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Property Tax Cap

Inflation and Allowable Levy Growth Factors

September 2020

Inflation Factors and Allowable Levy Growth Factors by Fiscal Year										
Fiscal Year	Fiscal Years Beginning									
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016	
	Inflation Factor	Allowable Levy Growth Factor	Inflation Factor	Allowable Levy Growth Factor	Inflation Factor	Allowable Levy Growth Factor	Inflation Factor	Allowable Levy Growth Factor	Inflation Factor	Allowable Levy Growth Factor
Jan 1 - Dec 31	2.01%	1.0200	2.93%	1.0200	1.66%	1.0166	1.56%	1.0156	0.73%	1.0073
Mar 1- Feb 28	2.43%	1.0200	2.57%	1.0200	1.70%	1.0170	1.58%	1.0158	0.45%	1.0045
Apr 1 - Mar 31	2.65%	1.0200	2.42%	1.0200	1.63%	1.0163	1.62%	1.0162	0.31%	1.0031
Jun 1 - May 31	3.04%	1.0200	2.17%	1.0200	1.48%	1.0148	1.68%	1.0168	0.12%	1.0012
Jul 1 - Jun 30	3.16%	1.0200	2.07%	1.0200	1.46%	1.0146	1.62%	1.0162	0.12%	1.0012
Aug 1 - Jul 31	3.26%	1.0200	1.96%	1.0196	1.46%	1.0146	1.48%	1.0148	0.24%	1.0024
Oct 1 - Sep 30	3.32%	1.0200	1.79%	1.0179	1.40%	1.0140	1.25%	1.0125	0.40%	1.0040

As defined in law, the allowable levy growth factor is the lesser of one plus the inflation factor or one and two-one-hundredths. For periods where the inflation factor is less than 2 percent, the allowable levy growth factor is equal to one plus the inflation factor.



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