What are Unsecured Property Taxes?

Unsecured (Personal) Property Taxes Are...

...value-based property taxes on boats, jet skis, aircraft, business fixtures, business furniture, and business machinery, among others. These taxes are billed to the owner of record as of January 1 of each year and they are not prorated.

Late Payments Will Incur Penalties

Payments received or United States Postal Service postmarked after August 31, will be subject to penalties and collection cost. The Tax Collector has limited authority under the law to cancel penalties. Review our Penalty Cancellation Policy at propertytax.lacounty.gov under “Self-Service Options.”

Unsecured Supplemental Property Tax Bills Are...

... created when there is a reappraisal of the property due to a change in ownership or new construction. These reappraisals may occur at any time during the tax year; supplemental bills may be generated and sent in addition to the annual billing.

Unsecured Escape Assessment Bills Are...

...corrections to a personal property’s assessed value that the Office of the Los Angeles County Assessor did not add to any prior year’s Annual Unsecured Property Tax Bill. Escape bills may be generated and sent in addition to the annual billing.

Save Time, Pay Online!

Pay by electronic check (eCheck) or credit and debit cards, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week until 11:59 p.m. Pacific Time on the delinquency date. There is no cost for eCheck and credit/debit card transactions have a service fee of 2.22% of the transaction amount. 
Online payment is not available if your tax bill becomes past due.

Online Payments Are Easy!

• Go to: https://ttc.lacounty.gov/pay-your-property-taxes-unsecured/
• Select your payment method and accept Terms of Use.
• Select “Unsecured (Personal) Property Tax Inquiry/Payment” from the “Option Selections.”

About Our Online Resources?

Penalty cancellations: https://ttc.lacounty.gov/penalty-cancellation-request-related/

When To Call The Office Of The Assessor?

If you have questions on the ownership change and assessment value of your unsecured (personal) property, contact the Office of the Los Angeles County Assessor at helpdesk@assessor.lacounty.gov or (213) 974-3211.

Si desea obtener información adicional sobre este aviso o si necesita la información traducida en español, por favor llame al (213) 893-7935 entre las 8:00 a.m. y 5:00 p.m. Tiempo Pacífico, de lunes a viernes, excluyendo los días festivos del Condado de Los Ángeles.