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Clerk

OFFICIAL PROVISIONAL BALLOT
ANNUAL FIRE ELECTION
HANOVER FIRE DISTRICT
COUNTY OF MORRIS
FEBRUARY 15, 2025
Township of Hanover Fire District 3

To Protect Your Vote:
IT IS AGAINST THE LAW FOR ANYONE EXCEPT YOU
THE VOTER TO MARK OR INSPECT THIS BALLOT.
However, a family member may assist you in doing so.

OFFICE TITLE	COLUMN 1	WRITE-IN	PUBLIC QUESTIONS TO BE VOTED UPON
MEMBERSHIP TO THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS Three (3) Year Term (Vote for TWO)	Robert GALLAGHER <input type="radio"/>	WRITE-IN <input type="radio"/>	<p align="center">PROPOSAL - BUDGET 2025</p> <p>Resolved, That the Assessors of the Township of Hanover shall be authorized to raise \$2,242,485.00 to be expended within said district for the ensuing year for the uses and purposes of Fire District No. 3 and the carrying out of the powers by the statues made and provided.</p> <p align="right">YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input type="radio"/></p>
	Thomas HARRINGTON <input type="radio"/>	WRITE-IN <input type="radio"/>	
			<p align="center">PROPOSAL - 2% CAP REFERENDUM</p> <p>Shall the Board of Commissioners of Fire District Number No.3 in the Township of Hanover be authorized to increase the 2025 amount to be raised by taxation in the Fire District annual budget, by 15.8% or \$348,200 as provided by N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.45, notwithstanding that its amount to be raised by taxation will exceed the two percent (2.0%) increase limitation.</p> <p align="center">INTERPRETIVE STATEMENT</p> <p>A "yes" vote will authorize the Board of Commissioners of the fire district to adopt the budget that was approved by the Board. N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.45 provides a tax levy "cap" of two percent (2.0%) on the amount of increase. This amount can be exceeded when approved by referendum of the voters. Funds will be allocated to: Salaries & Wages (\$177,000), Operations and Maintenance (\$170,700) Administration (\$500.00). A "no" vote means that the Board of Commissioners must adopt the budget within the increase limits otherwise set forth by the law, and that the additional funds may not be spent to maintain services at the highest levels.</p> <p align="right">YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input type="radio"/></p>

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

Please read the following before marking your ballot:

- Use ONLY a pencil or ink pen (black or blue) to mark your ballot. Do not use red ink.
- Completely fill in oval to the right of each of your selections.

MARK BALLOT LIKE THIS: John DOE

- To vote for any person whose name is not printed on this ballot, go to the Write-In Column and darken the oval by the words "write-in" for the office in which you want to write-in. Write the name of the person for which you wish to vote on the blank line.
- If you tear, deface or incorrectly mark this ballot, return it and obtain a new ballot.