

By the end of 2025 the Borough had 487 Senior citizens not paying sales tax in the Petersburg Borough.

After the election proposition passed that limited the senior sales tax exemption to low income seniors the number has dropped to approximately 60 senior citizens.

Looking at the 2025 list of seniors that had then received the exemption, 388 senior citizens on that list are currently over the age of 70. 80% of the 2025 list.

As you can see below, tax revenue has increased since January 1st compared to 2024 and 2025.

Sales Tax	2024	2025	2026
July	\$ 486,520.00	\$ 471,879.00	\$ 485,385.00
August	\$ 488,312.00	\$ 483,348.00	\$ 515,680.00
September	\$ 379,281.00	\$ 393,152.00	\$ 379,937.00
October	\$ 332,614.00	\$ 315,832.00	\$ 324,404.00
November	\$ 322,125.00	\$ 330,649.00	\$ 337,216.00
December	\$ 315,484.00	\$ 323,131.00	\$ 362,229.00
January	\$ 255,105.00	\$ 254,739.00	\$ 269,957.00
February	\$ 262,545.00	\$ 252,430.00	\$ 293,260.00
March	\$ 273,609.00	\$ 267,852.00	\$ 306,322.00
April	\$ 299,673.00	\$ 271,036.00	\$ 331,533.00
May	\$ 346,964.00	\$ 402,837.00	\$ 449,819.00
June	\$ 469,858.00	\$ 450,043.52	\$ 503,768.00
	\$4,232,090.00	\$4,216,928.52	\$4,559,510.00

January 2026 - 1st month of new senior exemption rules.
Limiting the senior exemption to low income.

