

Statements required in notice if the proposed tax rate exceeds the no-new-revenue tax rate but does not exceed the voter-approval tax rate, as prescribed by Tax Code §26.06(b-2).

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

A tax rate of \$ 0.1260 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of City of Highland Haven.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$	<u>0.1260</u>	per \$100
NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	\$	<u>0.1218</u>	per \$100
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	\$	<u>0.1260</u>	per \$100

The no-new-revenue tax rate is the tax rate for the 2021 tax year that will raise the same amount of property tax revenue for City of Highland Haven from the same properties in both the 2020 tax year and the 2021 tax year.

The voter-approval rate is the highest tax rate that City of Highland Haven may adopt without holding an election to seek voter approval of the rate.

The proposed tax rate is greater than the no-new-revenue tax rate. This means that City of Highland Haven is proposing to increase property taxes for the 2021 tax year.

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD ON September 7, 2021 at 7:00 pm
at Highland Haven Community Center 118 Blackbird Dr Highland Haven Tx, 78654.

The proposed tax rate is not greater than the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, City of Highland Haven is not required to hold an election at which voters may accept or reject the proposed tax rate. However, you may express your support for or opposition to the proposed tax rate by contacting the members of the Board of Aldermen of City of Highland Haven at their offices or by attending the public hearing mentioned above.

YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE TAX RATES MENTIONED ABOVE CAN BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

$$\text{Property tax amount} = .1260 \times (\text{taxable value of your property}) / 100$$

(List names of all members of the governing body below, showing how each voted on the proposal to consider the tax increase or, if one or more were absent, indicating absences.)

FOR the proposal: _____

AGAINST the proposal: _____

PRESENT and not voting: _____

ABSENT: _____

The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

The following table compares the taxes imposed on the average residence homestead by City of Highland Haven last year to the taxes proposed to be imposed on the average residence homestead by City of Highland Haven this year.

	2020	2021	Change
Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)	\$ 0.1321	\$ 0.1260	3.5% Increase
Average homestead taxable value	\$425,373	\$460,837	8.34% Increase
Tax on average homestead	\$562	\$580	3.2% Increase
Total tax levy on all properties	\$202,323	\$211,406	4.48% Increase

For assistance with tax calculations, please contact the tax assessor for City of Highland Haven at 512-756-8291 or info@burnetad.org, or visit www.highlandhaventx.com.