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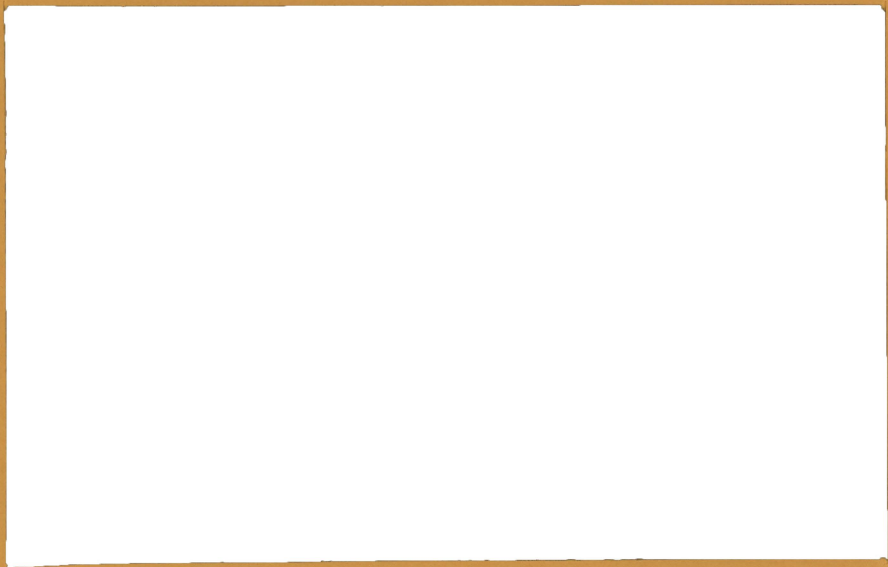
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## (NURSING HOME PROGRAM)

### Objective

This program produces bed need, cost and tax related estimates for the planning and administration of nursing home facilities. The program is in three parts which may be run in any sequence. Part A develops estimates of nursing home bed need for a county as a whole or for the towns within a county by zipcode areas. Part B develops cost projections for both operating and capital costs. Cost estimates by budget category can be adjusted by economic indices or by user estimates. Part C develops estimates of tax rates required to achieve a subsidized monthly charge per bed that is lower than the estimated cost.

### Credits

This program was developed by John Kuehn and Bill Elder at the University of Missouri. It is based on research reported in Nursing Home Feasibility Guide for Local Decisionmakers in the Rural Ozarks, by John Kuehn, Damian Suits, Bob McGill, and Marlys Nelson. Economic Development Division, Economic, Statistics and Cooperative Services U.S. Department of Agriculture, AIB437. Summaries of the above report are also in DH1219 Costs and Funding of Nursing Homes and DM1220 Utilization of Nursing Homes available from your local University of Missouri Extension Service Offices.



## Running the Program

The user is presented with menus that direct the execution of the program's three main parts: bed estimates, cost estimates, and tax estimates. Within each part information is requested from the user about options desired and inputs required. The amount of input required will depend on the options you choose and whether you wish to accept the default values already in the program or enter your own. The program will recall from one part to another the last value you used for an estimate, and will ask whether you wish to keep the last value or enter a new one. If requested the program will print instructions and references. Input forms are included here to help organize data you may wish to enter.

Please be sure to read the instructions printed prior to each request for input. Some responses require whole number and others a decimal point. When entering numbers never use commas or dollar signs.

If an error occurs as a result of input the user will be requested to re-enter the information in the proper format. A default condition will end the program if the same error occur 5 times.

### PART A: Nursing Home Bed Need

This procedure estimates the number of potential nursing home residents by county. Remember, actual bed need is the difference between the number of beds estimated for an area and the number of beds already available.

The program will estimate bed need either for the county as a whole or by zip code areas (i.e., towns) within the county. For a county-wide estimate only the number of persons 65 and older in the county is required as input. For estimates by zipcode the program will request the following information from the user:

1. Number of persons 65 or older in the county
2. Town name
3. Zipcode
4. Number of OASI recipients by zipcode

OASI is Old Age Survivors Insurance, a program of the Social Security Administration. The data used here can be obtained from your area SSA office in a table entitled, Cash Benefits In Force (see references section).

