



*Washington County
2015 Funding Measures Overview*

Public Safety Levy Renewal
Library Levy Replacement



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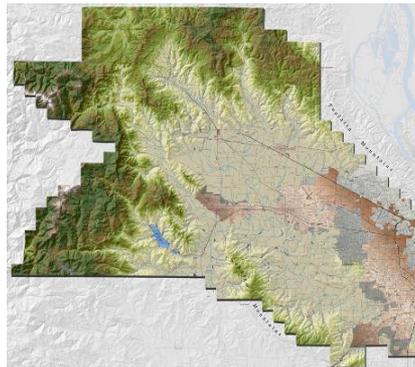
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Public Safety Levy

Who receives services from the levy?

- City neighborhoods
- Urban unincorporated communities
- Rural areas



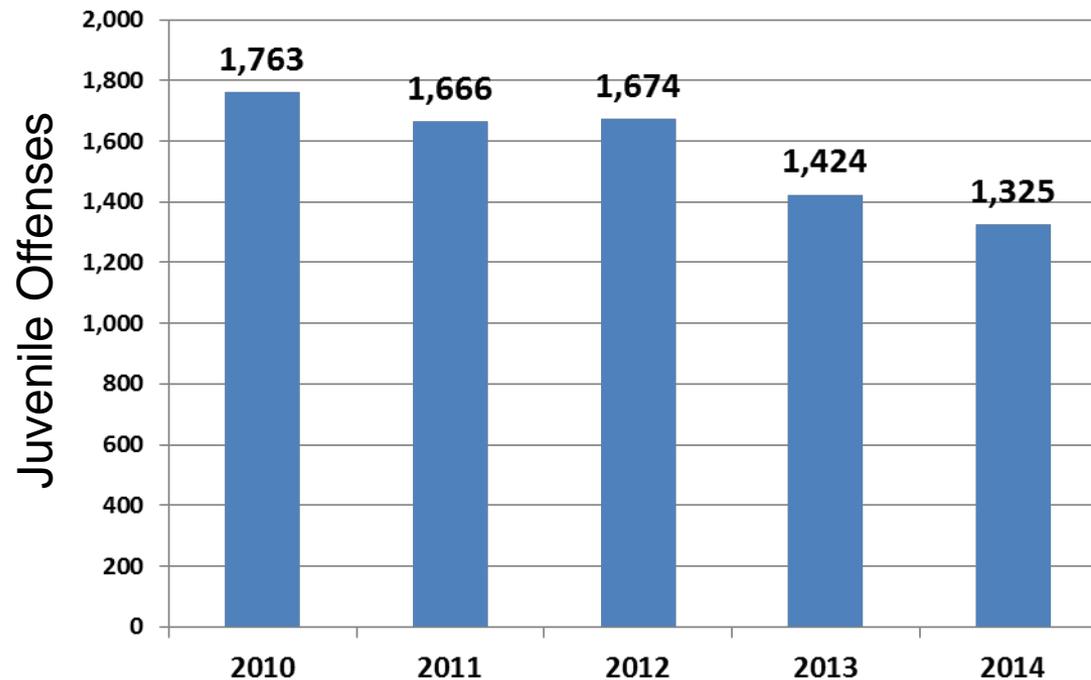
What Would Public Safety Levy Pay For?

- Special enforcement teams
- Victims' assistance and prosecution services
- Parole, probation, and juvenile services
- Operation of jail and work-release center at full capacity to minimize early release of offenders
- Emergency shelters for women and children who are victims of domestic violence



