

BUDGET COMMISSION

The Geauga County Budget Commission met in regular session on Monday, July 6, 2026 at 10:00 a.m. in the Auditor’s office at 215 Main Street, Chardon, Ohio. Present: Chief Deputy Auditor / Deputy Chief Administrator Frank Antenucci and Geauga County Treasurer C. P. Hitchcock.

Also Present: Deputy Auditor Jennifer Hess

Meeting Advertised: Regular Business

2025/2026 School Amended Certificate

Berkshire LSD – 2025/2026 Amendment #9 (Final)

Motion by Frank Antenucci, seconded by C.P. Hitchcock, to amend the Berkshire LSD Official Certificate of Estimated Resources to reflect the following changes to revenue previously certified:

Berkshire LSD		FY26	Net Change	GCA-015 #8	GCA-015 #9 [Final]
General	001 General	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (50,725.33)	\$ 26,266,352.44	\$ 26,215,627.11
Special	018 Public School Supprt	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 683.00	\$ 51,998.99	\$ 52,681.99
Special	019 Martha Holden Jennings	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 4,044.00	\$ 141,287.73	\$ 145,331.73
Special	020 Latchkey	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (3,806.09)	\$ 25,021.07	\$ 21,214.98
Special	029 Education Foundation	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 8,433.73	\$ 430,417.95	\$ 438,851.68
Special	034 Classroom Facilities	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 1,286,335.25	\$ 1,286,335.25
Special	035 Termination Benefits	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 369,259.00	\$ 369,259.00
Special	300 Student Activities	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 41,075.33	\$ 700,382.91	\$ 741,458.24
Special	401 Auxiliary Funds Passthrough	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 104.82	\$ 104.82
Special	402 D.P.P.F.	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Special	416 Teacher Development	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Special	451 Data Communications	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 774.84	\$ 5,400.00	\$ 6,174.84
Special	464 School Model Report Card	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 24.42	\$ 24.42
Special	499 Partnership Grant	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (69,039.84)	\$ 857,444.22	\$ 788,404.38
Special	516 IDEA Part B	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 378,799.26	\$ 378,799.26
Special	524 Equity for Each	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 41,167.23	\$ -	\$ 41,167.23
Special	Title I	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (4,438.05)	\$ 231,883.38	\$ 227,445.33
Special	584 Drug Free Grant	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 28,351.96	\$ 28,351.96
Special	587 ARP Earlychildhood	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 7,975.16	\$ 7,975.16
Special	590 Title IIA	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 44,093.51	\$ 44,093.51
Debt	02 Bond Retirement	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 1,654,189.22	\$ 1,654,189.22
Capital	003 Permanent Improvement	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 38,171.55	\$ 484,772.95	\$ 522,944.50
Capital	04 Construction Fund	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 35,414.13	\$ 35,414.13
Capital	070 Capital Projects	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 153,892.24	\$ 153,892.24
Capital	010 Classroom Supplies	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 48,545.27	\$ 48,545.27
Enterprise	006 Lunchroom Supplies	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 92,715.07	\$ 945,464.88	\$ 1,038,179.95
Enterprise	009 Uniform Supplies	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 546.00	\$ 10,898.75	\$ 11,444.75
Internal	014 Rotary	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (6,119.09)	\$ 14,572.46	\$ 8,453.37
Internal	022 Pop Accounts	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 17,269.76	\$ 35,127.07	\$ 52,396.83
Internal	023 Device Insurance	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (3,300.00)	\$ 18,000.00	\$ 14,700.00
Internal	024 Insurance Fund	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 22,280.10	\$ 481,310.04	\$ 503,590.14
Fiduciary	007 Trust Funds	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 13,639.00	\$ 42,306.36	\$ 55,945.36
Fiduciary	200 Activity Clubs	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 4,887.78	\$ 155,165.65	\$ 160,053.43
*Tax collected reflected an increase from original.					
New General Fund Total			\$	26,215,627.11	
New Special Fund Total			\$	4,577,673.78	
New Debt Service Fund Total			\$	1,654,189.22	
New Capital Projects Fund Total			\$	760,796.14	
New Enterprise Fund Total			\$	1,049,624.70	
New Internal Service Fund Total			\$	579,140.34	
New Fiduciary Fund Total			\$	215,998.79	
Grand Total New Certificate - All Funds			\$	35,053,050.08	
General Fund Net Change			\$	(50,725.33)	
Special Revenue Net Change			\$	18,894.15	
Debt Service Net Change			\$	-	
Capital Projects Net Change			\$	38,171.55	
Enterprise Fund Net Change			\$	93,261.07	
Internal Service Fund Net Change			\$	30,130.77	
Fiduciary Fund Net Change			\$	18,526.78	
Total Net Changes			\$	148,258.99	

*Appropriation form GCA-006 dated 07/06/2026 does not exceed estimated revenue.

Voice vote: Two ayes. Motion carried.

Acknowledge receipt of Berkshire LSD final 2025/2026 appropriations received June 25, 2026.

Chardon LSD – 2025/2026 Amendment #8

Motion by C. P. Hitchcock seconded by Frank Antenucci, to amend Chardon LSD’s Official Certificate of Estimated Resources for the 2025/2026 School Year to reflect “actual” July 1, 2025 Unencumbered balances and a revised estimate of Other Source Revenues per their Treasurer’s beginning year balance sheet.

