

CITY OF MACKINAC ISLAND

TRUTH IN TAXATION HEARING MINUTES

Wednesday, June 24, 2026 at 3:45 PM

City Hall – Council Chambers, 7358 Market St., Mackinac Island, Michigan

I. Call to Order

Mayor Doud called the hearing to order at 3:45 pm

II. Roll Call

PRESENT

- Richard Chambers
- Tom Corrigan
- Steven Moskwa
- Anneke Myers
- Lindsey White
- Jason St. Onge
- Kaitlynn Bazinau, City Treasurer

VI. New Business

Mayor Doud read aloud the notice

- The City of Mackinac Island will hold a public hearing on a proposed increase of 0.00 mills in the operating tax millage rate to be levied in 2026.
- If adopted, the proposed adopted, the proposed additional millage will increase operating revenues from ad valorem property taxes 0.00% over such revenues generated by levies permitted without holding a hearing. If the proposed additional millage rate is not approved the operating revenue will increase by 3.70% over the preceding year's operating revenue.

2026 Tax Rate Request

- General Fund – 7.4307 mills
- Road Improvement – 0.0000 mills
- Capital Fund – 0.0000 mills
- Fire Truck – 0.2250 mills
- Housing – 1.7300 mills
- Coal Dock – 0.8040 mills
- DPW – 0.0000
- TOTAL – 10.1897 mills

Councilwoman Myers noted that the headlee cap will need to be discussed in the near future as the City, Department of Public Works, and the Mackinac Island Transportation Authority all fall under the same cap.

- Council will need to look at raising the total millage up to the full deduction
- Maximum allowable millage levy – 14.5815 mills
- Mayor's assistant Trista France noted that she has spoken with the City Assessor who will begin looking in to the process and what would be involved.
 - o A proposal would need to be on the May 2027 ballot

There was no public comment.

VII. Adjournment

There being no further business, motion made by Myers, seconded by Moskwa, to adjourn the hearing at 3:53 pm.

Margaret M. Doud, Mayor

Danielle Leach, City Clerk