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|                           |                     |            |                     | TOWNSHIP PURPOSES |         |                  | SCHOOL PURPOSES |           |         |                 | CORPORATION RATES |           |              |                  | REDUCTION RATES |                     | EFFECTIVE RATES |                   |                |          |           |                |         |
|---------------------------|---------------------|------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|---------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------|--------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------|-----------|----------------|---------|
| TAX DISTRICT              | Sen. Citizen Center | Cherly Ann | Tri-city-Men Health | County            | General | Road and Bridges | Fire Protection | Total TWP | General | Bond Retirement | Permanent Improve | Emergency | Total School | Joint Vo. School | General         | Fire/Police Pension | Street Repair   | Total Corporation | Total Tax Rate | Agri/Res | Other     | AGRI/res other |         |
| BLACKCREEK TWP.           | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.9     | 1.4              |                 | 2.3       | 30.67   | 8               | 1.5               |           | 40.37        | 3.8              |                 |                     |                 |                   | 55.26          | 0.211721 | 0.039276  | 43.5606        | 53.0895 |
| BUTLER TWP.               |                     |            |                     |                   |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   |                |          |           |                |         |
| 2. CELINA SCHOOL DIST.    | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.3     | 2.2              | 1               | 3.5       | 23.75   | 4               |                   | 6.8       | 34.55        |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   | 46.84          | 0.12608  | 0.089964  | 40.9344        | 42.6261 |
| 3. COLDWATER SCHOOL       | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.3     | 2.2              | 1               | 3.5       | 45.48   | 10.2            |                   |           | 55.68        |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   | 67.97          | 0.283525 | 0.203552  | 48.6988        | 54.1345 |
| 4. ST HENRY SCHOOL DIST   | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.3     | 2.2              | 1               | 3.5       | 26      | 2.5             | 1.21              |           | 29.71        |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   | 42             | 0.146653 | 0.1088308 | 35.8407        | 37.4511 |
| 5. COLDWATER CORP         | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.3     |                  | 1               | 1.3       | 45.48   | 10.2            |                   |           | 55.68        |                  | 2.2             |                     |                 |                   | 67.97          | 0.283525 | 0.203552  | 48.6988        | 54.1345 |
| CENTER TWP                |                     |            |                     |                   |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   |                |          |           |                |         |
| 6. CELINA SCHOOL DIST     | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 1.7     | 0                | 1.85            | 3.35      | 23.75   | 4               |                   | 6.8       | 34.55        |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   | 46.69          | 0.123025 | 0.090253  | 40.9461        | 42.4761 |
| DUBLIN TWP                |                     |            |                     |                   |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   |                |          |           |                |         |
| 7. PARKWAY SCHOOL DIST    | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 1.8     | 2                |                 | 3.8       | 30.87   | 8               | 1.5               | 0         | 40.37        | 3.8              | 4.8             |                     |                 |                   | 56.76          | 0.215438 | 0.038241  | 44.532         | 54.5895 |
| 8. ROCKFORD CORP          | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 1.8     |                  |                 | 1.8       | 30.87   | 8               | 1.5               | 0         | 40.37        | 3.8              |                 |                     |                 |                   | 59.56          | 0.225273 | 0.035441  | 46.143         | 57.3895 |
| FRANKLIN TWP.             |                     |            |                     |                   |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   |                |          |           |                |         |
| 9. CELINA SCHOOL DIST     | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.5     | 2                | 2.5             | 5         | 23.75   | 4               |                   | 6.8       | 34.55        |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   | 48.34          | 0.132871 | 0.087176  | 41.9171        | 44.1259 |
| 10. COLDWATER SCH DIST    | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.5     | 2                | 2.5             | 5         | 45.48   | 10.2            |                   |           | 55.68        |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   | 69.47          | 0.284852 | 0.18916   | 48.8915        | 55.6343 |
| 11. MARION LOCAL SCH DIST | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.5     | 2                | 2.5             | 5         | 20.5    | 6.3             | 1.5               | 12.22     | 40.52        |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   | 54.31          | 0.055635 | 0.011346  | 51.2896        | 53.6936 |
| 12. ST HENRY SCHOOL DIST  | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.5     | 2                | 2.5             | 5         | 24      | 4.5             | 1.21              |           | 28.71        |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   | 43.5           | 0.153488 | 0.104577  | 36.8234        | 38.9509 |
| 13. NEW BREMEN SCH DIST   | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.5     | 2                | 2.5             | 5         | 42.85   | 8.3             | 1                 |           | 52.15        |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   | 65.94          | 0.374326 | 0.218289  | 41.257         | 51.546  |
| 14. MONTEZUMA CORP.       | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.5     |                  | 2.5             | 3         | 23.75   | 4               |                   | 6.8       | 34.55        |                  | 2.2             |                     |                 |                   | 48.54          | 0.132323 | 0.086817  | 42.1171        | 44.3259 |
| GIBSON TWP                |                     |            |                     |                   |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   |                |          |           |                |         |
| 15. ST HENRY SCH DIST     | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.5     | 1.7              | 1.00*           | 2.2       | 24      | 4.5             | 1.21              |           | 28.71        |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   | 41.7           | 0.143638 | 0.091865  | 35.7522        | 37.1511 |
| 16. FT RECOVERY SCH DIST  | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.5     | 1.7              | 1.00*           | 2.2       | 28.3    | 3.1             | 2.3               |           | 33.7         |                  |                 |                     |                 |                   | 45.69          | 0.213768 | 0.175521  | 35.923         | 37.6706 |
| 17. FT. RECOVERY CORP     | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79              | 0.5     |                  | 1.00*           | 0.5       | 28.3    | 3.1             | 2.3               |           | 33.7         |                  | 6.5             |                     | 5               |                   | 55.49          | 0.18896  | 0.144523  | 45             |         |

