

So, where's all my tax money being spent?



Our taxes finance schools, special districts, city, county and state governments. Where does all the money go?

Next time your school board or city council meets, attend the meeting and feel free to ask your elected officials: "Who is getting the money, how much and for what purpose?"

According to Missouri's Sunshine Law—the open records and open meetings statutes—they have to tell you!

The Sunshine Law is a law for everyone, not just the news media. The Missouri Press Association and this newspaper ask you to support openness in local and state government records and meetings. Democracy, after all, cannot work efficiently if we don't know where the money is going.



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