

MONTGOMERY COUNTY MUNICIPAL COURT  
WESTERN AND EASTERN DIVISIONS  
2016 ANNUAL REPORT

MONTGOMERY COUNTY  
MUNICIPAL COURT  
EASTERN DIVISION  
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New Lebanon Courthouse



Huber Heights Courthouse

ADELE M. RILEY, PRESIDING JUDGE  
JAMES D. PIERGIES, ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE

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## INTRODUCTION

The Montgomery County Municipal Court was established by the State of Ohio on July 1, 2010. This Court is the successor court to the County Court of Montgomery County which was established in 1952. That court was the successor court to the Township Justices of the Peace prior to 1952. The Justices of the Peace were laymen elected by each township to act as part-time judicial officers. The County Court was comprised of attorneys elected throughout the area of the court's jurisdiction to serve as part-time judges. The County Municipal Court is downsizing by attrition from five part-time judges to two full-time judges. Presently, there is one full-time judge in New Lebanon and two full-time judges in Huber Heights.

THE PRESENT COUNTY MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGES ARE:



Honorable Adele M. Riley  
1990 – 1994 and 2005 - Present

Judge Adele Riley received her B.A. from Boston University, Master of Science Education Administration and J.D. from University of Dayton in 1981.



Honorable James D. Piergies  
1995 – Present

Judge James Piergies received his B.A. from Bowling Green State University in 1974 and his J.D. from University of Dayton School of Law in 1980.



Honorable James A. Hensley, Jr.  
1995 – Present

Judge James Hensley received his B.A. and J.D. from University of Dayton.

## Jurisdiction and Organization

The County Municipal Court serves four townships and eight municipalities in the northwest and northeast portions of Montgomery County.

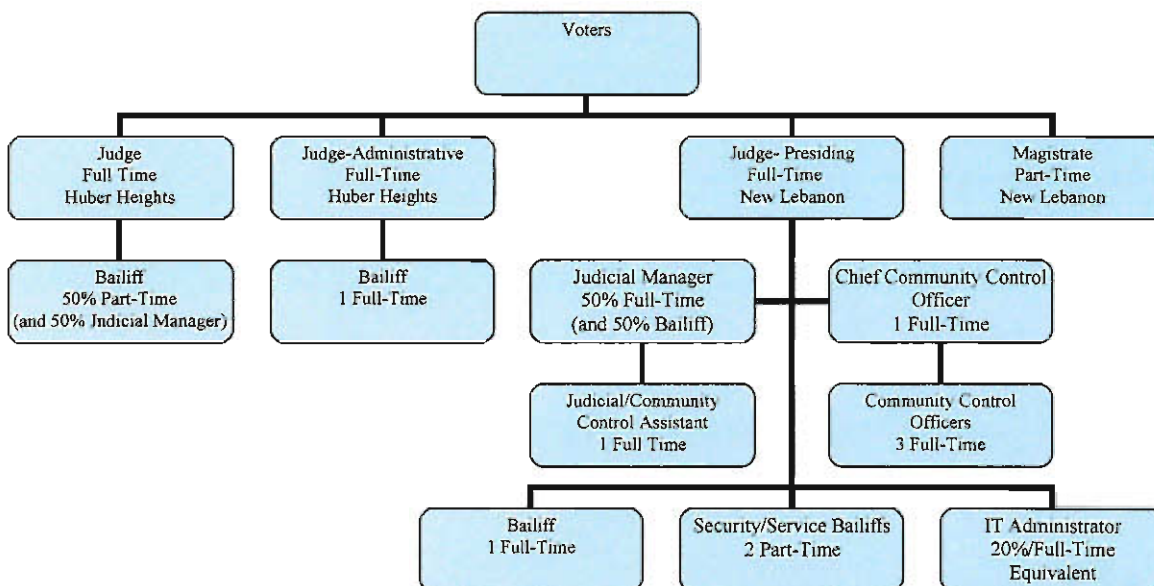
The County Municipal Court Western Division in New Lebanon serves the cities of Trotwood and Brookville; the townships of Clay, Jackson, Jefferson and Perry; and the villages of Farmersville, New Lebanon, Phillipsburg and Verona. The County Municipal Court Eastern Division in Huber Heights serves the cities of Huber Heights and Riverside.

