## **Greene County Collector**



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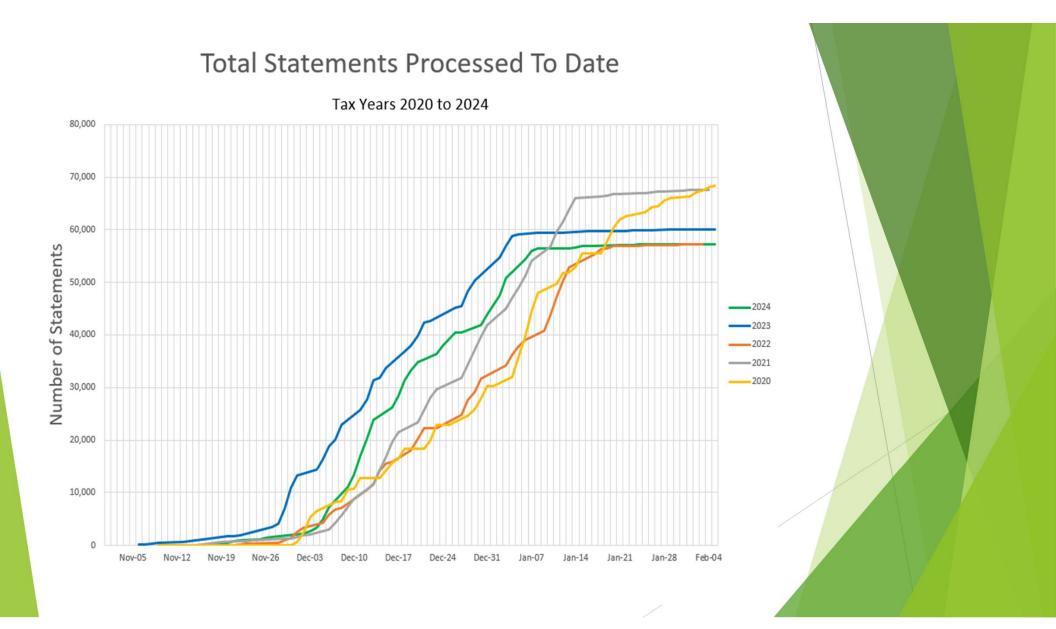
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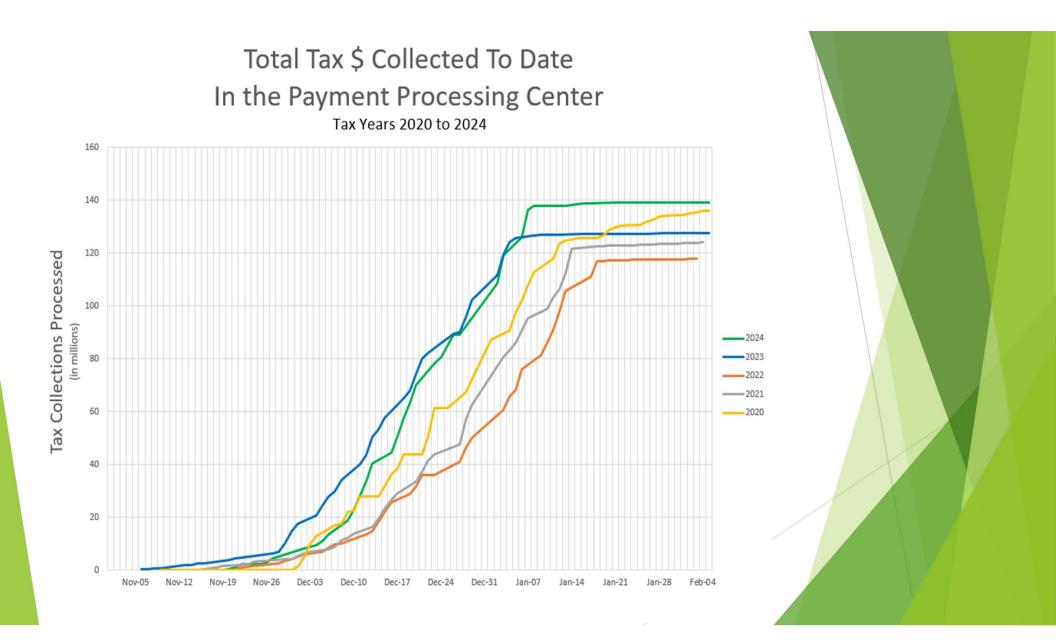
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## **Revised Statutes of Missouri**

