

RESOLUTION NO. 428

**A RESOLUTION TO PLACE PUBLIC SAFETY MILLS ON
THE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT**

WHEREAS, Mont. Code Ann. § 7-6-4431, permits the governing body of a Town to raise money by taxation for any public or governmental purpose not specifically prohibited by law, subject to the provisions of Mont. Code Ann. § 15-10-420; and

WHEREAS, Stevensville Police Department has requested the Stevensville Town Council to place a public safety mill levy on the November 2018 general election ballot to increase the general fund levy by seventy-six (76) mills, based on the estimated value of one (1) mill being \$2,592.00. The funds will be used for the following:

1. An allocation of seventy-six (76) mills, or approximately \$197,000.00, to fund the annual operations of the Stevensville Police Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Stevensville Town Council, declares there to be a financial need to seek an increase in the general fund levy by seventy-six mills (76) to fund the annual operations of the Stevensville Police Department and will place before the qualified electors a mill levy on the November 2018 general election ballot requesting seventy-six (76) mills for the Town of Stevensville permanently and shall place the question as follows:

PUBLIC SAFETY MILL BALLOT

Shall the Town of Stevensville be authorized to levy seventy-six (76) mills, being approximately \$197,000 for the Fiscal year 2020 and for each additional fiscal year thereafter for the following: to fund the annual operations of the Stevensville Police Department? The fiscal impact on a home having a market value of \$100,000 is estimated to be \$102.61 each year of the levy and \$201.21 on a home having a market value of \$200,000.

____ FOR authorizing an additional seventy-six (76) mills for the Town of Stevensville.

____ AGAINST authorizing an additional seventy-six (76) mills for the Town of Stevensville.

Failed 7/9/18

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Stevensville, Montana,
this _____ day of _____, 2018.

Approved:

Attest:

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Brandon E. Dewey, Mayor

Audree Tribbensee, Town Clerk

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