# TAX MATTERS

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## **REVIEW OF PAST TAX MATTERS**

#### FEBRUARY 2010 (#10-02)

- THE CAPS QUESTION
  - Based on <u>data collected from past yes/no ballot questions</u>, it is possible that the caps amendment vote could rest in the hands of less than 40% of Indiana voters
- TOWNSHIP EXPENDITURES 2009
  - We are presenting a compact view of each township's expenditures for 2009, along with names of each trustee and board member.
- STATE OF THE CITY ADDRESS BY MAYOR DUKE BENNETT
  - State of the City PowerPoint Presentation: <u>http://www.terrehaute.in.gov/2010%20State%20of%20the%20City%20presentation.pdf/view</u>
  - State of the City Audio: <u>http://www.terrehaute.in.gov/SOTC2010.mp3/view</u>
- BIG NUMBERS
  - The 2009 PAY 2010 Total Assessed Valuation is \$3,607,394,856. The net exempted AV for this same period is \$1,004,131,900
- ANNEXATION PARTS OF HONEY CREEK TOWNSHIP
  - The Indiana Municipal Annexation Law http://www.in.gov/legislative/ic/code/title36/ar4/ch3.html
  - A map of the proposed zones to be annexed -<u>http://media2.wthitv.com/pdf\_files/10/02/rs-7-10-attachment.pdf</u>

The Taxpayers Association is a not-for-profit 501(c)(4) organization supported by membership dues. Any citizen or group of citizens in Vigo County may be a member. <u>Current members are encouraged to promote membership in the organization by giving the attached application to a potential member.</u> <u>See the TA application and dues structure.</u> This is NOT an invoice for your dues.

## 1. TAX RATES 2009 PAY 2010

The Vigo County tax rate table for 2009 PAY 2010 is here! It is attached to today's Tax Matters, along with a comparison table posting rates from the last three years. It is also available on <u>www.taxtopics.org</u> under the new Current Events page.

## 2. TERRE HAUTE NORTH VIGO H.S. WINS THE EAGLE

The 2010 Annual Traveling Eagle Competition on Taxes, Government, and Citizenship was won by Terre Haute North Vigo High School. Specific winners and their awards are listed below.

1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Mitchell McCord	12 <sup>th</sup> grade	North Vigo	\$250 + \$400 scholarship
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Kacey Martin	12 <sup>th</sup> grade	North Vigo	\$150 + \$400 scholarship
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	lan Berner	11 <sup>th</sup> grade	South Vigo	\$100 + \$400 scholarship
4 <sup>th</sup> Place	Kaitlin Reed	10 <sup>th</sup> grade	McLean	\$50
Top School			North Vigo	\$450
Total Purse				\$1,000 + \$1,200 scholarships

- Scholarships are to either Indiana State University or Ivy Tech

Congratulations to these students and their teachers for their special efforts to prepare for this competition. Thank you to all sponsors of this competition. Sponsor names will be listed in the program of the Taxpayers Association Annual Meeting. Contributions and pledges can now be made for the 2011 competition.

## 3. ANNUAL MEETING

The Taxpayers Association Annual Meeting 2010 (74<sup>th</sup> Year) will be held Monday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, at 12:00 noon at the Idle Creek Banquet Center. The guest speaker will be Ron Hinsenkamp, the Chief Transportation Planner of the West Central Indiana Economic Development District.

Invitations, reservation forms, and payment methods will be mailed using the U.S. Postal Service during the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of April, 2010.

## 4. TRAILS AND GREENWAYS SURVEY UNDERWAY

West Central Indiana Economic Development District, the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for Terre Haute and Vigo County, is conducting a survey to gather public input about current use and future development of the local trails and greenways network. Information gathered from this survey will be used to help develop a new multijurisdictional trails and greenways plan for the metropolitan planning area, which includes Terre Haute, West Terre Haute, Seelyville and the urbanized and rural portions of Vigo County. This new plan will help satisfy federal transportation planning requirements and guide local transportation policy decisions about continued development and enhancement of this alternate transportation network over the next 20 years.

