

# Northampton 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		
		Ad-Hoc	FRA	Pension
2024	Allen Township		\$61,897.88	\$50,111.06
2024	Bangor Borough		\$27,105.03	\$138,414.21
2024	Bath Borough		\$16,158.34	\$28,507.72
2024	Bethlehem City	\$4,800.00		\$4,844,497.56
2024	Bethlehem Township		\$219,944.62	\$754,986.63
2024	Bushkill Township		\$69,112.82	\$257,953.76
2024	Chapman Borough		\$1,282.05	
2024	Colonial Regional Police Department			\$324,902.55
2024	East Allen Township		\$44,249.09	\$69,207.10
2024	East Bangor Borough		\$5,881.66	
2024	Easton City	\$5,575.00		
2024	Forks Township		\$134,185.91	\$452,991.98
2024	Freemansburg Borough		\$15,762.51	\$54,790.94
2024	Glendon Borough		\$2,551.22	
2024	Hanover Township		\$111,062.35	\$165,407.48
2024	Hellertown Borough		\$38,334.33	\$89,169.65
2024	Lehigh Township		\$71,909.65	\$213,912.87
2024	Lower Mount Bethel Township		\$24,754.33	\$18,652.35
2024	Lower Nazareth Township		\$95,097.72	\$88,121.66
2024	Lower Saucon Township		\$92,966.39	\$346,035.54
2024	Moore Township		\$66,812.83	\$220,204.43
2024	Nazareth Borough		\$36,534.41	\$142,148.51
2024	North Catasauqua Borough		\$17,842.98	\$113,247.99
2024	Northampton Borough		\$60,479.54	\$141,507.14
2024	Palmer Township		\$169,649.36	\$729,820.41
2024	Pen Argyl Borough		\$18,864.17	\$37,502.65
2024	Plainfield Township		\$48,090.61	\$52,378.53
2024	Portland Borough		\$3,191.36	
2024	Roseto Borough		\$8,952.36	
2024	Slate Belt Regional			\$197,514.20
2024	Stockertown Borough		\$6,550.47	
2024	Tatamy Borough		\$9,963.15	\$14,653.90
2024	Upper Mt Bethel Township		\$49,363.34	
2024	Upper Nazareth Township		\$51,671.73	\$207,621.32
2024	Walnutport Borough		\$11,957.69	\$56,623.99

2024	Washington Township		\$37,746.17	\$106,956.43
2024	West Easton Borough		\$6,871.67	
2024	Williams Township		\$52,711.80	\$69,207.10
2024	Wilson Borough		\$33,492.47	\$240,493.67
2024	Wind Gap Borough		\$16,605.91	\$20,827.62
<b>Initial Payments:</b>		<b>\$10,375.00</b>	<b>\$1,739,607.92</b>	<b>\$10,248,370.95</b>

Year	Municipality	Payments Held		
		Ad-Hoc	FRA	Pension
2024	Easton City			\$1,984,169.00
<b>Payments Held:</b>		<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$1,984,169.00</b>
<b>Total Payments:</b>		<b>\$10,375.00</b>	<b>\$1,739,607.92</b>	<b>\$12,232,539.95</b>