Lower Township: Do you get what you are paying for in property taxes?

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Lower Township says they pay only two things: current and fixed assessments, the rest is taxes. Currently, the resident payroll tax is $1,147,027.06 in taxes because it is the most common budget. This figure does not account for items like county tax, state tax, library tax, etc. If you want to cross-check the tax amount, you can visit their website.

In Lower Township, the tax collector and The Inquirer are responsible for their duties according to their job description. They are not required to take any further responsibility with their mortgage, and the real estate company makes the tax payments. Lower Township homeowner agents are bound to be as a rate of 4% per $1,000 of assessed value, which represented a six-year tax increase from 2011. Lower Township property taxes are assessed at $15,035,142. The rate of 2012 is $15,475,012, the increase of taxation is applied to the 2012 Lower Township budget of $24,535,319.19. The balance of the budget not made up by taxation comes from any remaining surplus, which is about 10%.

We're trying to do more with less.

L–Manager Mike Voll

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The town of Lower Township, New Jersey, is a charming community nestled on the southern tip of the state. It is known for its picturesque beaches, historic sites, and vibrant community events. Lower Township is home to numerous families and businesses, all of which contribute to its unique character.

USL National Championships warm and wild

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The USL National Championships were held Saturday during the USL National Championships in Cape May. Cape May had the distinction of hosting the National Championships for the second year in a row.

The tournament was held at the Cape May National Golf Club, where the USL National Championships were held last year. The event attracted over 1,000 soccer fans and participants from across the country.

Cape May Mayor Lou Rodia said he was excited to welcome the USL National Championships back to Cape May. "We are thrilled to host the USL National Championships for the second year in a row," Rodia said. "This tournament is a testament to the incredible community of Cape May and the support we offer to this iconic sport."

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The tournament featured 12 teams, including both men's and women's teams. The teams played a double round-robin format, with the top four teams advancing to the championship match.

The championship match was held on Saturday, and it was a thrilling match that went down to the wire. The game ended in a 2-2 draw, and Cape May had to settle for a tie. However, the team's performance was praised by fans and players alike.

Cape May Mayor Rodia said he was proud of the team's efforts, "They worked hard, and we are proud to call them our own. We look forward to seeing them back next year."}

School tax meeting announced

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The school tax meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 23, at 7:30 p.m. at the Lower Township Municipal Building. The meeting is open to the public and will provide an opportunity for residents to discuss the school district's budget and proposed tax levy for the upcoming school year.

The school district's budget for the 2013-2014 school year is currently estimated at $4,095,467,792. This budget includes funding for all school district operations, including instructional programs, special education services, and extracurricular activities.

The school district's budget is prepared by the Lower Township Board of Education and approved by the Lower Township Municipal Council. The council has the ultimate authority over the school district budget and can make changes to it as necessary.

School district officials have been working to balance the school district's budget while still providing high-quality education to all students. The school district has made a commitment to providing instruction that is aligned with the state's core academic standards and that is differentiated to meet the needs of all students.

The school district has also been working to increase its revenue through the sale of assets, including the sale of the old municipal building, which has been vacant for several years.

The school tax meeting is an important opportunity for residents to learn more about the school district's budget and to provide input on the budget. Residents are encouraged to attend the meeting and to provide their thoughts and ideas on the budget.

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