Individuals who would like to participate in the survey can visit the West Central website at <u>http://www.westcentralin.com</u> and then click on the **Trails & Greenways Survey Link**, or they can stop

by West Central and fill out a survey form during normal business hours (8:30 AM to 4:00 PM, Monday-Friday). The District's office is located at 1718 Wabash Ave.

Please feel free to pass this email along to other individuals and groups who may have an interest in continued development of the local trails and greenways system. We also ask that you help us promote public transportation in this survey in any other way that you can (i.e. broadcast email, company or organization newsletter, etc.).

Thanks.

Ron Hinsenkamp Chief Transportation Planner Metropolitan Planning Organization West Central Indiana Economic Development District, Inc.

## 5. SR 641 PUBLIC HEARING

## Public Hearing regarding SR 641 Terre Haute Bypass Project Environmental Assessment, PHASES III & IV in Terre Haute, Vigo County.

When: April 15, 2010, 5:00 PM to 8:30 PM

Where: Terre Haute South Vigo High School (auditorium)

What: The Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) will hold a public hearing on Thursday, April 15, 2010 beginning at 5:00pm with an informal Open House Session, followed by the formal public hearing beginning at 6:00pm. The public hearing will be held in the auditorium at Terre Haute South Vigo High School, located at 3737 South 7th Street in Terre Haute. The project includes the construction of a new four-lane, full access control roadway connecting US 41 southeast of Terre Haute to I-70 east of the city. The new roadway will begin at a new interchange on US 41 near Bono Road and will proceed north east from US 41 towards I-70. The project is approximately 6.2 miles in length and separated into the following four segments: PHASE I from US 41 to Woodsmall Road; PHASE II from Woodsmall Road to northeast of Feree Road: PHASE III from northeast of Feree Road to east of Riley Road; and **PHASE IV** from east of Riley Road to I-70 interchange. Construction of this proposed project may require approximately 190 acres of right-of-way with approximately 19 displacements. Construction is anticipated to begin 2011/2012 and would continue over the course of two construction years. The public hearing will feature an informal project Open House where the public and project stakeholders will have an opportunity to view project maps, displays, and other materials while talking with INDOT project representatives who will be available to address guestions, comments and concerns. A formal presentation will be given during the public hearing to explain the project proposal in greater detail. Following the formal presentation, a public comment session will be offered. Please feel free to contact Rickie Clark, INDOT Public Hearings Manager at (317) 232-6601 or via e-mail at rclark@indot.in.gov should you have questions regarding this public hearing. In addition, please visit the INDOT website at www.in.gov/dot to learn more information regarding the SR 641 Terre Haute Bypass Project.

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## 6. BIDDER ORDINANCE AMENDMENTS

The City Council passed an amendment that creates a "City of Terre Haute Responsible Bidder Ordinance." This was done to seek "to preserve administrative resources by ensuring that only qualified contractors and subcontractors are awarded City contracts" and "will assure efficient use of taxpayer dollars and will promote public safety." You can find the amended ordinance by clicking this link: <u>http://www.taxtopics.org/Go2,2010.pdf</u>.

## 7. TAXPAYERS ASSOCIATION WEB SITE

Our web site is now six months old and doing a good amount of business. Members have a unique opportunity to promote their business by way of free exposure or advertising. Attached to this month's *Tax Matters* is a sketch of the pages to be found at <u>taxtopics.org</u>. Please go there, look around, and consider placing your ad here. The ads pop up on a cycling basis each time the site is accessed. If you have a web site address shown in the ad, a visitor may click on it and see your web site.

## 8. HELP! NEW MEMBERS NEEDED

Due to the economy, the Taxpayers Association has been hit hard in the revenue department for 2009 and 2010. We have eliminated and reduced everywhere possible. This has been especially difficult since we were not fat in the first place.

