

National Comparison of Salaries for Lieutenant Governor

State	*	Annual Salary
Pennsylvania	E	163,672
Colorado	E	158,016
New York	E	152,161
Hawaii	E	151,776
Ohio	E	150,404
Maryland	E	145,000
California	E	142,577
New Jersey	E	141,000
Illinois	E	135,669
North Carolina	E	127,561
Florida	E	124,851
Kentucky	E	124,113
Massachusetts	E	122,058
Oklahoma	E	119,820
Rhode Island	E	117,637
Alaska	E	115,000
Louisiana	E	115,000
Michigan	E	111,510
Connecticut	E	110,000
Utah	E	104,405
Washington	E	103,937
North Dakota	E	103,221
Iowa	E	103,212
Indiana	E	94,901
Wyoming	◆	92,000
Georgia	E	91,609
Tennessee	◆	88,001
Montana	E	86,985
Missouri	E	86,484
New Mexico	E	85,000
Minnesota	E	82,959
Delaware	E	79,053
Wisconsin	E	77,795
Oregon	◆	77,000
Nebraska	E	75,000
Arizona	◆	71,050
Vermont	E	70,470
South Dakota	E	66,874
Nevada	E	63,648
Alabama	E	60,830
Mississippi	E	60,000
Kansas	E	54,000

State	*	Annual Salary
South Carolina	E	46,545
Idaho	E	44,205
Arkansas	E	42,315
Virginia	E	36,321
West Virginia	◆	20,000
Texas	E	9,612
Maine	◆	n/a
New Hampshire	◆	n/a

*Key: E = Elected
 L = Selected by Legislature
 n/a = Not available
 ◆ = Other: Function performed as part of another position or not specifically assigned.

Notes:

- In Arizona, Oregon and Wyoming the position of Lieutenant Governor is equivalent to that of Secretary of State. In Maine, New Hampshire, Tennessee and West Virginia the presidents (or Speakers) of the Senate are next in line of succession to the Governorship. In Tennessee and West Virginia, the speaker of the Senate bears the statutory title of lieutenant governor.
- Five states, however, do not have a Lieutenant Governor position. Those states include: Arizona, Maine, New Hampshire, Oregon and Wyoming.
- South Dakota is a part time position.
- Texas Lieutenant Governor receives additional pay when serving as acting Governor.

Source of Data: [The Book of the States 2017](#), & [Ballotpedia](#) & Internet searches