



## Talbot County, Maryland

Form of Government	Charter Home Rule
When Adopted	1973
Number of Elected Officials	5 At-Large Council members
Term of Office	No Term Limits
County Meeting Dates	Second Tuesday at 1:30 pm and fourth Tuesday at 6:00 pm

<u>Name of Elected Official</u>	<u>Title and District</u>	<u>First Elected</u>
Frank Divilio	Council Member	2018
Corey W. Pack	Council Member	2007
Chuck Callahan	Council President	2014
Pete Leshar	Council Vice President	2018
Laura E. Price	Council Member	2010

<u>Demographics</u>		<u>Municipalities</u>	
<u>Population and Density</u>		<u>Number</u>	5
Land Area (sq. miles)	268.5	<u>Population</u>	19,205
Population	37,211	<u>% of Cnty Population</u>	52%
Population Density	138.6	<u>Largest</u>	Easton
<u>Racial Distribution</u>		<u>Recent Annexations</u>	-
White	82.8%	<u>County Management of</u>	Tax Differential
African American	11.0%	<u>Property Taxes</u>	
Hispanic/Latino	6.5%		
Asian	1.4%		
American Indian	0.1%		
Native Hawaiian	0.1%		
Multi-Racial	3.5%		
<u>Other</u>		<u>FY 2020 Budget Actions</u>	
Median Household Income	\$ 67,204	Budget increased by 0.314% over prior year. Increase of \$0.0311 to property tax rate. County provided step increase for full time county employees and a 1% COLA.	
Median Home Price	\$ 331,500		
% Persons Living in Poverty	9.5%		
Income Ranking Per Capita	3		

<u>Budget and Finance</u>			
FY 2020 General Fund Budget	\$92,328,200	<u>K-12 Education (FY 2019)</u>	
% of General Fund for Public Safety	21.3%	<u>County Share</u>	66.0%
% of General Fund for Education	50.0%	<u>State Share</u>	28.5%
		<u>Federal Share</u>	5.5%

<u>Tax</u>	<u>FY 2020 Tax Rate</u>
Property	\$ 0.64
Income	2.40%
Recordation	\$6.00
Transfer	1.00%
Hotel/Motel	8%
Adm & Amusement	5%
	<u>% Limit</u>
Homestead Credit	0%

Adequate Public Financing Ordinances None