Lackawanna 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.

Initial Payments							
Year	Municipality	Ad-Hoc	FRA	Pension			
2020	Archbald Borough		\$40,883.70	\$88,628.99			
2020	Benton Township		\$11,521.74				
2020	Blakely Borough		\$33,861.22	\$110,647.20			
2020	Carbondale City	\$600.00	\$27,335.60	\$201,877.16			
2020	Carbondale Township		\$5,562.90				
2020	Clarks Green Borough		\$8,838.34				
2020	Clarks Summit Borough		\$30,586.90	\$83,705.16			
2020	Clifton Township		\$11,254.83				
2020	Covington Township		\$21,596.16	\$54,162.16			
2020	Dalton Borough		\$7,126.82	\$34,466.83			
2020	Dickson City Borough		\$39,205.98	\$162,486.49			
2020	Dunmore Borough		\$9,067.53	\$497,307.16			
2020	Elmhurst Township		\$4,506.66				
2020	Fell Township		\$10,726.55				
2020	Glenburn Township		\$8,623.50	\$7,068.53			
2020	Greenfield Township		\$12,762.90	\$9,484.21			
2020	Jefferson Township		\$20,805.15				
2020	Jermyn Borough		\$9,754.35	\$9,051.18			
2020	Jessup Borough		\$29,214.65	\$54,162.16			
2020	LaPlume Township		\$2,985.65				
2020	Madison Township		\$14,153.40				
2020	Mayfield Borough		\$8,773.64	\$8,277.30			
2020	Moosic Borough		\$37,760.11	\$147,714.99			
2020	Moscow Borough		\$11,732.12	\$18,219.48			
2020	Newton Township		\$17,582.30	\$14,771.49			
2020	North Abington Township		\$5,015.00				
2020	Old Forge Borough		\$41,796.01	\$54,718.18			
2020	Olyphant Borough		\$25,878.38	\$88,628.99			
2020	Ransom Township		\$8,125.71	\$9,847.66			
2020	Roaring Brook Township		\$12,472.74	\$29,542.99			
2020	Scott Township		\$28,807.84	\$36,660.77			
2020	Scranton City			\$3,924,295.11			
2020	South Abington Township		\$58,640.89	\$172,334.16			
2020	Spring Brook Township		\$14,901.31				
2020	Taylor Borough		\$31,344.22	\$128,019.66			

		Total Payments:	\$600.00	\$708,244.98	\$6,157,802.83
		Payments Held:	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
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2020	West Abington Township			\$1,779.30	
2020	Waverly Township			\$13,616.76	\$54,162.16
2020	Vandling Borough			\$3,436.91	
2020	Throop Borough			\$20,653.09	\$157,562.66
2020	Thornhurst Township			\$5,554.12	