

# Annual Report

2025

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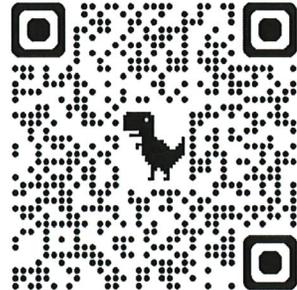
January 27th, 2026

2026 marks a milestone year for the 0.25% Sales Tax Road Paving Plan as the program enters its 10<sup>th</sup> year. The Permissive 0.25% Sales Tax was first approved by voters in 2016 and renewed in 2021 for the purpose of repaving County Roads. At that time, our commitment to voters was to repave all of our 250 miles of County Roads on a 10-year cycle. As we move into the 10<sup>th</sup> year, we are pleased with the progress that has been made on our roads and proud to report that we have accomplished more than we promised. By the end of 2026, we anticipate being approximately 13 miles ahead of schedule.

The Road Paving Dashboard details past and future roads to be paved on an interactive map that can be accessed via the County Engineer's website at <https://holmesengineer.org/pavingplan> or scan the QR Code below.

In 2026, we plan to pave the following roads:

CR 53	2.168 Miles
CR 160	6.766 Miles
CR 200	5.231 Miles
CR 292	5.065 Miles
CR 621	<u>0.232 Miles</u>
	19.462 Total Miles



Depending on bid pricing, we hope to add the following roads this year as well:

CR 77 North	1.865 Miles
CR 189	<u>4.411 Miles</u>
	25.738 Total Miles with all roads

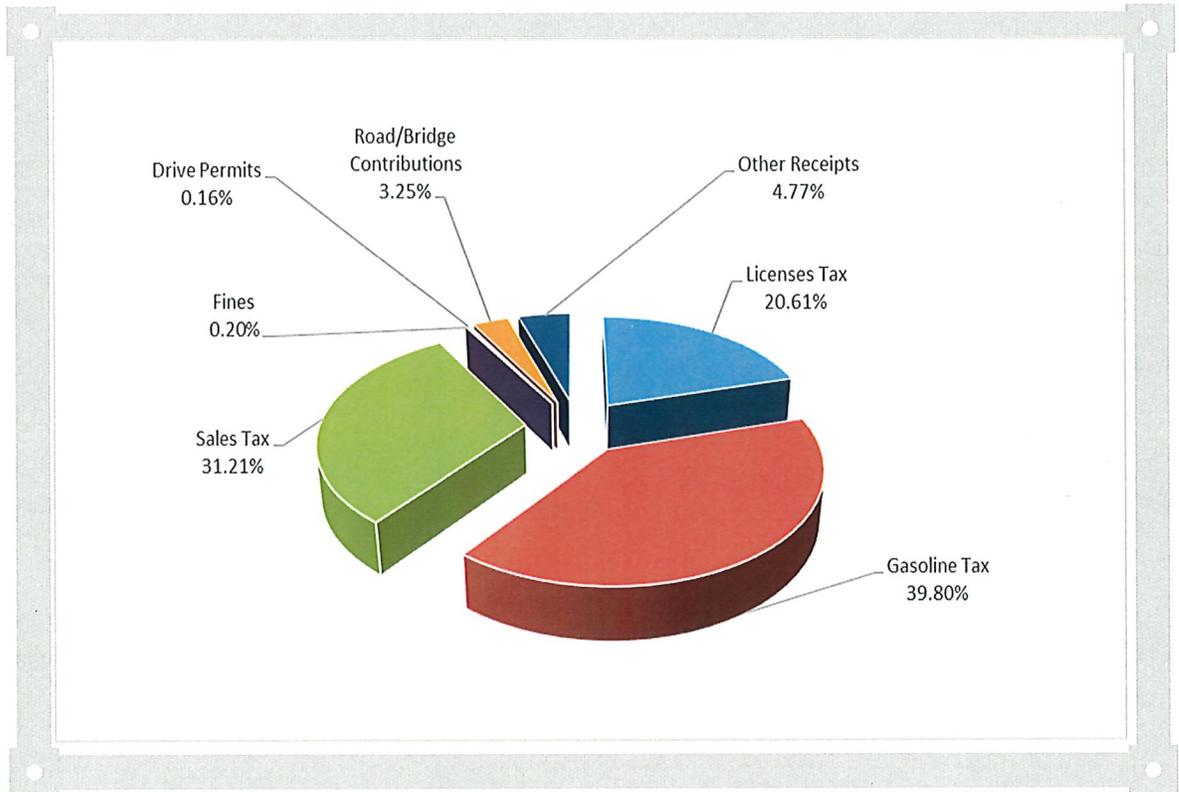
I respectfully submit this annual report required by Ohio Revised Code Ch. 5543.