The program uses a .055 occupancy rate and a utilization rate of 0.055 to calculate bed need. The occupancy rate is a measure of how near the total capacity of the home you expect to normally operate. The utilization rate is an indicator of bed need based on two factors: 1) the proportion of those 65 and older who use nursing homes; and 2) the proportion of nursing home residents who are 65 years old or over. The estimates used in the program are 0.047 and 0.853 respectively, which yield the utilization rate of 0.055. These estimates were obtained from research findings listed in the references. The program will ask if you wish to change these rates, and if you so indicate it will ask you to enter your own estimates.

#### PART B: Estimates of Annual Costs

This procedure estimates per bed costs for both annual operating expenses such as salaries, utilities, and nursing supplies, as well as capital costs. Current cost estimates are automatically calculated by applying economic indices to base cost data. The program will display for you both the costs and index values loaded into the program. Then you will be asked if you wish to change any of the values. If you ask to change values you will be asked for either a new index value or a new cost per bed estimate.

If you wish to change index values, you will need one or more of the following indices:

1. For nursing supplies, the medical care index
2. For dietary supplies, the food at home index
3. For utilities, the fuel and utilities Index
4. For other operating costs, the Household furnishings and operations index
5. The composite construction cost index
6. The average hourly earnings index for salaries

These indices are published monthly in a report called Survey of Current Business available at your local library. The first four are from the Consumer Price Index.

For the capital cost part of the procedure you will need to provide information about:

1. Startup cost, by estimating the number of months needed to reach planned occupancy.
2. Land costs
3. Interest rate
4. Number of years on loan

## PART C: Alternative Sources of Revenue

This part of the program calculates alternative property tax rates needed to lower patient charges to some optimal level specified by the user. You will need to enter:

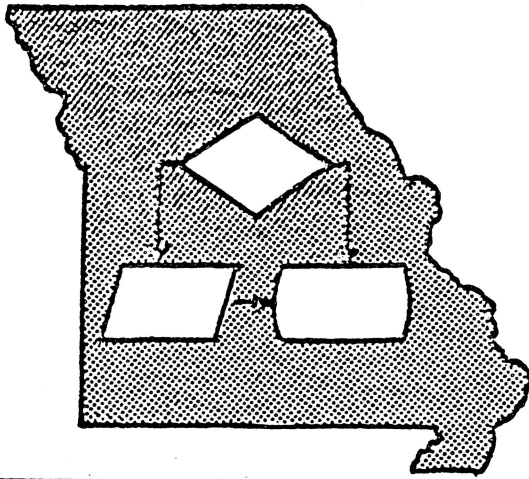
1. Preferred monthly charge per occupant
2. The county total assessed valuation

The program will indicate the tax rate required to achieve the subsidized monthly cost per occupant requested.

### REFERENCES

1. Nursing Home Feasibility Guide for Local Decisionmakers in the Rural Ozarks, by John Kuehn, Damian Suits, Bob McGill, and Marlys K. Nelson. Economic Development Division, Economics, Statistics and Cooperatives Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture. Agriculture Information Bulletin No. 437.
2. Survey of Current Business, U.S. Department of Commerce.
3. Costs and Funding of Nursing Homes, by John Kuehn, Damian Suits, Bob McGill, and James Perry. University of Missouri Extension Division. DML219.
4. Utilization of Nursing Homes, by John Kuehn, Damian Suits, Bob McGill and James Perry, University of Missouri Extension Division. DML220.
5. Cash Benefits in Force and Supplemental Security Income Payments by Region, State, District Office, and Zipcode. Available at local Social Security Offices.





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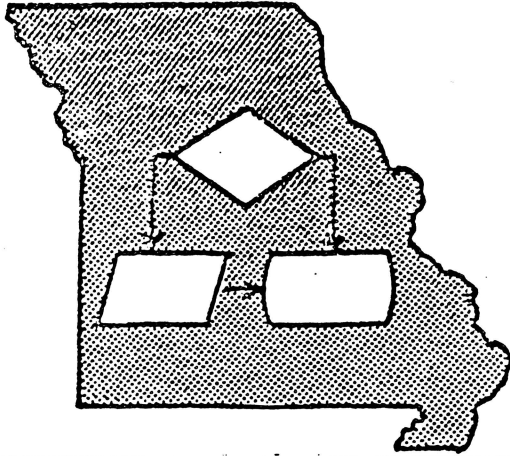
INPUT FORM FOR PART A  
(ESTIMATING NURSING HOME BEDS)

Name of county.....

