

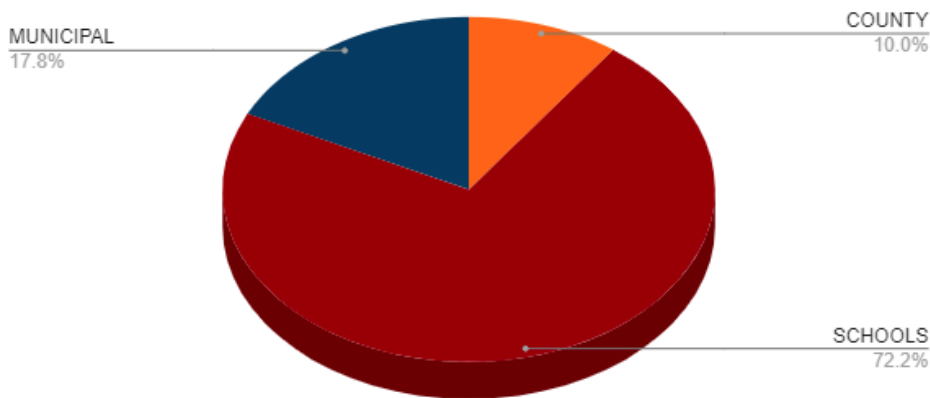
WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP 2021 TAX INFORMATION



The 2021 tax rate is \$2.683 per \$100 of assessed value, an increase of about 1.67% compared to 2020. The municipal portion of the property tax rate increased less than 1.5%, while the local school district (the largest portion of property taxes) and regional school district rates increased 1.6 and 2.5%, respectively.

About 17.8% of your property taxes funds the municipal government, which provides services such as police and public works as well as vehicles and equipment for volunteer fire and first aid organizations. The municipal government also collects property taxes for the county, regional school district (9-12) and local school district (K-8). The county receives 10.3% of your property taxes, the regional school district 22.5% and the local school district 49.4%.

WHERE YOUR TAXES GO 2021



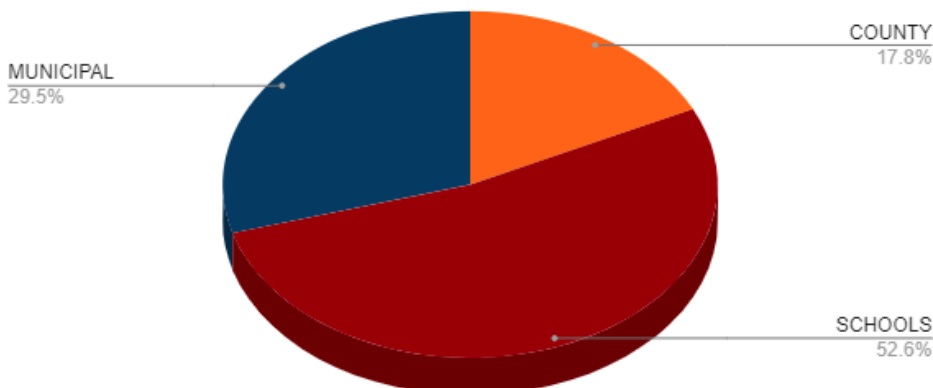
These charts show this distribution as well as the statewide average from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs. Compared to other municipalities in Morris County, Washington Township had the second lowest share of property taxes funding municipal services (including library and open space) in 2020 at 18% and the highest percent of property taxes funding schools at 71%.

At \$688 the municipal tax per person was 3rd lowest of 39 municipalities in the county.

Statewide tax information is available at:

<https://www.state.nj.us/dca/divisions/dlgs/resources/>

PROPERTY TAX DISTRIBUTION STATEWIDE 2020

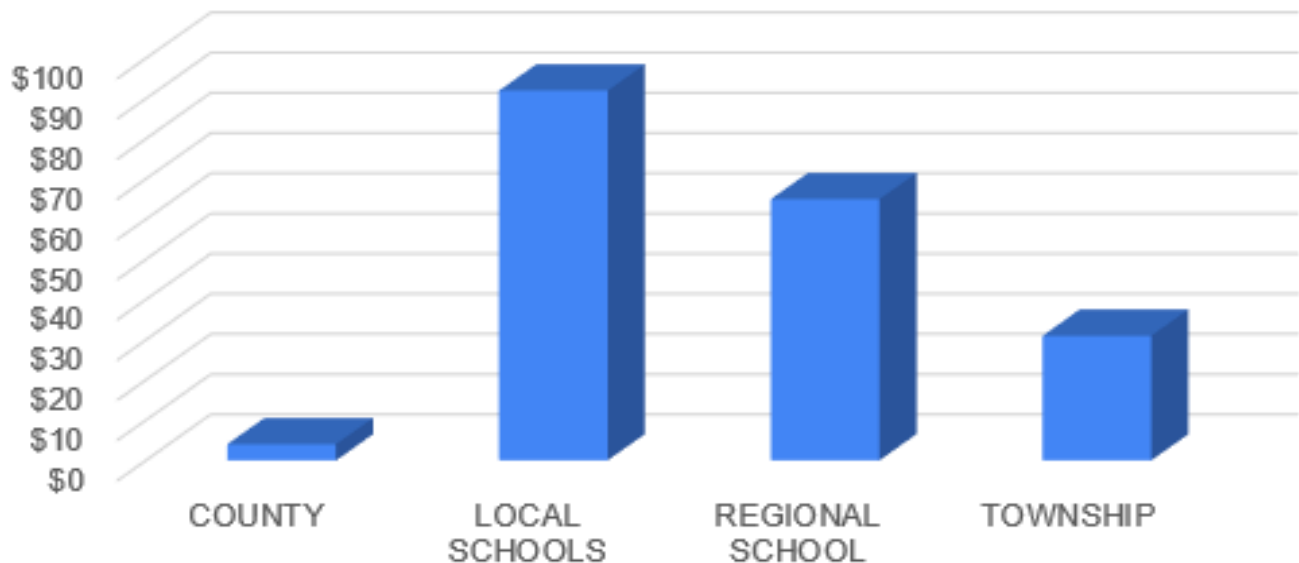


Comparative data for 2021 is not yet available; continue to the reverse for changes in Washington Twp taxes and school/county comparisons.

CHANGES IN TAX LEVIES 2020-2021

For an assessed home of \$436,000, total 2021 taxes will be about \$192 more for a home assessed the same in 2020. Of that, about \$92 is due to the local school district increase, \$65 to the regional school district and \$31 to the municipality.

TAX BILL INCREASES (AVG)



PROPERTY TAXES IN THE COUNTY AND STATE

- The 2020 average residential amount paid for municipal taxes was \$2,069 in Washington Township, \$2,703 in the county and \$2,690 in the state.
- The 2020 average residential amount paid for county taxes was \$1,171 in Washington Township, \$1,278 in the County and \$1,625 in the state.
- The 2020 average residential amount paid for school taxes was \$8,352 in Washington Township, \$6,890 in the County and \$4,798 in the state.

More tax and municipal budget information can be found on the township website by scanning the QR code or by visiting: <https://tinyurl.com/y4hp4ozt>



The county's annual budget and taxes are set by the Morris County Board of County Commissioners. In Washington Township, school budgets and taxes are set by two boards of education, the Washington Township Board of Education (K-8) and the West Morris Regional Board of Education (High School).