We are calling on current members to help with renewals and acquire new members. If you give me a lead, we will take it from there. Here is an outline of some of the benefits derived by supporting the Taxpayers Association:

### TAXPAYERS ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

## 75th ANNIVERSARY 2011

#### SPECIAL RESEARCH

CONDENSED SOURCE OF TAX AND GOVERNMENT INFORMATION

FREE ADVERTISING ON THE ASSOCIATION WEB SITE WITH WEB CLICKING

CONSULTING

REPRESENTATION ON SELECT GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES (EX-OFFICIO)

SPONSORED WORKSHOPS

#### WEB SITE -----UPDATED REGULARLY

ANNUAL MEETING ---EACH MEMBER HAS ONE EQUAL VOTE

ANNUAL MEETING SPEAKER (INFORMATIONAL)

#### BOARD MEMBERSHIP OPPORTUNITY

BETTER LOCAL GOVERNMENT DUE TO THE ASSOCIATION (**TRANSPARENCY**) EDUCATIONAL COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT AND EDUCATION (THE EAGLE COMPETITION)

LOWER PROPERTY TAXES A V APPEAL HELP THE OFFICE IS A SOURCE OF GOVERNMENT AND TAX RECORDS THE OFFICE IS A SOURCE OF LOCAL NEWSPAPERS JUNE 2004 TO PRESENT WATCHDOG ACTIVITY PUBLIC MEETING REPRESENTATION

ANNUAL REPORTS (NOT PRODUCED IN OTHER COUNTIES) VIGO COUNTY TRANSPARENCY

ANALYSIS OF COLLECTED TAXES AND SPENDING

SPECIAL E-MAILS-----ISSUES NOT NORMALLY COVERED BY LOCAL MEDIA

ANALYSIS OF TAX SHIFTING

DIRECTOR IS AVAILABLE FOR PRESENTATIONS TO ORGANIZED GROUPS ON TAX ISSUES

REPRESENTATION AND INPUT AT LOCAL CRACKERBARRELS JAN. FEB. MAR.

ANONYMOUS RESEARCH / INVESTIGATION OF SPECIFIC PROBLEMS FOR MEMBERS

INFLUENCE WITH LOCAL ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICIALS

QUARTERLY REPORTS (TAX TOPICS)

MONTHLY REPORTS (TAX MATTERS) (WEEKLY 2005 THROUGH 2009)

MAINTENANCE OF A BUSINESS OFFICE

DIRECTOR HAS ONE-ON-ONE RAPPORT WITH MOST ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICIALS

THE ORGANIZATION IS A 501 (C) (4) NOT-FOR-PROFIT THAT CAN LEGALLY LOBBY.

# 9. PUBLIC MEETINGS

The purpose of this calendar is to encourage taxpayers to attend public meetings. Taxpaying persons working at your business or living in your neighborhood should be encouraged to attend a meeting of their choice at least once per year. The date and time for the meetings listed below are always subject to change. Organizations that are underlined have a web page that can be accessed by clicking on their respective hyperlinks. The contact person is also listed. You should call the appropriate office and confirm the date and time if you plan to attend.

Date		Time	Public Meeting	Location	Conta	act Info
Thur.	Apr. 1	7:00 pm	City Council – Sunshine Meeting	City Hall – Courtroom	Michelle	232-3375
Mon.	Apr. 5	4:00 pm	Vigo County Drainage Board	County Annex	David	898-2685
Mon.	Apr. 5	4:30 pm	Animal Control Board	City Hall – 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor		
Mon.	Apr. 5	6:30 pm	Riley Town Board	Riley Town Hall	Wanda	894-2410
Tue.	Apr. 6	9:00 <mark>am</mark>	County Commissioners	County Annex	Judy	462-3367
Tue.	Apr. 6	10:00 <mark>am</mark>	<b>City Board of Sanitary Commissioners</b>	City Hall – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor	Sally	235-5458
Tue.	Apr. 6	4:30 pm	Honey Creek Conservancy District	3241 S. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Craig	232-4311
Wed.	Apr. 7	9:00 <mark>am</mark>	City Board of Zoning Appeals	City Hall – 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor Conf. Room	Judy	462-3367

