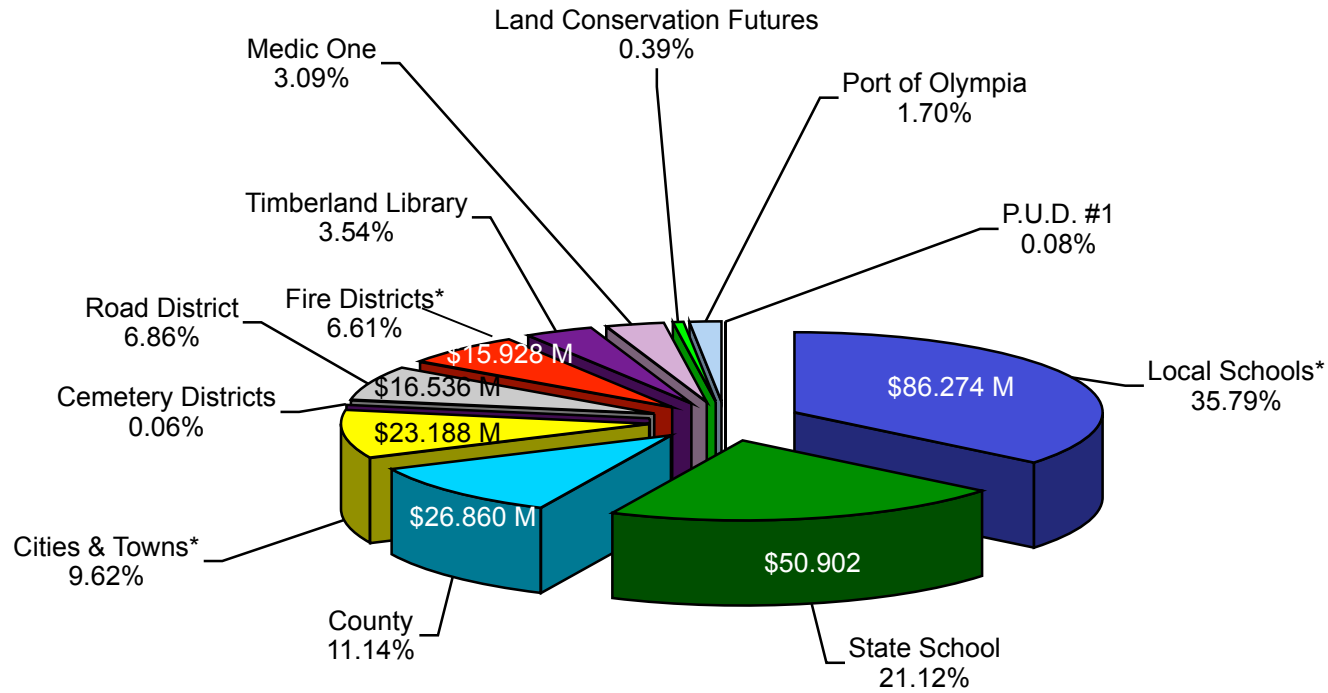


## Where Property Tax Dollars Go (Distribution of 2006 Property Tax Dollars)



This chart shows how property taxes collected in 2006 are distributed among the 43 taxing districts throughout Thurston County. About 38 percent of the property taxes come from excess levies approved by a vote of the people. Voters see the value in good schools, good fire protection, and good emergency response and "give permission" for increased taxes when they pass property tax levies.

\* = includes voter-approved levies

SUMMARY OF TAXES

| TAX<br>DISTRICT           | TOTAL<br>DISTRICT TAXES | TOTAL<br>REGULAR LEVIES | TOTAL<br>EXCESS LEVIES |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Local Schools             | 86,274,447.62           |                         | 86,274,447.62          |
| State School              | 50,902,822.00           | 50,902,822.00           |                        |
| County                    | 26,860,070.39           | 26,860,070.39           |                        |
| Cities & Towns            | 23,187,796.37           | 21,537,051.95           | 1,650,744.42           |
| Cemetery Districts        | 141,092.75              | 141,092.75              |                        |
| Road District             | 16,536,860.53           | 16,536,860.53           |                        |
| Fire Districts            | 15,928,324.91           | 13,027,286.68           | 2,901,038.23           |
| Timberland Library        | 8,538,354.96            | 8,538,354.96            |                        |
| Medic One                 | 7,436,118.28            | 7,436,118.28            |                        |
| Land Conservation Futures | 940,778.55              | 940,778.55              |                        |
| Port of Olympia           | 4,097,435.00            | 4,097,435.00            |                        |
| P.U.D. #1                 | 186,785.35              | 186,785.35              |                        |
| TOTAL LEVIES              | 241,030,886.71          | 150,204,656.44          | 90,826,230.27          |
| PERCENT OF TOTAL          |                         | 62.32                   | 37.68                  |