52.015 "...terms expire on the first Monday in March of the year in which they are required to make their last final settlement for the tax book collected by them.'

52.110 "shall keep ... office at the county seat, except when meeting taxpayer;....provided, that...in all counties...in which there is no bank...located at the county seat...and...two or more terms of the circuit courts are held each year in some other town...the county collector may...keep his office in such town..."

52.185 Shall establish an adequate system of bookkeeping and accounting format of tax books, form and manner of tax bills.

<u>52.230</u> Shall mail a statement of all real and tangible personal property taxes due and assessed on the current tax books 30 days prior to delinquent date (December 31).

## **Collector** (continued)

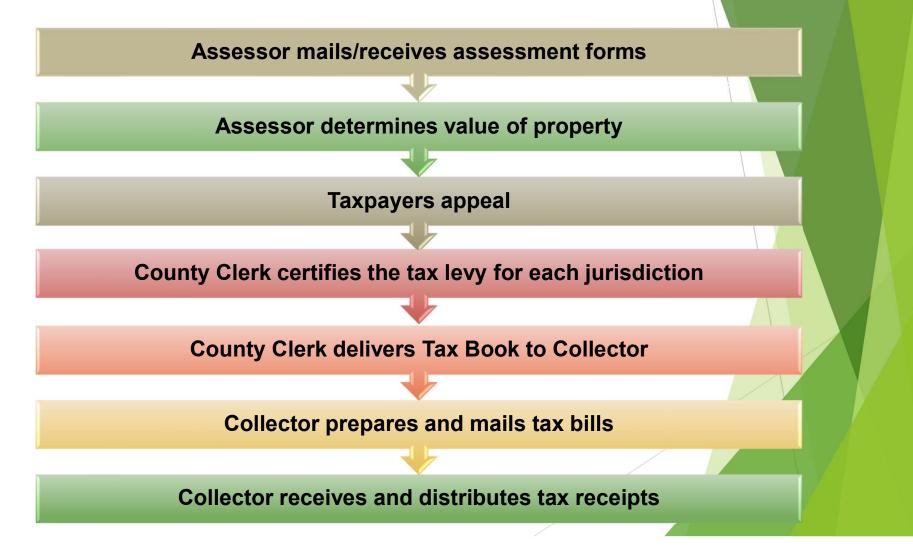
52.260 "The Collector shall collect on behalf of the county...fees for collecting all state, county, bridge, road, school, back and delinquent, and all other taxes..." Fee for Greene County is 1% of taxes collected and is deposited in the general fund.

52.290 A penalty of 9% is charged for collection of delinquent and back taxes. 2/9 of this goes to the County general fund; 2/9 goes to the Collector's Tax Maintenance Fund; 5/9 goes to the County Employee's Retirement Fund

52.312 Tax Maintenance Fund to be used for the purpose of funding additional costs and expenses incurred in the office of collector, including for training, purchasing new or upgrading IT equipment or other essential administrative expenses.