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Thur.	Apr. 8	7:00 pm	City Council – Regular Meeting	City Hall – Courtroom	Michelle	232-3375
Mon.	Apr. 12	2:00 pm	Board of Public Works and Safety	City Hall – Board of Public Works Room	Robin	232-4767
Mon.	Apr. 12	6:00 pm	West Terre Haute Town Board	500 W. Nat'l, WTH	Melody	533-2034
Mon.	Apr. 12	7:00 pm	Vigo County School Board	VCSC Board Room	Judy	462-4216
Tue.	Apr. 13	9:00 <mark>am</mark>	County Commissioners	County Annex	Judy	462-3367
Tue.	Apr. 13	4:15 pm	Vigo County Redevelopment Commission	County Annex	Amanda	234-2524
Tue.	Apr. 13	7:00 pm	Seelyville Town Board	Seelyville Water Office	Tamara	877-2665
Wed.	Apr. 14	10:00 <mark>am</mark>	County Board of Zoning Appeals	County Annex	Judy	462-3367
Wed.	Apr. 14	2:00 pm	E-911 Advisory Board	County Jail – Sheriff's Training Room	Greg	462-3226 ext. 320
Wed.	Apr. 14	4:30 pm	<u>City Park Board – General Meeting</u>	Deming Park	Eddie	232-2727
Wed.	Apr. 14	7:00 pm	Airport Authority	Airport	Kara	877-2524
Wed.	Apr. 14	7:00 pm	County Area Planning Commission	County Annex	Vickie	462-3354
Thur.	Apr. 15	2:00 pm	Tree Advisory Board	City Hall Mayor's Conf. Room	Jennifer	232-4028
Thur.	Apr. 15	5:00 pm	SR 641 Public Hearing	Terre Haute South Vigo H.S.	Rickie Clark	(317) 232-6601
Mon.	Apr. 19	5:30 pm	Human Relations Commission	Booker T. Washington Center	Jeff	232-0110
Mon.	Apr. 19	7:00 pm	Vigo County Public Library	Vigo County Public Library	Nancy	232-1113
Tue.	Apr. 20	9:00 <mark>am</mark>	County Commissioners	County Annex	Judy	462-3367
Tue.	Apr. 20	10:00 <mark>am</mark>	City Board of Sanitary Commissioners	City Hall – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor	Sally	235-5458
Wed.	Apr. 21	9:30 <mark>am</mark>	Clay-Owen-Vigo Solid Waste District	109 E. Nat'l, Brazil IN	Janet	800-387-3380
Wed.	Apr. 21	4:00 pm	City Redevelopment Commission	City Hall – 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor	Phenny	232-0018
Wed.	Apr. 21	5:00 pm	Vigo County Board of Health	County Annex	Louise	462-3428
Mon.	Apr. 26	2:00 pm	Board of Public Works and Safety	City Hall – Board of Public Works Room	Robin	232-4767
Mon.	Apr. 26	4:00 pm	County Park Board	County Annex	Julia	462-3391
Mon.	Apr. 26	5:30 pm	Terre Haute Housing Authority	2001 N. 19 <sup>th</sup> Street	Jeff	232-1381
Mon.	Apr. 26	7:00 pm	Vigo County School Board	VCSC Board Room	Judy	462-4216
Tue.	Apr. 27	9:00 <mark>am</mark>	County Commissioners	County Annex	Judy	462-3367
Tue.	Apr. 27	5:00 pm	County Council	County Annex	Auditor	462-3361
Wed.	Apr. 28	4:30 pm	City Park Board – Business Meeting	Deming Park	Eddie	232-2727
Wed.	Apr. 28	5:30 pm	Information Technology Advisory Board	City Hall – 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor	Brad	244-2316
Wed.	Apr. 28	7:00 pm	Airport Authority	Airport	Kara	877-2524
Mon.	May 10	12:00 pm	Taxpayers Association Annual <u>Meeting</u>	Idle Creek Banquet Center	Bernard	235-1361

