

## County senior citizen, Bedford LET millage claims seem bit exaggerated

The senior citizen current millage claims it lost \$500,000 since 2008 — that's \$62,500 a year. The additional .25-mill request would add \$1,400,000 a year. That's a \$1,337,500-a-year increase for additional services. I have not had a raise since 2008, and my 401(k) has lost 50 percent. I have to make due on less and be creative, as do so many others — and so will those

requesting levy increases.

Speaking of levies, every time the LET levy comes up for renewal, I shake my head in wonder as reports claim “so many” use the service and spend on average “\$200 each time.” I'm a daily visitor at the Lambertville Kroger plaza and have never seen more than one or two people using LET. Their grocery bags may

contain \$50 at most.

How about the levies borrow from my Buckeye CATV \$3.99 “franchise fee” that I (and all residents) pay to the township each month? Nobody ever talks about this fee the township perpetually claims is being deleted.

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