Number of persons 65 or older  
in the county.....

Town name, Zipcode and OASI recipients (for up to twenty  
towns within the county)

TOWN NAME	ZIPCODE	OASI
1.		
2.		
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INPUT FORM FOR PART B  
(ESTIMATING NURSING HOME COSTS)

- 1. Number of Beds..... \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Indices or cost estimates (if values are to be changed)

COST CATEGORY	INDEX	OR	DOLLARS PER BED
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- SALARIES
- NURSING SUPPLIES
- DIETARY SUPPLIES
- UTILITES
- OTHER COSTS
- CONSTRUCTION COSTS

- 3. Number of months estimated to achieve planned level of occupancy..... \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. Land cost..... \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. Interest rate..... \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. Number of years on the loan..... \_\_\_\_\_

INPUT FORM FOR PART C  
ESTIMATING TAX IMPACTS

- 1. Preferred Monthly Cost per Occupant.. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Area's Total Assessed Valuation..... \_\_\_\_\_

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UUUU      UUUU      MMMM      MMM      MMMM
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ESTIMATING NURSING HOME OPERATIONS  
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WHICH PROCEDURE DO YOU WISH TO RUN?

- A. ESTIMATE POTENTIAL BEDS
- B. ESTIMATE COSTS
- C. ESTIMATE TAX IMPACT
- D. NONE. END PROGRAM.

PLEASE SELECT A PROCEDURE AND ENTER THE  
CORRESPONDING LETTER A B C OR D.

ENTER LETTER:A

PART A: ESTIMATING POTENTIAL RESIDENTS  
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WHICH LEVEL DO YOU WISH TO RUN?

- A. COUNTY-WIDE ESTIMATE ONLY
- B. BY ZIP CODE AREAS
- C. PLEASE PRINT DESCRIPTION AGAIN
- D. NONE. PLEASE END PROGRAM

SELECT A LETTER AND ENTER EITHER  
A B C OR D ENTER LETTER:

:  
B

PLEASE ENTER THE NAME OF THE COUNTY:BOONE



PLEASE ENTER THE NUMBER OF PERSONS IN THE  
COUNTY AGE 65 AND OLDER. PLEASE ENTER A WHOLE NUMBER  
WITHOUT COMMAS:7200

OUR RESEARCH INDICATED THAT THE NURSING  
HOME UTILIZATION RATE FOR THE POPULATION AGE 65 AND  
OLDER WAS .0470 WE ALSO ESTIMATED THAT .8530 OF  
ALL NURSING HOME RESIDENTS ARE AGE 65 AND OLDER.  
THUS, THE ADJUSTED UTILIZATION RATE SET IN THIS  
PROGRAM IS .0470 DIVIDED BY .8530 OR .0550  
SEE THE REFERENCE TO KUEHN, 1980 FOR DETAILS.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO USE THE GENERAL RATES  
INDICATED ABOVE OR ENTER YOUR OWN ESTIMATES?

- A. USE GENERAL ESTIMATES
- B. ENTER NEW RATES

PLEASE ENTER A OR B :A

WE USE AN OCCUPANCY RATE OF .95 TO  
ESTIMATE BED NEED. DO YOU WISH TO :

- A. USE .95
- B. USE SOME OTHER RATE

PLEASE ENTER A OR B :A

THIS PROGRAM CAN ANALYZE UP TO TWENTY  
TOWNS WITHIN A COUNTY. HOW MANY DO YOU WISH TO  
CONSIDER TODAY? ENTER THE NUMBER: 8

