

2026 Municipal Budget

of the TOWNSHIP of WANTAGE County of
SUSSEX for the fiscal year 2026.

Revenue and Appropriations Summaries

Summary of Revenues	Anticipated		
	2026		2025
1. Surplus	550,000.00		850,000.00
2. Total Miscellaneous Revenues	1,761,943.74		1,430,450.50
3. Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	620,000.00		620,000.00
4. a) Local Tax for Municipal Purposes	4,621,017.71		4,236,500.16
b) Addition to Local School District Tax			
c) Minimum Library Tax			
Tot Amt to be Rsd by Taxes for Sup of Muni Bnd	4,621,017.71		4,236,500.16
Total General Revenues	7,552,961.45		7,136,950.66

Summary of Appropriations	2026 Budget		Final 2025 Budget
1. Operating Expenses: Salaries & Wages	2,190,415.00		2,064,674.50
Other Expenses	2,678,676.10		2,334,704.77
2. Deferred Charges & Other Appropriations	560,292.00		472,953.38
3. Capital Improvements	589,000.00		867,000.00
4. Debt Service (Include for School Purposes)	697,420.58		711,312.70
5. Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	837,157.77		809,305.31
Total General Appropriations	7,552,961.45		7,259,950.66
Total Number of Employees	37		37

2026 Dedicated	Sewer Allocation	Utility Budget
Summary of Revenues		
		Anticipated
		2026
		2025
1. Surplus		
2. Miscellaneous Revenues		172,417.00
3. Deficit (General Budget)		
Total Revenues		172,417.00
Summary of Appropriations		
		2026 Budget
		Final 2025 Budget
1. Operating Expenses: Salaries & Wages		
Other Expenses		172,417.00
2. Capital Improvements		
3. Debt Service		
4. Deferred Charges & Other Appropriations		
5. Surplus (General Budget)		
Total Appropriations		172,417.00
Total Number of Employees		

Balance of Outstanding Debt			
Interest		121,270.38	
Principal		576,150.20	
Outstanding Balance		3,638,567.72	

Notice is hereby given that the budget and tax resolution was approved by the COMMITTEEPERSONS of the TOWNSHIP of WANTAGE, County of SUSSEX on March 12, 2026.

A hearing on the budget and tax resolution will be held at the Municipal Building, on April 9, 2026 at 7:00 o'clock PM at which time and place objections to the Budget and Tax Resolution for the year 2026 may be presented by taxpayers or other interested parties.

Copies of the budget are available in the office of the Municipal Clerk at the Municipal Building, 888 State Route 23, Wantage New Jersey, Monday through Friday during the hours of 8:30am to 4:30pm.