  
Christopher R. Young, P.E., P.S.

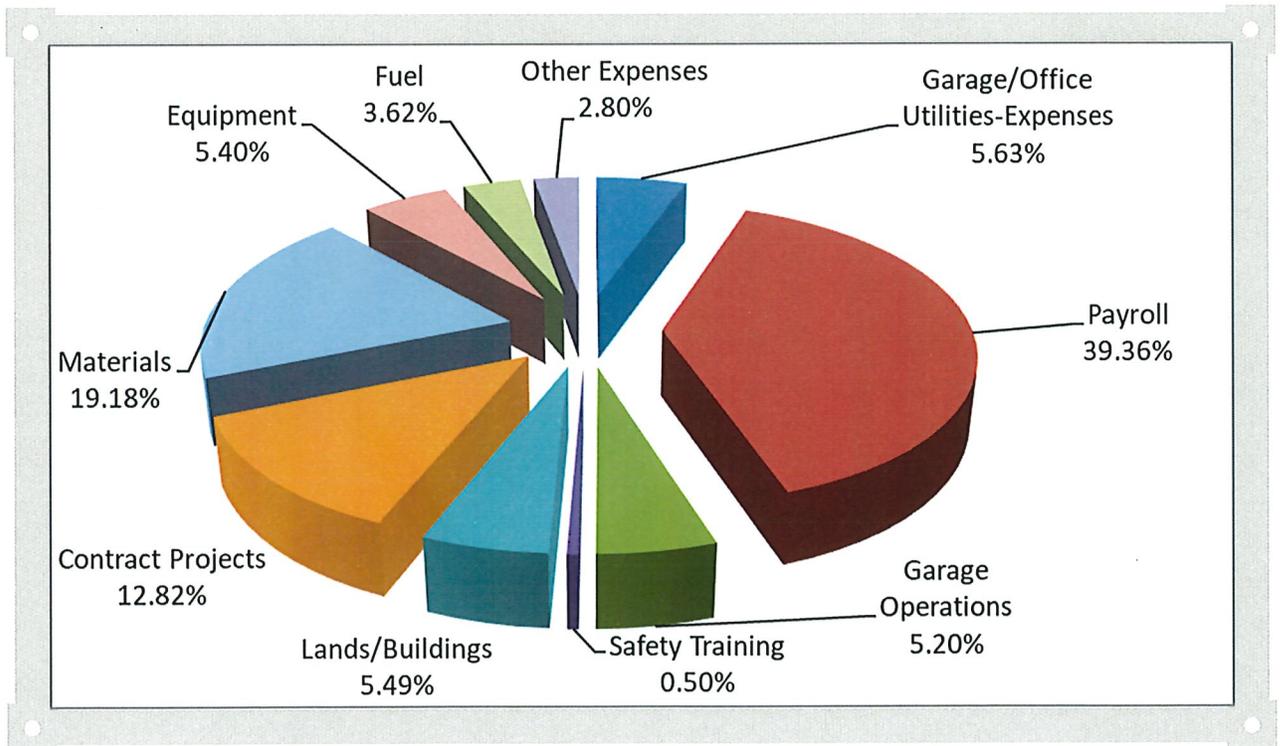
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# 2025 BUDGET

## WHERE THE MONEY COMES FROM ....



## HOW THE MONEY WAS SPENT ....



## 2025 ROAD PROJECTS

<b>2025 Road Projects</b>	<b>Equipment</b>	<b>Labor</b>	<b>Material</b>	<b>Total</b>
Culverts/Catch Basins Install & Repaired	\$46,958.15	\$55,418.97	\$94,751.17	\$197,128.29
Snow/Ice Removal	\$218,993.64	\$115,599.98	\$322,751.18	\$657,344.80
Ditching	\$53,842.52	\$45,198.07	\$0	\$99,040.59
Patching	\$47,529.01	\$68,342.99	\$57,364.62	\$173,236.62
Hauling Stock	\$8,222.49	\$12,703.17	\$863.50	\$21,789.16
Berming/Washout Repairs	\$28,348.05	\$32,633.57	\$9,455.69	\$70,437.31
Mowing/Weed Control	\$121,860.85	\$80,682.92	\$0	\$202,543.77
Brush & Tree Removal	\$67,727.45	\$49,924.47	\$0	\$117,651.92
Signage	\$32,265.05	\$91,495.03	\$0	\$123,760.08
Equipment Moving	\$9,969.71	\$6,893.93	\$0	\$16,863.64

# 2025 GRANT/BRIDGE/CONTRACT PROJECTS

## CONTRACT

<b>Speed Zone Studies</b>	
Local Funds	\$1,680.00
Federal Grant	<u>\$15,120.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$16,800.00</b>
Speed Studies along various County routes.	

