## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT FOR PRINTING IN THE MARION COUNTY VOTER PAMPHLET

Marion County Clerk
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Measure No. 24-483

Election Date: May 16, 2023

Voter approval of this local option levy would continue the current fire district levy through June 2027. This four-year extension is a continuation of an existing tax and is not a new or additional tax. This same rate was approved in six prior elections November 1998, November 2002, November 2006, November 2010, November 2014, November 2018. It would take effect July 1, 2023 and expire June 30, 2027. The funds provided by the Local Option Levy revenue would be used to continue operating the District's emergency service program at its current level. It would also allow for growth of needed services, support operations of facilities, upgrade critical equipment/gear, support of staff and administrative services, and continue funding to support purchase of a apparatus.

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