








LOCAL GOVERNMENT REPORT CARD

Taxpayers should know precisely where their city and county stands with others in areas like spending, debt, and government size. This report card and **FloridaTaxpayers.com** work together to help you compare your local governments with others. Counties and cities that did not fully report their data were ranked “F.”

Lauderdale-By-The-Sea

How this city compares relative to cities of similar size:

	GRADE		RANKING	
	C	Government Spending This category includes data on the city’s 6-year average per capita spending and total dollar increase in spending.	176th	out of 242 small cities
	A	Government Debt This category includes data on the city’s 6-year average per capita debt and total dollar increase in debt.	2nd	
	B	Government Size This category includes data on percent government spending on salaries and benefits, FTEs per 100k residents, and average public employee salary.	68th	
	B	Crime This category includes data on violent crime rate, property crime rate, and total crime clearance rate.	74th	
	N/A	Education This category includes data on average school grade and graduation rate.	N/A	

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Disclaimer: Grades and ranking were determined using data collected from public county and municipality sources. Only raw and per-capita data was considered, with no value judgments made regarding the relative importance of any one category over any other.