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**Line Mountain**

School District Factsheet

What does this mean for the Line Mountain School District?

- **41%** Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Line Mountain.
- **4** The number of times Line Mountain has raised property taxes in the last 8 years.
- **354** Line Mountain rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).
- **$3M** The increase in state funding for Line Mountain if it were fully funded by the state.

How much is spent to educate district students?

- **$15,318** Current spending per student in Line Mountain.
- **236** Line Mountain rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).

Contact these elected officials to let them know you support more funding for your schools and sensible property tax relief:

**Senator**

Sen. John Gordner (R)

**Representatives**

Rep. Kurt Masser (R)
Rep. Lynda Schlegel-Culver (R)

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Here is what has changed for the district since 2011 when the state dramatically reduced education funding.

Change in Expenditures for Special Education

+35%
+$701,997

Change in Payments to Charter Schools

+75%
+$246,270

Increase in instructional costs for the district

-$82,823
(-1%)

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

Number of students

1,152

Performance - Students on Grade Level

Reading: 3rd
59%

Math: 7th
38%

Child Poverty Rate

School District
21%

Statewide
18%

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