County Municipal Court also serves the other law enforcement agencies that file cases from within these jurisdictions such as the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office, Ohio State Patrol, Ohio Park Rangers, Ohio Division of

Wildlife, Public Utilities Commission Police, Montgomery County Zoning, Public Health District of Dayton and Montgomery County, Animal Resource Center, Municipal Department of Taxation and the Board of Liquor Control.

The County Municipal Court has jurisdiction in all adult traffic and misdemeanor cases occurring in the court's jurisdiction. They are also the originating court for felony filings for preliminary hearings. The court has jurisdiction in civil cases up to \$15,000 and jurisdiction in small claims cases up to \$6,000. The court has a full-time Community Control Department responsible for supervising defendants. The Clerk of the County Municipal Court is the elected Clerk of Courts of Montgomery County.

The present organizational chart of the court is:



## **Court Personnel**

The County Municipal Court, Western and Eastern Divisions, is staffed by three full-time elected Judges (Adele M. Riley, James D. Piergies and James A. Hensley, Jr.), one part-time Magistrate Kelvin Boddie, elected Clerk of Courts for Montgomery County (Gregory Brush), one Judicial Manager and Bailiff (Carol A. Madewell), one Chief Community Control Officer (Dean A. Johnson) and three full-time Community Control Officers (Barbara Cannon, Leslie Riley, and Brian Townsend), two full-time bailiffs (Ron Osborne and Amy Evans), three part-time security/service bailiffs (Ron Fisher, Frank Navarre, and Dale Markin), and one full-time judicial/community control assistant (Taylor Shelton).

## **Community Control Department**

The County Municipal Court Community Control Department has supervisory responsibility for individuals whom the court places on community control. The Community Control Officers monitor the individuals for compliance with the law, completion of drug and alcohol treatment, batterers' education, theft education, anger management, community service and other requirements ordered by the Court.

The Community Control Department is responsible for preparing pre-sentence investigation reports, expungement reports, accepting restitution payments, performing drug screens, scheduling revocation hearings, and establishing ignition interlock.

The court placed 845 individuals on Community Control in 2016 and 1,096 individuals were successfully terminated. The Community Control Department prepared 83 pre-sentence investigation reports and 191 expungement reports.

## **Case Load**

During the calendar year 2016 County Municipal Court processed 18,376 cases comprised of 14,852 new case filings from local jurisdictions and had 2,804 cases that were reactivated. The new case filings may include multiple charges and does not include parking tickets. The following charts summarize the case load of the Administrative Judge and the Individual Judges for 2016.

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Courtwide

|  | A        | B            | C     | D             | E                                 | F         | G      | H           | I            | T      |
|--|----------|--------------|-------|---------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|--------|-------------|--------------|--------|
|  | Felonies | Misdemeanors | O.V/L | Other Traffic | Personal Injury & Property Damage | Contracts | F.E.D. | Other Civil | Small Claims | Total  |
| Pending beginning of period                        | 5        | 74           | 4     | 213           | 15                                | 356       | 20     | 10          | 23           | 720    |
| New cases filed                                    | 216      | 3,263        | 348   | 8,217         | 34                                | 1,283     | 1,328  | 58          | 105          | 14,852 |
| Cases transferred in, reactivated, or redesignated | 60       | 1,089        | 15    | 1,629         | 0                                 | 8         | 2      | 0           | 1            | 2,804  |
| Total cases  | 281      | 4,426        | 367   | 10,059        | 49                                | 1,847     | 1,350  | 68          | 129          | 18,376 |

