



Required Action

 Selection of a Minimum Residential Factor.

 Whether to grant a Residential Exemption.



MINIMUM RESIDENTIAL FACTOR

- A Residential Factor of 1 would yield a single tax rate of \$10.08 per thousand of value.
- Tax Levy: \$113,126,839/ Value: \$11,219,660,408 = (0.01040) X 1000 = Single Tax Rate of \$10.08
- Chapter 200 allows communities to select a factor less than 1 thereby shifting more of the tax burden onto the CIP classes of properties.

(CIP= Commercial/Industrial/Personal Property)

Historically, Malden has chosen the maximum allowable shift factor to afford residential taxpayers the lowest share of the tax burden allowed by state law.

Time Frame- Calendar 2022 to 2023



MRF OPTIONS

CIP SHIFT	MRF	RES %	CIP %	RES TR	CIP TR
1	1	88.9397	11.0603	\$12.45	\$10.08
1.25	.9695	86.4263	13.5737	\$12.07	\$12.60
1.50	.9391	83.7115	16.2885	\$11.69	\$15.12
1.74	.9099	81.1054	18.8946	11.33	17.54
1.75	.9086	80.9968	19.0033	\$11.31	\$17.65

Bold represents the maximum allowable shift for FY 2025 The above data includes a 30% residential exemption

ESTIMATED TAX BILLS RESIDENTIAL

FY25 Average Residential Value is \$792,121

CIP SHIFT	MRF	RES %	RES TR	EST BILL
1	1	88.9397	\$12.45	\$9,861
1.25	.9695	86.4263	\$12.07	\$9.561
1.50	.9391	83.7115	\$11.69	\$9,260
1.74	.9099	81.1054	11.33	8,975
1.75	.9086	80.9968	\$11.31	\$8,959

- Bold represents the max allowable shift for FY 2025.
- The Maximum Allowable Shift results in an \$886 savings to the average residential taxpayer.
 - These amounts DO NOT include the residential exemption

ESTIMATED TAX AMOUNTS CIP

FY25 Average Comm/Indust/PP Value is \$1,424,960

CIP SHIFT	MRF	CIP %	CIPTR	EST TB
1	1	11.0603	\$10.08	\$14,363.60
1.25	.9695	13.5737	\$12.60	\$17,954.50
1.5	.9391	16.2885	\$15.12	\$21,545.40
1.74	.9099	18.8946	17.54	\$24,993.80
1.75	.9086	19.0033	\$17.65	\$25,150.54

FY 2024 EST TAX RATES & HISTORY

At the Maximum Allowable Shift with the selected MRF of .9099, our estimated tax rates will be:

\$11.33 Residential

\$17.54 Commercial/Industrial/Personal

Note: These rates can change slightly during the approval process.

Prior Year Tax Rates

	2024	2023	2022	2021
Residential	\$11.69	\$12.19	\$12.35	\$12.29
CIP	\$18.20	\$18.68	\$19.17	\$19.14

RESIDENTIAL EXEMPTION

- Only 17 communities state-wide have adopted
- Malden adopted in 2008
- Exemption in FY2024 was \$2,598.33
- Of the 12,626 residential properties, about 7,998 currently qualify for the exemption
- There is a break-even point......

Res-Exemption Break Even

Properties valued above \$1,250,478 don't realize the benefit and begin to pay more as value rises.

Land Use	Count
101- Single Family	8
102- Condos	0
104- 2-Fam	14
105- 3-Family	21
109- Multiple Houses, One lot	10
111 – 4-8 Unit Apts	73
112 – 9+ Unit Apartments	100
121-125- Boarding, Etc.	2

AVG TAX BILL FY 2024 – FY 2025

	2024	2025	
Avg. Residential Value	\$743,873	\$792,121	
Res Tax Rate	\$11.70	\$11.33	
Avg. Res Tax Bill	\$8,703 *Does not include residential exemption	\$8,975 *Does not include residential exemption	
Avg. CIP Value	\$1,287,943	\$1,424,960	
CIP Tax Rate	\$18.20	\$17.54	
Avg. CIP Tax Bill	\$23,440	\$24,994	

NEARBY COMMUNITIES THAT ALSO HAVE THE RESIDENTIAL EXEMPTION (FY24)

COMMUNITY	RES TAX RATE	CIP TAX RATE	AVG RESIDENTIAL VALUE	Exemption Amount (Value)	AVG Res Tax BILL WITH EXEMPTION
BOSTON (35%)	\$10.90	\$25.27	\$946,404	\$331,241	\$6,705
CAMBRIDGE (30%)	\$5.92	\$10.46	\$1,643,373	\$493,012	\$6,810
EVERETT (25%)	\$11.46	\$24.00	\$685,652	\$171,413	\$5,893
SOMERVILLE (35%)	\$10.52	\$18.20	\$1,100,993	\$385,327	\$7,529
CHELSEA (35%)	\$11.90	\$23.75	\$724,617	\$253,616	\$5,605
MALDEN (30%)	\$11.69	\$18.20	\$740,867	\$222,260	\$6,063

FY 2024 TAX SHIFT NEIGHBORING

COMMUNITY	FY2024 ACTUAL SHIFT	RES % OF Before	TAX BASE After	CIP % OF Before	TAX BASE After	Avg SF Tax Bill* *includes Res Exemption
MALDEN	1.75	88.94%	80.64%	11.06%	19.36%	\$4,748*
SAUGUS	1.75	82.88%	70.45%	17.12%	29.55%	\$6,581
EVERETT	1.75	74.08%	54.64%	25.92%	45.36%	\$4,768*
MELROSE	1.72	94.95%	91.31%	5.05%	8.69%	\$7,857
MEDFORD	1.75	88.99%	80.76%	11.01%	19.24%	\$6,551

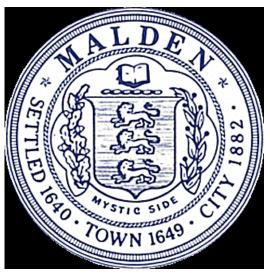
ACTION

-Maximum Allowable Shift

Historically 1.75 (1.74= .9099 MRF)

-Residential Exemption @ 30% Historically 30%





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