## **10. QUOTE OF THE MONTH**

# "Jhe taxpayer – that's someone who works for the federal government but doesn't have to take the civil service examination." - Ronald Reagan

## END

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## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF VIGO COUNTY OF TAX RATES

								TOWNSI	HIPS	laxable	real and pers	sonal property	, first instal	iment delinquer	nt atter May	10, 2010. Seco	nd installme	ent delinquent	t after Novemb	er 10, 2010.		CORPOR	ATIONS				1	CONSERV	ANCY DISTRICTS ( W	here Applicab	le )
	VIGO COUNTY TAX RATES CHARGED FOR YEAR 2009	yette	n- Fire District	y Creek	ek San. Dist.	Linton	San. Dist.	Lost Creek	Creek San. Dist.	vins	Creek	ek San. Dist.	uosi	e Creek	rieton	Riley	San. Dist.	r Creek	of Riley	Seelyville	Terre Haute	ite Harrison	ney Creek	Lost Creek	Otter Creek	aute Riley	y Creek e Creek ons. Dist.	sek Dist.	k Vigo	obj	oney Creek-Vigo Cons. Dist. reenfield Bayou Cons. Dist.
	PAYABLE IN YEAR 2010	Ъ	New Goshe	Honey	Honey Creek	Ē	Linton San.	Lost	Lost Cree	ž	Otter	Otter Creek	Pie	Prairie	Prai	œ	Riley S	Suga	Town	Town of	West Te	Terre Hau	Т. Н.	Т.Н. Г Т	т.н. о	Terre Ha	Honey Prairie Vigo Con	Linton Prairie Cre Vigo Cons. Linton Bussero	Pierse Busse Cons. I Prairie Cre Prairie Cre	Prairie Con	Honey C Con Greenfi Con
	County General	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465	0.5465					
	Cumulative Bridge	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287	0.0287					
	County Health	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384	0.0384					
	Co. Park & Recreation	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331	0.0331					
	Prop. Tax Reassessment	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201	0.0201					
County	Jail Bond	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156	0.0156					
Rates	Cumulative Capital Dev.	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169		0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169		0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169	0.0169					
	Courthouse Bond	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050					
	TOTAL COUNTY	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043		0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043					
0	Township Fund	0.0201	0.0201	0.0029	0.0029	0.0142	0.0142	0.0222	0.0222	0.0490	0.0090	0.0090	0.0172	0.0272	0.0240	0.0129	0.0129	0.0320	0.0129	0.0222	0.0320		0.0029	0.0222	0.0090	0.0129					
Civil	Township Fire	0.0264	0.0044	0.0014	0.0014	0.0035	0.0040	0.0075	0.0075	0.0350	0.0337	0.0337	0.0323	0.0090	0.0135	0.0056	0.0056	0.0878	0.0056	0.0075	0.0878	0.0486	0.0014	0.0075	0.0048	0.0056					
Rates	Township Assistance Township Recreation	0.0044	0.0044	0.0014	0.0014	0.0040	0.0040	0.0075	0.0075	0.0017	0.0048	0.0048	0.0031	0.0090	0.0036	0.0056	0.0056	0.0878	0.0056	0.0075	0.0878	0.0486	0.0014	0.0075	0.0048	0.0056					
nates	Loan Fund												0.0000	0.0010	0.0030			0.0011			0.0011										
	Cumulative Fire	0.0047								0.0156	0.0230	0.0230	0.0131																		
	TOTAL TOWNSHIP	0.0556	0.0245	0.0043	0.0043	0.0717	0.0182	0.0297	0.0297	0.1013	0.0705	0.0705	0.0720	0.0372	0.0411	0.0185	0.0185	0.1209	0.0185	0.0297	0.1209	0.0486	0.0043	0.0297	0.0138	0.0185					
Fire	Fire Protection District		0.0665	0.2218	0.2218		0.2218	0.0570	0.0570					0.2516	0.2516	0.2308	0.2308	0.1899	0.2308	0.0570											
rotectio	Fire Protection Dist. Debt																	0.0284			0.0284										
District	Fire Protection Dist. Cum. Fire		0.0218	0.0347	0.0347		0.0347									0.0200	0.0200		0.0200												
Rates	TOTAL FIRE PROTECTION DIST.	0.0000	0.0883	0.2565	0.2565	0.0000	0.2565	0.0570	0.0570	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.2516	0.2516	0.2508	0.2508	0.2183	0.2508	0.0570	0.2183	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000					
	School General	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000					
School	Capital Projects	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564	0.3564					
Rates	School Transportation	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409	0.1409					
	Debt Service	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070	0.2070					
	Bus Replacement Fund	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470	0.0470					
	TOTAL SCHOOL	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513					
Library	Library Opr. Fund	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387					
Rates	TOTAL LIBRARY	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387					
Airport	Airport Authority	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324	0.0324					
Rates	Airport Cum. Bldg.	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021	0.0021					
	TOTAL AIRPORT	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345					
	Corporation General																		0.3859	0.2904	1.3855	1.3783	1.3783	1.3783	1.3783	1.3783					
	Park Maintenance																					0.1241	0.1241	0.1241	0.1241	0.1241					
City	Police Pension																					0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000					
Towns	Fire Pension																					0.0000	0.0000	0000.0	0.0000	0.000.0					
and	Cemetery Parking Garage																					0.0319	0.0319	0.0319	0.0319	0.0319			+ +		
Taxing	Parking Garage Transit																					0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000					
District	Motor Vehicle Highway																					0.0580	0.0580	0.0580	0.0131	0.0131					
Rates	Sani. Dist. Bond				0.3112		0.3112		0.3112			0.3112					0.3112			0.3112		0.3112	0.3112								
	Cum Development																					0.0276	0.0276	0.0276	0.0276	0.0276					
	TOTAL CITY & TOWN				0.3112		0.3112		0.3112			0.3112					0.3112		0.3859	0.6016	1.3855	1.9442	1.9442		1.9442						
	Conservancy Dist.																											0.0136 0.0093	0.0093 0.0136	0.0136	0.1622 0.7916
	TOTAL PROPERTY TAX	1.6844	1.7416	1.8896	2.2008	1.7005	2.2147	1.7155	2.0267	1.7301	1.6993	2.0105	1.7008	1.9176	1.9215	1.8981	2.2093	1.9680	2.2840	2.3171	3.3535	3.6216	3.5773	3.6027	3.5868	3.5915	0.0136	0.0136 0.0093	0.0093 0.0136	0.0136	