**TERMINATIONS BY:**

|   | A          | B            | C          | D            | E         | F            | G            | H         | I          | T             |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|-----------|------------|---------------|
| Trial/Hearing by Judge (include bindover by preliminary hearing, guilty or no contest pleas and defaults) | 37         | 333          | 6          | 1,799        | 6         | 578          | 2            | 31        | 35         | 2,826         |
| Hearing by Magistrate (include guilty or no contest pleas and defaults)                                   | X          | 85           | 0          | 733          | 1         | 0            | 0            | 0         | 28         | 845           |
| Transfer (include waivers of preliminary hearing and individual judge assignments)                        | 74         | 2,577        | 335        | 2,047        | 9         | 157          | 1,340        | 1         | 2          | 6,542         |
| Dismissal for lack of speedy trial (criminal) or want of prosecution (civil)                              | 0          | 2            | 0          | 11           | 0         | 0            | 0            | 0         | 0          | 13            |
| Other Dismissals (include dismissals at preliminary hearing)  | 98         | 534          | 3          | 748          | 9         | 234          | 5            | 8         | 28         | 1,664         |
| Violations Bureau   | X          | 151          | X          | 3,480        | X         | X            | X            | X         | X          | 3,611         |
| Unavailability of party for trial or sentencing   | 88         | 673          | 21         | 1,027        | 0         | 6            | 0            | 0         | 2          | 1,795         |
| Bankruptcy stay or interlocutory appeal   | 0          | 0            | 0          | 0            | 0         | 22           | 0            | 0         | 4          | 26            |
| Other terminations  | 2          | 0            | 0          | 2            | 3         | 109          | 0            | 25        | 13         | 154           |
| <b>TOTAL Terminations</b>   | <b>275</b> | <b>4,355</b> | <b>365</b> | <b>8,827</b> | <b>28</b> | <b>1,107</b> | <b>1,348</b> | <b>65</b> | <b>108</b> | <b>17,478</b> |
| Clearance rate  | 100%       | 100%         | 101%       | 100%         | 82%       | 86%          | 101%         | 112%      | 102%       | 89%           |
| Time guideline (months)   | 1          | 6            | 6          | 6            | 24        | 12           | 12           | 12        | 6          | X             |
| Pending end of period   | 8          | 71           | 2          | 232          | 21        | 540          | 2            | 3         | 21         | 898           |
| Cases pending beyond time guideline   | 0          | 0            | 0          | 0            | 0         | 1            | 0            | 0         | 0          | 1             |
| Overage rate  | 0%         | 0%           | 0%         | 0%           | 0%        | 0%           | 0%           | 0%        | 0%         | 0%            |
| Number of months oldest case overage  | 0          | 0            | 0          | 0            | 0         | 4            | 0            | 0         | 1          | X             |

# Cases Assigned to Judges

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Montgomery County Municipal Court

Adele Riley

|  | B            | C      | D             | E                                   | F         | G      | H           | T     | V              |
|--|--------------|--------|---------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|--------|-------------|-------|----------------|
|  | Misdemeanors | O.V.I. | Other Traffic | Personal Injury and Property Damage | Contracts | F.E.D. | Other Civil | Total | Visiting Judge |
| Pending beginning of period                        | 77           | 18     | 78            | 0                                   | 10        | 169    | 0           | 372   | 0              |
| New cases filed                                    | 1,279        | 137    | 933           | 2                                   | 7         | 851    | 0           | 3,209 | 0              |
| Cases transferred in, reactivated, or redesignated | 420          | 30     | 611           | 2                                   | 3         | 161    | 0           | 1,227 | 1              |
| Total cases  | 1,776        | 185    | 1,622         | 4                                   | 20        | 1,201  | 0           | 4,808 | 1              |

| TERMINATIONS BY:   | B     | C   | D     | E    | F    | G   | H  | T     | V    |
|--|-------|-----|-------|------|------|-----|----|-------|------|
| Jury trial   | 1     | 0   | 3     | 0    | 2    | 0   | 0  | 6     | 0    |
| Court Trial  | 13    | 0   | 20    | 0    | 0    | 1   | 0  | 34    | 0    |
| Default  | X     | X   | X     | 1    | 2    | 7   | 0  | 10    | 0    |
| Gilty or no contest plea to original charge                                  | 225   | 73  | 448   | X    | X    | X   | X  | 758   | 1    |
| Gilty or no contest plea to reduced charge                                   | 363   | 72  | 158   | X    | X    | X   | X  | 593   | 0    |
| Dismissal for lack of speedy trial (criminal) or want of prosecution (civil) | 0     | 0   | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0   | 0  | 0     | 0    |
| Other Dismissals   | 693   | 2   | 385   | 3    | 8    | 587 | 0  | 1,858 | 0    |
| Transfer to another judge or court   | 0     | 0   | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0   | 0  | 0     | 0    |
| Referral to private judge  | X     | X   | X     | 0    | 1    | 0   | 0  | 1     | 0    |
| Unavailability of party for trial or sentencing                              | 284   | 15  | 458   | 0    | 0    | 0   | 0  | 755   | 0    |
| Bankruptcy stay or interlocutory appeal                                      | 0     | 0   | 0     | 0    | 0    | 1   | 0  | 1     | 0    |
| Other terminations   | 8     | 0   | 0     | 0    | 6    | 146 | 0  | 160   | 0    |
| TOTAL Terminations   | 1,597 | 162 | 1,470 | 4    | 19   | 722 | 0  | 3,974 | 1    |
| Clearance rate   | 84%   | 97% | 95%   | 100% | 180% | 71% | 0% | 80%   | 100% |
| Time guideline (months)  | 8     | 8   | 6     | 24   | 12   | 12  | 12 | X     | X    |
| Pending end of period  | 179   | 23  | 152   | 0    | 1    | 479 | 0  | 834   | 0    |
| Cases pending beyond time guideline  | 6     | 2   | 5     | 0    | 0    | 0   | 0  | 13    | 0    |
| Overage rate   | 3%    | 9%  | 3%    | 0%   | 0%   | 0%  | 0% | 2%    | 0%   |
| Number of months oldest case overage   | 5     | 3   | 3     | 0    | 0    | 0   | 0  | X     | 1    |
| Cases submitted awaiting sentencing or judgment beyond time guideline        | 0     | 0   | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0   | 0  | 0     | 0    |



