

DELAWARE COUNTY 2016



9-1-1 LEVY FACT SHEET



The 9-1-1 Center serves all Township Fire Departments, Delaware City Police and Fire, Powell City Police, Delaware County EMS, and EMA and Homeland Security in Delaware County

Election on Nov. 8

Will be a 0.45-mill renewal with a 0.18-mill increase to fund the operation of a 9-1-1 system

FACTS

The current 9-1-1 levy is due to expire at the end of this year. The levy will fund:

- 9-1-1 emergency dispatching covering the fastest-growing county in Ohio with a current population of 198,000 and a service area of 459 square miles
- Upgrade of 9-1-1 system to allow for “text 9-1-1” service
- Maintenance of countywide radio system for emergency responders
- Ongoing 9-1-1 dispatcher training for police, fire and medical emergency responses
- 29 full-time and 3 part-time budgeted positions

Call Statistics:

- In 2015, 41,491 emergency 9-1-1 calls and 71,629 non-emergency calls were answered; that’s an average of 113 emergency and 196 non-emergency calls per day
- Quick response to callers, as our average answer time is less than 10 seconds

PROPOSED LEVY:

The proposed five-year levy is a renewal of the existing 0.45-mill levy with a 0.18-mill increase for a total millage of 0.63 mill.

Proposed Levy cost per \$100,000 of property valuation:

	Per Year	Rounded Cost Per Day
Existing 0.45 mill	\$13.18	3.6 ¢
Increase of 0.18 mill	\$ 6.30	1.7 ¢
Total new levy of 0.63 mill	\$19.48	5.3 ¢