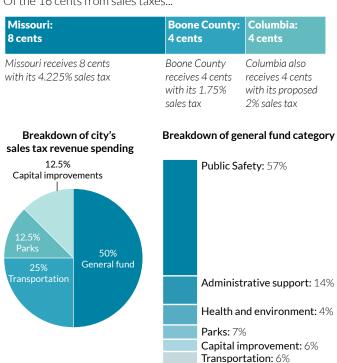
## Columbia collects one-fourth of total sales tax revenues

If a person bought a \$2.00 candy bar from a Columbia vendor, the city sales tax would also be added with the county and state sales taxes. Thus, the customer pays \$2.16 after a 7.975% sales tax.

## For example:

Of the 16 cents from sales taxes...



**Source:** Missouri Department of Revenue, City of Columbia

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