

PUBLIC NOTICE:

September 10, 2015

RE: 2016 Local Government Distribution

Per ORC 5705.27 & 5705.31, the Morrow County Budget Commission, comprised of the County Treasurer Tom Griffith, County Prosecuting Attorney Charles Howland and County Auditor Patricia Davies, met on August 3, 2015, to review the Tax Commissioner's estimates of the LGF (Local Government Funds) to be received by the county library (s) and local governments. On August 3, 2015, upon review of information provided and testimony/letters from Library Directors, the Morrow County Budget Commission did approve a slight adjustment to 2016 LGF distribution percentages as seen below. **Morrow County Budget Commission appreciates all Libraries and praises each Library for excellent services delivered to Morrow County patrons.**

Please find below the approved percentages for 2016 LGF distribution and 2016 estimated distribution with comparison data from 2015:

| CY 2016 Estimated Share | 2016 Percentage | 2016 Estimated | 2015 Percentage | 2015 Estimated | Actual as of Sep. 2015 |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| Cardington Public Library | 24.92 | \$238,311.39 | 24.75 | \$213,342.53 | \$172,264.06 |
| Mount Gilead Public Library | 25.24 | \$241,371.54 | 25.75 | \$221,962.42 | \$179,224.22 |
| Perry – Cook Public Library | 24.92 | \$238,311.39 | 24.75 | \$213,342.53 | \$172,264.06 |
| Selover Public Library | 24.92 | \$238,311.39 | 24.75 | \$213,342.53 | \$172,264.06 |
| Total | 100 | \$956,305.71 | 100 | \$861,990.01 | \$696,016.39 |

Based on the Ohio Department of Taxation estimates (see attached CY 2016PLF), all Morrow County Libraries are predicted to receive an increase in revenue as compared to 2015 estimates; furthermore, based on actual 2015 revenue receipts trends, all Morrow County Libraries 2015 actual revenue will be just shy of 2016 Estimates. Therefore the Morrow County Budget Commission made a slight adjustment to 2016 percentages in support of equal revenue sharing for all Morrow County Libraries complimented by a net positive result in revenue to all local libraries.

Respectfully submitted,
Morrow County Budget Commission

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