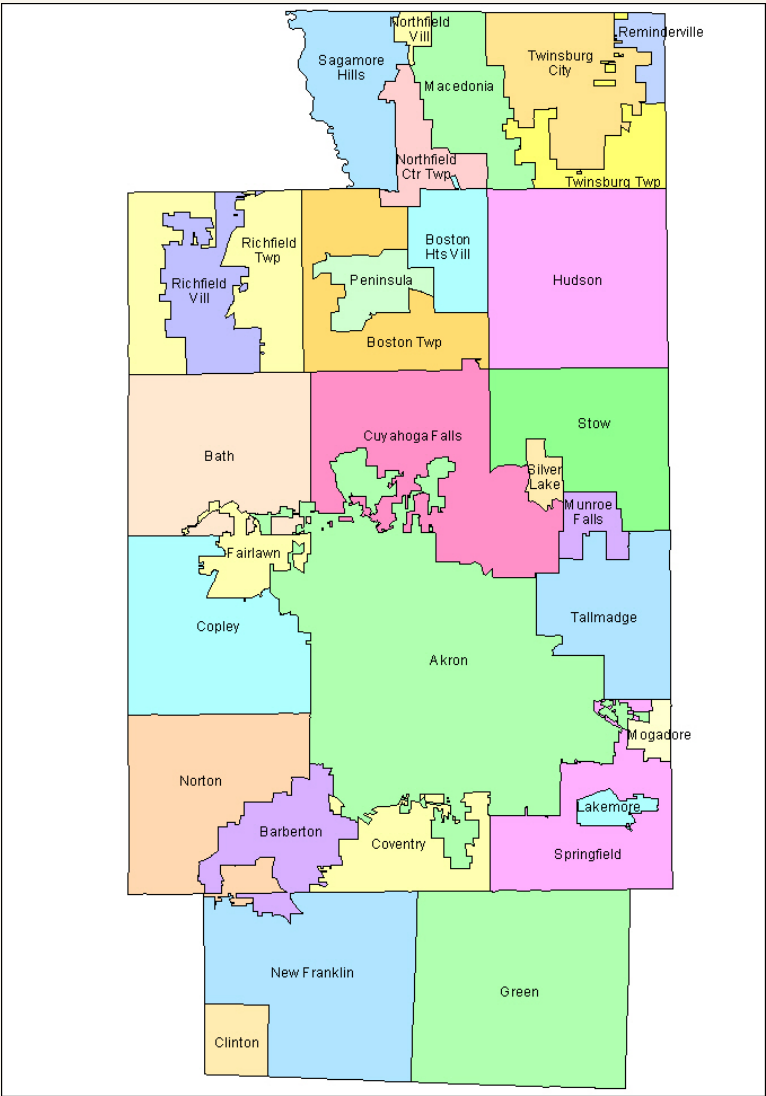


SUMMIT COUNTY ENGINEER ALAN BRUBAKER, P.E., P.S.

Annual Township Dinner

May 5, 2026

OUR OFFICE



Our mission is to serve the Summit County community by maintaining and improving our region's infrastructure, encouraging economic development, and ensuring a safe and efficient transportation system while protecting the environment.

Our staff in 2025
•64 Public Service Staff
•29 Engineering Staff
•7 Administration Staff
TOTAL: 100

What We Maintain
•279 bridges
•360+ lane miles of roads
•1,200+ culverts

WHAT WE DID IN 2025

- **Investment**

- \$6.9 million dollars in capital projects
- \$11 million dollars in managed projects

- **Recently Bridge Projects Completed:**

- **Mt. Pleasant Road over Nimisila Creek in Green** - Design/Build Bridge Rehabilitation Project designed with help from Compass Infrastructure, low bid of \$738,000 was awarded to Kenmore Construction. The rehabilitated bridge is a composite prestressed concrete box beam superstructure with a concrete deck, 65 ft long x 40 ft wide.

