

Annual Financial Report



Indiana State Board of Accounts

2025

LINCOLN TOWNSHIP

St. Joseph County

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Per [IC 5-11-1-4](#) every municipality and local government is required to provide electronically and in a manner prescribed by the state examiner, financial reports for the fiscal year not later than sixty days after the close of the fiscal year.

Completion and submission of the Gateway *Annual Financial Report* (AFR) will fulfill this requirement. This document comprises all of the report outputs generated by Gateway, based on the information entered by the government unit and submitted by the government official as stipulated in state law.

Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Annual Financial Report - 2025
Cash & Investments Combined Statement

	Local Fund Number	Local Fund Name	Beg Cash & Inv Bal Jan. 1, 2025	Receipts	Disbursement	End Cash & Inv Bal Dec. 31, 2025
Governmental Activities	0061	RAINY DAY FUND	\$47,253.86	\$0.00	\$19,985.63	\$27,268.23
	0101	TOWNSHIP FUND	\$133,259.81	\$115,386.60	\$150,169.00	\$98,477.41
	0108	EXCESS LEVEY	\$476.71	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$476.71
	0840	TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE	\$31,481.28	\$0.00	\$12,126.13	\$19,355.15
	1190	CUMULATIVE FIRE FUND	\$250.00	\$2,450.00	\$0.00	\$2,700.00
	1301	PARKS AND RECREATION	\$8,771.66	\$0.00	\$1,500.00	\$7,271.66
	9999	PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS	\$1,319.63	\$6,459.44	\$7,779.07	\$0.00
GRAND TOTAL			\$222,812.95	\$124,296.04	\$191,559.83	\$155,549.16

**Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Detailed Receipts 2025**

Governmental Activities	TOWNSHIP FUND	General Property Taxes	\$93,397.04
		Local Income Tax (LIT) Certified Shares	\$18,242.04
		Local Income Tax (LIT) Supplemental Distribution	\$2,005.00
		Total Taxes and Intergovernmental	\$113,644.08
		Earnings on Investments and Deposits	\$441.31
		Transfers In - Transferred from Another Fund	\$1,301.21
		Total Other Receipts	\$1,742.52
		Total TOWNSHIP FUND	\$115,386.60
	CUMULATIVE FIRE FUND	Earnings on Investments and Deposits	\$2,450.00
		Total Other Receipts	\$2,450.00
		Total CUMULATIVE FIRE FUND	\$2,450.00
	PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS	Payroll Fund and Clearing Account Receipts	\$6,459.44
		Total Other Receipts	\$6,459.44
		Total PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS	\$6,459.44
Total Governmental Activities			\$124,296.04

**Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Disbursements by Fund - 2025**

Governmental Activities	RAINY DAY FUND	Other Services and Charges	\$19,985.63
		Total Services and Charges	\$19,985.63
		Total RAINY DAY FUND	\$19,985.63
	TOWNSHIP FUND	Salaries and Wages	\$32,555.12
		Other Personal Services	\$2,491.84
		Total Personal Services	\$35,046.96
		Office Supplies	\$85.55
		Operating Supplies	\$27.72
		Total Supplies	\$113.27
		Professional Services	\$2,000.00
		Communication and Transportation	\$13.90
		Insurance	\$4,644.00
		Utility Services	\$1,559.54
		Rentals	\$12,000.00
		Other Services and Charges	\$320.00
		Total Services and Charges	\$20,537.44
		Machinery, Equipment, and Vehicles	\$94,471.33
		Total Capital Outlays	\$94,471.33
		Total TOWNSHIP FUND	\$150,169.00
	TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE	Housing	\$2,990.00
		Utilities	\$7,028.27
		Food	\$1,107.86

Governmental Activities	TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE	Clothing	\$1,000.00
		Total Township Assistance	\$12,126.13
	Total TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE		\$12,126.13
	PARKS AND RECREATION	Other Services and Charges	\$1,500.00
		Total Services and Charges	\$1,500.00
	Total PARKS AND RECREATION		\$1,500.00
	PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS	Payment of Taxes and Other Payroll Withholdings	\$7,779.07
		Total Other Disbursements	\$7,779.07
	Total PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS		\$7,779.07
Total Governmental Activities			\$191,559.83

**Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Township Disbursements - 2025**

Fund Name	Category	Paid To	Amount
RAINY DAY FUND	Services and Charges	1215 TOWN OF WALKERTON	\$3,300.00
	Services and Charges	1310 1ST SOURCE BANK	\$3,999.99
	Services and Charges	1322 STRYKER FLEX FINANCIAL	\$12,685.64
	Total Services and Charges		\$19,985.63
Total RAINY DAY FUND			\$19,985.63
TOWNSHIP FUND	Personal Services	1302 TAMMY VALDEZ	\$9,499.88
	Personal Services	1301 ETHAN BARDEN	\$1,103.82
	Personal Services	1300 KATHLEEN FOX	\$999.96
	Personal Services	1293 CHARLES KULP	\$19,919.90
	Personal Services	1342 KELSI SHEAKS	\$499.98
	Personal Services	1231 INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE	\$2,491.84
	Personal Services	1299 JIM CHRISTIE	\$531.58
Total Personal Services		\$35,046.96	
	Supplies	1310 1ST SOURCE BANK	\$75.09
	Supplies	1314 EVERWISE CREDIT UNION	\$38.18
Total Supplies		\$113.27	
	Services and Charges	1302 TAMMY VALDEZ	\$13.90
	Services and Charges	1306 AT&T MOBILITY	\$459.54
	Services and Charges	1286 WALKERTON-LINCOLN TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY	\$500.00
	Services and Charges	1225 LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY	\$120.00
	Services and Charges	1335 WALKERTON ELEMENTARY PTA	\$200.00
	Services and Charges	1237 JMS INSURANCE	\$4,644.00
	Services and Charges	1344 GORKA GRAPHICS AND APPAREL	\$1,100.00

Fund Name	Category	Paid To	Amount
TOWNSHIP FUND	Services and Charges	1295 WALKERTON-LINCOLN FIRE TERRITORY	\$12,000.00
	Services and Charges	1343 JOHN LAMPKINS	\$1,500.00
	Total Services and Charges		\$20,537.44
	Capital Outlays	1252 WALKERTON AREA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORP.	\$7,500.00
	Capital Outlays	1215 TOWN OF WALKERTON	\$21,500.00
	Capital Outlays	1310 1ST SOURCE BANK	\$2,302.79
	Capital Outlays	1316 WALKERTON POLICE DEPT.	\$3,000.00
	Capital Outlays	1330 WALKERTON FIRE DEPARTMENT	\$5,000.00
	Capital Outlays	1314 EVERWISE CREDIT UNION	\$3,085.29
	Capital Outlays	1333 STRYKER SALES, LLC	\$23,368.62
	Capital Outlays	1298 JOHN GLENN SCHOOL CORP	\$3,858.75
	Capital Outlays	1322 STRYKER FLEX FINANCIAL	\$22,764.88
	Capital Outlays	1212 NET RESULTS	\$1,591.00
	Capital Outlays	1331 JOHN GLENN EDUCATION FOUNDATION	\$500.00
	Total Capital Outlays		\$94,471.33
Total TOWNSHIP FUND			\$150,169.00
TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE	Township Assistance	1215 TOWN OF WALKERTON	\$7,125.73
	Township Assistance	1310 1ST SOURCE BANK	\$670.40
	Township Assistance	1268 DAN CHAMBERLIN	\$1,440.00
	Township Assistance	1317 UREY MIDDLE SCHOOL	\$540.00
	Township Assistance	1285 HOLSTON RENTALS LLC	\$2,350.00
	Total Township Assistance		\$12,126.13
Total TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE			\$12,126.13

Fund Name	Category	Paid To	Amount
PARKS AND RECREATION	Services and Charges	1309 WALKERTON PARKS DEPARTMENT	\$1,500.00
		Total Services and Charges	\$1,500.00
Total PARKS AND RECREATION			\$1,500.00
PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS	Personal Services	1231 INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE	\$4,981.80
	Personal Services	1226 INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE	\$1,496.06
		Total Personal Services	\$6,477.86
	Other Disbursements	5206 TRANSFER OF FUNDS	\$1,301.21
		Total Other Disbursements	\$1,301.21
Total PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS			\$7,779.07
GRAND TOTAL			\$191,559.83

Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana Disbursements by Fund with Departments - 2025

