# CITY OF WALLED LAKE NOTICE OF ELECTION NOVEMBER 5, 2024 GENERAL ELECTION

### To the Qualified Electors of the CITY OF WALLED LAKE, County of Oakland:

Notice is hereby given that a General Election will be held in the City of Walled Lake, County of Oakland on Tuesday, November 5, 2024. The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the following locations:

Precinct 1 & 2 & 3 Walled Lake Fire Station, 1499 E. West Maple, Walled Lake, MI 48390

## Early Voting Sites for the City of Walled Lake will be held at:

Regional Early Voting Site #8	Central Early Voting Site #19
Commerce Township Library	Waterford Oaks Activity Center
180 E. Commerce Street	2800 Watkins Lake Rd.
Commerce Township, MI 48382	Waterford, MI 48328

### EARLY VOTING SCHEDULE

Saturday	10/26	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Sunday	10/27	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Monday	10/28	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday	10/29	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Wednesday	10/30	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Thursday	10/31	12 Noon to 8:00 p.m.
Friday	11/1	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Saturday	11/2	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Sunday	11/3	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

### **ELECTION DAY**

Tuesday 11/5 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**Please Take Notice** that the City of Walled Lake will be voting for the purposes of electing candidates for:

PRESIDENTIAL PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

CONGRESSIONAL UNITED STATES SENATOR AND REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS –

11<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT

**LEGISLATIVE** REPRESENTATIVE IN STATE LEGISLATURE – 49<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT

**STATE BOARDS** MEMBERS OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, REGENT OF THE

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, TRUSTEE OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY, GOVERNOR OF WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY

COUNTY COUNTY EXECUTIVE, PROSECUTING ATTORNEY, SHERIFF,

CLERK/REGISTER OF DEEDS, TREASURER, WATER

RESOURCES COMMISSIONER, COUNTY COMMISSIONER 14<sup>TH</sup>

DISTRICT

JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT 8 YEAR TERM, JUSTICE OF SUPREME

COURT INCUMBENT POSITION TERM ENDING 01/01/2029, JUDGE OF COURT OF APPEALS  $2^{\rm ND}$  DISTRICT INCUMBENT POSITION; JUDGE OF COURT OF APPEALS  $2^{\rm ND}$  DISTRICT NON-INCUMBENT POSITION; JUDGE OF CIRCUIT COURT  $6^{\rm TH}$  CIRCUIT COURT INCUMBENT POSITION, JUDGE OF CIRCUIT COURT  $6^{\rm TH}$  CIRCUIT NON-INCUMBENT POSITION, JUDGE OF PROBATE COURT NON-

INCUMBENT POSITION, JUDGE OF DISTRICT COURT 52<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT,

1<sup>ST</sup> DIVISION INCUMBENT POSITION

COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEMBER OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

LOCAL BOARD MEMBER WALLED LAKE CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS, BOARD

MEMBER TERM ENDING 12/31/2028, BOARD MEMBER TERM ENDING

12/31/2026

AND FOR THE PURPOSE of voting on County and Local School District Millage Proposals

COUNTY Oakland County Parks and Recreation Millage

The Oakland County Park System includes 17 park locations with nearly 7,200 acres of public park and recreational lands, 80 miles of trails, campgrounds, dog parks, golf courses, aquatic recreation facilities, and nature education centers.

To continue to provide revenue to the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission, shall the current millage, which has been reduced by required rollback, be replaced, and increased to .65 mills for 20 years from 2024 to 2043. The .65 mills is equal to 65 cents per \$1,000 of taxable value. The millage, if approved and levied, shall generate approximately \$52,191,139 in 2024. The purpose of the millage is to expand, improve, operate, maintain, and acquire parks, recreational facilities, open spaces, lakes, rivers, water areas, and trailways; to support nature education, recreational, and outdoor educational and health programming; to support partnerships for access to and awareness of recreational lands and facilities; to promote the conservation and restoration of high-quality natural and wildlife habitats; and to allow free general park admission to all county park residents. Revenue from this millage shall be disbursed only to the County of Oakland to be used solely for the purpose of funding the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission and shall be subject to oversight by the Oakland County Board of Commissioners and to an independent audit.

Should this proposal be adopted?

LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT Operating Millage Replacement

This proposal would replace, restore and extend the authority of the School District, which expires with the 2025 tax levy, to levy up to 18.00 mills for general school district operating purposes on taxable property in the School District to the extent that such property is not exempt from such levy, restrict the levy on principal residences (owner- occupied homes) to no more than 3.6297 mills and protect against the impact of future Headlee rollbacks of up to 3.0 mills. This authorization would allow the School District to continue to levy the statutory limit of 18.00 mills on non-homestead property (principally industrial and commercial real property and residential rental property) and to continue to levy on principal residence property (owner occupied homes) only that portion of the mills necessary to allow the School District to receive the full revenue per pupil foundation allowance permitted by the State. The School District only levied 0.3086 mills on personal residences (owner occupied homes) in 2024.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the Walled Lake Consolidated School District, County of Oakland, Michigan, be increased in the amount of 21 mills, with 18

mills being the maximum allowable levy (\$18.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value), to the extent such property is not statutorily exempt, and of which not more than 3.6297 mills may be imposed on principal residences, for fourteen (14) years, the years 2024 to 2037, inclusive? This operating millage, if approved and levied, would provide estimated revenues to the School District of \$3,232,239 during the 2024 calendar year, to be used for general operating purposes.

For names of candidates or any other information please contact the Walled Lake Clerk's office, 1499 E. West Maple, Walled Lake, MI 48390, telephone: 248-624-4847. A sample ballot can also be found at <a href="https://www.mi.gov/vote">www.mi.gov/vote</a> or <a href="https://www.mi.gov/wote">www.mi.gov/wote</a> or <a href="https://www.

Absentee ballots are available for all elections; registered voters may contact the Walled Lake Clerk's office to obtain an application for an absent voter ballot.

To comply with the Help America Vote Act (HAVA), voting instructions will be available in audio format and in Braille. Arrangements for obtaining the instructions in these alternative formats can be made by contacting the City Clerk in advance of the election. All polling locations are accessible for voters with disabilities.

Jennifer A. Stuart, City Clerk MPA | CMC | MiPMC II | MiCPT City of Walled Lake (248) 624-4847