

Luzerne County Allocations For 2019

In 1984, the Pennsylvania General Assembly passed Act 205, the Municipal Pension Plan Funding Standard and Recovery Act. Under the Act, the Auditor General is responsible for the administration of the General Municipal Pension System State Aid Program. The Department of the Auditor General distributes funds to municipalities to help defray the cost of various police, fire and non-uniformed pension plans maintained by municipalities, regional police forces and councils of government. In addition, funds are allocated through the municipalities to nearly 2,000 volunteer relief associations in Pennsylvania. Revenue to support this Act comes from a 2% tax on premiums for both casualty and fire insurance sold in Pennsylvania by foreign (out-of-state) insurance companies.

The Special Ad Hoc Post Retirement Adjustment Act (Act 147 of 1988) provides police officers and paid firefighters who retired prior to January 1, 1985 with additional pension payments. Municipal pension plans that have paid post retirement adjustments under this Act may apply to the Department of the Auditor General for reimbursement. Funding for these reimbursements is derived from the 2% tax on foreign casualty insurance premiums.

Municipal Pension Plans and Volunteer Fire Relief Associations are audited to determine the appropriate use of funds and that information submitted is correct. Misuse of funds or submitting information resulting in an overpayment of state aid must be returned to the state. In some instances, state aid may be withheld from municipalities not in compliance with actuarial requirements or audit findings.

Year	Municipality	Initial Payments		Pension
		Ad-Hoc	FRA	
2019	Ashley Borough		\$10,907.49	
2019	Avoca Borough		\$11,854.97	\$4,480.86
2019	Bear Creek Township		\$17,411.78	\$19,730.00
2019	Bear Creek Village Borough		\$2,514.65	
2019	Black Creek Township		\$14,444.95	\$4,996.48
2019	Buck Township			
2019	Butler Township		\$54,892.85	\$133,804.02
2019	Conyngham Borough		\$10,203.98	\$4,179.83
2019	Conyngham Township		\$6,607.77	
2019	Courtdale Borough		\$3,453.12	
2019	Dallas Borough		\$16,234.17	\$56,325.48
2019	Dallas Township		\$51,576.34	\$158,735.47
2019	Dennison Township		\$6,789.15	
2019	Dorrance Township		\$13,747.24	\$9,335.36
2019	Dupont Borough		\$13,252.25	\$559.97
2019	Duryea Borough		\$23,802.45	\$7,793.11
2019	Edwardsville Borough		\$17,334.54	\$82,654.35
2019	Exeter Borough		\$27,308.21	\$13,028.98
2019	Exeter Township		\$12,304.79	
2019	Fairmount Township		\$8,484.61	
2019	Fairview Township		\$26,308.21	\$81,927.98
2019	Forty Fort Borough		\$17,592.67	\$81,927.98
2019	Foster Township		\$17,984.83	\$19,919.31
2019	Franklin Township		\$10,517.33	
2019	Freeland Borough		\$14,155.91	
2019	Hanover Township		\$52,398.82	\$291,868.44
2019	Harveys Lake Borough		\$20,798.08	
2019	Hazle Township		\$81,289.89	\$62,748.11
2019	Hazleton City		\$80,379.69	\$855,123.34
2019	Hollenback Township		\$6,712.29	
2019	Hughestown Borough		\$6,767.80	\$1,367.26
2019	Hunlock Township		\$12,773.91	\$13,928.64
2019	Huntington Township		\$12,769.87	\$4,694.14
2019	Jackson Township		\$23,055.73	\$71,686.98
2019	Jeddo Borough		\$379.88	

2019	Jenkins Township		\$26,119.90	\$23,622.02
2019	Kingston Borough		\$31,464.36	\$640,062.38
2019	Kingston Township		\$40,606.48	\$141,655.58
2019	Lafin Borough		\$8,912.59	\$3,300.11
2019	Lake Township		\$11,594.76	\$15,361.49
2019	Larksville Borough		\$14,289.59	\$38,025.94
2019	Laurel Run Borough		\$2,483.61	
2019	Lehman Township		\$21,452.78	\$30,124.35
2019	Luzerne Borough		\$12,531.63	\$23,001.54
2019	Nanticoke City	\$1,650.00	\$31,899.53	\$296,988.94
2019	Nescopeck Borough		\$6,774.76	\$8,209.34
2019	Nescopeck Township		\$6,776.66	
2019	New Columbus Borough		\$1,198.49	
2019	Newport Township		\$15,726.46	\$27,006.66
2019	Nuangola Borough		\$4,660.26	
2019	Penn Lake Park Borough		\$2,493.53	
2019	Pittston City		\$25,927.10	\$230,422.45
2019	Pittston Township		\$26,598.08	\$61,445.98
2019	Plains Township			\$450,603.91
2019	Plymouth Borough		\$20,213.32	\$81,927.98
2019	Plymouth Township		\$8,788.90	\$3,975.39
2019	Pringle Borough		\$4,515.82	\$3,149.27
2019	Rice Township		\$21,143.33	\$67,246.87
2019	Ross Township		\$16,750.50	\$11,876.81
2019	Salem Township		\$30,760.02	\$87,048.48
2019	Shickshinny Borough		\$3,188.69	
2019	Slocum Township		\$6,207.12	
2019	Sugar Notch Borough		\$4,166.38	
2019	Sugarloaf Township		\$26,839.57	\$71,686.98
2019	Swoyersville Borough		\$23,363.39	\$45,245.90
2019	Union Township		\$11,838.33	\$15,361.49
2019	Warrior Run Borough		\$2,836.35	
2019	West Hazleton Borough		\$20,153.65	\$71,686.98
2019	West Pittston Borough		\$22,207.55	\$71,686.98
2019	West Wyoming Borough		\$13,769.27	
2019	White Haven Borough		\$5,154.52	\$5,730.81
2019	Wilkes Barre City	\$18,900.00		\$2,022,597.13
2019	Wilkes Barre Township		\$31,545.66	\$204,819.96
2019	Wright Township		\$36,955.62	\$97,289.48
2019	Wyoming Borough		\$15,307.17	\$21,445.87
2019	Yatesville Borough		\$3,654.07	
Initial Payments:		\$20,550.00	\$1,327,880.02	\$6,853,423.16

Year	Municipality	Payments Held		
		Ad-Hoc	FRA	Pension
2019	Buck Township		\$3,190.51	
Payments Held:		\$0.00	\$3,190.51	\$0.00
Total Payments:		\$20,550.00	\$1,331,070.53	\$6,853,423.16