Governmental Activities	TOWNSHIP FUND	No Department	Salaries and Wages	\$32,555.12			
			Other Personal Services	\$2,491.84			
			Total Personal Services		\$35,046.96		
			Office Supplies		\$85.55		
			Operating Supplies		\$27.72		
			Total Supplies		\$113.27		
			Professional Services		\$2,000.00		
			Communication and Transportation		\$13.90		
			Insurance		\$4,644.00		
			Utility Services		\$1,559.54		
			Rentals		\$12,000.00		
			Other Services and Charges		\$320.00		
			Total Services and Charges		\$20,537.44		
			Machinery, Equipment, and Vehicles		\$94,471.33		
			Total Capital Outlays		\$94,471.33		
			Total No Department		\$150,169.00		
			Total TOWNSHIP FUND		\$150,169.00		
			Total Governmental Activities Disbursements for Funds with Departments				\$150,169.00

Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Fund Type Schedule 2025

Fund Type	Local Fund	Standard Fund
1 - General Fund	0101 - TOWNSHIP FUND	101008 - Township
1 - General Fund	9999 - PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS	900002 - PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS
2 - Special Revenue	0108 - EXCESS LEVEY	102351 - Levy Excess
2 - Special Revenue	0840 - TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE	102086 - Township Assistance
2 - Special Revenue	1301 - PARKS AND RECREATION	102056 - Parks And Recreation
4 - Capital Projects	0061 - RAINY DAY FUND	102194 - Rainy Day
4 - Capital Projects	1190 - CUMULATIVE FIRE FUND	104026 - Cumulative Fire

Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Debt Statement - 2025

GRAND TOTAL					\$0.00				
					Beginning Principal Balance as of	Additions	Reductions	Ending Principal Balance as of	Principal
GRAND TOTAL									

Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Deficit Fund Balances - 2025

<u>Enterprise Name</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Ending Cash and Investment Balance</u>
Total deficit fund balances		

**Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Leases 2025**

	Lessor	Description or Purpose	Annual Lease Payment Due	Lease Beginning Date	Lease Ending Date	Will you retain ownership of the property at the end of the lease term?
						GRAND TOTAL

**Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Transfer Report - 2025**

Transfers Out (Disbursements)		Transfers In (Receipts)	
Fund	Amount	Fund	Amount
Total Transfers Out		TOWNSHIP FUND	\$1,301.21
		Total Transfers In	\$1,301.21

**Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Capital Assets 2025**

Government or Enterprise		Beginning Balance as of January 1, 2025	Additions	Reductions	Ending Balance as of December 31, 2025
Governmental Activities - Non-Depreciable Assets	Land	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Construction in Progress	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Other Non-Depreciable Assets	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Total	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Governmental Activities - Depreciable Assets	Infrastructure	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Buildings	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Improvements Other Than Buildings	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Machinery, Equipment, and Vehicles	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Books and Other	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Total	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Governmental Activities - Accumulated Depreciation Assets	Infrastructure	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Buildings	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Improvements Other Than Buildings	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Machinery, Equipment, and Vehicles	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Books and Other	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Total	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

**Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Accounts Payable/Receivable Statement - 2025**

Government or Enterprise	Accounts Payable	Accounts Receivable
Governmental Activities	\$0.00	\$0.00

Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana

TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE STATISTICAL REPORT (IC 12-20-28-3)

FOR THE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2025

Name of Township Trustee	Charles Kulp
Phone Number	(574) 910-2239
1. Total number of requests for Township Assistance	18
2.(A) Total number of recipients of Township Assistance	41
2.(B) Total number of households containing recipients of Township Assistance	15
2.(C) Total number of individuals denied Township Assistance	3
3.(A) Total value of benefits provided to recipients of Township Assistance	\$12,126.00
3.(B) Total value of benefits denied to individuals applying for Township Assistance	\$1,800.00
4. Total value of benefits provided through efforts of township staff from sources other than township funds	\$0.00
5.(A) Total number receiving utility assistance - recipients	35
5.(A)(i) Total number receiving utility assistance - households	13
5.(B) Total number of recipients assisted by township staff in receiving utility assistance from sources other than township funds	0
6.(i) Total value of benefits provided for payment of utilities - township	\$7,028.13
6.(ii) Total value of benefits provided for payment of utilities - nontownship sources	\$0.00
6.(iii) Total value of all benefits provided for payment of utilities	\$7,028.13
7.(A) Total number receiving housing assistance - recipients	4
7.(A)(i) Total number receiving housing assistance - households	2
7.(B) Total number of recipients assisted by township staff in receiving housing assistance from sources other than township funds	0
8.(i) Total value of benefits provided for housing assistance - township	\$2,990.00
8.(ii) Total value of benefits provided for housing assistance - nontownship sources	\$0.00
8.(iii) Total value of all benefits provided for payment of housing assistance	\$2,990.00
9.(A) Total number receiving food assistance - recipients	4
9.(A)(i) Total number receiving food assistance - households	2
9.(B) Total number of recipients assisted by township staff in receiving food assistance from sources other than township funds	0
10.(i) Total value provided for food assistance - township	\$1,107.86
10.(ii) Total value provided for food assistance - nontownship sources	\$0.00

