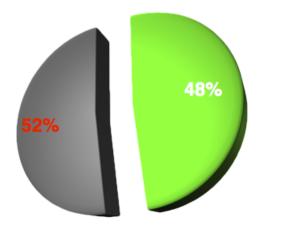
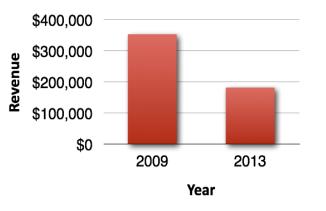
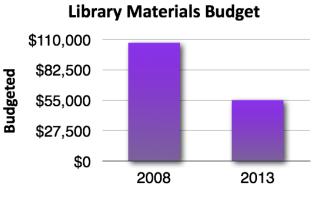
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Branch District Library Millage FAQ

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Millage FAQ

• When is the library millage election?

Branch District Library's millage election will be held on Tuesday, August 5, 2014.

How much will this new millage cost me?

Branch District Library is asking for .5 mills. For the average household in Branch County, the cost is approximately \$18.80/ year or 5¢ per day.

How long will this millage last?

This millage will last for eight years, 2015-2023.

• How much do we currently pay for the library system?

As a resident of the library district, you pay .605 mills for library operation. For the average household, this is approximately \$22.74/year or 6¢ per day.

How much money does this millage provide?

This millage will provide the library with approximately \$633,394.01 during its first year. The total amount will decrease the following years due to the Headlee Amendment.

 When was the last time we voted on a library millage? This is the first millage Branch District Library has requested since the formation of the district library in 1991.

• What is the wording on the ballot?

Shall the County of Branch establish an annual millage, pursuant to Public Act 24 of 1989, as amended. The amount of the millage levy shall be .5 mills for a period of eight years, for the purpose of the operating expenses for all branches of the Branch District Library. The .5 mills annually would raise the sum of \$633,394.01 What is included in "operating expenses"?

Operating expenses is a category of expenditures that the library incurs as a result of performing its normal operations. Operating expenses include but are not limited to salaries, utilities, materials and supplies.

