

# Luzerne County Allocations For 2020

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	
2020	Ashley Borough		\$11,068.20	
2020	Avoca Borough		\$12,003.66	\$21,270.65
2020	Bear Creek Township		\$17,399.53	\$17,884.37
2020	Bear Creek Village Borough		\$2,510.53	
2020	Black Creek Township		\$14,434.89	
2020	Buck Township			
2020	Butler Township		\$54,880.80	\$182,181.83
2020	Conyngham Borough		\$10,266.10	\$8,910.62
2020	Conyngham Township		\$6,647.79	
2020	Courtdale Borough		\$3,476.02	
2020	Dallas Borough		\$16,317.07	\$54,162.16
2020	Dallas Township		\$51,905.48	\$162,486.49
2020	Dennison Township		\$6,788.39	
2020	Dorrance Township		\$13,794.08	\$9,792.79
2020	Dupont Borough		\$13,356.31	\$796.58
2020	Duryea Borough		\$23,928.70	\$6,964.92
2020	Edwardsville Borough		\$18,770.26	\$83,705.16
2020	Exeter Borough		\$27,522.15	\$13,414.93
2020	Exeter Township		\$12,376.03	
2020	Fairmount Township		\$8,474.23	
2020	Fairview Township		\$26,431.97	\$78,781.33
2020	Forty Fort Borough		\$17,711.53	\$93,552.83
2020	Foster Township		\$17,936.85	\$19,695.33
2020	Franklin Township		\$10,551.06	
2020	Freeland Borough		\$14,359.20	\$37,122.09
2020	Hanover Township		\$54,787.84	\$305,277.66
2020	Harveys Lake Borough		\$20,728.64	
2020	Hazle Township		\$80,195.62	\$57,099.29
2020	Hazleton City		\$79,384.45	\$807,508.65
2020	Hollenback Township		\$6,729.25	
2020	Hughestown Borough		\$6,819.03	\$8,755.41
2020	Hunlock Township		\$12,865.84	\$18,331.31
2020	Huntington Township		\$12,812.12	\$8,085.66
2020	Jackson Township		\$23,241.87	\$49,238.33
2020	Jeddo Borough		\$385.81	

2020	Jenkins Township		\$26,716.31	\$39,275.77
2020	Kingston Borough		\$32,895.41	\$595,783.82
2020	Kingston Township		\$40,637.31	\$156,846.71
2020	Laffin Borough		\$8,921.15	\$4,923.83
2020	Lake Township		\$11,656.77	\$14,771.49
2020	Larksville Borough		\$14,428.50	\$67,912.71
2020	Laurel Run Borough		\$2,503.95	
2020	Lehman Township		\$21,473.65	\$72,867.68
2020	Luzerne Borough		\$12,661.11	\$28,360.14
2020	Nanticoke City		\$32,949.95	\$275,734.66
2020	Nescopeck Borough		\$6,852.20	\$8,269.17
2020	Nescopeck Township		\$6,802.61	
2020	New Columbus Borough		\$1,210.32	
2020	Newport Township		\$20,170.07	\$44,132.44
2020	Nuangola Borough		\$4,654.48	
2020	Penn Lake Park Borough		\$2,478.48	
2020	Pittston City		\$26,215.13	\$236,343.99
2020	Pittston Township		\$26,344.28	\$49,238.33
2020	Plains Township			\$418,525.82
2020	Plymouth Borough		\$19,448.32	\$39,704.38
2020	Plymouth Township		\$8,826.42	
2020	Pringle Borough		\$4,560.40	\$3,413.80
2020	Rice Township		\$21,184.76	\$78,781.33
2020	Ross Township		\$16,795.50	\$11,153.41
2020	Salem Township		\$30,680.89	\$83,705.16
2020	Shickshinny Borough		\$3,233.55	
2020	Slocum Township		\$6,189.24	
2020	Sugar Notch Borough		\$4,216.06	
2020	Sugarloaf Township		\$26,759.07	\$68,933.66
2020	Swoyersville Borough		\$23,556.14	\$86,094.83
2020	Union Township		\$11,910.76	\$24,619.16
2020	Warrior Run Borough		\$2,856.92	
2020	West Hazleton Borough		\$20,340.30	\$83,705.16
2020	West Pittston Borough		\$22,398.90	\$54,162.16
2020	West Wyoming Borough		\$13,864.72	
2020	White Haven Borough		\$5,154.13	\$806.59
2020	Wilkes Barre City	\$16,750.00		\$1,895,675.81
2020	Wilkes Barre Township		\$31,194.23	\$167,410.33
2020	Wright Township		\$36,963.74	\$98,476.66
2020	Wyoming Borough		\$15,376.34	\$37,430.53
2020	Yatesville Borough		\$3,661.82	
<b>Initial Payments:</b>		<b>\$16,750.00</b>	<b>\$1,339,605.19</b>	<b>\$6,792,077.92</b>

<b>Payments Held</b>				
<b>Year</b>	<b>Municipality</b>	<b>Ad-Hoc</b>	<b>FRA</b>	<b>Pension</b>
2020	Black Creek Township			\$9,530.67
2020	Buck Township		\$3,186.96	
2020	Plymouth Township			\$19,061.34
<b>Payments Held:</b>		<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$3,186.96</b>	<b>\$28,592.01</b>
<b>Total Payments:</b>		<b>\$16,750.00</b>	<b>\$1,342,792.15</b>	<b>\$6,820,669.93</b>