# City of Genoa Local Government Distributive Fund Total Lost Revenue: \$5,130,954

In 2011, the General Assembly reduced the percentage of income tax revenue that is allocated to local governments, promising that these cuts would be a temporary shared sacrifice. Over a decade later, **LGDF** is still not restored. Our community's lost revenue totals **\$5.1 million** to date.

### **Serving Residents & Businesses**

In Genoa, Local Government Distributive Fund (LGDF) revenue, which is generated from income taxes on our residents & businesses, is invested in the infrastructure and public safety services that our community relies on every day.



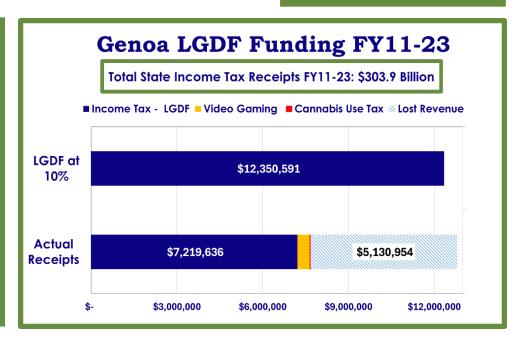
- Increasing LGDF to 6.47% in FY24 invested an additional \$51,688 in our community, which funded street and sidewalk repairs.
- Our community would lose an estimated \$75,028 each year by eliminating the state sales tax on groceries.
- Replacement of lead service lines will cost \$3 million.
- Police body camera implementation costs \$60,000.
- Our community received \$67,270 in video gaming revenue in FY23, which was 8.15% of our FY23 LGDF revenue.

#### **Essential Revenue**

- LGDF represents
  22.4% of our annual operating budget.
- As costs continue to grow, LGDF reduces pressure on property taxes & other revenue.

## **Pension Impacts**

- o In 2023, public safety pensions contributions cost \$500,000, which is 53.8% of our municipal property tax levy and 61% of our FY23 LGDF revenue.
- To date, our total lost LGDF revenue could have funded our contributions to public safety pensions for over
   10 years.



## WE ASK FOR YOUR SUPPORT TO RESTORE LGDF





















