

Comparison of Property Tax Levy: 2002 – 2007 Budgets

County Executive Scott Walker's Budgets

In 2002, the property tax levy was \$218,734,713. For the 2003 budget, Walker proposed a tax levy of \$218,708,524 or a \$26,189 reduction. In 2002, Walker pledged not to raise the property tax levy from the previous year. If the members of the County Board had approved each of his budgets, the tax levy would be \$218,708,524 in 2007.

County Board Budgets

In 2002, the property tax levy was \$218,734,713. The County Board Budget for 2007 is \$241,047,846. That is an increase of \$22,313,133.

The net impact is that if the County Board had followed the County Executive's budgets, the **property tax levy would be \$22,339,922 less in 2007** than the version passed by the County Board.