NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS

Notice is hereby given the taxpayers of Howard County, Indiana, that the proper legal officers of the Howard County Council, at their regular meeting place, at the Howard County Administration Center, 220 N. Main St., Room 338 (third floor), Kokomo, Indiana, at 4:00 p.m., on the 25th day of August, will consider the following additional appropriations and/or reductions involved in changing the established budgets for the current year 2026.

			Amount to be Considered
COUNTY GENERAL FUND:		**$**	**16,965.00**
1000.32130.000.0005	Travel & Training	$	1,715.00
1000.32131.000.0005	Travel & Training - Firearms	$	4,000.00
1000.15240.000.0271	Employee Service Bonus	$	3,750.00
1000.23210.000.0302	Gas, Oil, & Lubricants	$	7,500.00
LIT - SPECIAL PURPOSE FUND:		**$**	**5,000.00**
1114.15240.000.0380	Employee Service Bonus	$	5,000.00
MVH RESTRICTED FUND:		**$**	**7,000.00**
1173.24800.000.0000	New Signs & Hardware	$	7,000.00
CTY USER FEE-LAW ENF TRAINING FUND:		**$**	**(5,715.00)**
2508.32130.000.0000	Travel & Training	$	(5,715.00)
MULTI-HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT FUND:		**$**	**24,304.00**
8144.30000.000.0000	Other Services & Charges	$	24,304.00
CASA VOCA GRANT FUND:		**$**	**52,202.00**
8146.11730.000.0000	Child Advocate Intake Specialists	$	35,700.00
8146.12016.000.0000	Case Manager	$	7,140.00
8146.15210.000.0000	FICA	$	3,278.00
8146.15220.000.0000	PERF	$	6,084.00
ARP GRANT FUND:		**$**	**(188,029.64)**
8975.30000.000.0000	Other Services & Charges	$	(188,029.64)
TOTAL NET ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR ALL FUNDS:		**$**	**(88,273.64)**

Taxpayers attending the meeting will have a right to be heard. The Additional Appropriations and/or Appropriation Reductions as finally made will be referred to the Indiana Department of Local Government Finance. The Department will make written determination as to the sufficiency of funds to support the appropriation additions/reductions within fifteen (15) days of receipt of a certified copy of the action taken.

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