



**Department of
Taxation**

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The Honorable John R. Kasich
Governor of Ohio

Members of the Ohio General Assembly

Dear Governor, Senators and Representatives,

It is my responsibility and privilege to provide you the Fiscal Year 2015 Annual Report of the Ohio Department of Taxation.

This report highlights the department's activities during the year in compliance with Ohio Revised Code 5703.42. It provides a complete description of the base, rates and provisions of each of the 20 taxes administered by the department, two taxes not administered by the department, four revenue sharing funds administered by the department and 13 locally administered taxes. The 2015 Annual Report also provides detailed statistical data concerning each tax and an accounting of department activities during the fiscal year.

My hope is that the contents of this report will be of value and interest to you, the General Assembly, and the people of Ohio.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Joseph W. Testa', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Joseph W. Testa
Tax Commissioner