Grand Traverse County Brownfield Redevelopment Authority, Village of Kingsley Downtown Development Authority, Village of Fife Lake Downtown Development Authority, Interlochen Downtown Development Authority, and Leelanau County Brownfield Redevelopment Authority.

YES

NO