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May 12th, 2026

To: Gratiot County Board of Commissioners  
From: Equalization Department  
RE: 2026 Summer L-4029

Gratiot County Board of Commissioners,

The 2026 Gratiot County Summer Tax Rate Request (L-4029) is ready for approval by the Board of Commissioners. By approving this form, the Board certifying the County Operating Millage of 5.5206 for levy on the summer tax bills. The levy of 5.5206 mills will result in an estimated collection of \$11,124,100. This form also certifies that the appropriate Millage Reduction Fraction of 1.0000 has been applied.

The estimated collection of \$11,124,100 is a decrease of -0.92% from the 2025 estimated collection of \$11,227,200. The estimated tax levy collection is found through the following formula:

$(\text{Millage Rate} / 1,000) \times \text{Taxable Value}$

$(5.5206 / 1,000) \times 2,015,015,615 = \$11,124,095$  (11,124,100 Rounded)

The operating millage was originally allocated at 5.9800 mills, and has been reduced over the years by the Headlee Millage Reduction Fraction to the current rate of 5.5206. Restoration of the original operating millage of 5.9800 would require a millage override to be approved by public vote.

The remaining extra voted millages, including Road Patrol, Parks, Senior, Ag Econ, Library, and 911 will be presented to the Board in September on the Winter L-4029.

Thank you,

Keegan Bengel  
Equalization Director