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# STATE OF INDIANA

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DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE



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**TO:** Howard County Auditor

**FROM:** Department of Local Government Finance

**RE:** 2026 Certified Budget Order

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 14, 2026

Enclosed is the certified 2026 Budget order for your county. Please make one copy of all rates, levies, and budgets for retention in county auditor's office.

The following events occurred that led to the issuance of this order:

- County assessor delivered the ratio study to the DLGF on 02/20/25 (Due 03/03/25).
- Ratio study was approved by the DLGF on 03/03/25.
- County auditor certified net assessed values to the DLGF on 08/20/25 (Due 08/01/25).
- DLGF certified the Budget Order on 01/14/2026 (Due 01/15/26).

Because at least one taxing unit in this county issued debt after December 1 or intended to file a shortfall appeal, pursuant to IC 6-1.11-17-16(k), the budget order deadline for this county is January 15, 2026.

Pursuant to IC 6-1.1-22-4, immediately upon the receipt of the tax duplicate, the county auditor shall give notice of the rate of tax per one hundred dollars (\$100) of assessed valuation to be collected in the county for each purpose and the total of the rates in each taxing district. This notice shall be published three (3) times with each publication one (1) week apart. The notice shall be printed in two (2) newspapers which represent different political parties and which are published in the county. However, if two (2) newspapers which represent different political parties are not published in the county, the notice shall be printed in one (1) newspaper.

**STATE OF INDIANA  
DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE**

**ORDER**

IN THE MATTER OF THE BUDGET  
AND TAX RATES FOR 2025 PAYABLE 2026 FOR  
HOWARD COUNTY

THIS DEPARTMENT NOW ORDERS the attached budgets and rates for the various taxing units in the abovementioned county shall be the budgets and rates for the year 2026. The county auditor is directed to prepare the tax duplicate in accordance with this order. Each of the several legislative bodies and the administrative officers of each of the municipal corporations are directed to allocate the funds to be derived in such a manner that the expenditures for the ensuing year shall not exceed the amount to be derived from the attached rates and no expenditures shall exceed the maximum included in the separate and several budget classifications. Nor may alterations be made in any budget or any separate budget classifications, other than specified in this order, except as provided for in IC 6-1.1-18-5.

The county auditor is directed to make this Order a part of the permanent record to be used in the preparation of the tax duplicate.

**Dated this January 14, 2026**

**DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE**

  
**Jason Cockerill, Commissioner**

**STATE OF INDIANA  
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**2026 TAX RATES  
(Per Taxing District)**

**Year : 2026  
County: 34 Howard**

		<i>FOR COMPARISON ONLY</i>	
<u>Taxing District</u>		<u>2026 District Rate</u>	<u>2025 District Rate</u>
001	Center Township	2.0015	2.0251
002	Kokomo City - Center Township	3.7234	3.8141
003	Clay - Kokomo	3.6499	3.6846
006	Kokomo City - Harrison Township	3.7142	3.8765
007	Howard - Kokomo	3.6547	3.6840
010	Jackson Township	1.9283	1.9685
011	Liberty Township	1.9374	1.9781
012	Greentown Town	2.8018	2.8573
015	Kokomo City - Taylor Township	3.7452	3.8227
016	Union Township	1.9242	1.9617
017	Clay Township	1.7992	1.7558
018	Ervin Township	1.8054	1.7633
019	Harrison Township	1.9137	2.0008
020	Honey Creek Township	1.9076	1.9944
021	Russiaville Town	2.7243	2.8793
022	Howard Township	1.8039	1.7566
023	Monroe Township	1.9061	1.9886
024	Taylor Township	2.0259	2.0950
025	MTE Center - Kokomo	1.8486	1.8614
026	MTE Clay - Kokomo	1.7751	1.7319
027	MTE Harrison - Kokomo	1.8394	1.9238
028	MTE Howard - Kokomo	1.7799	1.7313
029	MTE Taylor - Kokomo	1.8704	1.8700

**NOTE: If applicable, conservancy district special assessment rates are not included in the above taxing district rates.**

