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**LIBRARY AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUPPORT FUND:**  
**Amounts Distributed to Counties, Calendar Year 2007**

The library and local government support fund was created in House Bill 291 of the 115th General Assembly. It replaced the locally collected intangible property tax, which was repealed beginning in calendar year 1986. This fund provides state aid to counties on a monthly basis for libraries and local governments, which were receiving revenue from the intangible property tax.

Until a law change that took effect in calendar year 2008, the library and local government support fund (LLGSF) was comprised of 5.7 percent of personal income tax collections. However, recent state budget bills (House Bill 94, 95, and 66) had suspended this funding mechanism beginning with the July 2001 distributions. Due to provisions in House Bills 66 and 119, each county received the same amount as it received in calendar year 2006.

The total amount distributed to county undivided library and local government support funds for calendar year 2007 was \$458.0 million. Under statutory law, the amount allocated to each county was based on a formula contained in RC section 5747.46.

The revenues received from the LLGSF were distributed by county budget commissions with nearly all of these monies going to libraries.

Figures shown were compiled from records of the Ohio Department of Taxation.

Note: The recently enacted state operating budget bill for the fiscal year 2008-2009 biennium (Am. Sub. H.B. 119, 127<sup>th</sup> General Assembly) made a fundamental change to the LLGSF, consisting of a new funding mechanism. Beginning in calendar year 2008, the LLGSF will receive a designated percentage of *total* state General Revenue Fund tax revenues. Under prior statutory law, the LLGSF received a share of specifically designated state tax revenue sources, not *total* state GRF tax revenues. Each month, the LLGSF shall receive 2.22 percent of prior-month tax revenues.

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 AMOUNTS DISTRIBUTED TO COUNTIES, CALENDAR YEAR 2007**

<u>County</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Adams	\$997,465	Hamilton	\$48,307,419	Noble	\$459,882
Allen	4,203,625	Hancock	2,992,729	Ottawa	1,566,473
Ashland	1,931,472	Hardin	1,160,343	Paulding	752,525
Ashtabula	3,779,255	Harrison	687,000	Perry	1,216,753
Athens	2,208,956	Henry	1,086,561	Pickaway	1,854,662
Auglaize	1,774,316	Highland	1,412,969	Pike	968,644
Belmont	2,703,450	Hocking	1,003,084	Portage	5,486,832
Brown	1,399,027	Holmes	1,292,876	Preble	1,530,776
Butler	11,563,689	Huron	2,202,634	Putnam	1,277,519
Carroll	1,036,661	Jackson	1,195,660	Richland	5,027,521
Champaign	1,355,045	Jefferson	2,957,495	Ross	2,678,640
Clark	5,503,281	Knox	1,893,770	Sandusky	2,349,049
Clermont	5,990,898	Lake	8,756,859	Scioto	3,000,202
Clinton	1,454,027	Lawrence	2,337,815	Seneca	2,310,224
Columbiana	4,126,295	Licking	5,020,901	Shelby	1,781,248
Coshocton	1,382,578	Logan	1,635,173	Stark	14,929,793
Crawford	1,828,017	Lorain	10,325,117	Summit	21,465,491
Cuyahoga	65,236,963	Lucas	18,659,143	Trumbull	8,674,553
Darke	2,029,596	Madison	1,448,332	Tuscarawas	3,258,552
Defiance	1,489,460	Mahoning	10,159,363	Union	1,344,179
Delaware	2,994,181	Marion	2,446,308	Van Wert	1,142,568
Erie	3,173,589	Medina	4,974,140	Vinton	433,976
Fairfield	4,274,505	Meigs	874,017	Warren	4,785,688
Fayette	1,049,951	Mercer	1,526,696	Washington	2,369,599
Franklin	41,469,480	Miami	3,747,921	Wayne	4,212,601
Fulton	1,543,765	Monroe	568,233	Williams	1,466,754
Gallia	1,186,218	Montgomery	23,953,605	Wood	4,959,641
Geauga	3,875,676	Morgan	529,470	Wyandot	<u>853,431</u>
Greene	5,374,459	Morrow	1,087,373		
Guernsey	1,485,654	Muskingum	3,147,987	Total	\$457,970,324