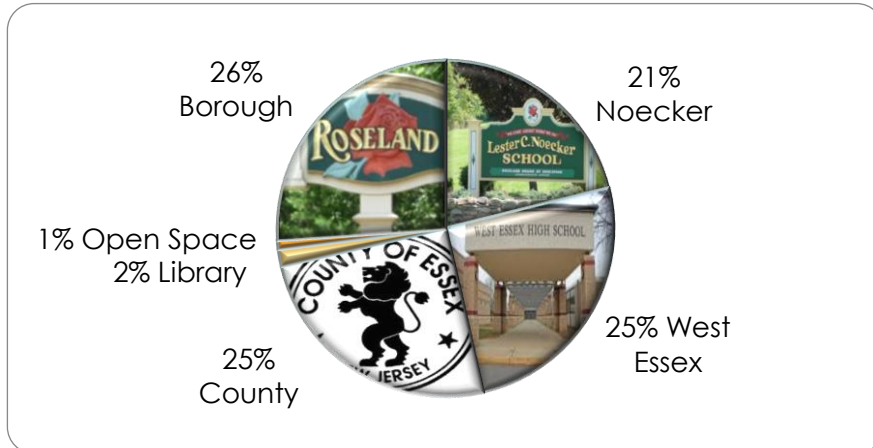


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HOW YOUR TAX DOLLARS ARE SPENT



Roseland is a great place to live.

Roseland is continually ranked a top community to live in and to raise a family. The Roseland Borough Council works to ensure your tax dollars are spent prudently while providing essential services we all enjoy.

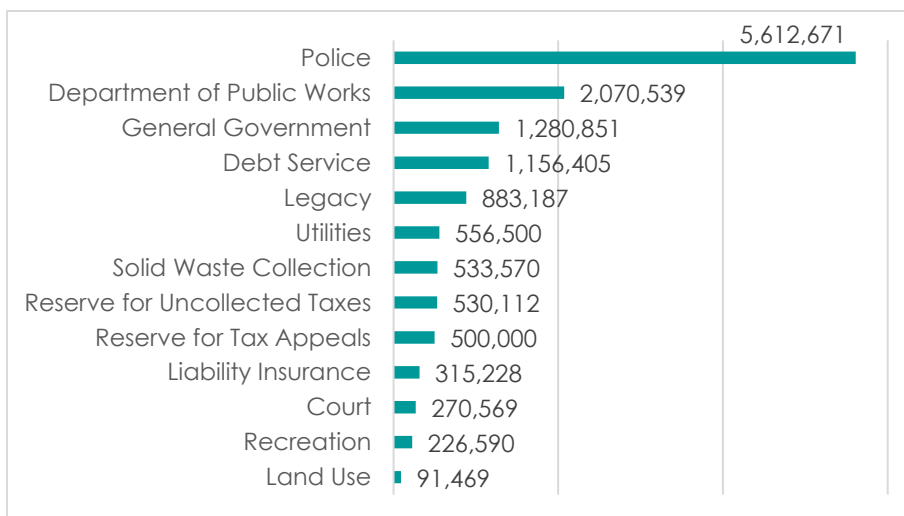
The tax bill sent out by the Borough is used to fund multiple purposes; the Borough, our Noecker School, West Essex Regional School, Essex County, our Library, and Open Space.

Investing in our infrastructure.

We are dedicated to preserving our community. This year, the council authorized the purchase of a new fire truck to allow our selfless volunteers to better protect their neighbors. The Borough continues to keep our roads and other infrastructure in good condition.



HOW THE BOROUGH SPENDS YOUR TAXES



The chart to the left shows where our tax dollars are spent. A budget overview video is available on the Borough's website at www.roselandnj.org where you will also find our most recent audits.

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Addressing Important Issues. The Borough has adjusted to the shifting tax base from commercial properties to residential. This shift is the result of shrinking commercial real estate values and costly tax appeals.

Another issue facing our community is the new COAH obligation that came as a result of a recent NJ Supreme Court ruling. The council is working on plans to meet these obligations while offsetting potentially negative effects on our residential neighborhoods.

YOUR BOROUGH TAX RATES ARE:

	2017	2016	Change
Local School	0.497	0.482	0.015
Regional School	0.558	0.554	0.004
County	0.561	0.557	0.004
Library	0.036	0.035	0.001
Open Space	0.020	0.020	-
Local	0.581	0.570	0.011
TOTAL	2.253	2.218	0.035

Your enclosed tax bill was mailed on August 11, 2017. Your payment for the 3rd quarter 2017 normally due by August 10 must be received in the tax office no later than September 5, 2017. Payments received after September 5, 2017 will be subject to statutory interest.

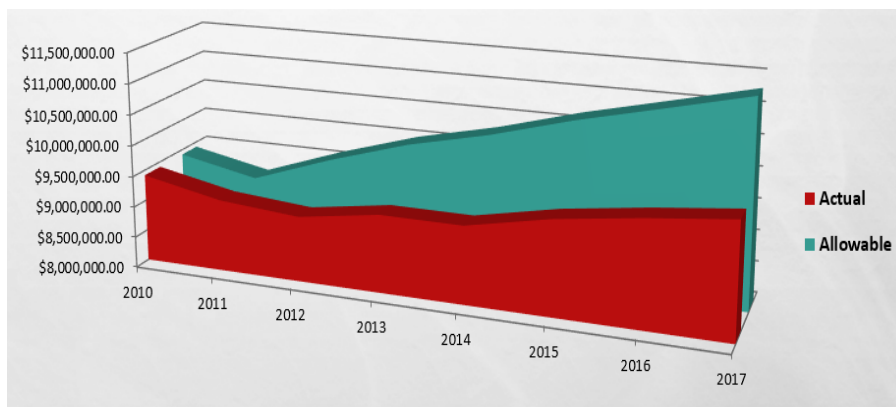
The Borough has added a convenient online option available on the borough's website. A convenience fee applies.

If you have any questions regarding your tax bill please call 973-403-6028.

Keep informed. Sign up for our Alert System by going to our website



ACTUAL TAXATION VS. ALLOWABLE:



Spending Wisely. We are pleased to note we consistently budget less than is permitted under the 2% cap. The Borough's department heads scrutinize every expenditure. Over the years, we have reduced the number of employees without compromising the quality of our services all while ensuring the safety of our community.

Roseland
"The Gem of Essex County"

John Duthie, Mayor
Mark Vidovich, Council President/Chairman, Administration and Finance

Council:

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David B. Jacobs **Peter M. Smith**
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