



# Town of Burns Harbor 2021 Budget & Tax Rates

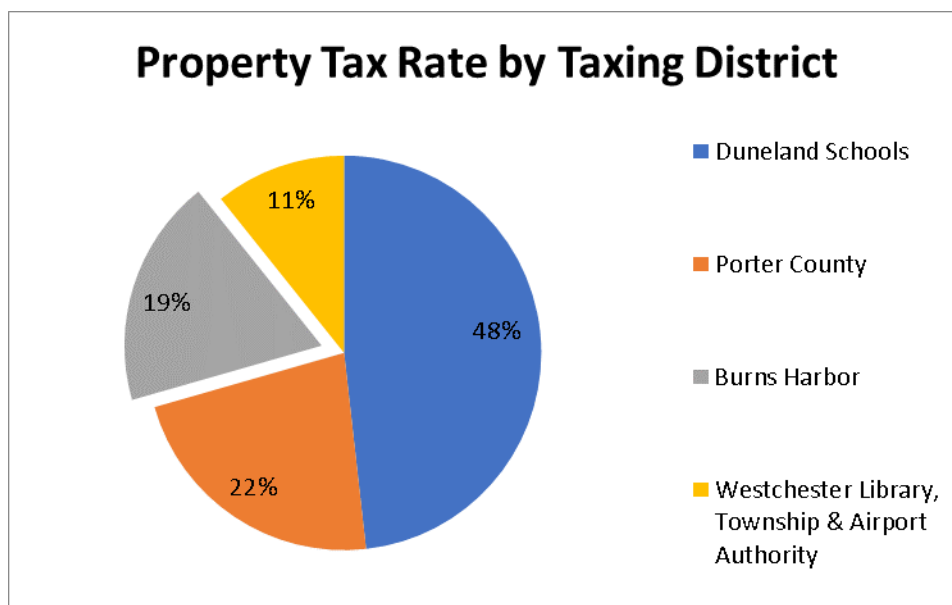
The Burns Harbor Town Council held its public hearing for the 2021 Budget on September 9, 2020. There were no public comments or questions received. At its October 14, 2020 meeting, the Town Council approved its 2021 Budget, Resolution 2020-07, by a 5 – 0 vote. The State’s Department of Local Government Finance (DLGF) approved the 2021 Budget and set final tax rates on January 4, 2021.

The Town of Burns Harbor’s assessed value is \$625,378,783, an increase of nearly thirty-seven million dollars from 2020. The DLGF approved levied taxes and tax rates for the Town of Burns Harbor (2020/pay 2021) are as follows:

Fund	Taxes Levied	Tax Rate
General	\$ 1,814,224	\$ 0.2901
Park	103,187	0.0165
Motor Vehicle Highway	149,466	0.0239
Cumulative Capital Development	250,152	0.0400
Cumulative Capital Improvement	12,508	0.0020
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 2,329,537</b>	<b>\$ 0.3725</b>

## Burns Harbor has lowest municipal tax rate in Porter County.

Burns Harbor’s 2021 tax rate including all taxing districts is \$1.9927, down from 2020. Of the \$1.9927, the Town receives 0.3725 cents per hundred, down 0.0064 cents from last year. The Duneland School District will receive \$0.9609, the County 0.4452, and the remainder is divided among the library, airport and township.



In addition to property tax supported Funds listed above, Burns Harbor has several Funds that are supported by other sources of revenue such as, intergovernmental revenue and taxes, licenses, permits, charges for services, fines, and grants. Below is Burns Harbor’s 2021 budget for non-property tax supported Funds.

Home-Ruled Funds (Not Reviewed by DLGF)	Adopted Budget
Redevelopment – General	\$ 865,000
Redevelopment – Operation	306,143
Park Non-Reverting Operation	5,000
Local Law Enforcement Continuing Education	8,000
Recreation Trail Program RTP Grant	168,000
INDOT LTP CMAQ Grant	1,652,000
Fire Non-Reverting Ambulance	349,192
Local Road & Bridge Grant	1,333,334
County DUI/CJI Grant	2,500
Operation Pull Over Grant	4,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 4,693,169</b>