

MAY 2, 2017

**PROPOSED .75% EARNED
INCOME TAX WITH A
TAX CREDIT OF 2.25%**

Retired residents or those who have no earned income will not pay this tax.

Residents working in another City, Village, or JED taxing district with a tax rate of 2.25% and higher will not pay any more tax from the new tax issue than they are paying now.

**FOR BEDFORD'S
SAFETY,
STREETS,
COMMUNITY**

IF IT PASSES:

- 3 police officers will be hired
- The road and sidewalk programs will be restored
- All other city services remain the same

IF IT FAILS:

- 3 Firefighters will be eliminated which will force us to run one emergency squad instead of 2
- The municipal swimming pool will be closed
- Senior programs will be eliminated
- The senior citizen van will be eliminated
- 2 service employee positions will be eliminated canceling the chipper and sewer services