Chardon LSD		FY26	Net Change	GCA-015 #7	GCA-015 #8 [Final]
General	001 General	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 57,984,694.87	\$ 57,984,694.87
Special	006 Nutrition Services	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 1,561,523.73	\$ 1,561,523.73
Special	007 Expendable Trust	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 23,833.93	\$ 23,833.93
Special	008 Endowment Fund	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 85,657.04	\$ 85,657.04
Special	009 Uniform School Supplies	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 92,565.60	\$ 92,565.60
Special	018 Principal's Support	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (98,000.00)	\$ 436,099.87	\$ 338,099.87
Special	019 Other Grants	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (12,300.00)	\$ 69,416.71	\$ 57,116.71
Special	020 Topper Care	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 193,626.06	\$ 193,626.06
Special	031 Underground Storage	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 11,000.00	\$ 11,000.00
Special	200 Student Managed Activity	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (19,000.00)	\$ 279,326.97	\$ 260,326.97
Special	300 District Managed Activity	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 1,582,859.45	\$ 1,582,859.45
Special	401 Auxiliary Services	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 147,596.41	\$ 147,596.41
Special	451 Network Connectivity	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (166.88)	\$ 27,839.95	\$ 27,673.07
Special	499 Other State Grants	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 9,999.56	\$ 54,509.31	\$ 64,508.87
Special	516 IDEA Title VI-B	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (22,059.94)	\$ 1,259,823.26	\$ 1,237,763.32
Special	551 Title III	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (1,609.01)	\$ 15,254.44	\$ 13,645.43
Special	572 Title I	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ (3,769.09)	\$ 423,264.31	\$ 419,495.22
Special	584 Other Federal Grants	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 51,388.54	\$ 51,388.54
Special	587 IDEA - Special Ed. Preschool	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 34,511.87	\$ 34,511.87
Special	590 Improving Teacher Quality	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 148,134.04	\$ 149,334.04
Special	599 Other Federal Grants	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 190,246.56	\$ 190,246.56
Debt	002 Bond Retirement	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 451,477.43	\$ 451,477.43
Capital	003 Permanent Improvement	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 28,353.29	\$ 2,463,978.40	\$ 2,492,331.69
Capital	070 Capital Projects Fund	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ 992,580.72	\$ 2,700,000.00	\$ 3,692,580.72
Capital	493 Other State Grants	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 483,315.00	\$ 483,315.00
Internal	023 Chromebook Ins	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 266,201.18	\$ 266,201.18
Internal	024 Employee Benefits	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 8,251,188.93	\$ 8,251,188.93
Internal	035 Severance	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 757,810.11	\$ 757,810.11
Fiduciary	022 District Agency	Change 07/01/2025 revenue total	\$ -	\$ 115,642.98	\$ 115,642.98

*Tax collected reflected an increase from original.

New General Fund Total		\$ 57,984,694.87
New Special Fund Total		\$ 6,542,772.69
New Debt Service Fund Total		\$ 451,477.43
New Capital Projects Fund Total		\$ 6,668,227.41
New Enterprise Fund Total		\$ -
New Internal Service Fund Total		\$ 9,275,200.22
New Fiduciary Fund Total		\$ 115,642.98
Grand Total New Certificate - All Funds		\$ 81,038,015.60
General Fund Net Change		\$ -
Special Revenue Net Change		\$ (145,705.36)
Debt Service Net Change		\$ -
Capital Projects Net Change		\$ 1,020,934.01
Enterprise Fund Net Change		\$ -
Internal Service Fund Net Change		\$ -
Fiduciary Fund Net Change		\$ -
Total Net Changes		\$ 875,228.65

**Appropriation form GCA-006 dated 07/06/2026 does not exceed estimated revenue.*

Voice vote: Two ayes. Motion carried.

Acknowledge receipt of Chardon LSD final 2025/2026 appropriations received June 26, 2026.

Acknowledge receipt of Chardon LSD final 2026/2027 temporary appropriations received June 26, 2026.

Munson Township – Amendment #3

Motion by Frank Antenucci, seconded by C. P. Hitchcock, to approve the Munson Township’s Official Certificate of Estimated Resources to reflect the following changes to revenue previously certified:

Special Fund

Increase fund #2041 General Fund Reserve Fund other source revenue 10,000.00 from 40,697.08 to 50,697.08.

Net Adjustment \$10,000.00

<u>New Special Funds Total:</u>	\$ 4,575,849.53
<u>New 2026 Certificate Total:</u>	\$ 6,283,251.06

**Appropriation form GCA-006 dated 07/06/2026 does not exceed estimated revenue.*

Voice vote: Two ayes. Motion carried.

Other Business:

2027 Budget Submission update. Budget staff advised they have received 8 of the 33 entities. Two have gone through the full review process. Chief Deputy Frank Antenucci inquired who the eight were for the minutes: Burton Village, South Russell Village, Bainbridge Twp., Troy Twp., Russell 511 Park, East Geauga Fire District, Geauga County Library, and Burton Library.

General Business:

Public Comment:

Ms. McGlone requested the materials from today. She also asked if we had received anything from Kenston or Cardinal Schools for their fiscal year end.

Being no further business to conduct, a motion was made by C. P. Hitchcock, to adjourn the July 6th, 2026 regular meeting at 10:11 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles E. Walder, Auditor
Secretary/Budget Commission

