

ORDINANCE NO. 7 OF 2017

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF PLYMOUTH, COUNTY OF LUZERNE, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, ESTABLISHING THE TAX UPON REAL ESTATE IN THE BOROUGH OF PLYMOUTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2018.

WHEREAS, the Borough is required by law to enact a Taxing Ordinance in order to raise revenues by virtue of taxing real estate located in the confines of the Borough of Plymouth;

WHEREAS, the Borough needs this revenue for in order to fund in part the expenditures detailed in the Borough's 2018 Budget and the collection rate of taxes has been far below 100%;

WHEREAS, the Borough of Plymouth is going to need to tax real estate in order to raise \$801,160.00 to fund in part 2018 general expenditures and based upon the current assessed value of real estate and the collection rate will levy taxes for general purposes at the rate of 6.09 mills on each dollar of assessed value of real estate located within Plymouth Borough;

WHEREAS, the Borough will need \$83,000.00 in revenues for dedicated purposes as outlined in the 2018 Budget, therefore based upon the current assessed valuation of real estate and the collection rate the Borough will need to levy total millage of 0.63 on each dollar of assessed valuation of real estate for dedicated purposes;

WHEREAS, this tax levy is consistent with the applicable law governing millage rates under the Borough Code;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved and ordained by the Plymouth Borough Council as follows:

2018 MILLAGE RATES ON REAL ESTATE

Tax rate for general purposes the sum of 6.09 mills on each dollar of assessed valuation - anticipated revenues \$801,160.00;

Tax rate for recreation purposes, the sum of 0.02 mills on each dollar of assessed valuation – anticipated revenues \$3,000.00;

Tax rate for unfunded debt purposes, the sum of 0.61 mills on each dollar of assessed valuation – anticipated revenues \$80,000.00 for police pension debt;

Total General purposes – 6.09 mills
Total dedicated purposes – 0.63 mills
TOTAL – 6.72 mills on real estate

This Ordinance shall become effective as provided for in § 3301.3 (b) of the Borough Code.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 31st day of December, 2017 at a Special Meeting of the Plymouth Borough Council.

BOROUGH OF PLYMOUTH

By:


Gary Kochinski, President of Council

ATTEST:


Holly Spece, Secretary

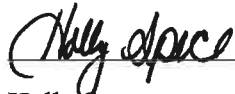
APPROVED BY THE MAYOR

Thomas McTague

Dated: _____

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I, the undersigned Secretary of Plymouth Borough, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, do hereby certify that Ordinance No. 7 of 2017 was vetoed on January 4, 2018 by the Mayor of Plymouth Borough and Ordinance No. 7 of 2017 was approved by a 5 – 1 vote of the Plymouth Borough Council during the Regular Council meeting on January 14, 2018, therefore overriding the Mayor's veto, and in accordance with section 3301.3 (c) (3) of the Borough Code has the full force and effect as if approved by the Mayor.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Holly Spece", written over a horizontal line.

Holly Spece
Borough Secretary & Treasurer
Plymouth Borough

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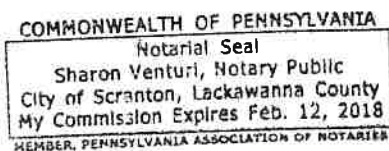
Being duly sworn according to law deposes and says that (s)he is Billing clerk for The Citizens Voice, owner and publisher of The Citizens Voice, a newspaper of general circulation, established in 1978, published in the city of Wilkes-Barre, county and state aforesaid, and that the printed notice or publication hereto attached is exactly as printed in the regular editions of the said newspaper on the following dates:

12/13/2017

Affiant further deposes and says that neither the affiant nor The Citizens Voice is interested in the subject matter of the aforesaid notice or advertisement and that all allegations in the foregoing statement as time, place and character or publication are true Gina Krushinski

Sworn and subscribed to before me
this 13th day of December A.D., 2017

Sharon Venturi
(Notary Public)



LEGAL AD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a special meeting of Council on December 31, 2017 at 1:00 o'clock p.m., Council will act on Tax Ordinance No. 7 of 2017, which if adopted will fix the millage on real estate for general purposes at 5.48 mills and for special purposes/dedicated taxes of 0.64 mills, total millage on real estate for 2018 6.12 mills. Also at this special meeting the Council will be authorized to conduct and act on any lawful Borough Business including passing the 2018 Budget. Commencing immediately, the Ordinance No. 7 of 2017 may be examined by any citizen in the office of the Secretary of the local government unit at the Plymouth Borough Municipal Building, 162 Shawnee Avenue, Plymouth, Pennsylvania, on any business day (except, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays) between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M., prevailing time.

Holly Spece, Secretary
Plymouth Borough