

Many factors can affect the amount of your tax bill.

- If you live in a taxing district that has new voter approved Bonds or Local Option Levies (LOL), your property taxes may increase more than 3%.
- If you made any major renovations or changes to your property prior to the assessment date of January 1, your property taxes may increase more than 3%.

For additional information, please refer to the Media Release at www.co.washington.or.us or call Washington County offices at 503-846-8741.

What are the new levies or bonds were approved or reauthorized by the voters that will be reflected in this year's tax bill?

Measure	District	Item	Approved Rate	Description
34-296	Washington County www.co.washington.or.us	LOL	\$0.47	Replacement Local Option Levy for Countywide Public Safety Services.
34-297	Washington County www.co.washington.or.us	LOL	\$0.22	Renewal of Local Option Levy to Support Countywide Library Services.
36-205	Newberg School District www.newberg.k12.or.us	Bond	\$0.71	Bonds to Increase Health, Safety, Replace School, Update Classrooms, Technology.
26-215	Portland Public Schools www.pps.net	Bond	\$2.50*	Bonds to Improve Health, Safety, Learning by Modernizing, Repairing Schools.
26-213	City of Portland www.portland.gov	LOL	\$0.80	Levy will prevent ongoing reductions to park services and recreation programs, preserve and restore park and natural area health, and center equity and affordable access for all.

*The 2012 and 2017 bonds were new taxes approved by voters, for a combined rate of \$2.50 per \$1,000 of assessed value. Because the previous bond's tax rates are decreasing due to declining debt service, the 2020 bond is not expected to increase the bond tax rate above the overall \$2.50/\$1,000 target. For more information please visit <https://www.pps.net/domain/62>

Property tax statement glossary

Any question about a specific bond or levy should be directed to the District.

AFTER: A voter-approved bond or levy within an urban renewal area passed after certain dates | AQUATIC-TIGARD TUALATIN: Tigard-Tualatin Aquatic District | BOND: Bond Measure approved by voters—typically 20-30 years in duration | CNTY: Washington County | COLL-PORTLAND: Portland Community College | DOT: Division of Tax for Urban Renewal | ESD: Education Service District | FIRE: Fire District | LOL: Local Option Levy—a voter approved measure | PARK-TUALATIN HILLS: Tualatin Hills Parks & Recreation | PCC: Portland Community College | PORT-PORTLAND: Port of Portland | REG-METRO: Metro Regional District | SD: School District | SWC: Soil Water Conservation | UR: Urban Renewal

Do you qualify for these tax programs?

1. **Veteran's Exemption** - You may be entitled to an exemption on your property taxes if you are a widow/widower of a Veteran or a 40% disabled Veteran.
 - Filing period: January 1st-April 1st.
2. **Active Duty Military Service Member Exemption** - You may be entitled to an exemption on your property taxes if you are serving in the Oregon National Guard or Military Reserve and have been ordered to federal active duty (Title 10) or deployed under the Emergency Management Assistance Compact. Call for filing period.
3. **Disabled Citizen Deferral** - For homeowners collecting Federal Social Security Disability and meeting all the other requirements of the Oregon Department of Revenue (DOR).
 - Filing period: January 1st-April 15th.
4. **Senior Citizen Deferral** - For homeowners age 62 or older who meet all the other requirements of the Oregon DOR.
 - Filing period: January 1st-April 15th.

Both the Disabled Citizen Deferral and Senior Citizen Deferral will need to be paid at a later date.

Contact Oregon DOR at 1-503-945-8348 or www.oregon.gov/DOR/SCD for more info.
Contact Washington County at 503-846-8741.

Contact Information

- Send payments to: Washington County
155 N. 1st Ave., Ste 130, MS8
Hillsboro, OR 97124
- E-mail: a&t@co.washington.or.us
- Website: www.co.washington.or.us/tax
- Physical address: 155 N. 1st Ave., Ste. 130
Hillsboro, OR 97124
- General information: 503-846-8741
- Tax payment questions: 503-846-8801
- Property value questions: 503-846-8826
- Office hours: M - F 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
- Closed Veterans Day: November 11, 2021



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Property Tax Statement Guide

Mail payments to:
155 N. 1st Ave., Suite 130, MS8
Hillsboro, OR 97124

The color of your statement matters:

Green Statement - You pay the tax bill.

Yellow Statement - A mortgage company or the Oregon Department of Revenue has requested the tax bill. You may want to check with your lender.

Refer to section 8 inside for additional information.

Website: www.co.washington.or.us/tax

Español: Para información en español,
llame al 503-846-8741.

