

POTENTIAL BALLOT MEASURE BACKGROUND



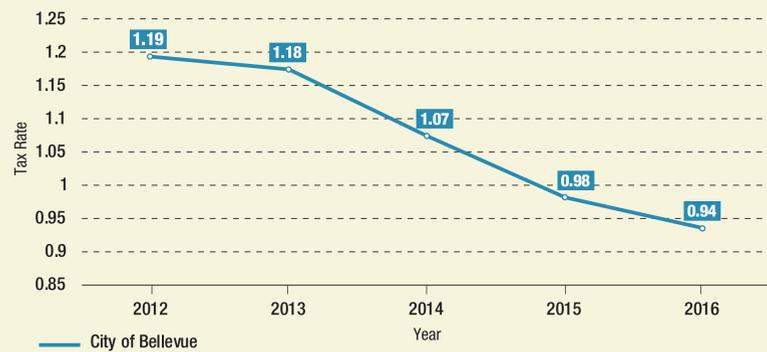
Invest \$240M
(over 20 years)

- \$120M** to Upgrade All Fire Station Facilities
- \$120M** to Enhance Neighborhood Safety & Connectivity

Average Homeowner - \$160 year
(median assessed value of \$640,000)

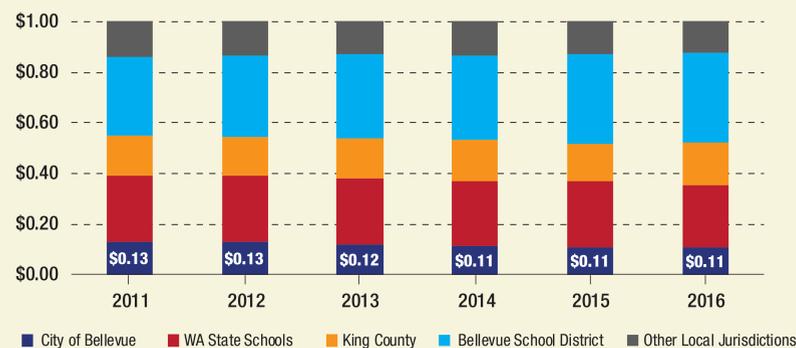
- \$80/year** to Fire Stations
- \$80/year** to Neighborhood Safety and Connectivity

5 Year Look at Rate of Property Tax Received by Bellevue



The City of Bellevue portion of the property tax rate has decreased for the past 5 years. The 2016 rate is 94 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value (\$601 for a home with median value of \$640,000). Bellevue currently has the lowest tax rate of Washington cities with more than 20,000 residents.

Where your Property Tax Dollar goes:



An average property tax bill in Bellevue sends only 11 cents of every dollar to the city to fund municipal services. The remaining 89 cents goes to King County, schools, and other jurisdictions.