

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
TWO THOUSAND TWENTY-ONE

H.P. 884 - L.D. 1209

**An Act To Establish Municipal Cost Components for Unorganized Territory  
Services To Be Rendered in Fiscal Year 2021-22**

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

**Whereas,** prompt determination and certification of the municipal cost components in the Unorganized Territory Tax District are necessary to the establishment of a mill rate and the levy of the Unorganized Territory Educational and Services Tax; and

**Whereas,** in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

**Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

**Sec. 1. Municipal cost components for services rendered.** In accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 36, chapter 115, the Legislature determines that the net municipal cost component for services and reimbursements to be rendered in fiscal year 2021-22 is as follows:

Fiscal Administration - Office of the State Auditor	\$268,965
Education	\$12,997,237
Forest Fire Protection	\$150,000
Human Services - General Assistance	\$65,000
Property Tax Assessment	\$1,226,503
Maine Land Use Planning Commission	\$608,825
TOTAL STATE AGENCIES	<hr/> \$15,316,530

County Reimbursements for Services

Aroostook	\$1,759,291
Franklin	\$1,177,316
Hancock	\$208,994
Kennebec	\$9,125
Lincoln	\$22,249
Oxford	\$1,417,500
Penobscot	\$1,660,050
Piscataquis	\$1,536,881
Somerset	\$2,146,576
Washington	\$1,235,710
TOTAL COUNTY SERVICES	<hr/> \$11,173,692

COUNTY TAX INCREMENT FINANCING DISTRUBUTIONS FROM FUND

Tax Increment Financing Payments	\$4,273,092
TOTAL REQUIREMENTS	<hr/> \$30,763,314

COMPUTATION OF ASSESSMENT

Requirements \$30,763,314

Less Revenue Deductions:

General Revenue	
Municipal Revenue Sharing	\$110,000
Miscellaneous Revenue	\$10,000
Use of Unassigned Fund Balance	\$1,750,401

TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE DEDUCTIONS 

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\$1,870,401

Education Revenue	
Land Reserved Trust Interest	\$90,000
Tuition and School Transportation Charges	\$130,000
Special - Teacher Retirement Funding from State	\$240,000

TOTAL EDUCATION REVENUE DEDUCTIONS 

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\$460,000

TOTAL REVENUE DEDUCTIONS 

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\$2,330,401

TAX ASSESSMENT BEFORE COUNTY TAXES 

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\$28,432,913  
AND OVERLAY (Title 36, §1602)

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this legislation takes effect when approved.