10.(iii) Total value of all food assistance provided	\$1,107.86
11.(A) Total number provided health care - recipients	0
11.(A)(i) Total number provided health care - households	0
11.(B) Number of recipients assisted by township staff in receiving health care assistance from sources other than township funds	0
12.(i) Total value of health care provided - township	\$0.00
12.(ii) Total value of health care provided - nontownship sources	\$0.00
12.(iii) Total value of all health care provided	\$0.00

13. Total number of funerals, burials and cremations	0
14.(A) Total actual value of funerals, burials and cremations	\$0.00
14.(B)(i) Total paid by township funds for funerals, burials and cremations	\$0.00
14.(B)(ii) Difference between actual value and amount paid by township funds for funerals, burials and cremations	\$0.00
15.(A) Total number of nights of emergency shelter provided to the homeless	0
15.(B) Total number of nights of emergency shelter provided to the homeless through efforts of township staff from sources other than township funds	0
15.(C)(i) Total value of emergency shelter for homeless individuals - township	\$0.00
15.(C)(ii) Total value of emergency shelter for homeless individuals - nontownship sources	\$0.00
15.(C)(iii) Total value of all emergency shelter provided for homeless individuals	\$0.00
16.(A) Total number of referrals of township assistance applicants to other programs	4
16.(B) Total value of township services in making referrals to other programs	\$1,600.00
17. Total number of training programs or job placements found for township assistance recipients with assistance of township trustee	0
18. Number of hours spent by township assistance recipients at workfare	21
19.(i) Total value of services provided by workfare to the township	\$210.00
19.(ii) Total value of services provided by workfare to other agencies	\$0.00
19.(iii) Total value of all services provided by workfare	\$210.00
20.(A) Total amount of reimbursement for assistance received from recipients	\$0.00
20.(B) Total amount of reimbursement for assistance received from members of recipients' households	\$0.00
20.(C) Total amount of reimbursement for assistance received from recipients' estates	\$0.00

21. Total amount of reimbursement for assistance received from medical programs under IC 12-20-16-2(e)	\$0.00
22.(A) Total number of individuals assisted through a representative payee program	0
22.(B) Total amount of funds processed through the representative payee program that are not township funds	\$0.00
23.(A) Total number of individuals assisted through special nontraditional programs provided through the township without the expenditure of township funds	0
23.(B) Total amount of nontownship funds used to provide the special nontraditional programs	\$0.00
24.(A)(i) Total number of hours an investigator of Township Assistance spends on case management services - recipients	5
24.(A)(ii) Total number of hours an investigator of Township Assistance spends on case management services - households	14
24.(B) Total value of case management services provided	\$0.00
25. Total number of housing inspections performed by the township	2

DATE_____ TRUSTEE'S SIGNATURE_____

The State Board of Accounts is of the audit position, with the concurrence of the Attorney for the Township Trustees Association, the following procedures should be followed for a consistent compilation and completion of Township Assistance Form TA-7.

When completing the form please keep in mind reconciliation or cross-checking cannot, necessarily, be achieved; i.e., Total Value of Benefits Provided TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE Recipients (Item 3), will not necessarily be the summation of Total Value of Benefits Provided for Utilities (Item 6 (i)); Total Value of Benefits Provided for Housing Assistance (Item 8 (i)); Total Value of Food Assistance Provided (Item 10 (i)); and, Total Value of Health Care Provided (Item 12 (i)); because IC 12-20-28-3 does not specifically require separate reporting of certain Township Assistance provided by townships; i.e., clothing, household supplies, transportation, etc.

**Lincoln Township, St. Joseph County, Indiana
Pensions - 2025**

1. Please indicate if your unit offers any of these pension plans to your Employees. Check all that apply.	YES	NO
Public Employees Retirement Fund		X
Teachers Retirement Fund		X
1925 Police Pension Fund		X
1937 Firefighter's Pension Fund		X
1977 Police and Firefighter's Pension Fund		X
2. Does your unit have any other pension plans where the employer makes contributions to the plan or funds any part of the benefits?		X