



A Tax For Senior Services? What Will That Cost Me?

You've heard the discussion regarding a ballot proposal to see if taxpayers will approve a tax levy to provide funds for senior care and program services.

You would like to help fund a program that can provide needed services to seniors in your community, but, you aren't sure what this new tax may actually add to your property tax bill.

Here's the scoop!



**A Senior Services Tax
is just
People Helping People**

The proposal may ask for your approval to levy a tax of just 0.25 mils on your property. This shows the amount you will pay in taxes on homes of different values.

Remember, the Taxable Value is equal to or less than 1/2 of the market value of your home.

What you pay depends on the taxable value of your home. Here's a chart to show what the cost will be for selected values.

Taxable Value of Your Home	This is What You Will Pay Per...		
	Year	Month	Day
\$50,000.....	\$12.50	\$1.04	3.4 cents
\$75,000.....	\$18.75	\$1.56	5.1 cents
\$100,000.....	\$25.00	\$2.08	6.9 cents
\$125,000.....	\$31.25	\$2.60	8.6 cents
\$150,000.....	\$37.50	\$3.13	10.3 cents
\$200,000.....	\$50.00	\$4.17	13.7 cents

Explanation: A Mil is 1/1,000 of something. To figure your exact cost, get your taxable value from your local assessor or your property tax bill. Divide the taxable value by 1,000. Then, multiply that number by 0.25 to get the amount you will pay for the senior services tax levy. For example: A home with a taxable value of \$89,900 the formula looks like this: \$89,900 divide by 1,000 = 89.9. Take that number and multiply it by the senior tax mils being levied (0.25 mils). 89.9 times 0.25 = 22.48. Meaning you'll pay \$22.48 per year or just \$1.87/month and just 6.2 cents/day.