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Vigo County, Indiana, on the budgets, tax rates, and tax levies submitted by the tax leving officials of the several taxing units of the County. Rates of taxation on each one hundred dollars (\$100) of assessed valuation of the taxable property are hereby proposed, subject to the appeal for the State, County or other purposes for 2009 payable 2010. The following table shows the rate of taxation on each \$100.00 worth of taxable property are hereby proposed, subject to the appeal for the State, County or other purposes for 2009 payable 2010. The following table shows the rate of taxation on each \$100.00 worth of taxable property are hereby proposed, subject to the appeal for the State, County or other purposes for 2009 payable 2010. The following table shows the rate of taxation on each \$100.00 worth of taxable property are hereby proposed, subject to the appeal for the State, County or other purposes for 2009 payable 2010. The following table shows the rate of taxation on each \$100.00 worth of taxable property are hereby proposed, subject to the appeal for the State, County or other purposes for 2009 payable 2010. The following table shows the rate of taxation on each \$100.00 worth of taxable property are hereby proposed, subject to the appeal for the State, County or other purposes for 2009 payable 2010. The following table shows the rate of taxation on each \$100.00 worth of taxable property are hereby proposed, subject to the appeal for the State, County or other purposes for 2009 payable 2010. The following table shows the rate of taxation on each \$100.00 worth of taxable property are hereby proposed, subject to the appeal for the state of taxable property. If the state of taxable property are hereby property are hereby property are hereby proposed. State of taxable property are hereby prope

