

Press Release
Moorestown Fire District No. 2
2021 Election Information

Moorestown Fire District No. 2 voters will be asked to approve a \$771,884.00 tax levy that is part of an overall \$1,399,145.00 budget. The proposed amount to be raised by taxation decreased \$35,762.00 compared to the previous year. This year's ballot will not feature any referendum questions. The Commissioners worked hard to contain budget costs, while providing funds for needed building and equipment maintenance. Despite rising costs and losing over \$8.4 million in ratables, they were able to decrease the overall budget by 2.5%. 2020's budget saw the replacement of firefighter turnout gear which needed to be replaced due to age which rendered it noncompliant as well as a recoating of one of the flat roofs to enhance the longevity of the roof.

Under the proposed budget taxpayers will see a decrease in a tax rate of two-tenths of one cent per hundred dollars of assessed valuation. The decrease based on an average assessed value of \$455,020 would be \$10.58.

The budget is subject to final adoption upon voter approval.

The voters will also be asked to elect two residents for a three-year term on the Board of Fire Commissioners. Incumbents, William J Wesolowski and Lawrence F. Niedermayer, Sr. are running unopposed for the three-year terms.

For more information, visit www.moorestownfire2.com, or contact the Fire District Administrator at 856-234-6660.

The elections will be held from 2 to 9 PM on Tuesday, April 20 at the Lenola fire house, 229 N. Lenola Road, Moorestown NJ.