

LEGAL NOTICES

In The Court Of Common Pleas Of Pike County Commonwealth Of Pennsylvania

ESTATE NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that, in the Estate of the decedents set forth below, the Register of Wills, has granted letters testamentary or of administration to the persons named. All persons having claims or demands against said Estates are requested to present the same without delay and all persons indebted to said Estates are requested to make immediate payment to the executors or administrators or their attorneys named below.

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

Estate of David Ross,
Deceased, late of 132 Meath
Lane, Dingmans Ferry,
Pennsylvania 18328.

Letters Testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to:

Helga Ross

132 Meath Lane

Dingmans Ferry, PA 18328

or to her attorney, Douglas J.
Jacobs, Esq., 515 Broad Street,
Milford, PA 18337.

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LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

Estate of Mary A. Chinn,
Deceased, late of 110 Westwood
Court, Milford, PA 18337.

Letters Testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to:

Kenneth w. Chinn

82 Smith Street

Nesconset, NY 11767

or

Louis A. Hulbert

9 Woodcrest Drive

East Moriches, NY 11940

or to their attorney, Douglas J.
Jacobs, Esq., 515 Broad Street,
Milford, PA 18337.

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary have been granted in the ESTATE of MABEL A. TUSSELL, late of Lackawaxen Township, Pike County, Pennsylvania (died August 5, 2013). All persons indebted to the Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands are to present same, without delay, to the Executor, RONALD M. TUSSEL, JR. of 118 Navajo Court, Hawley, PA 18428 or John F. Spall, Esquire, Attorney for the Estate, 2573 Rt. 6, Hawley, Pennsylvania 18428.

JOHN F. SPALL, ESQUIRE
12/13/13 • 12/20/13 • 12/27/13

IN THE COURT OF
COMMON PLEAS
PIKE COUNTY,
PENNSYLVANIA
60th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

IN RE:
MATAMORAS BOROUGH
COUNCIL
NO.: 1929-2013-CIVIL

ORDER

AND NOW this 9th of December, 2013, upon consideration of the foregoing Petition for Additional Millage, it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

1) A Rule is issued upon any interested party, taxpayer or citizen of Matamoras Borough to show cause why the Petitioner is not entitled to the relief requested.

2) A hearing shall be held on the 17th day of December, 2013 at 9:00 AM/PM in the Main Courtroom of the Pike County Courthouse, Milford, Pennsylvania.

3) Petitioner is hereby **ORDERED** to serve a copy of this Rule and Petition upon all interested parties, taxpayers, and citizens by publication one (1) time in the Pike County Dispatch and one (1) time in the Pike County Legal Journal, and file proof of service thereafter.

BY THE COURT,

s/The Hon. Greg Chelak J.
cc: Eric L. Hamill, Esquire
Court Administrator

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**PETITION FOR
ADDITIONAL MILLAGE
IN EXCESS OF 35 MILLS
PURSUANT TO 53 P.S.**

§46302(a)

AND NOW COMES, Eric L. Hamill, Solicitor for Matamoras Borough Council, and respectfully petitions your Honorable Court as follows:

1. The Borough of Matamoras is a body corporate and politic located at 10 Avenue I. Post Office Box 207, Matamoras, Pennsylvania 18336.

2. Pursuant to meetings held on November 6, 2013 and December 4, 2013 when the budget was adopted and tax ordinance authorized, Matamoras Borough Council approved petition the Court for additional millage pursuant to a proposed budget, attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

3. 2014 net tax levy will be increased slightly from the 2013 tax levy from 45.45 mills to 48.70 mills, several areas of the budget have decreased, but there has been an increase in general fund requirements to cover increases in general expenses. See Exhibit "B" attached hereto.

4. Current expenses have

increased in the following areas: recreation and debt services, and exceed the cost in the prior years.

5. Tax receipts have decreased in the recent years and in particular, there has been a reduction in real estate transfer tax.

6. The borough Council has attempted to increase revenue in other ways to the extent allowed by law and find it necessary to have the general fund millage rate remain at 35 mills to meet the revenue requirements.

7. The residents of Matamoras Borough would be deprived of public services without the authorization of an increased millage.

WHEREFORE, it is requested that your Honorable Court grant leave so that the Council of the Borough of Matamoras have the tax levy for general purposes remain at 35 mills.

Respectfully submitted,
s/ Eric L. Hamill, Esquire
Solicitor for Matamoras Borough
Council
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