Mars & Adams Merger
Fact Sheet

Real Information | Clear Answers | A Stronger Community

ADAMS TOWNSHIP
BUTLER COUNTY

BOROUGH OF MARS
Founded 1873

What is the plan?

The plan for the proposed merger is to bring together our community for a more efficient, financially stable, and stronger future. The goal is to improve services, manage resources, and maintain the character and quality of life we all value by having one local government.

Questions & Answers

How are municipal road projects funded?

Municipal road improvements are traditionally paid for by annual state liquid fuel funds, not by municipal tax dollars.

Will MWAAT and the Breakneck Creek Regional Sewer Authority be for sale?

No, neither authority is for sale as part of this municipal merger.

Will my taxes go up?

No, there is no municipal tax increase for anyone as part of this merger.

Why the name Mars Township?

The name Mars is connected to our school district and mailing addresses. The name is unique and sets us apart locally and nationally.

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Key Facts

- Merger keeps new downtown library plan moving forward.
- No tax increase for Adams Residents.
- Mars municipal taxes will match Adams.
- Joint planning and expanded grant opportunities.
- Mars gains local 24/7 police coverage.
- Mars representation throughout the merger transition.
- Expanded resources for economic development.

Financial Overview

Expenses: Potential operational efficiencies and reduced duplication of services.

Debt: Neither municipality currently has debt.

Link to merger financial presentation

Services

What services are not impacted:

- Fire & EMS Coverage
- Mars Downtown Events
- Postal Service

What services are strengthened:

- Police
- Public Works
- Administration and Codes
- Parks and Recreation

Find the Full Documents

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