<b>Hazardous Obstruction Removal</b>	
Local Funds	<u>\$20,520.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$20,520.00</b>
Removal of hazardous trees along various county road right-of-way's.	

<b>Bridge Load Rating 2025</b>	
Local Funds	\$18,060.00
Federal Grant	<u>\$23,800.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$41,860.00</b>
Load rating of various bridges in Holmes County.	

<b>Winesburg Safe Routes to School Project</b>	
Local Funds	\$48,354.83
Federal Grant	<u>\$250,000.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$298,354.83</b>
Sidewalk project along CR-160 by Winesburg Elementary School.	

## BRIDGES

CR 58-0551	\$80,024.98
CR 58—0557	\$90,001.50
TR 28-0136	\$108,998.75
TR 362—0064	\$70,352.13
Misc. Bridge Repairs	<u>\$149,629.66</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$499,007.02</b>

## 2025 0.25% SALES TAX RESURFACING

<u>Road</u>	<u>Mileage</u>
CR 27	0.526
CR 59	5.616
CR 114	5.293
CR 270	0.086
CR 280	2.950
CR 349	4.206
CR 391	0.200
CR 392	0.127
CR 393	0.477
CR 625	0.532

**\*Total Miles Resurfaced (Sales Tax) 20.013**

Melway Paving was awarded the project as the lowest and best qualified bidder, and performed the work at a cost of \$2,572,378.

The total cost of the project includes; milling, resurfacing, and berming. \$231,938 of the resurfacing costs were paid for by an OPWC grant. The remaining cost of the project was paid from the 0.25% sales tax funds.

# 2025 BRIDGE SUMMARY

Condition	Bridges
9 - Excellent	30
8 - Very Good	23
7 - Good	74
6 - Satisfactory	128
5 - Fair	26
4 - Poor	3
3 - Serious	0
2 - Critical	0
1 - Imminent Failure	0

Sufficiency Rating	Bridges
90-100	108
80-90	86
70-80	50
60-70	23
50-60	7
40-50	6
30-40	3
<30	1

Road Type	Bridges
County Roads	102
Township Roads	182
Total	284

## 2025 BRIDGE SUMMARY

Posted Bridges										
ROAD	SLM	GROSS	2 AXLES	3 AXLES	4 AXLES	5 AXLES	6+ AXLES	5C1	EV1	EV2
C0019	0344	-	15 T	17 T	18 T	19 T	19 T	-	-	-
C0019	0584	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	33 T	-	-	-
C0101	0005	-	7 T	8 T	8 T	8 T	8 T	-	-	-
C0186	0061	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	34 T	40 T	-	-
T0005	0015	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	34 T	40 T	-	-
T0064	0010	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	35 T	-	-	-
T0065	0113	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	28 T	28 T	-	-	-
T0091	0002	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	31 T	-	-	-
T0116	0097	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	33 T	-	-	-
T0118	0024	-	15 T	23 T	26 T	27 T	28 T	-	-	-
T0208	0167	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	34 T	40 T	-	-
T0265	0149	-	15 T	23 T	26 T	27 T	28 T	-	-	-
T0323	0307	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	31 T	-	-	-
T0346	0149	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	34 T	40 T	-	-
T0356	0127	-	15 T	23 T	25 T	27 T	28 T	-	-	-
T0417	0096	-	15 T	23 T	24 T	26 T	26 T	-	-	-
T0451	0153	-	15 T	23 T	26 T	30 T	34 T	-	-	-
T0473	0119	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15 T*	23 T*
T0502	0264	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	32 T	-	-	-
T0601	0181	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	33 T	-	-	-
T0604	0121	-	15 T	23 T	25 T	28 T	28 T	-	-	-
T0606	0680	-	15 T	23 T	27 T	31 T	35 T	-	-	-
T0606	0995	-	15 T	23 T	26 T	27 T	28 T	-	-	-
T0607	0243	-	15 T	20 T	22 T	23 T	24 T	-	-	-
T0613	0045	-	15 T	23 T	24 T	27 T	31 T	-	-	-
T0652	0301	-	13 T	14 T	15 T	16 T	17 T	-	-	-

## 2026 EQUIPMENT NEEDS

January 27, 2026

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Gentlemen:

ORC 5549.01 requires the County Engineer to file written recommendations with Board of County Commissioners on machinery, tools, and equipment that should be purchased for use during the ensuing year and estimated cost thereof.

Here is the list of items to be purchased in 2026.

Dump Truck	\$200,000
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Sincerely,



Christopher R. Young, P.E., P.S.

Holmes County Engineer