PLEASE ENTER A TOWN NAME:CENTRALIA

PLEASE ENTER A TOWN NAME:STURGEON

PLEASE ENTER A TOWN NAME:HALLSVILLE

PLEASE ENTER A TOWN NAME:COLUMBIA

PLEASE ENTER A TOWN NAME:HARTSBURG

PLEASE ENTER A TOWN NAME:ASHLAND

PLEASE ENTER A TOWN NAME:HARRISBURG

WE ARE READY TO ENTER ZIPCODES

PLEASE ENTER THE ZIP CODE FOR CENTRALIA :65240

PLEASE ENTER THE ZIP CODE FOR STURGEON :65284

PLEASE ENTER THE ZIP CODE FOR HALLSVILLE :65255

PLEASE ENTER THE ZIP CODE FOR COLUMBIA :65201

PLEASE ENTER THE ZIP CODE FOR HARTSBURG :65039

PLEASE ENTER THE ZIP CODE FOR ASHLAND :65010

PLEASE ENTER THE ZIP CODE FOR ROCHPORT :65279

PLEASE ENTER THE ZIP CODE FOR HARRISBURG :65256

WE ARE READY TO ENTER OASI RECIPIENTS BY ZIP CODES

PLEASE USE A WHOLE NUMBER WITHOUT COMMAS

PLEASE ENTER THE NUMBER OF OASI RECIPIENTS FOR:

CENTRALIA 65240

:

950

PLEASE ENTER THE NUMBER OF OASI RECIPIENTS FOR:

STURGEON 65284

:

333

PLEASE ENTER THE NUMBER OF OASI RECIPIENTS FOR:

HALLSVILLE 65255

:

271

PLEASE ENTER THE NUMBER OF OASI RECIPIENTS FOR:

(8/81)

21-9

COLUMBIA  
:  
6961

65201

PLEASE ENTER THE NUMBER OF OASI RECIPIENTS FOR:  
HARTSBURG                   65039  
:  
180

PLEASE ENTER THE NUMBER OF OASI RECIPIENTS FOR:  
ASHLAND                   65010  
:  
339

PLEASE ENTER THE NUMBER OF OASI RECIPIENTS FOR:  
ROCHPORT                   65279  
:  
215

PLEASE ENTER THE NUMBER OF OASI RECIPIENTS FOR:  
HARRISBURG                 65256  
:  
113

IN THIS RUN THE FOLLOWING ESTIMATES WERE USED:

POPULATION 65 AND OVER	7200
UTILIZATION RATE	0.0470
PROPORTION 65 AND OVER IN HOMES	0.8530
ADJUSTED UTILIZATION RATE	0.0550
OCCUPANCY RATE	0.9500

NURSING HOME ESTIMATES FOR COUNTY: BOONE

TOWM NAME	ESTIMATED POPULATION OVER 65	ESTIMATED NURSING RESIDENTS	ESTIMATED BEDS
CENTRALIA	731	40	42
STURGEON	256	14	15
HALLSVILLE	208	11	12
COLUMBIA	5353	294	309
HARTSBURG	138	8	8
ASHLAND	261	14	15
ROCHPORT	165	9	9
HARRISBURG	87	5	5
AREA TOTALS	7200	395	415



WHICH PROCEDURE DO YOU WISH TO RUN?

- A. ESTIMATE POTENTIAL BEDS
- B. ESTIMATE COSTS
- C. ESTIMATE TAX IMPACT
- D. NONE. END PROGRAM.

PLEASE SELECT A PROCEDURE AND ENTER THE CORRESPONDING LETTER A B C OR D.

ENTER LETTER: B

PART B: ESTIMATING TOTAL ANNUAL COSTS

DO YOU WISH TO:

- A. READ A DESCRIPTION OF THIS PART?
- B. PROCEED DIRECTLY TO ESTIMATES?

PLEASE ENTER A OR B: B

PER BED COSTS AND INDEX VALUES NOW LOADED

ITEM NUMBER	COST ITEM	BASE COST ESTIMATES PER BED	CURRENT INDICE	OCTOBER 1978 INDICE	CURRENT ESTIMATES PER BED
1	SALARIES	\$4,720	258.30	216.80	\$5,623.50
2	NURSING	\$190	274.50	224.70	\$232.10
3	DIETARY SUPPLY	\$748	262.10	215.40	\$910.17
4	UTILITIES	\$347	285.70	220.10	\$450.42
5	OTHER COSTS	\$462	211.00	181.90	\$535.90
6	CONSTRUCTION	\$17,594	228.50	183.10	\$21,956.46

DO YOU WISH TO CHANGE ANY INDEX VALUES OR ANY CURRENT COST ESTIMATES?

