

Frequently Asked Questions

When does the tax year begin?

The tax year begins April 1 and ends March 31.

What is the tax rate for the town?

The 2015 tax rate is \$13.06 per thousand of assessed value.

What is the sales equalization ratio?

The median ratio for Tax Year 2015 is 97.5%.

What is included in the town's tax rate?

The tax rate set by the State of NH Department of Revenue each year includes the following:

- ✓ Town Municipal portion needed to operate the town based on the budget voted at annual town meeting.
- ✓ County portion needed to be collected to operate the county services based on their budget.
- ✓ School – state portion is determined by the state for adequate education.
- ✓ School – local portion as determined to meet local school district budget needs.

How can I review my assessment?

Two computers are available for public viewing of current and up-to-date property records in the Town Hall.

When is the deadline for applying for exemptions and tax credits?

All exemptions and tax credit applications must be filed by April 15th.

How do I apply for an abatement application?

Application forms are available at the Assessing Office or may be obtained on-line at:

<https://www.nh.gov/btla/forms/documents/2015abatement.pdf>

The taxpayer must file the abatement application with the municipality by March 1, following final tax liability (December bill). Instructions are on the front page of the application form.