PA Liquor Control Board

Where the money goes

◆PA Wine & Spirits stores generated approximately $2.1 billion in revenue in 2011-12. PLCB returned more than $494 million to the Pennsylvania Treasury.

- ⇨$298,144,199 in liquor tax
- ⇨$116,033,064 in state sales tax
- ⇨$80,000,000 transfer to the General Fund

◆In 2011-12, the PLCB provided $21,737,286 in funding to the Pennsylvania State Police for the enforcement of liquor laws and more than $2 million to the Department of Drug and Alcohol Programs* to educate and prevent problem alcohol use. In addition, $4,468,853 in licensing fees was returned to local communities.

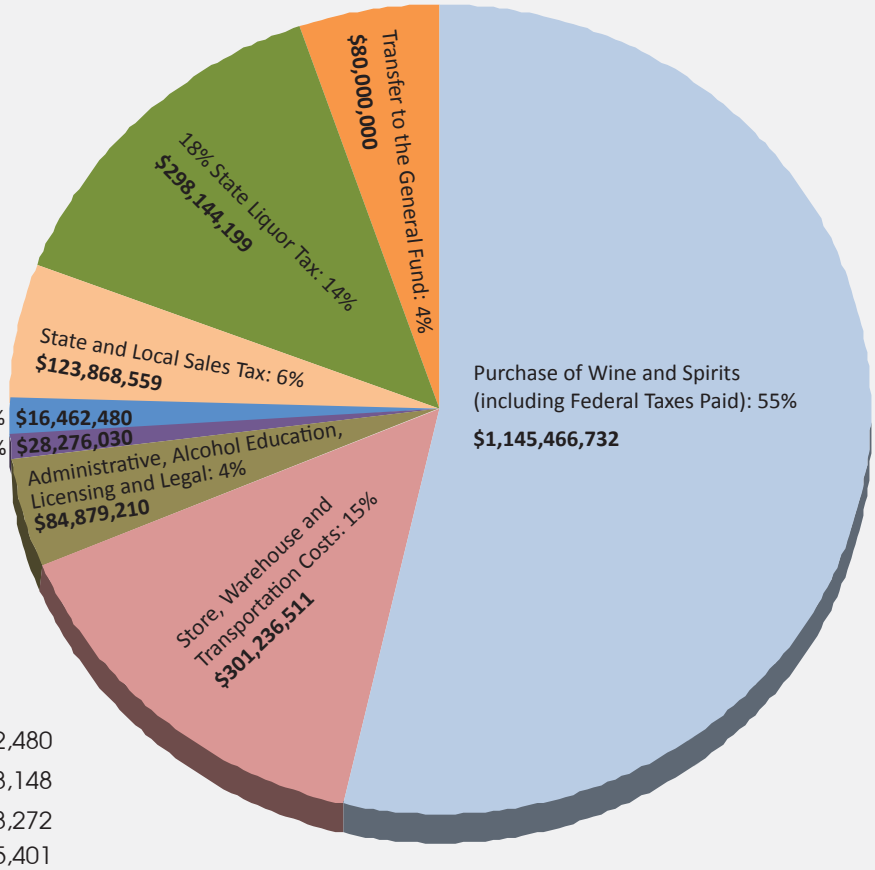
◆In the last six fiscal years, the PLCB has provided:

- ⇨Nearly $3 billion to Pennsylvania Treasury;
- ⇨$122.3 million to Pennsylvania State Police;
- ⇨$10.5 million to Department Drug and Alcohol Programs
- ⇨$27.2 million to local communities.

*formerly Department of Health, Bureau of Drug and Alcohol Programs

Distribution of Proceeds

55%	Purchase of Wine and Spirits (including Federal Taxes Paid)	$1,145,466,732
15%	Store, Warehouse, and Transportation Costs	$ 301,236,511
4%	Administrative, Alcohol Education, Licensing and Legal	$ 84,879,210
1%	Billings from other Commonwealth Agencies*	$ 16,462,480
1%	Contributions to Other Agencies*	$ 28,276,030
6%	State and Local Sales Tax	$ 123,868,559
14%	18% State Liquor Tax	$ 298,144,199
4%	Transfer to the General Fund	$ 80,000,000



*Billings from Other Commonwealth Agencies	$16,462,480
Comptroller & Payroll	$ 5,598,148
Consolidated Data Center Charges	$ 3,848,272
Department of the Auditor General	$ 3,085,401
Office of Administration	$ 2,042,508
Civil Service Commission	$ 892,374
Department of General Services	$ 769,592
Treasury Department	$ 226,185

*Contributions to Other Agencies	$28,276,030
License fees returned to local municipalities	$ 4,468,853
State Police Liquor Enforcement	$21,737,286
Dept. of Drug and Alcohol Programs	$ 2,069,891