# Village of Sugar Grove Local Government Distributive Fund Total Lost Revenue: \$8,897,184

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 **\$8.9 million** to date.

### **Serving Residents & Businesses**

In Sugar Grove, 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 \$90,517 in our community, which helped fund a patrol officer to fill a School Resource Officer role requested by the school district.
- Our community would lose an estimated **\$201,918** each year by eliminating the state sales tax on groceries.
- Survey of lead service lines will cost \$30,000.
- Police body camera implementation costs \$113,539.

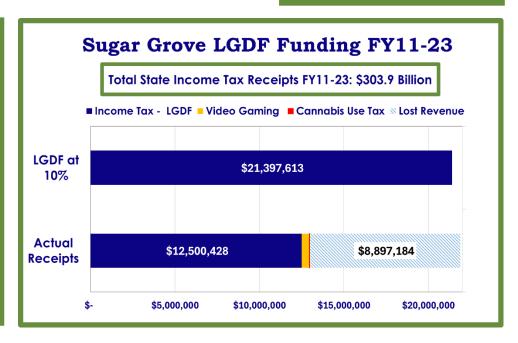


#### **Essential Revenue**

- LGDF represents
  19.8% of our annual
  General Fund budget.
- As costs continue to grow, LGDF reduces pressure on property taxes & other revenue.

# **Pension Impacts**

- In 2023, public safety pension contributions cost \$685,056, which is 88% of our corporate property tax levy & 47% of our LGDF revenue.
- To date, our total lost LGDF revenue could have funded our public safety pensions for 15 years.



## WE ASK FOR YOUR SUPPORT TO RESTORE LGDF