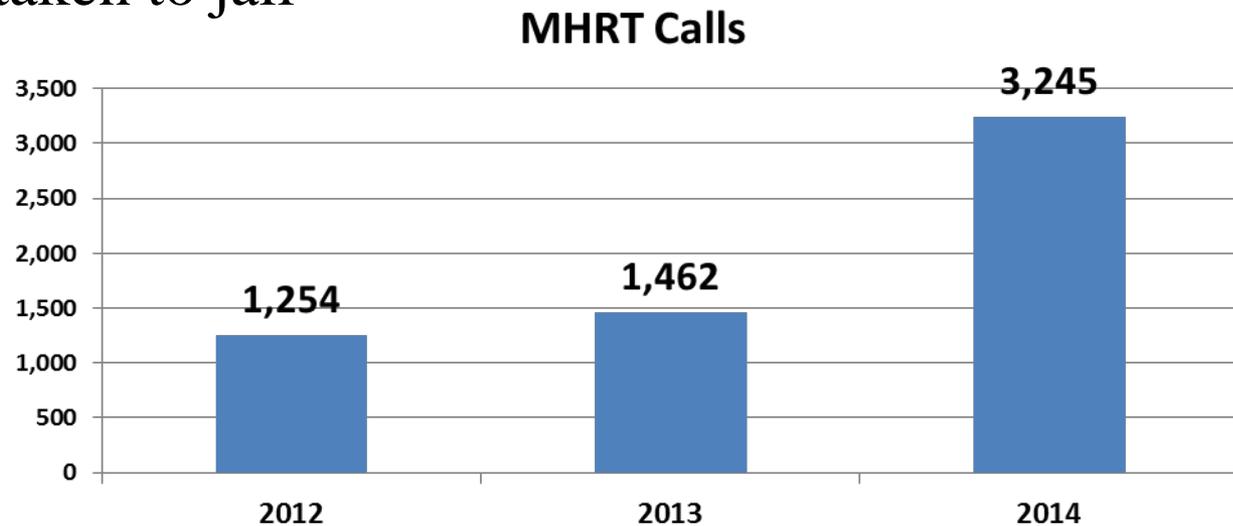
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- Juvenile programs that have helped decrease juvenile crime four out of the last five years



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- A mental health response team (MHRT) including deputies and mental health professionals to help ensure people in crisis get medical help instead of being taken to jail



What Would Public Safety Levy Pay For?

- Services including emergency shelter for women and children who are victims of domestic violence:
 - Domestic Violence Resource Center
 - Family Promise of Washington County
 - Community Action
 - Good Neighbor Center
 - Safe Place Youth Shelter





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Washington County Cooperative Library Services

Primary funding source for public library operations in
Washington County:

Banks

Beaverton - Main

Beaverton - Murray Scholls

Cedar Mill Community - Main

Cedar Mill - Bethany

Cornelius

Forest Grove

Garden Home Community

Hillsboro - Main

Hillsboro - Shute Park

North Plains

Sherwood

Tigard

Tualatin

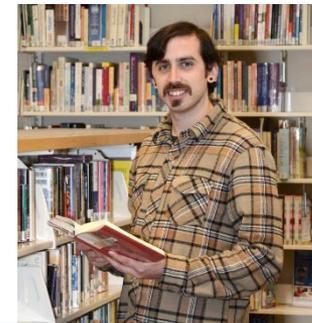
West Slope Community

County: central support &
outreach



What Would Library Levy Pay For?

- Maintain library operations, avoid cuts in service at 15 libraries
- Add hours at some libraries
- Provide operational support for new & expanded library outlets including Aloha, Cornelius, Bethany and Hillsboro



What Would Library Levy Pay For?

- Continue support for Children's reading programs -- over 280,000 child visits annually
- Improve reading & learning support, homework help designed to assure student success



What Would Library Levy Pay For?

- Purchase books, e-books & other library materials available to all library patrons
- Maintain central support & outreach services that link libraries together
- Increase efficiencies in service delivery



Summary of Levy Costs

Public Safety Levy:

- Five-year levy, beginning July 2016
- Renews current levy that expires June 2016
- Rate of 42¢ per \$1,000 assessed value, unchanged
- First-year cost for average assessed value home in Washington County:*
 - About \$107 per year
 - Or \$9 per month

Library Levy:

- Five-year levy, beginning July 2016
- Replaces current levy that expires June 2016
- Rate of 22¢ per \$1,000 assessed value, increase of 5¢
- First-year cost for average assessed value home in Washington County:*
 - About \$56 per year
 - Or \$5 per month

* Average estimated residential assessed value in 2016 = \$255,408





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