

# GALLATIN GATEWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT 35 NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION MAY 5, 2015

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned District Clerk of Gallatin Gateway School District No. 35 of Gallatin County, State of Montana that the Annual School Election will be held by mail ballot on Tuesday, May 5, 2015.

**Trustee Election**

The Election will be held for the purpose of electing two (2) Trustees for three-year (3) terms. The candidates for such election are the following citizens, duly nominated by valid petitions as certified by the Clerk of the said school district, according to the school laws of Montana permitting to the election of school trustees:

- Christie Francis
- Aaron Schwieterman
- Peter Scott
- Robert Donaghey (write-in candidate)

*Proposition to be voted upon:*

**General Fund Levy Proposition**

Shall the district be authorized to impose an increase in over-base local taxes to support the general fund in the amount of twenty-three thousand, seven hundred thirty-four dollars (\$23,734) which is an increase of approximately 4.99 mills for the purpose of properly maintaining and operating the programs of the District? Passage of this proposal will increase the taxes on a home with a market value of \$100,000 by approximately \$6.54 per year and on a home with a market value of \$200,000 by approximately \$13.08 per year. The durational limit of the levy is intended to be permanent.

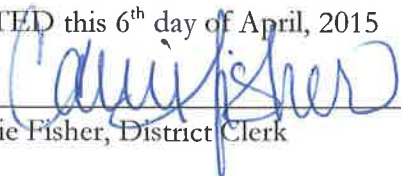
Ballots will be mailed April 17, 2015 to all registered voters in the Gallatin Gateway School District #35 and must be returned no later than 8:00pm on May 5, 2015. This election is by mail ballot only- regular polling places will not be open. In order to be counted, ballots must be received at the election office or in the drop box at one of the locations listed below by 8:00pm on Election Day, May 5, 2015.

Ballots returned by mail should be sent to the Gallatin County Election Office in the pre-addressed signature envelope provided with the ballot allowing enough time for delivery by May 5, 2015 (*ballots postmarked on May 5, but received on a later date will **not** be counted.*)

Ballots may be hand-delivered to the following locations:

Location	Office Hours	Election Day Hours
<b>Gallatin County Election Office</b> 311 West Main St., Room 203	8:00am – 5:00pm Monday – Friday	7:00am – 8:00pm
<b>Bozeman School District</b> Willson School Business Office 404 West Main St., Room 127	8:00am – 4:00pm Monday – Friday	8:00am – 8:00pm
<b>Belgrade School District Office</b> 312 N. Weaver, Belgrade	8:00am – 4:00pm Monday – Friday	8:00am – 8:00pm
<b>Monforton School District Office</b> 6001 Monforton School Road, Bozeman	8:00am – 4:00pm Monday – Friday	8:00am – 8:00pm

DATED this 6<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2015



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Carrie Fisher, District Clerk