52.317 Any money remaining in the Tax Maintenance Fund as of December 31<sup>st</sup> is limited to an amount equal to the previous year's approved budget for the office of collector. Any money in excess of this amount is transferred to county general revenue by the following

### **General Process for Creation of Tax Records**



|                         | 2024   | 2023   | 2022   | 2021   | 2020   | 2019   | 2018   | 2017   | 2016   |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Ash Grove R4 Schools    | 3.6488 | 3.6488 | 3.6488 | 3.6326 | 3.6326 | 3.6326 | 3.6326 | 3.6219 | 3.6287 |
| Fair Grove R10 Schools  | 3.6864 | 3.6872 | 3.7129 | 3.6921 | 3.8653 | 3.8643 | 3.9118 | 3.9002 | 3.6500 |
| Logan - Rog R8 Schools  | 4.3437 | 4.3108 | 4.4172 | 4.4105 | 4.5028 | 4.5028 | 4.0128 | 4.0010 | 4.0019 |
| Morrisville Schools     | 3.6469 | 3.6205 | 3.6347 | 3.7418 | 3.5519 | 3.4000 | 3.4000 | 3.3000 | 3.3000 |
| Nixa Schools            | 4.5091 | 4.5091 | 4.5091 | 4.5032 | 4.7000 | 4.7000 | 4.2896 | 4.2876 | 4.2875 |
| No School               | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Pleasant Hope Schools   | 3.7767 | 3.7767 | 3.7694 | 3.7441 | 3.8260 | 3.9603 | 3.9603 | 3.9942 | 3.9745 |
| Republic R3 Schools     | 4.2123 | 4.1254 | 4.1254 | 4.1228 | 4.1546 | 4.1531 | 4.2854 | 4.2854 | 4.3600 |
| Springfield R12 Schools | 3.9888 | 3.9787 | 4.0767 | 4.0740 | 4.2727 | 4.1361 | 4.1058 | 4.0928 | 4.1110 |
| State Average           | 4.0352 | 4.0127 | 4.0009 | 4.0028 | 4.0125 | 3.9828 | 3.9300 | 3.8985 | 3.8832 |
| Strafford R6 Schools    | 3.8000 | 3.8000 | 3.4500 | 3.4500 | 3.4500 | 3.4500 | 3.4500 | 3.4500 | 3.4500 |
| Walnut Grove R5 Schools | 4.6459 | 4.5541 | 4.5370 | 4.5315 | 4.0530 | 3.8827 | 4.0530 | 3.8272 | 3.8282 |
| Willard R2 Schools      | 4.1284 | 4.1284 | 4.1284 | 4.1284 | 4.1284 | 4.1284 | 4.1284 | 4.1237 | 4.1237 |

# Inform and Educate

## **Greene County, MO Collector of Revenue**



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### How to PAY your 2022 taxes

#### **Overview of the Missouri Tax Process**







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Your Greene County Collector is Mr. Allen Icet. This office is responsible for the collection of personal property and real estate taxes.

If at any time you have a question for our office, feel free to give us a call or send an email. We are here to help you!

- 417-868-4036
- www.CountyCollector.com
- collectorhelp@greenecountymo.gov
   940 N Boonville Ave Rm 107 Springfield,
- MO 65802

#### Springfield License Bureaus http://dor.mo.gov/offloc

#### **Park Central Office**

- 149 Park Central Sq Rm 252
   417-869-5100 / 417-869-5052
- M-F 8am-4pm

#### South Springfield Office

319 E Battlefield St Ste P
 417-319-1005 / 417-877-8291
 M-F 8:30am-5:30pm | Sat 8:30am-12:30pm

#### **Glenstone Office**

1002 S Glenstone Ave
 417-831-2600 / 417-831-2604
 M-F 8:30am-5:30pm | Sat 9am-12pm

#### **Republic Office**

- 243 US Hwy 60, Republic
- **417-732-7557 /** 417-732-5358
- M-F 8:30am-5:30pm | Sat 8am-12pm

Taxpayers should confirm hours of operations



### GREENE COUNTY Collector's office

How to pay your taxes

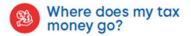
### Personal Property Taxes

Personal Property tax is an annual tax on things like cars, boats, trailers, etc., determined by the assessed value of the property. This is all based on what you owned and where you resided on January 1st. The bills are due by December 31st each year.

