

Important Vote at Next Church Business Meeting

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April 30, 2013

Dear Church Family,

I pray you are doing well. I am very thankful that God continues to bless ClearView in so many ways. One of those ways is financial and you can hear more about that at the next business meeting Wednesday night, May 8th.

One proposal we will be voting on is changing the fiscal year of ClearView. Since this is a matter of church by-laws, we are informing you in advance so you are aware on the night of May 8th when the Finance and Budget Committee will bring this recommendation to you. Currently our fiscal year runs January- December. We are proposing a change to October-September. This allows us as a church to plan and function better with the pattern of giving for our congregation. The committee will provide more detail on this May 8th.

The current reading of the church by-laws reads as follows:

## VII. CHURCH FINANCES

### Section 3. Fiscal Year

The financial year of the church shall begin on January 1, and end on December 31 unless circumstances dictate otherwise.

The proposed change would be changed to: The financial year of the church shall be established by the Finance and Budget Committee to best fit the needs of the congregation.

Pastor Mark