



SAN DIEGO TAXPAYERS ON THE HOOK FOR \$35,320

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-\$5,400

City of San Diego



-\$3,040

San Diego County



-\$3,850

San Diego Unified School District



-\$830

Poway Unified School District



-\$510

San Diego Community College District



-\$120

San Diego Metropolitan Transit District



-\$100

San Ysidro School District



\$130

San Diego County Water Authority



-\$21,600

California



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

-\$35,320

per taxpayer

San Diego and its underlying government entities

FAST FACTS

- San Diego has a Taxpayer Burden of \$5,400, which is each taxpayer's share of the city's debt.
- San Diego taxpayers also pay taxes to the county and other underlying government units. If these debts are included, each taxpayer's burden is \$13,720.
- When state debt is added to city debt, each taxpayer has a burden of \$35,320.

Government Unit	Assets available to pay bills*	Less Bills			Money available (needed) to pay bills	Taxpayer Surplus (Burden)	Grade
		Unfunded pension benefits due	Unfunded OPEB	Other bills**			
San Diego	\$2.3 billion	\$2.7 billion	\$537.8 million	\$1.4 billion	\$2.3 billion	(\$5,400)	D
San Diego County	\$3.2 billion	\$4 billion	\$139.4 million	\$2.2 billion	-\$3.1 billion	(\$3,040)	C
San Diego Unified School District	\$1.1 billion	\$1.3 billion	\$108.4 million	\$1.3 billion	-\$1.7 billion	(\$3,850)	C
Poway Unified School District	\$83.6 million	\$345.3 million	\$52 million	\$45.7 million	-\$359.3 million	(\$830)	C
San Diego Community College District	\$206.1 million	\$279.8 million	\$3.9 million	\$143.3 million	-\$221 million	(\$510)	C
San Diego Metropolitan Transit District	\$190.2 million	\$178.1 million	\$33.6 million	\$100.4 million	-\$122 million	(\$120)	C
San Ysidro School District	\$14.3 million	\$45.3 million	\$6.9 million	\$5.5 million	-\$43.4 million	(\$100)	C
San Diego County Water Authority	\$523.6 million	\$71.1 million	\$170,000	\$315.8 million	\$136.5 million	\$130	B
San Diego and Underlying governments	\$7.7 billion	\$8.9 billion	\$882.1 million	\$5.6 billion	\$7.7 billion	(\$13,720)	
California	\$97.3 billion	\$93.6 billion	\$95.8 billion	\$163.1 billion	-\$255.1 billion	(\$21,600)	F
						(\$35,320)	

* Does not include capital assets or restricted assets

** Does not include debt related to capital assets