

**CANDIDATES AND ISSUES
NOVEMBER 8, 2011 ELECTION
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SEPTEMBER 16, 2011**

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	Write-In Candidate	Fred Lee Lawrence, II	1724 Krom St. Kalamazoo, MI 49007	382-2919	
	Write-In Candidate	Philip Robert Royster	725 Academy, Apt. #F Kalamazoo, MI 49007	544-9441	
		PROPOSAL TO AMEND CITY CHARTER	Shall the Kalamazoo City Charter be amended such that the use and/or consumption of one ounce or less of usable marijuana by adults 21 years or older is the lowest priority of law enforcement personnel?		
PARCHMENT CITY	CITY COMMISSIONER Elect 3	Robert B. Heasley	360 Glendale Blvd. Parchment, MI 49004	569-5517	
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		David J. Shirey	523 Elmhurst St. Parchment, MI 49004	501-9599	djshirey@hotmail.com
PORTAGE CITY	MAYOR Elect 1	Peter Strazdas	7130 Crown Pointe Circle Portage, MI 49024	327-4478	pstrazdas@charter.net
	CITY COUNCIL Elect 3	Cory A. Bailes	2309 Beethoven Ave. Portage, MI 49024	271-2045	
		Elizabeth Campbell	10548 Abigail St. Portage, MI 49002	321-9383	Campbell4portage@yahoo.com
		Patricia M. Randall	6702 Oleander Lane Portage, MI 49024	324-7779	rprandall@sbcglobal.net
		Jim Pearson	3004 East Shore Drive Portage, MI 49002	327-9136	Jimpearson4@gmail.com
MATTAWAN CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL		BONDING PROPOSAL	<p>Shall Mattawan Consolidated School, Van Buren and Kalamazoo Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Fifty-Nine Million Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$59,900,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of:</p> <p>Erecting, furnishing and equipping two new elementary schools; acquiring, installing and equipping technology for the new elementary schools and existing school facilities; partially furnishing and refurbishing, equipping and re-equipping school facilities; constructing and equipping playgrounds; and developing and improving sites?</p> <p>The following is for informational purposes only:</p>		

		<p>The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2012, under current law, is 3.40 mills (\$3.40 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation). The maximum number of years the bonds may be outstanding, exclusive of any refunding, is thirty (30) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 4.51 mills (\$4.51 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation).</p> <p>If the school district borrows from the State to pay debt service on the bonds, the school district may be required to continue to levy mills beyond the term of the bonds to repay the State.</p> <p>(Pursuant to State law, expenditure of bond proceeds must be audited, and the proceeds cannot be used for repair or maintenance costs, teacher, administrator or employee salaries, or other operating expenses.)</p>
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