

## STATE OF MAINE

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 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD

TWO THOUSAND NINETEEN

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 H.P. 1178 - L.D. 1643

**An Act To Establish Municipal Cost Components for Unorganized Territory Services To Be Rendered in Fiscal Year 2019-20**

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

**Whereas,** prompt determination and certification of the municipal cost components in the Unorganized Territory Tax District are necessary to the establishment of a mill rate and the levy of the Unorganized Territory Educational and Services Tax; and

**Whereas,** in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

**Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

**Sec. 1. Municipal cost components for services rendered.** In accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 36, chapter 115, the Legislature determines that the net municipal cost component for services and reimbursements to be rendered in fiscal year 2019-20 is as follows:

Fiscal Administration - Office of the State Auditor	\$243,730
Education	12,851,922
Forest Fire Protection	150,000
Human Services - General Assistance	65,000
Property Tax Assessment - Operations	1,470,866

Maine Land Use Planning Commission - Operations	588,000
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TOTAL STATE AGENCIES	<u>\$15,369,518</u>
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County Reimbursements for Services:

Aroostook	\$1,511,803
Franklin	976,795
Hancock	239,050
Kennebec	10,870
Oxford	1,459,650
Penobscot	1,125,982
Piscataquis	1,156,857
Somerset	1,618,913
Washington	1,032,529

TOTAL COUNTY SERVICES	<u>\$9,132,449</u>
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COUNTY TAX INCREMENT FINANCING  
DISTRIBUTIONS FROM FUND

Tax Increment Financing Payments	\$3,867,519
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TOTAL REQUIREMENTS	<u>\$28,369,486</u>
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COMPUTATION OF ASSESSMENT

Requirements	\$28,369,486
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Less Revenue Deductions:

General Revenue	
Municipal Revenue Sharing	\$100,000
Homestead Reimbursement	100,000
Miscellaneous Revenues	10,000
Transfer from Fund Balance	350,000

TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE DEDUCTIONS	<u>\$560,000</u>
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Educational Revenue	
Land Reserved Trust	\$70,000
Tuition/School Transportation	80,000
United States Forestry Payment in Lieu of Taxes	5,000

Special - Teacher Retirement	230,000
TOTAL EDUCATION REVENUE DEDUCTIONS	<u>\$385,000</u>
TOTAL REVENUE DEDUCTIONS	<u>\$945,000</u>
TAX ASSESSMENT BEFORE COUNTY TAXES and OVERLAY (Title 36 §1602)	<u>\$27,424,486</u>

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this legislation takes effect when approved.