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0000 HOWARD COUNTY**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$33,010,724	\$5,419,052,100	\$23,258,572	\$0.4292
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced to remain within statutory levy limitation.					
<b>0124</b>	<b>2015 REASSESSMENT</b>	\$1,132,229	\$5,419,052,100	\$720,734	\$0.0133
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>0702</b>	<b>HIGHWAY</b>	\$4,897,483	\$5,419,052,100	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>0706</b>	<b>LOCAL ROAD &amp; STREET</b>	\$794,000	\$5,419,052,100	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>0790</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE BRIDGE</b>	\$890,000	\$5,419,052,100	\$1,262,639	\$0.0233
Department of Local Government Finance approval not required.					
Cumulative fund rate cannot be increased over previous years rate until the fund is re-established.					
<b>0801</b>	<b>HEALTH</b>	\$1,498,523	\$5,419,052,100	\$433,524	\$0.0080
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1179</b>	<b>COUNTY JAIL REVENUE FUND (WAYNE CO ONLY)</b>	\$11,192,437	\$5,419,052,100	\$3,083,441	\$0.0569
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced to remain within statutory levy limitation.					
<b>2391</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT</b>	\$1,246,000	\$5,419,052,100	\$1,777,449	\$0.0328
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Cumulative fund rate cannot be increased over previous years rate until the fund is re-established.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$54,661,396</b>		<b>\$30,536,359</b>	<b>\$0.5635</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0001 CENTER TOWNSHIP**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0061</b>	<b>RAINY DAY</b>	\$200,000	\$2,598,774,687	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$625,700	\$2,598,774,687	\$98,753	\$0.0038
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>0840</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE</b>	\$1,600,027	\$2,598,774,687	\$2,198,563	\$0.0846
Budget reduced due to advertising constraints.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1111</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.</b>	\$80,000	\$40,751,154	\$49,961	\$0.1226
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1190</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE FIRE (Township)</b>	\$0	\$40,751,154	\$12,348	\$0.0303
Rate Approved.					
<b>1301</b>	<b>PARK &amp; RECREATION</b>	\$40,000	\$2,598,774,687	\$49,377	\$0.0019
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1390</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE PARK &amp; RECREATION</b>	\$0	\$2,598,774,687	\$18,191	\$0.0007
Rate Approved.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$2,545,727</b>		<b>\$2,427,193</b>	<b>\$0.2439</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0002 CLAY TOWNSHIP**

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<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$23,430	\$255,497,762	\$3,321	\$0.0013
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>0840</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE</b>	\$17,000	\$255,497,762	\$9,964	\$0.0039
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1111</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.</b>	\$47,509	\$240,062,575	\$57,855	\$0.0241
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$87,939</b>		<b>\$71,140</b>	<b>\$0.0293</b>

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**County: 34 Howard  
Unit: 0003 ERVIN TOWNSHIP**

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<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
0061	RAINY DAY	\$0	\$204,985,449	\$0	\$0.0000
0101	GENERAL	\$42,775	\$204,985,449	\$12,914	\$0.0063
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
0840	TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE	\$14,000	\$204,985,449	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
1111	TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.	\$77,500	\$204,985,449	\$59,856	\$0.0292
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$134,275</b>		<b>\$72,770</b>	<b>\$0.0355</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0004 HARRISON TOWNSHIP**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$77,000	\$661,978,297	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>0840</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE</b>	\$102,800	\$661,978,297	\$158,213	\$0.0239
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1111</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.</b>	\$124,600	\$241,009,683	\$98,814	\$0.0410
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1190</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE FIRE (Township)</b>	\$80,000	\$241,009,683	\$80,256	\$0.0333
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate Approved.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$384,400</b>		<b>\$337,283</b>	<b>\$0.0982</b>

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**County: 34 Howard  
Unit: 0005 HONEY CREEK TOWNSHIP**

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<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$19,790	\$129,451,648	\$29,903	\$0.0231
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>0840</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE</b>	\$18,500	\$129,451,648	\$5,696	\$0.0044
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1111</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.</b>	\$32,000	\$80,660,185	\$40,088	\$0.0497
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1190</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE FIRE (Township)</b>	\$5,000	\$80,660,185	\$12,018	\$0.0149
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate Approved.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$75,290</b>		<b>\$87,705</b>	<b>\$0.0921</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0006 HOWARD TOWNSHIP**

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<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0061</b>	<b>RAINY DAY</b>	\$2,000	\$469,018,143	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$34,640	\$469,018,143	\$19,699	\$0.0042
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>0840</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE</b>	\$55,000	\$469,018,143	\$27,203	\$0.0058
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1111</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.</b>	\$42,000	\$182,433,565	\$43,784	\$0.0240
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$133,640</b>		<b>\$90,686</b>	<b>\$0.0340</b>

