

LEGAL NOTICE

Please take notice that at the regular meeting to be held on December 12, 2024 at 7:00 P.M. at the Fox Hill Firehouse No. 2, 50 Second Street, Plains, Pennsylvania, the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Plains, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania will consider the adoption of (1) The millage ordinance and (2) The annual budget of the Township of Plains for Fiscal Year 2025, Tax Levy and Appropriation Ordinance as herein stated:

SECTION 1. That a tax be and the same is hereby levied on all property and occupations within the said Township subject to taxation for Township purposes for Fiscal Year 2025 as follows: Tax rate for General Township purposes, the sum of 1.97 mills on each dollar of assessed valuation or the sum of \$1.9700 on each ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00) of assessed valuation.

	Mills Assessed	Mills Per \$100
Tax Rate - General Purpose	1.9700	\$0.19700
Total	1.9700	\$0.19700

SECTION 2: That for the expenses of the Township for Fiscal Year 2025, the above amounts are hereby appropriated from the revenues available for Fiscal Year 2025 for the specific purposes set forth above. The amounts are fully itemized in the Budget as prepared by the Township Commissioners

	FINAL 2025			Total
	Operating Budget	Liquid Fuels	Capital Projects	
Real Estate Taxes	1,675,000			1,675,000
Taxes-Local Enabling Act	3,309,500			3,309,500
Licenses & Permits	747,930			747,930
Fines, Forfeits & Costs	34,200			34,200
Interest & Rents	16,000			16,000
Grants & Gifts	4,800,988	275,775	1,091,274	6,280,773
Departmental Earnings	410,703			410,703
Non-Revenue Receipts	570,792			570,792
Misc. Rev Receipts	159,000			159,000
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$11,724,113	\$275,775	\$1,091,274	\$13,091,162
General Government	349,587			349,587
Municipal Bldgs/Offices	104,000		820,000	924,000
Tax Collection	12,275			12,275
Buildings, Regulations, Planning	311,260			311,260
Police Protection	2,041,455		59,695	2,101,150
Fire Protection	2,385,637		8,176	2,393,813
Health & Services	6,920			6,920
Sanitation	440,899		60,000	500,899
General Services - Highways/Roads	1,192,790		43,998	1,236,788
Maintenance	68,000	57,915	760,085	886,000
Parks & Recreation	189,000		90,000	279,000
Library	22,000			22,000
Principal, Interest Payments, Unpaid Bills	1,005,351	217,860		1,223,211
Benefits, Payroll Taxes, Insurances	2,844,259			2,844,259
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$10,973,433	\$275,775	\$1,841,954	\$13,091,162

SECTION 3: An estimate of the specific items making up the amounts appropriated to the respective department is on file in the Administrative Office located at 126 North Main Street, Plains, Pennsylvania.

SECTION 4: That any ordinance or part of any ordinance conflicting with this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed insofar as the same affects this Ordinance.

Lynell Ent
Secretary