COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS PERSONNEL, EQUALIZATION AND APPORTIONMENT/TRANSPORTATION/HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

April 7, 2023

A regular meeting of the Chippewa County Board of Commissioners Personnel/Equalization and Apportionment/Transportation/Health and Social Services Committee was held on Friday, April 7, 2023 at the Chippewa County Courthouse in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan. Chairman Damon Lieurance called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with a quorum present.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Damon Lieurance and Scott Shackleton

MEMBERS ABSENT: Bob Savoie

OTHERS PRESENT: Dulcee Ranta and Kelly Church

Approval of the Agenda

It was moved by Commissioner Shackleton, supported by Commissioners Lieurance, to approved the agenda as presented. On a voice vote, the motion CARRIED.

Public Comment

No public comment was offered.

Equalization – Millages and property values

The Committee was updated by Equalization Director Dulcee Ranta who provided information on the County's Personal and Real property totals, Equalized Valuations – REAL and Assessed Valuations – REAL all which are part of the L-4024 report broken down by township acreage with the report showing each of the township's breakdown by the categories of: agriculture, commercial, industrial, residential, timber-cutover and development. the Committee also reviewed the 5.4% increase in taxable values for 2023, and discussed the Proposal A (Headlee rollback), and its effects on tax bills. The Committee was updated on the prior changes with the Townships and reminded that these responsibilities are per MCL and the Equalization Department could still enter into agreements with any of the townships interested for a fee to assist with the necessary tasks. Equalization Director Ranta asked the Committee to approved the post Board of Review equalized and certified figures on the L4024. The Committee discussed the June Truth in Taxation upcoming public hearing. Discussion followed.

It was moved by Commissioner Shackleton, supported by Commissioner Lieurance that the 2023 equalized and certified values, tentative taxable values presented by Director Ranta be approved as reported and that all state required forms regarding same be completed and filed as required by statute and to establish a Truth in Taxation Public Hearing for the June 14, 2023 meeting of the County Board. On a voice vote, the motion CARRIED.

Committee Comments

None offered

Chairman's Comments

None offered

<u>Adjourn</u>

It was moved by Commissioner Shackleton, seconded by Commissioner Lieurance, to adjourn the meeting. On a voice vote, the motion was CARRIED.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:22 a.m.

Kelly J. Church, Recorder

Damon Lieurance, Chairperson