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Subject: State Fuel Tax Allocations to Counties

As provided for in 15-70-101 and 7-14-102(2), each year the Montana Department of Transportation (MDT) calculates the state fuel tax to be allocated to each county in Montana. Below are the amounts that Ravalli County can expect for the 2016 state fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015. The amounts shown are based upon the mileage that the county certified, population estimates and county land area. The total of the two amounts shown for each statute will be combined and paid in twelve monthly installments.

Table with 2 columns: Statute, Amount. Rows include 15-70-101, 7-14-102(2), and Total.

Please note that for this year's calculation, the U.S. Census Bureau's 2014 population estimates for Montana's counties are being used.

Also shown is the comparison between allocations for the upcoming and previous state fiscal years. This amount may differ due to a variety of reasons, including city annexations where both road miles and population are diverted from the county to the cities, changes in road status within the National Forest Service areas, and high growth areas across the state garnering larger percentages of the fuel tax dollars.

Table comparing Allocation for SFY2016 and SFY2015.

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