

TRUTH IN TAXATION FOR PARAMEDIC SERVICES

Davis County is in the Process of Discontinuing Paramedic Services

In order to better serve the growing population in Davis County, the county is in the process of transferring paramedic services to local fire districts and departments. As part of this transfer South Weber City will be adding the county's paramedic tax rate of .000119 to the city's rate. The county will be removing this tax rate from your property tax. Based on a home value of \$410,000 this amount is approximately \$26.80.



.000119 + .001403 = .001522

Current Paramedic Tax Rate

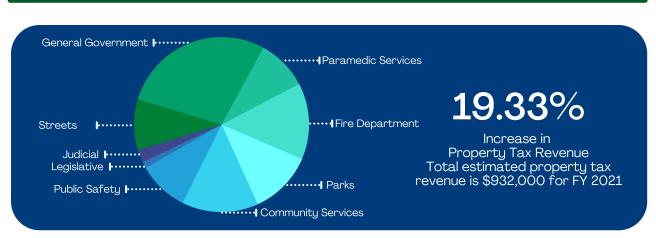
Current City Tax Rate

Proposed Tax Rate with Paramedic Services

South Weber City Proposes Maintaining the Current Tax Rate

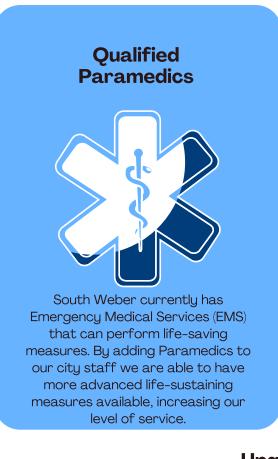
Coinciding with the transfer of the paramedic tax rate, the city is proposing to maintain its current tax rate of .001403. If your home increased in value from the previous year, you will see your tax contribution increase. For example, if your home is valued at \$410,000 you will contribute an additional \$28.90 annually. Your property tax notice will reflect the paramedic amount of \$26.80 and this additional amount of \$28.90 as a total value of \$55.70 annually, or \$4.64 per month.





What's in it for You?

By capturing property value growth and transferring Paramedic Services over to the City, you will be able to benefit through: qualified EMT paramedics on staff, faster response times for emergency medical professionals, and upgraded response teams from 2 to 3 individuals on shift.



Faster Paramedic Response Times



Because paramedic services are handled at a county level, response times are slower based on the availability of the county. By shifting that service to our city Fire Department we will be able to have a paramedic with the city crew, instead of waiting for the county.



Upgraded Response Teams

Currently we are only able to have 2 trained EMS on shift at a time. With the addition of Paramedic Services we will be able to have 3 individuals on every shift in order to more effectively serve our community. This means when an ambulance arrives paramedics will be ready to assist.