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**County: 34 Howard  
Unit: 0007 JACKSON TOWNSHIP**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$0	\$65,131,148	\$9,965	\$0.0153
The total appropriations were restricted to the prior year total because of improper advertising.					
The total property tax levies were restricted to the prior year total because of improper advertising.					
<b>0840</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE</b>	\$0	\$65,131,148	\$3,191	\$0.0049
The total appropriations were restricted to the prior year total due to failure to submit budget forms in Gateway.					
The total property tax levies were restricted to the prior year total due to failure to submit budget forms in Gateway.					
<b>1111</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.</b>	\$0	\$65,131,148	\$17,585	\$0.0270
The total appropriations were restricted to the prior year total because the budget was not properly appropriated.					
The total property tax levies were restricted to the prior year total due to the signed Budget Form 4 not being submitted in Gateway.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$0</b>		<b>\$30,741</b>	<b>\$0.0472</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0008 LIBERTY TOWNSHIP**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$45,407	\$268,116,112	\$34,855	\$0.0130
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>0840</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE</b>	\$50,000	\$268,116,112	\$46,384	\$0.0173
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1111</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.</b>	\$38,500	\$184,709,396	\$36,018	\$0.0195
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1190</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE FIRE (Township)</b>	\$40,000	\$184,709,396	\$12,006	\$0.0065
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate Approved.					
----- <b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$173,907</b>		<b>\$129,263</b>	<b>\$0.0563</b> -----

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0009 MONROE TOWNSHIP**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$30,713	\$100,017,024	\$26,905	\$0.0269
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>0840</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE</b>	\$13,500	\$100,017,024	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>1111</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.</b>	\$29,000	\$100,017,024	\$30,405	\$0.0304
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1190</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE FIRE (Township)</b>	\$25,000	\$100,017,024	\$33,306	\$0.0333
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate Approved.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$98,213</b>		<b>\$90,616</b>	<b>\$0.0906</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0010 TAYLOR TOWNSHIP**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0061</b>	<b>RAINY DAY</b>	\$0	\$513,307,392	\$0	\$0.0000
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$103,900	\$513,307,392	\$12,833	\$0.0025
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>0840</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE</b>	\$58,500	\$513,307,392	\$70,323	\$0.0137
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1111</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.</b>	\$232,630	\$136,792,993	\$153,892	\$0.1125
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1182</b>	<b>FIRE EQUIPMENT DEBT</b>	\$112,320	\$136,792,993	\$13,269	\$0.0097
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1190</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE FIRE (Township)</b>	\$35,000	\$136,792,993	\$45,552	\$0.0333
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate Approved.					
<b>1312</b>	<b>RECREATION</b>	\$7,500	\$513,307,392	\$11,806	\$0.0023
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$549,850</b>		<b>\$307,675</b>	<b>\$0.1740</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0011 UNION TOWNSHIP**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
0061	RAINY DAY	\$0	\$152,774,438	\$0	\$0.0000
0101	GENERAL	\$29,050	\$152,774,438	\$30,402	\$0.0199
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
0840	TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE	\$6,775	\$152,774,438	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
1111	TOWNSHIP FIRE AND E.M.S.	\$23,443	\$152,774,438	\$25,513	\$0.0167
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
1190	CUMULATIVE FIRE (Township)	\$0	\$152,774,438	\$9,930	\$0.0065
Rate Approved.					
Unit Total:		\$59,268		\$65,845	\$0.0431

