

Maxwell Memorial Library

2025 WGCSD Tax Levy Proposition Facts

- Maxwell Memorial Library serves the Village and Town of Camillus.
- Because most of the West Genesee Central School District falls within Town boundaries, district taxpayers support Maxwell Library directly through district tax levies.
- Maxwell Library prefers a transparent funding method of going directly to taxpayers in our service area for support. For many years, we have done that through a levy on WGCSD property taxes. The chart below breaks down the proposed levy for this year:



	2024 levy	2024 cost per \$100,000	2025 increase	2025 levy with increase	2025 total levy per \$100,000 value
Maxwell Memorial Library	\$396,707	\$20.19	\$15,868	\$412,575	\$21.00

- Taxpayer-supported funding is supplemented with state and other grants and free consulting services provided through library vendors and the OCPL system.
- This year's increase will support a 2025-2026 budget intended to fund normal operations:
 - Purchase of books, media, computers and technology, equipment, and supplies
 - Salaries, employee training, and hiring additional employees with needed skills
 - Repairs and care of grounds and building
 - Ongoing capital improvements required to meet the needs of library users today
 - Free public programs and services for the entire community
- Maxwell Memorial Library's collection and programs support school district residents with
 - basic literacy skills for a lifetime of learning;
 - information literacy to help patrons participate as citizens, workers, and consumers;
 - health, financial, civic, and social literacy to help patrons make informed decisions; and
 - technological literacy to help patrons use technology for learning, work, and pleasure.

The referendum for libraries is on the WGCSD budget ballot.
 Voting takes place **Tuesday, May 20, 2025 from 6am to 9pm**
in the West Genesee High School Auditorium Lobby. Please vote!

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