

RESOLUTION OF INTENT TO LEVY A TWO (2) MIL INCREASE FOR THE PURPOSES OF DEFRAYING THE INCREASING COSTS OF PROVIDING FOR THE EFFICIENT OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE VALLEY VIEW VOLUNTARY FIRE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, pursuant to §19-5-189(2)(c) MS Code of 1972 (Annotated), which sets forth the process of levying millage increases for the purpose of supporting the operation, support, and maintenance of fire protection districts in the state of Mississippi (“fire millage”); and

WHEREAS, on June 1, 2026, in a regular meeting of the Madison County Board of Supervisors, a representative of the Valley View Voluntary Fire Department appeared and petitioned the board to approve a levy increase of 2 mils for the purpose of defraying the increased costs of operating and maintaining the Valley View Voluntary Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, after hearing the presentation of the Valley View Volunteer Fire Department regarding its need for additional revenues, the Madison County Board of Supervisors determined that a two (2) mil increase for the costs of fire protection is necessary, appropriate, and justified, increasing the current millage of 9.00 mils to 11.00 mils, and that such an increase to the Valley View Volunteer Fire Department should be adopted by approval of the Resolution herein.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, in order to defray the cost of fire protection within the Valley View Volunteer Fire Department, and in order to support the operation of the fire department , as a whole, the Madison County Board of Supervisors, pursuant to this Resolution, notices its Intent to Levy a Two-Mil Increase upon the users and patrons, and all who are otherwise affected, impacted and serviced by the offering of fire protection from the Valley View Volunteer Fire Department, the effect of which is to increase the fire millage from 9.0 mils, to 11.0 mils.

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED that this Resolution shall be published once per week, for a period of three (3) weeks, in a newspaper having a general circulation within the county, and by the posting of same at three (3) public places, for a period of twenty-one (21) days during the time of its publishing in the newspaper.

MOTION TO APPROVE THE RESOLUTION OF INTENT TO LEVY A TWO-MIL INCREASE TO SUPPORT THE OPERATIONS OF THE VALLEY VIEW VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT was made by Supervisor _____, and seconded by Supervisor _____, and said RESOLUTION OF INTENT was APPROVED, by the following vote:

District 1 Supervisor Trey Baxter _____

District 2 Supervisor Casey Brannon _____

District 3 Supervisor Gerald Steen _____

District 4 Supervisor Karl Banks _____

District 5 Supervisor Paul Griffin _____

ATTESTATION:

(SEAL)

Ronny Lott, Chancery Clerk