

**BOROUGH OF MARS, BUTLER COUNTY
ORDINANCE NO. 444**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF MARS, BUTLER COUNTY,
CONFIRMING THE SAME TAX RATES FOR RESIDENTS FOR 2019 AS
EXISTED FOR 2018 AND CONFIRMING THE SAME FOR FUTURE
YEARS UNLESS ACTED UPON BY COUNCIL.**

Be it ordained and enacted by the Council of Mars, Butler County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

WHEREAS, by authority vested in the Borough by virtue of the Pennsylvania Borough Code, Title 8, Section 1310.1, the Borough has authority to enact an ordinance to levy taxes to meet the Borough's budgetary needs.

WHEREAS, the Borough desires to maintain the same tax rates as existed for the calendar year 2018 for the calendar year 2019.

WHEREAS, the Borough desires to make this Ordinance self-renewing on January 1 of each successive year unless changes in the tax rates are approved by a new Ordinance or if Council desires to terminate the self-renewing nature of this Ordinance.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, ENACTED AND ADOPTED, by the Council of the Borough of Mars, that the total tax rate and the included rates for the general fund, fire department, and the library shall remain the same in 2019 as they were during the calendar year 2018, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, ENACTED AND ADOPTED, that this Ordinance shall be considered self-renewing on January 1 of each successive year unless the tax rates are increased or decreased by a new and approved Tax Ordinance or if another Ordinance is approved which terminates the self-renewing nature of this Ordinance.

All other ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of the inconsistency.

Ordained and Enacted at a meeting of Council of the Borough of Mars, Butler County, Pennsylvania, this 7th day of January, 2019.

Dennis Foythe
Secretary

Michael Foley
President of Council

Approved by me this 7th day of January, 2019.

Meg D Huntz
Mayor

