Where Do Your Tax Dollars Go?

As confirmed by the Lucas County Treasurer's Office: Monclova Township receives 6.51 mills of the total 56.76 mills of paid Lucas County real estate taxes from township residents. After the computation of rollbacks and other adjustments that affect your tax payment, approximately 11.46% of your property tax payment goes to Monclova Township for designated township funds.

On a home valued at \$100,000 the total property taxes would be approximately \$1,738 with \$199 of that being for Monclova township services as follows:

- · General Fund, \$52.13 or 3.0%
- · Road & Bridge Fund, \$61.27 or 3.52%
- · Fire Department, \$39.94 or 2.30%
- Police Protection \$45.94 or 2.64% (New in 2012)
- NON-Monclova services and levies \$1,539.11 or 88.54%

From our community's funding, we care for township roads, signs, bridges and two cemeteries. We care for township right-of-ways, attend to township buildings and grounds-keeping duties at our buildings and parks; provide for snowplowing, road salting, leaf collection, upkeep on our tennis courts, shelter house, practice soccer fields, ball diamonds and provide every-other week collection of garbage. We provide judicious support for Monclova Community Center, which houses the Senior Center and community activities. We employ a Fire Chief, Deputy Chief, fire fighters, emergency responders and other administrative staff. We procure, maintain and house emergency equipment such as Water Rescue, Brush Truck, Fire Engines and emergency response units. We also contract with the Sheriff for Police Protection.

All of these services are provided for out of the 11.46% allocation from property taxes.

