

Replacement Levy Utilization by Ohio School Districts, 2014-2023

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In the 10-year period from 2014 through 2023 there have 2,701 school levies placed on the ballot for voter approval. Of these, only 20 (0.74%) have been replacement levies.

Of the 20 replacement levies, eight were for operating purposes (one of which was for education technology purposes) and 12 were for permanent improvements. Of the 20 replacement levies, 12 (60.0%) received voter approval.

Of the 2,701 school levies, 1,561 were for operating purposes. Replacement levies comprised only 0.51% of total operating levies (eight out of 1,561).

Over the same timeframe, 472 of the operating levies were new levies while 1,081 were renewal levies. Once again, only eight of the 1,561 school operating levies on the ballot from 2014 through 2023 were replacement levies. Thus, from 2014 through 2023 renewal school levies were placed on the ballot 135 times as often as were replacement levies.

Table 1 provides a list of all school replacement levies on the ballot from 2014 through 2023.

Table 1: School Replacement Levies, 2014-2023

Election	School District	County	Operating or PI	Millage Amount	Pass or Fail
May 2014	Tri-Rivers JVSD	Marion	Operating	2.10	Fail
May 2014	Patrick Henry Local SD	Henry	PI	1.90	Pass
Nov. 2014	Pioneer Career & Tech. Ctr.	Richland	Operating	1.70	Pass
Nov. 2014	Warren County Career Ctr.	Warren	Operating	3.50	Fail
May 2015	Warren County JVSD	Warren	Operating	3.50	Fail
May 2015	Bellbrook-Sugarcreek LSD	Greene	Operating	5.50	Pass
Nov. 2016	Tri-Rivers JVSD	Marion	Operating	1.30	Fail
Nov. 2017	Monroeville Local SD	Huron	PI	1.80	Fail
Nov. 2017	New Philadelphia City SD	Tuscarawas	PI	1.00	Pass
May 2018	Monroeville Local SD	Huron	PI	1.80	Fail
May 2018	Eastwood Local SD	Wood	PI	2.0	Pass
May 2019	Bellbrook-Sugarcreek SD	Greene	Operating	7.50	Fail
May 2019	Mount Vernon City SD	Knox	PI	2.90	Pass
May 2019	Parkway Local SD	Mercer	PI	1.50	Pass
May 2022	Genoa Area Local SD	Ottawa	Educ. Tech.	0.50	Pass
May 2022	Clyde-Green Springs EVSD	Sandusky	PI	1.50	Fail
Nov. 2022	New Albany-Plain Local SD	Franklin	PI	1.75	Pass
Nov. 2023	Beavercreek City SD	Greene	PI	1.00	Pass
Nov. 2023	Amherst EVSD	Lorain	PI	2.50	Pass
Nov. 2023	LaBrae Local SD	Trumbull	PI	3.00	Pass