



1505.2: County Qualification for State Funds for Veteran's Assistance

To qualify for State funds for assistance to indigent war veterans and their families, counties (other than Cook) which have a Veteran's Assistance Commission must either:

- a. Impose a tax for the current fiscal year which, in combination with the unobligated balance of county veteran's assistance funds available at the end of the preceding fiscal year, will yield an amount equal to at least .02% of the last known total equalized value of the county's taxable property; **or**
- b. On the last day the tax could be imposed for the current year, have available an unobligated balance of veteran's assistance funds equal to at least .02% of the last known total equalized value of the county's taxable property.

If the county has by general referendum been authorized to levy a tax greater than .02% of the total equalized value of county property, it must levy the higher tax or have an unobligated balance available equivalent to the higher tax in order to qualify for State funds for veteran's assistance.