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0110 KOKOMO CIVIL CITY**

**Pursuant to IC 6-1.1-17-16(c), this unit qualified for a shortened review by the Department.**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$60,281,149	\$3,649,368,511	\$51,204,290	\$1.4031
	Budget approved for displayed amount.				
	Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.				
<b>0341</b>	<b>FIRE PENSION</b>	\$4,597,379	\$3,649,368,511	\$1,357,565	\$0.0372
	Budget approved for displayed amount.				
	Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.				
<b>0342</b>	<b>POLICE PENSION</b>	\$3,449,324	\$3,649,368,511	\$1,357,565	\$0.0372
	Budget approved for displayed amount.				
	Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.				
<b>0706</b>	<b>LOCAL ROAD &amp; STREET</b>	\$1,200,000	\$3,649,368,511	\$0	\$0.0000
	Budget approved for displayed amount.				
<b>0708</b>	<b>MOTOR VEHICLE HIGHWAY</b>	\$8,044,003	\$3,649,368,511	\$4,798,920	\$0.1315
	Budget approved for displayed amount.				
	Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.				
<b>1301</b>	<b>PARK &amp; RECREATION</b>	\$7,253,185	\$3,649,368,511	\$7,597,985	\$0.2082
	Budget approved for displayed amount.				
	Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.				
<b>2102</b>	<b>AVIATION/AIRPORT</b>	\$990,071	\$3,649,368,511	\$1,018,174	\$0.0279
	Budget approved for displayed amount.				
	Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.				
<b>2120</b>	<b>CEMETERY</b>	\$750,637	\$3,649,368,511	\$799,212	\$0.0219
	Budget approved for displayed amount.				
	Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.				

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<b>2243 PLAN COMMISSION</b>	\$742,785	\$3,649,368,511	\$284,651	\$0.0078
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Budget approved for displayed amount.

Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.

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<b>Unit Total:</b>	<b>\$87,308,533</b>	<b>\$68,418,362</b>	<b>\$1.8748</b>
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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0681 GREENTOWN CIVIL TOWN**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
0061	RAINY DAY	\$0	\$83,406,716	\$0	\$0.0000
0101	GENERAL	\$757,648	\$83,406,716	\$349,975	\$0.4196
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
0706	LOCAL ROAD & STREET	\$150,000	\$83,406,716	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
0708	MOTOR VEHICLE HIGHWAY	\$562,904	\$83,406,716	\$350,975	\$0.4208
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
2379	CUMULATIVE CAPITAL IMP (CIG TAX)	\$10,000	\$83,406,716	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
2391	CUMULATIVE CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT	\$44,000	\$83,406,716	\$41,703	\$0.0500
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate Approved.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$1,524,552</b>		<b>\$742,653</b>	<b>\$0.8904</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 0682 RUSSIAVILLE CIVIL TOWN**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0061</b>	<b>RAINY DAY</b>	\$100,000	\$48,791,463	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>0101</b>	<b>GENERAL</b>	\$533,850	\$48,791,463	\$361,350	\$0.7406
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced to remain within statutory levy limitation.					
<b>0706</b>	<b>LOCAL ROAD &amp; STREET</b>	\$25,000	\$48,791,463	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>0708</b>	<b>MOTOR VEHICLE HIGHWAY</b>	\$118,250	\$48,791,463	\$56,988	\$0.1168
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>1303</b>	<b>PARK</b>	\$7,500	\$48,791,463	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>2379</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE CAPITAL IMP (CIG TAX)</b>	\$5,000	\$48,791,463	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>2391</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT</b>	\$20,000	\$48,791,463	\$11,661	\$0.0239
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate Approved.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$809,600</b>		<b>\$429,999</b>	<b>\$0.8813</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**

**Unit: 3460 TAYLOR COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORPORATION**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0061</b>	<b>RAINY DAY</b>	\$300,000	\$513,307,392	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>0180</b>	<b>DEBT SERVICE</b>	\$3,636,903	\$513,307,392	\$3,324,179	\$0.6476
Budget has been reduced and approved for the displayed amt.					
Rate reduced per unit request.					
<b>3101</b>	<b>EDUCATION</b>	\$9,312,905	\$513,307,392	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget has been decreased because projected revenues are insufficient to fund the adopted budget.					
<b>3300</b>	<b>OPERATIONS</b>	\$1,388,640	\$513,307,392	\$2,417,165	\$0.4709
Budget has been decreased because projected revenues are insufficient to fund the adopted budget.					
Rate reduced to remain within statutory levy limitation.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$14,638,448</b>		<b>\$5,741,344</b>	<b>\$1.1185</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 3470 NORTHWESTERN SCHOOL CORPORATION**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0061</b>	<b>RAINY DAY</b>	\$500,000	\$929,501,354	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>0180</b>	<b>DEBT SERVICE</b>	\$4,727,630	\$929,501,354	\$4,539,685	\$0.4884
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to reduction of operating balance according to IC 6-1.1-17-22.					
<b>3101</b>	<b>EDUCATION</b>	\$13,646,390	\$929,501,354	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>3300</b>	<b>OPERATIONS</b>	\$6,446,629	\$929,501,354	\$5,094,597	\$0.5481
Budget has been decreased because projected revenues are insufficient to fund the adopted budget.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$25,320,649</b>		<b>\$9,634,282</b>	<b>\$1.0365</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**

