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## MONTGOMERY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE FOR EXCEPTIONS WITH PA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Notice is hereby given to the residents of the Montgomery Area School District that a Preliminary Budget for the fiscal year 2020/2021 was adopted on January 21, 2020.

The Montgomery Area School District's Preliminary Budget for the 2020/2021 school year calls for taxes as follows:

- (a) REAL ESTATE: A tax at the rate of 16.11 mills per dollar of assessed value or \$16.11 per \$1,000.00 of assessed value on every parcel of real estate in Montgomery Area School District which is taxable for school purposes.
- (b) EARNED INCOME: A tax at the rate of 1.25% on the earned income of every resident or inhabitant of the Montgomery Area School District.
- (c) REALTY TRANSFER: A tax at the rate of one half of 1% of the value of the interest transferred in every taxable transfer of real estate in Montgomery Area School District.
- (d) OCCUPATIONAL PRIVILEGE: A tax at a rate of \$5.00 per occupation engaged in by an individual within the Montgomery Area School District
- (e) MECHANICAL DEVICE: A tax at a rate of \$125.00 on each mechanical device operated for amusement within the Montgomery Area School District.

PA SS Act 1 requires that the Preliminary Budget is prepared, presented and is made available for public inspection using the uniform form prepared and furnished by the Pennsylvania Department of Education and because the Real Estate Tax increase exceeds the Real Estate Tax Index allowance the District will file for PDE Exemption approval to exceed the District Real Estate Tax Index if needed.

MONTGOMERY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT Grant S. Evangelisti, Board Secretary

Please print the above notice in the legal column on January 26, 2020. Send one proof of publication.