The DMV (aka License Bureau) is the place you go to register your car and purchase tags. They collect sales tax when you first buy a car, but they do not collect personal property taxes. They need some sort of proof that you don't owe any personal property taxes before they will issue tags. If you paid taxes last year, they'll want to see a receipt. If you didn't pay taxes, you'll need to bring them a waiver (aka Statement of Non-assessment) from the Collector's Office.

### 🙆 Real Estate Taxes

Real Estate taxes are annual taxes based on the assessed value of a property as determined by the Assessor's Office. Have a question about how all that works? Give them a call at 417-868-4101. Real estate includes land, buildings, and anything affixed to the land like a fence or well. You don't have to turn in an assessment list for real estate! Real Estate taxes are due by December 31st each year.



Property tax revenue goes to pay for things like schools, roads, bridges, libraries, firefighters, and a lot more! Your annual tax bill will have a breakdown of where we send each penny.

#### Find your personal property and real estate tax statements and pay your taxes at www.CountyCollector.com



From our website you can view and print receipts and statements, pay your bill, and contact our office with any questions. If you're paying online, remember to look at your statement first to get your Tax ID and PIN number. The receipt from your payment will be available instantly on the website. You can print an official copy any time online, for free!



The list below is the tax rate of the top 10 taxing jurisdictions in Greene county for the past three years:

|                                   | 2022   | 2021   | 2020   |
|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Springfield School District       | 4.0767 | 4.0740 | 4.2727 |
| Republic School District          | 4.1254 | 4.1228 | 4.1546 |
| Willard School District           | 4.1284 | 4.1284 | 4.1284 |
| Logan-Rogersville School District | 4.4172 | 4.4105 | 4.5028 |
| Strafford School District         | 3.4500 | 3.4500 | 3.4500 |
| City of Springfield               | 0.6200 | 0.6196 | 0.6196 |
| County Library                    | 0.2405 | 0.2400 | 0.2434 |
| OTC College                       | 0.1911 | 0.1875 | 0.1996 |
| County Roads                      | 0.1040 | 0.1075 | 0.1248 |
| County General Revenue            | 0.1040 | 0.1075 | 0.1248 |

Please note that you only pay taxes on the districts that apply to you, not every levy for every district. Your individual tax statement will identify your specific tax districts.



When the Assessor 'assesses' property, they determine the value of that property. If you have questions about how/when/why your property has been valued one way or another, call the Assessor! 417-868-4101.

An Assessment List is a form the Assessor sends out at the beginning of the year. It asks what property you owned on January 1st of the year. Be sure to fill it out each year, even if your property hasn't changed!

#### January 1st:

Whatever personal property you own January 1st is the basis of your tax bill. Personal property taxes aren't prorated, which means that if you sell your vehicle on January 2nd, you'll still owe that year's taxes. However, this also means that if you buy a car after January 1st, you won't pay these taxes on it until next year!

#### March 1st:

Your assessment list is due March 1st. Haven't received one? Call 417-868-4101 to ask the Assessor's Office for help!

#### November:

The Collector starts sending out tax statements. If you don't have yours by Thanksgiving, give us a call at 417-868-4036 or check online at www.CountyCollector.com

#### December 31st:

Taxes are due December 31st! Remember, you can always pay online. Don't leave things to the last minute, though! You never know what could come up if you wait until the eleventh hour.

#### A Collector Crumb

The Greene County Collector's Office and Collector Allen Icet believe expanding education regarding personal property and real estate taxes is part of our duty to citizens of Greene County.

Keep an eye out for Collector Crumbs! These are short tidbits about how taxes work and how to approach your own taxes proactively.

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### ACH "E-Check" Payments

This method of payment uses the nine-digit routing number and account number of a user's financial institution to submit payment.

- This option is free on the Greene County Collector website
- Payment submits just like a paper check
  - We deposit the digital check to our bank on next business day
  - Our bank submits to your bank
  - Processing time depends on your financial institution.
  - A simple typo in the account number can cause your bank to reject the check, returning it to us, making the courtesy receipt received during the payment process to become null and void and your account to be reverted to unpaid status.

Always watch your bank account to be sure your check clears

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