PLEASE ENTER YES OR NO: NO

BASE COSTS AND INDICE VALUES ARE NOW SET. WE ARE READY TO ESTIMATE TOTAL ANNUAL OPERATING COSTS.

THE ESTIMATED NUMBER OF BEDS USED EARLIER WAS 415

DO YOU WISH TO:

- A. USE THE SAME NUMBER FOR COSTS.
- B. ENTER A NEW NUMBER.  
PLEASE ENTER A OR B:B

PLEASE ENTER THE ESTIMATED NUMBER  
OF BEDS YOU WISH TO USE FOR ESTIMATING COSTS.

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60

TOTAL OPERATING COSTS

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5	OTHER COSTS	\$462	211.00	181.90	\$535.90
TOTAL OPERATIONS COSTS PER BED				\$7,752	
NUMBER OF BEDS				60	
TOTAL OPERATION COSTS FOR HOME				\$465,125.40	

DO YOU WISH TO ESTIMATE CAPITAL COSTS?  
PLEASE ENTER YES OR NO:YES

WORKING CAPITAL IS OFTEN REQUIRED  
TO PAY OPERATING EXPENSES UNTIL PLANNED OCCUPANCY  
IS ACHIEVED. THESE STARTUP COSTS CAN BE ESTIMATED BASED  
ON THE NUMBER OF MONTHS ANTICIPATED TO REACH THE  
HOMES PLANNED OCCUPANCY.

DO YOU WISH TO:

- A. USE THE STARTUP COST ESTIMATE OF THREE  
MONTHS BUILT INTO THE PROGRAM.
- B. ENTER YOUR OWN ESTIMATE OF STARTUP TIME.

PLEASE ENTER A OR B:A

PLEASE ENTER THE COST YOU ESTIMATE FOR  
LAND. PLEASE ENTER A WHOLE DOLLAR AMOUNT WITH NO  
DOLLAR SIGN OR COMMA.

:  
50000

ENTER THE INTEREST RATE YOU PLAN ON FOR  
THE CAPITAL COST. ENTER AS A RATE INCLUDING DECIMAL:.15

HOW MANY YEARS ON THE LOAN? PLEASE ENTER  
YEARS AS A WHOLE NUMBER....LESS THAN 45 YRS PLEASE:25

CAPITAL COSTS

CONSTRUCTION COST PER BED	\$21,956.46
STARTUP COST PER BED	\$968.23
SUBTOTAL PER BED	\$22,924.69
NUMBER OF BEDS	60
SUBTOTAL FOR HOME	\$1,375,481.40
LAND COSTS	\$50,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL COSTS	\$1,425,481.40
AMORTIZATION FACTOR	.154699400
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TOTAL ANNUAL CAPITAL COSTS	\$220,521.11
TOTAL ANNUAL OPERATING COSTS	\$465,125.40
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TOTAL ANNUAL COSTS FOR HOME	\$685,646.51

THIS IS THE END OF PART B.

WHICH PROCEDURE DO YOU WISH TO RUN?

- A. ESTIMATE POTENTIAL BEDS
- B. ESTIMATE COSTS
- C. ESTIMATE TAX IMPACT
- D. NONE. END PROGRAM.

PLEASE SELECT A PROCEDURE AND ENTER THE  
CORRESPONDING LETTER A B C OR D.

ENTER LETTER:C

PART C. ESTIMATING ALTERNATIVE TAX RATES.  
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DO YOU WISH TO:

- A. READ A DESCRIPTION OF THIS PART?
- B. PROCEED DIRECTLY TO ESTIMATES?

PLEASE ENTER A OR B:B

THE ESTIMATED NUMBER OF BEDS USED  
EARLIER WAS 60

DO YOU WISH TO:

- A. USE THE SAME NUMBER FOR TAX RATES.

