



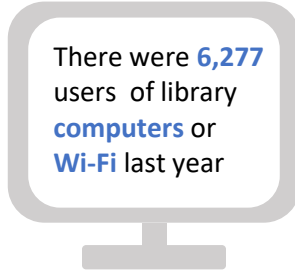
# 2021 Annual Report

Serving the 27,373 Residents of Owosso, Durand, Owosso Township, Bennington Township, Rush Township Through the Owosso Public Library and Durand Memorial Library

Shiawassee District Library patrons value their libraries because they know a library is: **An Enrichment Center** **A Technology Hub** **and has the Resources they need.**



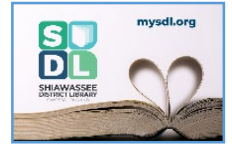
**7,656 people** attended a program at the library last year. SDL offers engaging programs for all ages free of charge.



There were **6,277** users of library computers or Wi-Fi last year

The Library offers free high speed internet on 10 public computers as well as wi-fi.

An **SDL library card** gets you **access** to over **94,000** items including **e-books, audiobooks, movies, music** and much more!



## Last year at the Library



**16,764** library visits



**206** programs for the community



**34,405** items were borrowed



**7,656** people attended a program



Over **6,000** information queries were answered by library staff



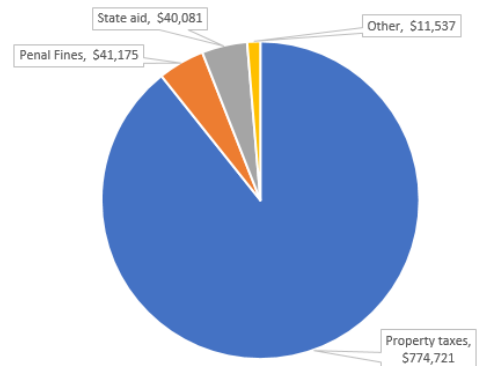
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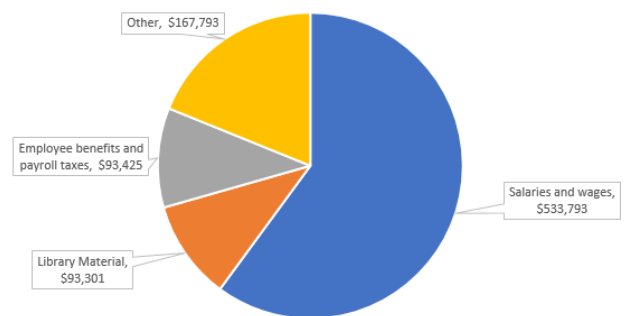
**25000 +** visits to our website

*\*note that COVID restrictions prevented libraries from providing in-house programs through much of 2021.*

## FY 2021 Gen Fund Revenue



## FY 2021 Gen Fund Expenses



New Web Page in 2021

[www.mysdl.org](http://www.mysdl.org)



SDL went Fine-Free in 2021

**201** Summer Readers

Studies show 2-3 months of reading skills are lost by children who skip summer reading. And that summer readers actually gain 1 month or more of proficiency!

SDL offers a summer reading program for all ages!

The Library is working to improve literacy across the district. Last year we implemented 1000 Books Before Kindergarten –an early childhood reading program free of charge for any child age 0-5 living in our service area.