- **Bridge Maintenance Completed**

- **Van Buren Road - FRA-060-0372 In New Franklin** - bridge deck and approach slabs sealed with gravity fed resin treatment.
- **Graybill Road - GRT-248-0121 in Green** - existing corrugated metal culvert pack rust scaled off, light media sandblast and a cold galvanized applied to interior of culvert.
- **Hudson Run Road - BAR-007-0142 in Barberton** - repair pavement heaving and shoving along the east bound travel lane.
- **Various Bridges throughout County** - Bridge railing and approach guardrail repairs and replacement. Tree removal, foundation, stream erosion repairs and miscellaneous structure repairs.

- **In 2025 all 279 bridges were inspected.**

- **Regional Paving Program**

- **2025 Commercial Plan Reviews**

- Bath - 2
- Boston - 3
- Copley - 8
- Coventry - 4
- Sagamore Hills - 2
- Springfield - 7
- Twinsburg - 3
- County Wide - approved 65 Topographic Site Plans for New Home Construction and reviewed 4 Topographic Site Plans for New Home Construction on lots exceeding 1 acre disturbance.

- **Highway Improvements**

- Riverview Road No Parking Zone - Coordinated with Boston Township a new No Parking Zone on north end of Riverview Road
- Akron-Cleveland Road Speed Limit - Reduced speed limit on a short section of Akron-Cleveland Road from 45 to 35 mph to coincide with Cuyahoga Falls speed limit

1513 Requests for Service were completed for residents/communities in 2025

HIGHLIGHTS/AWARDS

▪ Award-Winning Project

- South Main Street Bridge
 - In early 2025, the South Main Street Bridge project in the City of Green received a prestigious engineering design award from the American Council of Engineering Companies (ACEC), recognizing both the quality of the design and the collaboration that made the project a success.

▪ Regional Pavement Program

- In 2025, Summit County's Regional Pavement Maintenance Program was recognized beyond the county level, as it was featured in a municipal trade magazine highlighting innovative approaches to infrastructure management.
 - Communities saving money by bidding projects together
 - Easier for townships, better pricing

▪ Stormwater / Flooding Work

- SWMD projects + outreach
 - 23,700+ residents reached through community events, rain barrel workshops, stream monitoring demos, library programs, and educational outreach.
 - 850+ students engaged, learning how stormwater impacts our watershed and how everyday actions make a difference.
 - 425+ volunteers involved in stream monitoring, litter cleanups, and other hands-on stewardship activities.



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REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