**Unit: 3480 EASTERN HOWARD COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORP**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0061</b>	<b>RAINY DAY</b>	\$400,000	\$486,021,698	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>0180</b>	<b>DEBT SERVICE</b>	\$3,629,501	\$486,021,698	\$3,401,666	\$0.6999
Budget has been reduced and approved for the displayed amt. Rate reduced per unit request.					
<b>3101</b>	<b>EDUCATION</b>	\$13,031,167	\$486,021,698	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget has been decreased because projected revenues are insufficient to fund the adopted budget.					
<b>3300</b>	<b>OPERATIONS</b>	\$4,600,000	\$486,021,698	\$2,448,577	\$0.5038
Budget approved for displayed amount. Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$21,660,668</b>		<b>\$5,850,243</b>	<b>\$1.2037</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 3490 WESTERN SCHOOL CORPORATION**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0061</b>	<b>RAINY DAY</b>	\$400,000	\$891,446,969	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>0180</b>	<b>DEBT SERVICE</b>	\$4,869,007	\$891,446,969	\$5,054,504	\$0.5670
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to reduction of operating balance according to IC 6-1.1-17-22.					
<b>3101</b>	<b>EDUCATION</b>	\$20,280,813	\$891,446,969	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>3300</b>	<b>OPERATIONS</b>	\$8,200,000	\$891,446,969	\$4,591,843	\$0.5151
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$33,749,820</b>		<b>\$9,646,347</b>	<b>\$1.0821</b>

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**County: 34 Howard**  
**Unit: 3500 KOKOMO SCHOOL CORPORATION**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
<b>0180</b>	<b>DEBT SERVICE</b>	\$12,889,252	\$2,598,774,687	\$12,357,174	\$0.4755
Budget has been reduced and approved for the displayed amt.					
Rate Approved.					
<b>3101</b>	<b>EDUCATION</b>	\$48,081,366	\$2,598,774,687	\$0	\$0.0000
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
<b>3300</b>	<b>OPERATIONS</b>	\$18,047,230	\$2,598,774,687	\$14,259,477	\$0.5487
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced to remain within statutory levy limitation.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$79,017,848</b>		<b>\$26,616,651</b>	<b>\$1.0242</b>

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**County: 34 Howard  
Unit: 0094 GREENTOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY**

**Pursuant to IC 6-1.1-17-16(c), this unit qualified for a shortened review by the Department.**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
0101	GENERAL	\$572,999	\$486,021,698	\$439,364	\$0.0904
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$572,999</b>		<b>\$439,364</b>	<b>\$0.0904</b>

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**Unit: 0282 KOKOMO-HOWARD COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY**

**Pursuant to IC 6-1.1-17-16(c), this unit qualified for a shortened review by the Department.**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
0101	GENERAL	\$8,449,258	\$4,933,030,402	\$7,221,957	\$0.1464
Budget approved for displayed amount.					
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
2011	LIBRARY IMPROVEMENT RESERVE	\$0	\$4,933,030,402	\$0	\$0.0000
Unit Total:		<b>\$8,449,258</b>		<b>\$7,221,957</b>	<b>\$0.1464</b>

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**Unit: 1027 HOWARD COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT**

**Pursuant to IC 6-1.1-17-16(c), this unit qualified for a shortened review by the Department.**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
8210	SPECIAL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT	\$1,542,892	\$5,419,052,100	\$1,273,477	\$0.0235

Budget approved for displayed amount.

Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.

<b>Unit Total:</b>		<b>\$1,542,892</b>		<b>\$1,273,477</b>	<b>\$0.0235</b>
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**County: 34 Howard**

**Unit: 0002 BACHELOR RUN CONSERVANCY DISTRICT**

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Certified Budget</u>	<u>Certified AV</u>	<u>Certified Levy</u>	<u>Certified Rate</u>
0101	GENERAL	\$0	\$4,406,100	\$1,666	\$0.0378
Rate reduced due to increased assessed valuation.					
Unit Total:		\$0		\$1,666	\$0.0378

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