Ten or more taxpayers or one (1) taxpayer that owns property that represents at least ten percent (10%) of the taxable assessed vaulation in the political subdivision affected by the county board of tax adjustment's action on a political subdivisions budget may initiate an appeal by filing an objection petition with the County Auditor to such budgets with in ten days from the date of publication of this notice. Local Government Finance naming specifically the items in the budgets and the tax rates, which are objected to, and shall be filed with tAll appeals shall be in writing addressed to the Department of the County Auditor. The Auditor shall forward the statement, with the budgets to the Department of Local Government Finance for consideration. This notice is given in compliance with the Acts of 1937, Chapter 119 as amended by Acts of 1947, Chapter 41 and the rights of taxpayers and the manner of **Importy M. SEPRODI** 

Dated this 16th day of March 2010

## **TAX RATE COMPARISONS 2008 - 2009 - 2010**

								TOWNSHIP	s													CORPOR	ATIONS				CONSERVANCY DISTRICTS ( Where Applicable )
	VIGO COUNTY TAX RATES CHARGED FOR YEAR 2008 PAYABLE IN YEAR 2009	Fayette 001	New Goshen- Fire District 025	Honey Creek 003	Honey Creek San. Dist. 004	Linton 006	Linton San. Dist. 024	Lost Creek 007	Lost Creek San. Dist. 008	Nevins 011	Otter Creek 012	Otter Creek San. Dist. 013	Pierson 015	Prairie Creek 016	Prairieton 017	Riley 018	Riley San. Dist. 019	Sugar Creek 021	Town of Riley 020	Town of Seelyville 010	West Terre Haute 022	Terre Haute Harrison 002	T. H. Honey Creek 005	T.H. Lost Creek 009	T. H. Otter Creek 014	Terre Haute Riley 023 Honey Creek Prairie Creek Viron Cons Diet	s. blst. Dar Srek S. plst. Dist. Dist. Crek Crek Vigo Dist. Dist. Dist. Dist.
	TOTAL STATE 08	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	
State	STATE TOTAL 09 (NO LOCAL PAY)	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	
Rates	STATE TOTAL 10 (NO LOCAL PAY)	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	
	TOTAL COUNTY 08	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	0.6882	
County	TOTAL COUNTY 09	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	0.7110	
Rates	TOTAL COUNTY 10	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	
	TOTAL TOWNSHIP 08	0.0823	0.0237	0.0036	0.0036	0.0550	0.0124	0.0222	0.0222	0.0814	0.0619	0.0619	0.1036	0.0873	0.0354	0.0140	0.0140	0.0923	0.0140	0.0222	0.0923	0.0404	0.0036	0.0222	0.0107	0.0140	
Township	TOTAL TOWNSHIP 09	0.0953	0.0256	0.0039	0.0039	0.0650	0.0164	0.0299	0.0299	0.0986	0.0729	0.0729	0.1014	0.0330	0.0407	0.0182	0.0182	0.1187	0.0182	0.0299	0.1187	0.0478	0.0039	0.0299	0.0141	0.0182	
Rates	TOTAL TOWNSHIP 10	0.0556	0.0245	0.0043	0.0043	0.0717	0.0182	0.0297	0.0297	0.1013	0.0705	0.0705	0.0720	0.0372	0.0411	0.0185	0.0185	0.1209	0.0185	0.0297	0.1209	0.0486	0.0043	0.0297	0.0138	0.0185	
