

Lawrence County Allocations For 2024

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	
2024	Bessemer Borough		\$5,088.18	
2024	Ellport Borough		\$5,743.38	
2024	Ellwood City Borough	\$450.00	\$35,514.74	\$339,743.98
2024	Enon Valley Borough		\$1,471.16	
2024	Hickory Township		\$14,078.50	
2024	Little Beaver Township		\$7,193.09	
2024	Mahoning Township		\$15,235.45	
2024	Neshannock Township		\$64,950.92	\$182,455.10
2024	New Beaver Borough		\$8,380.39	\$2,661.80
2024	New Castle City	\$7,850.00		\$918,567.07
2024	New Wilmington Borough		\$9,821.92	\$106,956.43
2024	North Beaver Township		\$27,947.23	
2024	Perry Township		\$11,627.08	
2024	Plain Grove Township		\$5,174.16	
2024	Pulaski Township		\$17,994.22	\$17,998.35
2024	S.N.P.J. Borough		\$197.95	
2024	Scott Township		\$14,046.44	
2024	Shenango Township		\$42,107.83	\$157,288.88
2024	Slippery Rock Township		\$18,675.67	\$25,166.22
2024	South New Castle Borough		\$2,933.37	
2024	Taylor Township		\$4,807.78	
2024	Union Township		\$28,410.58	\$182,455.10
2024	Volant Borough		\$701.71	
2024	Wampum Borough		\$2,842.19	
2024	Washington Township		\$5,094.13	
2024	Wayne Township		\$13,898.40	
2024	Wilmington Township		\$17,179.48	\$14,138.77
Initial Payments:		\$8,300.00	\$381,115.95	\$1,947,431.70

Year	Municipality	Payments Held		Pension
		Ad-Hoc	FRA	
2024	Mahoning Township			\$41,584.38
2024	North Beaver Township			\$11,881.25
Payments Held:		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$53,465.63

Total Payments:

\$8,300.00

\$381,115.95

\$2,000,897.33