

**NOTICE OF PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX INCREASE FOR  
COLLINSVILLE AREA RECREATION DISTRICT**

**I.**

A public hearing to approve a proposed property tax levy increase for Collinsville Area Recreation District for 2007 will be held on December 18, 2007 at 7:00 p.m., at the District Office, 10 Gateway Drive, Collinsville, IL 62234.

Any person desiring to appear at the public hearing and present testimony to the taxing district may contact Mark Badasch, Secretary, 10 Gateway Drive, Collinsville, IL 62234, 618/346-7529.

**II.**

The corporate and special purpose taxes extended for 2006 were \$1,201,525.17.

The proposed corporate and special purpose property taxes to be levied for 2007 are \$1,429,305.48. This represents an 18.9% increase over the previous year.

**III.**

The property taxes extended for debt service and public building commission leases for 2006 were \$1,848,917.36.

The estimated property taxes to be levied for debt service and public building commission leases for 2007 are \$1,466,888.89. This represents a 21% decrease over the previous year.

**IV.**

The total property taxes extended for 2006 were \$ 3,050,442.53. The estimated property taxes to be levied for 2007 are \$2,896,194.37. This represents a 5.0 % decrease over the previous year.

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If there are questions, immediately contact Mark Badasch, Secretary of the Collinsville Area Recreation District, at 346-7529. Thank you.