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Montgomery County Municipal Court

James Piergles

|  | B            | C      | D             | E                                   | F         | G      | H           | T     | V              |
|--|--------------|--------|---------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|--------|-------------|-------|----------------|
|  | Misdemeanors | O.V.I. | Other Traffic | Personal Injury and Property Damage | Contracts | F.E.D. | Other Civil | Total | Visiting Judge |
| Pending beginning of period                        | 93           | 38     | 81            | 0                                   | 15        | 134    | 0           | 369   | 0              |
| New cases filed                                    | 834          | 98     | 554           | 6                                   | 74        | 275    | 0           | 1,641 | 0              |
| Cases transferred in, reactivated, or redesignated | 111          | 5      | 174           | 0                                   | 1         | 6      | 0           | 297   | 0              |
| Total cases  | 838          | 139    | 809           | 6                                   | 90        | 415    | 0           | 2,297 | 0              |

| TERMINATIONS BY:   | B    | C    | D    | E    | F    | G    | H  | T     | V  |
|--|------|------|------|------|------|------|----|-------|----|
| Jury trial   | 3    | 0    | 5    | 1    | 2    | 1    | 0  | 12    | 0  |
| Court Trial  | 4    | 0    | 6    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0  | 10    | 0  |
| Default  | X    | X    | X    | 4    | 48   | 70   | 0  | 122   | 0  |
| Guilty or no contest plea to original charge                                 | 169  | 50   | 283  | X    | X    | X    | X  | 602   | 0  |
| Guilty or no contest plea to reduced charge                                  | 279  | 60   | 118  | X    | X    | X    | X  | 455   | 0  |
| Dismissal for lack of speedy trial (criminal) or want of prosecution (civil) | 0    | 0    | 3    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0  | 3     | 0  |
| Other Dismissals   | 207  | 4    | 199  | 1    | 11   | 225  | 0  | 647   | 0  |
| Transfer to another judge or court   | 7    | 0    | 4    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 0  | 12    | 0  |
| Referral to private judge  | X    | X    | X    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 0  | 1     | 0  |
| Unavailability of party for trial or sentencing                              | 83   | 4    | 137  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0  | 224   | 0  |
| Bankruptcy stay or interlocutory appeal                                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0  | 0     | 0  |
| Other terminations   | 2    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 13   | 13   | 0  | 29    | 0  |
| TOTAL Terminations   | 754  | 118  | 754  | 6    | 78   | 309  | 0  | 2,017 | 0  |
| Clearance rate   | 101% | 115% | 104% | 100% | 101% | 110% | 0% | 104%  | 0% |
| Time guideline (months)  | 6    | 6    | 6    | 24   | 12   | 12   | 12 | X     | X  |
| Pending end of period  | 84   | 21   | 55   | 0    | 14   | 106  | 0  | 280   | 0  |
| Cases pending beyond time guideline  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0  | 0     | 0  |
| Coverage rate  | 0%   | 0%   | 0%   | 0%   | 0%   | 0%   | 0% | 0%    | 0% |
| Number of months oldest case coverage  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0  | X     | 0  |
| Cases submitted awaiting sentencing or judgment beyond time guideline        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0  | 0     | 0  |

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Montgomery County Municipal Court  
James Hensley Jr.