MERCER COUNTY OHIO  
RATES OF TAXATION 2003

For Payments in 2004

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| Continued                 | Sen. Citizen Center | Cherly Ann | Tri-city-Men Health | County | General | Road and Bridges | Fire Protection | Total TWP | General | Bond Retirement | Permanent Improve | Emergency | Total School | Joint Vo. Schoc | General | Fire/Police Pension | Street Repair | Total Corporation | Total Tax Rate | Agri/Res | Other    | AGRI/RES | Other   |
|---------------------------|---------------------|------------|---------------------|--------|---------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|---------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------------|---------|---------------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
|                           |                     |            |                     |        |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                 |         |                     |               |                   |                |          |          |          |         |
| MARION TWP.               |                     |            |                     |        |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                 |         |                     |               |                   |                |          |          |          |         |
| 31. MARION LOCAL SCH DIST | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.2     | 2.3              | 2.4             | 4.9       | 20.5    | 6.3             | 1.5               | 12.22     | 40.52        |                 |         |                     |               |                   | 54.21          | 0.042294 | 0.011366 | 51.9174  | 53.594  |
| 32. ST. HENRY SCHOOL DIST | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.2     | 2.3              | 2.4             | 4.9       | 24      | 4.5             | 1.21              |           | 29.71        |                 |         |                     |               |                   | 43.4           | 0.137049 | 0.104816 | 37.4522  | 38.8511 |
| 33. MINSTER SCHOOL DIST   | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.2     | 2.3              | 2.4             | 4.9       | 44.67   | 7.8             | 0.8               | 0.2       | 53.47        |                 |         |                     |               |                   | 67.16          | 0.257334 | 0.114693 | 49.8775  | 59.4573 |
| 34. NEW BREMEN SCH DIST   | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.2     | 2.3              | 2.4             | 4.9       | 42.85   | 8.3             | 1                 |           | 52.15        |                 |         |                     |               |                   | 65.84          | 0.363827 | 0.218619 | 41.8858  | 51.4462 |
| 35. CHICKASAW CORP        | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.2     |                  | 2.4             | 2.6       | 20.5    | 6.3             | 1.5               | 12.22     | 40.52        |                 | 5.8     |                     |               | 5.8               | 57.71          | 0.046157 | 0.010677 | 54.931   | 57.094  |
| RECOVERY TWP              |                     |            |                     |        |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                 |         |                     |               |                   |                |          |          |          |         |
| 36. COLDWATER SCH DIST    | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.5     | 1.7              | 1.00*           | 2.2       | 45.48   | 10.2            |                   |           | 55.68        |                 |         |                     |               |                   | 67.67          | 0.281659 | 0.204457 | 48.6103  | 53.8345 |
| 37. ST. HENRY SCH DIST    | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.5     | 1.7              | 1.00*           | 2.2       | 24      | 4.5             | 1.21              |           | 29.71        |                 |         |                     |               |                   | 41.7           | 0.142636 | 0.10988  | 35.7522  | 37.1511 |
