



FREQUENTLY ASKED BALLOT QUESTIONS

Are both the EHOST and the SPLOST required to pass for either to become law?

Yes. Unless BOTH the Equalized Homestead Option Sales and use Tax (EHOST) AND the Special Purpose Local Option Sales and use Tax (SPLOST) are approved, then neither the sales nor use tax shall become effective."

"What is meant by the term special district?"

The term "special district" is a legal term to define where the EHOST taxes will be collected and in this case it means the cities and the county.

What is the DeKalb County Homestead Exemption Act 73?

Act 73 asks voters to approve an extension of the Homestead Property Tax Exemption through 2021. If EHOST is approved, Act 73 also extends the homestead property tax exemption for as long as EHOST is in place.