|  | B            | C      | D             | E                                   | F         | G      | H           | T     | V             |
|--|--------------|--------|---------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|--------|-------------|-------|---------------|
|  | Misdemeanors | O.V.I. | Other Traffic | Personal Injury and Property Damage | Contracts | F.E.D. | Other CIVIL | Total | Waiting Judge |
| Pending beginning of period                        | 63           | 24     | 53            | 2                                   | 10        | 81     | 0           | 233   | 0             |
| New cases filed                                    | 655          | 102    | 558           | 3                                   | 74        | 221    | 2           | 1,615 | 0             |
| Cases transferred in, reactivated, or redesignated | 93           | 3      | 126           | 0                                   | 0         | 0      | 0           | 222   | 0             |
| Total cases  | 811          | 129    | 737           | 5                                   | 84        | 302    | 2           | 2,070 | 0             |

TERMINATIONS BY:

|  | B   | C    | D    | E    | F    | G    | H   | T     | V  |
|--|-----|------|------|------|------|------|-----|-------|----|
| Jury trial   | 0   | 0    | 7    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 0   | 9     | 0  |
| Court Trial  | 3   | 0    | 3    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0   | 6     | 0  |
| Default  | X   | X    | X    | 2    | 48   | 21   | 0   | 69    | 6  |
| Gilty or no contest plea to original charge                                  | 190 | 44   | 283  | X    | X    | X    | X   | 517   | 0  |
| Gilty or no contest plea to reduced charge                                   | 188 | 55   | 105  | X    | X    | X    | X   | 348   | 0  |
| Dismissal for lack of speedy trial (criminal) or want of prosecution (civil) | 0   | 0    | 2    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0   | 2     | 0  |
| Other Dismissals   | 257 | 3    | 180  | 3    | 21   | 183  | 0   | 647   | 0  |
| Transfer to another judge or court   | 9   | 2    | 7    | 0    | 0    | 5    | 0   | 23    | 0  |
| Referral to private judge  | X   | X    | X    | 0    | 2    | 0    | 0   | 2     | 0  |
| Unavailability of party for trial or sentencing                              | 92  | 2    | 96   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0   | 190   | 0  |
| Bankruptcy stay or interlocutory appeal                                      | 0   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0   | 0     | 0  |
| Other terminations   | 0   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 5    | 12   | 1   | 18    | 0  |
| TOTAL Terminations   | 739 | 106  | 683  | 5    | 75   | 222  | 1   | 1,831 | 6  |
| Clearance rate   | 96% | 101% | 100% | 187% | 101% | 100% | 50% | 100%  | 0% |
| Time guideline (months)  | 6   | 6    | 6    | 24   | 12   | 12   | 12  | X     | X  |
| Pending end of period  | 72  | 23   | 54   | 0    | 9    | 80   | 1   | 239   | 0  |
| Cases pending beyond time guideline  | 0   | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0   | 1     | 0  |
| Overage rate   | 0%  | 4%   | 0%   | 0%   | 0%   | 0%   | 0%  | 0%    | 0% |
| Number of months oldest case overage   | 1   | 5    | 3    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 0   | X     | 0  |
| Cases submitted awaiting sentencing or judgment beyond time guideline        | 0   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0   | 0     | 0  |

**FUNDS COLLECTED AND DISBURSEMENTS**

The following charts set out the fines and court costs that were assessed by the court and collected and disbursed by the Clerk of Courts.

**CRIMINAL/TRAFFIC RECEIPTS AND DISTRIBUTIONS**

For the 2016 year, County Municipal Court collected \$1,387,547.98 in fines, court costs, and other monies for criminal and traffic cases. Distributed as follows:

| CRIMINAL-TRAFFIC                                |               | MONTGOMERY CO TREASURER: |              |
|---|---------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| CLAY TOWNSHIP                                   | \$ 705.00     | BROOKVILLE:              |              |
| JACKSON TOWNSHIP                                | \$ 25.00      | 4511 & 4513              | \$ 4,371.00  |
| PERRY TOWNSHIP                                  | \$ 160.00     | NON 4511 & 4513          | \$ 4,210.00  |
| BROOKVILLE                                      | \$ 8,807.00   | CRIMINAL                 | \$ 3,561.25  |
| HUBER HEIGHTS                                   | \$ 41,839.15  | CLAY                     |              |
| NEW LEBANON                                     | \$ 299.00     | 4511 & 4513              | \$ 14,846.50 |
| PHILLIPSBURG                                    | \$ 82.00      | NON 4511 & 4513          | \$ 2,798.00  |
| RIVERSIDE                                       | \$ 14,522.00  | CRIMINAL                 | \$ 1,324.00  |
| TROTWOOD  | \$ 3,332.00   | HUBER HEIGHTS            |              |
| VERONA  | -             | 4511 & 4513              | \$ 14,576.25 |
| FIVE RIVERS METRO PARK                          | \$ 260.00     | NON 4511 & 4513          | \$ 15,572.25 |
| MONT CO SHERIFF FINES                           | \$ 934.00     | CRIMINAL                 | \$ 15,172.25 |
| MONT CO SHERIFF -                               |               | JACKSON                  |              |
| SERVICE OF SUMMONS                              | \$ 6,187.00   | 4511 & 4513              | \$ 4,198.00  |
| OTHER COUNTIES -                                |               | NON 4511 & 4513          | \$ 1,164.00  |
| SERVICE OF SUMMONS                              | \$ 502.98     | CRIMINAL                 | \$ 35.00     |
| OHIO STATE PATROL                               | \$ 260.50     | MCSO/JEFFERSON           |              |
| MONT CO TREASURER:                              |               | 4511 & 4513              | \$ 8,604.00  |
| CLERK AUTOMATION/<br>COMPUTER                   |               | NON 4511 & 4513          | \$ 6,018.00  |
| IMPROVEMENT                                     | \$ 94,090.30  | CRIMINAL                 | \$ 1,130.50  |
| COURT IDAFT<br>INDIGENT MONITORING<br>FUND      | \$ 14,334.53  | NEW LEBANON              |              |
| COMPUTER/LEGAL<br>RESEARCH                      | \$ 10,588.39  | 4511 & 4513              | \$ 2,137.00  |
| NSF FEES  | \$ 28,184.54  | NON 4511 & 4513          | \$ 1,044.00  |
| SPECIAL PROJECTS FEES                           | \$ 293.00     | CRIMINAL                 | \$ 2,088.00  |
| PROBATION                                       | \$ 132,222.47 | PERRY                    |              |
| PUBLIC DEFENDER FEE                             | \$ 50,827.75  | 4511 & 4513              | \$ 6,407.00  |
| REIMBURSEMENTS<br>CREDIT CARD<br>FEE/AUTOMATION | \$ 29,100.10  | NON 4511 & 4513          | \$ 1,196.00  |
| MONT COUNTY SHERIFF:                            | \$ 10.00      | CRIMINAL                 | \$ 529.00    |
|   | \$ 11,085.00  | PHILLIPSBURG             | -            |
|   | \$ 7,166.00   | 4511 & 4513              | \$ 1,616.00  |

|                           |               |                    |                |
|---------------------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------|
| BOOK IN /BOOK OUT         | \$ 13,302.25  | NON 4511 & 4513    | \$ 215.00      |
| HOUSING                   | \$ 8,792.50   | CRIMINAL           | \$ -           |
| COUNTY IDATF              | \$ 3,999.20   | RIVERSIDE          |                |
| VIDEO TRANSPORTATION FEES | \$ 3,718.00   | 4511 & 4513        | \$ 24,962.00   |
| SHERIFF FINES             | \$ 490.00     | NON 4511 & 4513    | \$ 13,883.50   |
| STATE OF OHIO:            |               | CRIMINAL           | \$ 3,672.00    |
| CHILD RESTRAINT           | \$ 943.00     | SHERIFF            |                |
| DRUG LAW ENFORCEMENT      | \$ 23,232.46  | 4511 & 4513        | \$ 945.00      |
| EXPUNGEMENT               | \$ 3,960.00   | NON 4511 & 4513    | \$ 147.00      |
| INDIGENT DEFENSE/         |               | CRIMINAL           | \$ 2,528.50    |
| GENERAL REVENUE           | \$ 209,776.62 | TROTWOOD           | -              |
| LIQUOR                    | \$ 545.00     | 4511 & 4513        | \$ 26,129.00   |
| OSP FINES (50%)           | \$ 14,290.50  | NON 4511 & 4513    | \$ 16,164.25   |
| SEAT BELT                 | \$ 7,753.00   | CRIMINAL           | \$ 11,569.00   |
| VICTIM OF CRIME           | \$ 71,491.22  | VERONA             | -              |
| OHIO BMV:                 | \$ 27,042.25  | 4511 & 4513        | -              |
| LICENSE FORFEITURE        | \$ 75.00      | NON 4511 & 4513    | -              |
| WARRANT BLOCK             | \$ 40.00      | CRIMINAL: JURY FEE | \$ 8.00        |
|                           |               | 10% BOND FEE       | \$ 33,215.50   |
| DIVISION OF WILDLIFE      | \$ 110.00     | MONT CO LIQUOR     | \$ 545.00      |
| OHIO BOARD OF PHARMACY    | \$ 1,730.00   | LOCAL COST         | \$ 200,913.74  |
| OHIO DEPT OF              |               | WITNESS FEES       | \$ 3,037.77    |
| PUBLIC SAFTEY             | -             | OSP FINES TRAFFIC  | \$ 14,290.50   |
| CRIME STOPPERS            | \$ 1,373.26   | OSP FINES CRIMINAL | \$ 260.00      |
| FIVE RIVERS METRO PARKS   | -             | DOG WARDEN         | \$ 4,793.00    |
| CAPITAL RECOVERY          | \$ 64,871.60  | EXPUNGEMENT CO.    | \$ 2,650.00    |
|                           |               | TREASURER MONT CO  |                |
|                           |               | UNCLAIMED FUNDS    | \$ 8,789.65    |
|                           |               | TOTAL              | \$1,478,380.35 |