| 38. FT RECOVERY SCH DIST  | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.5     | 1.7              | 1.00*           | 2.2       | 28.3    | 3.1             | 2.3               |           | 33.7         |                 |         |                     |               |                   | 45.69          | 0.213768 | 0.175521 | 35.923   | 37.6706 |
| 39. FT RECOVERY CORP      | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.5     |                  | 1.00*           | 0.5       | 28.3    | 3.1             | 2.3               |           | 33.7         |                 | 6.5     |                     | 5             | 11.5              | 55.49          | 0.18896  | 0.144523 | 45.0047  | 47.4706 |
| UNION TWP                 |                     |            |                     |        |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                 |         |                     |               |                   |                |          |          |          |         |
| 40. PARKWAY SCH DIST      | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.6     | 1.7              | 1.4             | 3.7       | 30.87   | 8               | 1.5               |           | 40.37        | 3.8             |         |                     |               |                   | 56.66          | 0.206488 | 0.038308 | 44.8606  | 54.4894 |
| 41. MENON CORP            | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.6     |                  |                 | 2         | 30.87   | 8               | 1.5               |           | 40.37        | 3.8             | 6.8     |                     |               | 6.8               | 61.76          | 0.203855 | 0.038636 | 49.1702  | 59.3738 |
| WASHINGTON TWP            |                     |            |                     |        |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                 |         |                     |               |                   |                |          |          |          |         |
| 42. CELINA SCHOOL DIST    | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.5     | 1.2              | 1.00*           | 1.7       | 23.75   | 4               |                   | 6.8       | 34.55        |                 |         |                     |               |                   | 46.04          | 0.123678 | 0.091528 | 40.3459  | 41.8261 |
| 43. COLDWATER SCH DIST    | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.5     | 1.2              | 1.00*           | 1.7       | 45.48   | 10.2            |                   |           | 55.68        |                 |         |                     |               |                   | 67.17          | 0.283755 | 0.205979 | 48.1103  | 53.3345 |
| 44. FT RECOVERY SCH DIST  | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   | 0.5     | 1.2              | 1.00*           | 1.7       | 28.3    | 3.1             | 2.3               |           | 33.7         |                 |         |                     |               |                   | 45.19          | 0.216133 | 0.177461 | 35.423   | 37.1706 |
| CENTER TWP                |                     |            |                     |        |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                 |         |                     |               |                   |                |          |          |          |         |
| 45. CELINA CORP           |                     |            |                     |        |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                 |         |                     |               |                   |                |          |          |          |         |
| WAYNE TWP                 |                     |            |                     |        |         |                  |                 |           |         |                 |                   |           |              |                 |         |                     |               |                   |                |          |          |          |         |
| 46. CELINA CORP/PAP       | 0.35                | 4.94       | 1                   | 7.79   |         |                  |                 |           | 23.75   | 4               |                   | 6.8       | 34.55        |                 | 2       | 0.6                 |               | 2.6               | 45.94          | 0.123949 | 0.081727 | 40.2459  | 41.7261 |

\*Southwest Fire District

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