B. ENTER A NEW NUMBER.  
PLEASE ENTER A OR B:A

THE OCCUPANCY RATE USED  
EARLIER WAS 0.9500

DO YOU WISH TO:

A. USE THE SAME NUMBER FOR TAX RATES.  
B. ENTER A NEW NUMBER.  
PLEASE ENTER A OR B:A

THE TOTAL ANNUAL COST USED  
EARLIER WAS \$685,646.51

DO YOU WISH TO:

A. USE THE SAME NUMBER FOR TAX RATES.  
B. ENTER A NEW NUMBER.  
PLEASE ENTER A OR B:A

IN ORDER TO CALCULATE POSSIBLE TAX RATES  
WE WILL NEED THE AREAS TOTAL ASSESSED VALUATION.  
PLEASE ENTER THE ASSESSED VALUATION. ONCE AGAIN,  
PLEASE DO NOT ENTER A DOLLAR SIGN OR COMMA. ENTER  
THE ASSESSED VALUATION AS A WHOLE NUMBER:28700000

WE CAN NOW COMPUTE THE MONTHLY COST  
PER PATIENT WITHOUT TAX REVENUES:

NUMBER OF BEDS	60
OCCUPANCY RATE	0.9500
NUMBER OF OCCUPANTS	57
TOTAL ANNUAL COST	\$685,646.51
ANNUAL COST PER OCCUPANT	\$12,028.88
MONTHLY COST PER OCCUPANT	\$1,002.40

GIVEN THE ABOVE INFORMATION WE CAN NOW  
PROCEED TO DEVELOP ALTERNATIVE PROPERTY TAX RATES  
REQUIRED TO LOWER MONTHLY PATIENT CHARGES TO SOME  
PREFERRED LEVEL.  
FOR EACH PREFERRED MONTHLY CHARGE YOU ENTER, THE  
PROGRAM WILL CALCULATE THE TAX REVENUE NEEDED TO  
ACHIEVE THAT LEVEL OF REDUCTION AND THE TAX RATE.

PLEASE ENTER A PREFERRED MONTHLY  
PATIENT CHARGE FOR WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE AN  
ESTIMATE OF THE TAX REVENUE AND TAX RATE REQUIRED  
TO SUPPORT IT. PLEASE ENTER THE AMOUNT AS A  
WHOLE NUMBER WITH NO DOLLAR SIGN OR COMMAS.  
ENTER PREFERRED MONTHLY CHARGE:500

CALCULATION OF ALTERNATIVE TAX REVENUE

MONTHLY COST PER OCCUPANT	\$1,002.40
PREFERRED MONTHLY CHARGE	\$500.00
MONTHLY DIFFERENCE	\$502.40
ANNUAL DIFFERENCE	\$6,028.80
NUMBER OF OCCUPANTS	57
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REQUIRED ANNUAL TAX REVENUE	\$343,641.60
TOTAL ASSESSED VALUATION	\$287,000,000.00
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PROPERTY TAX RATE REQUIRED	0.0012

DO YOU WISH TO CONSIDER ANOTHER PREFERRED MONTHLY CHARGE. PLEASE ENTER YES OR NO: YES

PLEASE ENTER A PREFERRED MONTHLY PATIENT CHARGE FOR WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE AN ESTIMATE OF THE TAX REVENUE AND TAX RATE REQUIRED TO SUPPORT IT. PLEASE ENTER THE AMOUNT AS A WHOLE NUMBER WITH NO DOLLAR SIGN OR COMMAS. ENTER PREFERRED MONTHLY CHARGE: 300

CALCULATION OF ALTERNATIVE TAX REVENUE

MONTHLY COST PER OCCUPANT	\$1,002.40
PREFERRED MONTHLY CHARGE	\$300.00
MONTHLY DIFFERENCE	\$702.40
ANNUAL DIFFERENCE	\$8,428.80
NUMBER OF OCCUPANTS	57
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REQUIRED ANNUAL TAX REVENUE	\$480,441.60
TOTAL ASSESSED VALUATION	\$287,000,000.00
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PROPERTY TAX RATE REQUIRED	0.0017

DO YOU WISH TO CONSIDER ANOTHER PREFERRED MONTHLY CHARGE. PLEASE ENTER YES OR NO: NO

THIS IS THE END OF PART C.

WHICH PROCEDURE DO YOU WISH TO RUN?

- A. ESTIMATE POTENTIAL BEDS
- B. ESTIMATE COSTS

- C. ESTIMATE TAX IMPACT
- D. NONE. END PROGRAM.

PLEASE SELECT A PROCEDURE AND ENTER THE  
CORRESPONDING LETTER A B C OR D.

ENTER LETTER:D

THANK YOU FOR USING THE SYSTEM  
WE HOPE THAT IT WAS HELPFUL. GOOD BYE.





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