### **CIVIL DIVISION RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS**

The court collected money through the civil and small claims divisions totaling \$360,213.21 and distributed as follows:

|                                      |               |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|
| MONTGOMERY COUNTY :                  |               |
| LOCAL COST                           | \$ 202,657.06 |
| LEGAL RESEARCH                       | \$ 8,373.00   |
| COMPUTER IMPROVEMENT                 | \$ 28,081.00  |
| OPERATION FEES                       | \$ 47,415.00  |
| REIMBURSEMENTS                       | \$ -          |
| MONT CO SHERIFF -SERVICE OF SUMMONS  | \$ 1,420.00   |
| OTHER COUNTIES - SERVICE OF SUMMONS: | \$ 465.27     |

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| STATE OF OHIO                             |               |
| LEGAL AID (99%)                           | \$ 70,325.64  |
| Treasurer of Mont County- Unclaimed Funds | \$ 1,476.24   |
| NFS FEES                                  | \$ -          |
| TOTAL                                     | \$ 360,213.21 |

**PUBLIC DEFENDER'S OFFICE**

The Montgomery County Public Defender's Office provides valuable legal defense services to individuals who cannot afford to retain their own attorney. In 2016 the Public Defender's Office represented a total of 3240 individuals in the County Municipal Court.

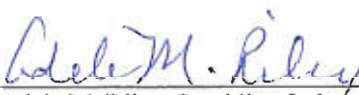
**SUMMARY**

The goal of the Montgomery County Municipal Court is to provide judicial service to those citizens who are required to utilize the courts' services. While the court primarily services citizens of Montgomery County, we touch the lives of many people who travel into Montgomery County or have business dealings therein. Although providing these services is important, we strive to meet the extraordinarily high standards which are set by the Second District Court of Appeals, the Ohio Supreme Court and the U.S. Supreme Court. The court provides an impartial forum to all citizens regarding criminal, traffic and civil cases.

The essence of any organization is the people who toil day-to-day to serve the citizen. In that respect our court is fortunate to have employees who are dedicated to this goal and who have achieved a high level of competence.

Eighteen thousand three hundred seventy-six (18,376) cases passed through the court either in civil, criminal or traffic filings. This range includes cases which were reactivated by the court due to some action by the defendant, i.e. expungements, etc. The Supreme Court has time guidelines which mandate all Ohio courts to report any case which exceeds their requirements. In all of the cases filed, reactivated, and decided four cases exceeded these guidelines. This record is a tribute to the hard work and attention to detail from the Judges, the judicial staff and the Clerk of Courts' staff. All court employees strive to ensure that each citizen who is touched by this organization leaves with the belief that their case has been heard and that they were treated fairly and with dignity.

All of us at the court express our gratitude for the support of the Montgomery County Commissioners and their staff. Without the help of these dedicated county workers we could not achieve the high level of efficiency which is a hallmark of Montgomery County. Our hope is that this positive working relationship will continue and that this partnership will be a benefit to the community we serve.

  
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 Adele M. Riley, Presiding Judge

  
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 James D. Piergies, Administrative Judge

  
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 James A. Hensley, Jr., Judge