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Current topic: "Exactly where do my property taxes go?"

It doesn't go where you might think. 100% of the money collected from property taxes stays local – Town, County, and School. **New York State does not get one cent of your property taxes!** That said, New York State does mandate some programs and/or rules that must be funded through property taxes. This effectively takes some control away from the Town of Cambria or the School District who created the budget and complicates the job of trying to keep your taxes low.