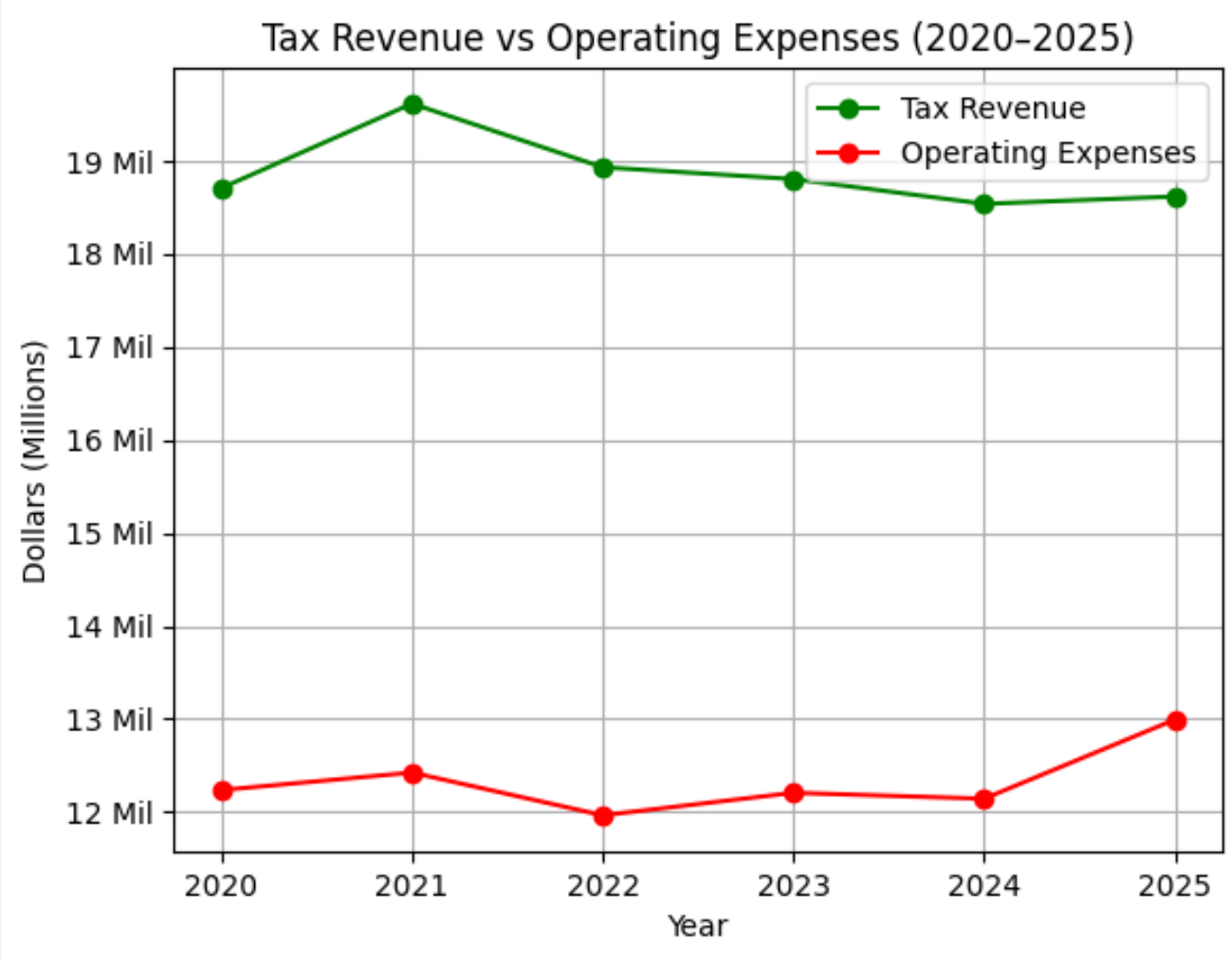
OPERATING EXPENDITURES (COUNTY)

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Personnel	\$8,940,900	\$9,119,844	\$9,012,150	\$9,401,750	\$9,641,405	\$10,248,858
Operations	\$2,987,252	\$3,010,920	\$2,947,040	\$2,799,306	\$2,496,393	\$2,744,777
Debt Service	\$308,013	\$303,463	\$5,951	\$5,951	\$5,570	\$0
Total	\$12,236,165	\$12,424,227	\$11,965,142	\$12,207,007	\$12,143,368	\$12,993,636

TAX REVENUE (COUNTY)

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
License Taxes	\$15,089,409	\$15,872,209	\$15,227,839	\$14,974,005	\$14,663,139	\$14,655,228
Gasoline Tax	\$3,614,207	\$3,739,694	\$3,700,502	\$3,827,153	\$3,871,745	\$3,958,474
Total	\$18,703,616	\$19,611,903	\$18,928,341	\$18,801,158	\$18,534,884	\$18,613,703

CHALLENGES



This graph shows tax revenue vs operating expenses in 2025.

- PLEASE NOTE:
 - This graph does not show an additional \$6.9 million in capital projects.
 - Revenue has increased slightly by 1.5% from 2024 to 2025, this modest gain does not reflect the broader trend. Since 2021, our revenues have declined by 5.13%, while the cost of living, materials, equipment, and contracted services has risen significantly.



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QUESTIONS?

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