Fire	TOTAL FIRE PROTECTION DIST. 08	0.0000	0.0728	0.2070	0.2070	0.0000	0.2070	0.0454	0.0454	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.1590	0.1738	0.1738	0.2289	0.1738	0.0454	0.2289	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	
Prot.	TOTAL FIRE PROTECTION DIST. 09	0.0000	0.0761	0.2321	0.2321	0.0000	0.2321	0.0587	0.0587	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0827	0.0827	0.2523	0.2523	0.2420	0.2523	0.0587	0.2420	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	
Rates	TOTAL FIRE PROTECTION DIST. 10	0.0000	0.0883	0.2565	0.2565	0.0000	0.2565	0.0570	0.0570	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.2516	0.2516	0.2508	0.2508	0.2183	0.2508	0.0570	0.2183	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	
	TOTAL SCHOOL 08	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	1.3406	
School	TOTAL SCHOOL 09	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	0.7817	
Rates	TOTAL SCHOOL 10	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	0.7513	
	TOTAL LIBRARY 08	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	0.1153	
Library	TOTAL LIBRARY 09	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	0.1352	
Rates	TOTAL LIBRARY 10	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	0.1387	
	TOTAL AIRPORT 08	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	0.0285	
Airport	TOTAL AIRPORT 09	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	0.0334	
Rates	TOTAL AIRPORT 10	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	0.0345	
City Towns	TOTAL CITY & TOWN 08				0.2907		0.2907		0.2907			0.2907					0.2907		0.2737	0.5148	1.2011	1.7811	1.7811	1.7811	1.7811	1.7811	
Special	TOTAL CITY & TOWN 09				0.3149		0.3149		0.3149			0.3149					0.3149		0.3760	0.5872	1.3001	1.9257	1.9257	1.9257	1.9257	1.9257	
Rates	TOTAL CITY & TOWN 10				0.3112		0.3112		0.3112			0.3112					0.3112		0.3859	0.6016	1.3855	1.9442	1.9442	1.9442	1.9442	1.9442	
	CONSERVANCY DISTRICT 08																									0.0142	2 0.0142 0.0312 0.0312 0.0312 0.0142 0.1379 0.452
Conserv.	CONSERVANCY DISTRICT 09																									0.0135	5 0.0135 0.0394 0.0394 0.0135 0.0135 0.1478 0.490
Rates	CONSERVANCY DISTRICT 10																									0.0136	6 0.0136 0.0093 0.0093 0.0136 0.0136 0.1622 0.791
	TOTAL PROPERTY TAX 08	2.2573	2.2715	2.3856	2.6763	2.2300	2.6851	2.2426	2.5333	2.2564	2.2369	2.5276	2.2786	2.2623	2.3694	2.3628	2.6535	2.4962	2.6365	2.7574	3.6973	3.9965	3.9597	3.9783	3.9668	3.9701 0.0142	2 0.0142 0.0312 0.0312 0.0312 0.0142 0.1379 0.452
Total	TOTAL PROPERTY TAX 09	1.7566	1.7630	1.8973	2.2122	1.7263	2.2247	1.7499	2.0648	1.7599	1.7342	2.0491	1.7627	1.7770	1.7847	1.9318	2.2467	2.0220	2.3078	2.3371	3.3221	3.6348	3.5909	3.6169	3.6011	3.6052 0.0135	5 0.0135 0.0394 0.0394 0.0135 0.0135 0.1478 0.490
Rates	TOTAL PROPERTY TAX 10	1.6844	1.7416	1.8896	2.2008	1.7005	2.2147	1.7155	2.0267	1.7301	1.6993	2.0105	1.7008	1.9176	1.9215	1.8981	2.2093	1.9680	2.2840	2.3171	3.3535	3.6216	3.5773	3.6027	3.5868	3.5915 0.0136	6 0.0136 0.0093 0.0093 0.0136 0.0136 0.1622 0.791