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| **NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS** |

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| The **Notice to Taxpayers is available online at** [**www.budgetnotices.in.gov**](http://budgetnotices.in.gov/) or by calling (888) 739-9826. |

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| Complete details of budget estimates by fund and/or department may be seen by visiting the office of this unit of government at **301 4th Street Covington IN 47932.** Notice is hereby given to taxpayers of **FOUNTAIN COUNTY**, Indiana that the proper officers of **FOUNTAIN COUNTY** will conduct a public hearing on the year **2025** budget. Following this meeting, any ten or more taxpayers may object to a budget, tax rate, or tax levy by filing an objection petition with the proper officers of **FOUNTAIN COUNTY** not more than seven days after the hearing. The objection petition must identify the provisions of the budget, tax rate, or tax levy to which taxpayers object. If a petition is filed, **FOUNTAIN COUNTY** shall adopt with the budget a finding concerning the objections in the petition and testimony presented. Following the aforementioned hearing, the proper officers of **FOUNTAIN COUNTY** will meet to adopt the following budget: |

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|  Public Hearing Date | Monday, August 12, 2024 |  |  Adoption Meeting Date | Tuesday, October 15, 2024 |
|  Public Hearing Time | 9:00 AM |  |  Adoption Meeting Time | 9:00 AM |
|  Public Hearing Location | 301 4th Street Covington IN 47932 |  |  Adoption Meeting Location | 301 4th Street Covington IN 47932 |
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|  Estimated Civil Max Levy | $6,008,329 |  |  |  |
| Property Tax Cap Credit Estimate | $120,000 |  |  |  |

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| **1****Fund Name** | **2****Budget Estimate** | **3****Maximum Estimated Funds to be Raised (including appeals and levies exempt from maximum levy limitations)** | **4****Excessive Levy Appeals** | **5****Current Tax Levy** | **6** **Levy Percentage Difference (Column 3 / Column 5)** |
| 0061-RAINY DAY | $0 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 0101-GENERAL  | $10,967,248 | $3,488,661 | $0 | $3,195,472 | 9.18% |
| 0124-2015 REASSESSMENT | $547,251 | $540,000 | $0 | $538,840 | 0.22% |
| 0191-CUMULATIVE VOTING MACHINE  | $0 | $58,697 | $0 | $58,697 | 0.00% |
| 0254-LOCAL INCOME TAX  | $1,007,837 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 0702-HIGHWAY  | $5,147,718 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 0706-LOCAL ROAD & STREET  | $464,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 0790-CUMULATIVE BRIDGE  | $1,506,826 | $1,173,943 | $0 | $1,173,943 | 0.00% |
| 0801-HEALTH  | $331,723 | $0 | $0 | $89,220 | -100.00% |
| 1156-EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SYSTEM  | $256,232 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 2391-CUMULATIVE CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT  | $573,220 | $390,923 | $0 | $390,923 | 0.00% |
| 2411-ECONOMIC DEV INCOME TAX CEDIT  | $684,315 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9500-ARP Coronavirus Local Recovery Fund | $1,833,155 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9501-Non-Reverting E-911 Dispatch Fund | $339,718 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9502-Jury Fees  | $6,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9503-County Alcohol & Drug  | $41,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9504-Adult Probation  | $47,153 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9505-Covered Bridge Maintenance | $10,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9506-CAPTA Grant - CASA Program  | $31,130 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9507-Infraction Deferral  | $53,353 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9508-Pre-Trial Diversion  | $8,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9509-PA Title IV-D Incentive  | $11,739 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9510-Public Defense Admin Fee | $15,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9511-Co Drug Free Community  | $21,184 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9512-LEPC  | $8,040 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9513-Accident Report  | $4,871 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9514-Sheriff's Pension Trust  | $7,500 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9515-County Misdemeanant  | $25,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9516-Riverboat Revenue - Co Share  | $50,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9517-Recorders Records Perpetuation  | $21,530 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9518-Local Public Health Service Fund | $48,111 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9519-County Farm | $70,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9520-Special Purpose - LIT  | $2,120,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9522-Plat Book  | $6,729 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9523-PHEP Grant  | $25,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9526-Chemical Test Fee  | $15,000 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| 9529-Comm Corr Prob Grant  | $78,952 | $0 | $0 | $0 |  |
| Totals | $26,384,535 | $5,652,224 | $0 | $5,447,095 |  |

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