LOS ANGELES TAXPAYERS ON THE HOOK FOR $49,700

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City of Los Angeles: -$4,000
Los Angeles Unified School District: -$12,100
Los Angeles County: -$10,400
Los Angeles Community College District: -$1,000
Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority: -$400
Metropolitan Water District of Southern California: $0
California: -$21,800

Needed to pay off state, city, county, and underlying governments' unfunded debt.

- $49,700 per taxpayer
Fast Facts

- The City of Los Angeles has a Taxpayer Burden of $4,000, which is each taxpayer's share of the city's debt.
- Los Angeles taxpayers also pay taxes to the county and other underlying government units. If these debts are included, each taxpayer’s burden is $27,900.
- When state debt is added, each taxpayer has a burden of $49,700.

Legend

- Assets available to pay bills*
- Unfunded pension benefits
- Unfunded other post-employment benefits
- Other bills**
- Money available (needed) to pay bills
- Taxpayer Surplus (Burden)
- Grade

*Does not include capital assets or restricted assets
**Does not include debt related to capital assets

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